

Grasmere Show

24 August 2014



The CSC Paragliding Accuracy Competition is Back

Sunday 24th August – put it in your diary NOW!! No, don't put it off, do it now.

The CSC is delighted to announce that this paragliding event has been re-introduced to the programme of this extremely popular and high profile Lakeland show.

The Competition - Any pilot can enter subject to membership of the BHPA. [You do not have to be a member of the CSC.](#) There will be two categories; A Comp - any pilot and B comp – any pilot qualifying as CP after 1 January 2012. The competition is suitable for low airtime pilots

Competitors can have as many attempts as they wish and conditions allow but only their best (closest) result counts in the comp. A prize of £50 is awarded to the winning pilot in each category. A prize is also awarded for the pilot achieving the greatest altitude. Unlike conventional accuracy competitions where pilots descend as quickly as possible and whine if they are affected by a puff of wind Grasmere encourages fortitude and applauds the pilot who refuses to land. It is after all, designed to show off paragliding in all its glory not as sedate form of bungee jumping. This allows pilots to enjoy a full day's flying.

This is an important event in the CSC calendar. Not only does it provide for an immensely enjoyable day doing what we enjoy doing but it always proves to be a great social occasion. Most importantly, it provides an opportunity to demonstrate paragliding as an exciting and spectacular activity with a low environmental impact to a large crowd with farming/rural interests.

Full details of the event will be published nearer the day. In the meantime, anyone wanting further information should contact the main organiser Chris Field (field950@gmail.com or 01768 862527)