



COURSE BOOKING FORM AND TEMPORARY MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION

Course Terms and Conditions:

General Conditions:

- 1 Because of the design of our aircraft we can only fly you if:
 - i) you are between 145cm and 193cm tall (4' 9" to 6' 4")
 - ii) you weigh between 45kg and 102kg (7 to 16 stone)
- 2 We cannot accept anyone aged 12 or less for a flight of any kind. The responsible guardian of any young person (aged 17 or under) must be present at their first flight and sign the declaration overleaf. Subsequently we will only accept anyone aged 13 or 14 if their responsible guardian is present on the airfield at all times. Stratford on Avon Gliding Club operates a Child Protection Policy.
- 3 Should you suffer from any form of disability then you should make it known. Whilst we do everything possible to ensure that people with disabilities can discover the joys of gliding, there are unfortunately some conditions that would jeopardise the safety of yourself and others.
- 4 Stratford on Avon Gliding Club reserve the right to refuse to allow anyone to fly under the following conditions:
 - i) The person is under the influence of alcohol or drugs.
 - ii) The person is suspected to be under the influence of alcohol and refuses a breathalyser test.
 - iii) Any other condition that in the judgement of the Duty Instructor would jeopardise the safety of the instructor or any other person at the airfield.
 - iv) The person does not comply with items 1, 2 or 3 of these conditions.

The decision of the Duty Instructor is final.
- 5 All flights are subject to availability on the day.
- 6 Stratford on Avon Gliding Club cannot accept liability for any damage to vehicles or property belonging to Club Members or members of the public. Gliding is considered to be a dangerous aviation activity - should you fly at Stratford on Avon Gliding Club you do so entirely at your own risk.
- 7 Anyone who, at the discretion of the Duty Instructor, is deemed eligible to fly solo **must** be in possession of a valid medical declaration as defined by the British Gliding Association. Please contact us if you require further information about medical declarations.

Definition of a Course:

- 1 Each course day shall normally consist of ground briefings and 5 winch launches or 1 hour and 15 minutes of flight time (whichever comes first), but the daily programme may be varied by the Course Instructor as dictated by prevailing conditions.
- 2 Any additional instructional flights at the Course Member's request are subject to availability will be charged at standard member flying rates. Should the Course Member be eligible to fly solo, they may do so free of charge as part of their Course subject to the normal Club Rules for glider allocation and maximum flying times.
- 3 Should the Course Member decide that they do not wish to complete the course content on any day then the Course is deemed to have been completed for that day.
- 4 The Course does not include any meals or refreshments.
- 5 One, two and 3 day Courses include 3 months membership of the Club. 4 and 5 day Courses include 6 months membership. During the membership period, the course member may attend the Club at any time and fly at normal Club Member rates.

Booking Conditions:

- 1 All Courses are subject to availability.
- 2 A deposit equivalent to the cost of a single day Course is required on booking, the remainder is payable in full on the first day of the Course.
- 3 Stratford on Avon Gliding Club reserves the right to cancel any Course prior to commencement in the event of unforeseen circumstances beyond our control. In this event an alternative date will be arranged, or all monies paid by the Course Member by way of deposits will be refunded on return of the Course Booking Confirmation form. No other monetary compensation will be considered.
- 4 The Course Member may cancel at any time up to 14 days prior to the agreed Course date and all deposits paid will be refunded.
- 5 Should it not be possible to complete any Course due to adverse weather or other operational issues, the unused part of the Course can be re-arranged for an alternative date, or a monetary refund given equal to the value of the unused part of the Course.

For Club Use:

Date:

Name of Visitor:

Membership Number:

Membership Valid Until:

Payment Received:

Course Voucher sent:

Your Details:

Details are treated as confidential and will be held on a computer for Club purposes only. Please use block capitals throughout.

Have you visited Stratford On Avon Gliding Club before? Yes / No

Title: Mr / Mrs / Ms / Miss / Other (please specify)

Full initials:

Preferred Forename:

Surname:

Address:

City:

County:

Postcode:

Country (if not UK):

Date of Birth:

Email Address:

Telephone: Home / Mobile (please indicate)

Previous Flying Experience: (please specify number of flights and/or hours if applicable)

Gliders: None /
 Power: None /

Course Details:

Preferred Start Date of Course (day, date):

Number of days:

Total fee due: £.....

Deposit Enclosed: £.....
 (please make cheques payable to SOAGC)

Declaration to be read and signed by the Applicant:

I hereby apply for Temporary Membership of Stratford-on-Avon Gliding Club and agree to be bound by the Rules and Regulations of the Club and the terms and conditions printed overleaf. Payment of the Course fee entitles the applicant to membership of the Club for a period as stated overleaf, and commences on the first day of the course.

I declare that:

- I do not suffer from epilepsy or from sudden attacks of fainting or giddiness or from any other disability, mental or physical, which would be likely to result in the flying of a glider by me being a source of danger to myself or to others.
- I am not taking any medication that would preclude me from operating machinery or driving a vehicle, nor am I suffering from any condition for which my GP has advised me not to drive.
- I have not taken part in any activity such as scuba diving in the last 48 hours which would prevent me from travelling on a commercial airline as a passenger.

I understand that it is my responsibility to inform the Club of any change occurring which would affect this declaration of fitness.

I understand that gliding is considered a dangerous activity sport and that I fly at my own risk.

I have read the terms and conditions printed overleaf and comply with them.

Signature of Applicant:

Date:

Declaration to be signed when the Applicant is under 18 years of age:

I, as lawful parent or guardian of the applicant, give my consent to them partaking in all Club activities including flying in Gliders and hereby agree to be bound by the declaration as stated above. I have read and am satisfied with the Club's Child Protection Policy.

Signature of Guardian:

Relationship:

Name and Full Address:

(FULL NAME AND ADDRESS, BLOCK CAPITALS PLEASE)

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