



Gliding New Zealand Annual Symposium & AGM 6-7 June 2015 **James Cook Grand Chancellor Hotel, Wellington**

Saturday Symposium

Outline of the programme for Saturday 6 June:

9:00 am – 10:10 am	Youth Glide NZ Meeting
10:15 am – 12:15 pm	Contest Pilots' Meeting
12:15pm – 1:10 pm	Buffet Lunch
1:15 pm – 3:15 pm	Club Forum (all welcome) - round the clubs from the floor, quick report on what's happening in your club - briefing on current issues from the Executive's perspective
3:15 pm – 3:35 pm	Tea/Coffee break
3:40 pm – 5:15 pm	Presentations TBA
5:45 pm – 7:30 pm	Cash bar and cocktail party with guest speaker Awards and Trophies presentations.

Sunday AGM

This is formal notice that the Annual General Meeting for 2015 will be held at the James Cook Grand Chancellor Hotel, Wellington on Sunday 7 June 2015, starting at 9:30am.

Remits

Constituent Members are requested to lodge any remits with the Executive Officer by email no later than Tuesday 5 May. This deadline is to ensure that the Annual Report booklet can be completed and circulated with remits in plenty of time.

Registration

Constituent Members should register their delegates[‡] on the accompanying form. Proxies should also be registered on this form. (Note that no person shall be entitled to vote on behalf of more than two Constituent Members.)

General registrations for the weekend should also be completed on this Form.

Please email (preferred) or post registration forms to Paula Ruddick by 1 June – this will ensure your delegate is registered by the time required in the constitution and will also enable catering to be confirmed. Fees should be paid online (preferred) or by cheque posted with the form.

[‡] Each Full Member should nominate one Delegate who is entitled to exercise all of its votes, being one vote for each 25 flying members or part thereof with a maximum of five.

Accommodation

A limited number of rooms have been reserved with the hotel at the daily rate of \$150 (including GST) for single, double or twin occupancy. Early return of the registration form will guarantee that your requested accommodation is available. Please note that your credit card information is required before a reservation can be made on your behalf.

Awards

Nominations are requested for the following trophies and awards:

ANGUS ROSE BOWL. Awarded annually in recognition of outstanding service to the sport of gliding in New Zealand. Pilot achievements are not excluded but greater emphasis is placed on other aspects of the sport, as there are already trophies for flying exploits.

FRIENDSHIP CUP. Awarded annually for outstanding contribution to the gliding movement during the preceding year.

AIR NEW ZEALAND SOARING AWARD. Awarded annually to the pilot who has shown the most significant improvement in their personal standard of competition or record flying during the year.

Nominations must be received by the Executive Officer by email no later than Tuesday 5 May to enable them to be considered by the Executive Committee.

Executive Committee Nominations

This year David Jensen will have completed his two-year term. Karen Morgan (President), Steve Wallace (Vice President), Nigel Davy and Frank Saxton will each have one year remaining on their two-year terms.

David Jensen has indicated his willingness to stand for a further term, and has been so nominated.

Any further nominations should be made by Tuesday 5 May.

Summary of Deadlines:

- 5 May**
- Remits.
 - Award nominations.
 - Nominations for one Executive position as above.
- All to be sent to the Executive Officer by email at gnzsecretary@scorch.co.nz
- 1 June** Latest date for sending delegate registration forms and fees to Paula Ruddick.

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