

# WARM AIR 1 March 2025

## Aviation Sports Club Gliding Newsletter

### THIS WEEKEND:

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Saturday 1 Mar	Instructing: Towing: Duty Pilot	I Burr P Thorpe K Jasica
Sunday 2 Mar	Instructing: Towing: Duty Pilot	P Thorpe R Heynike C Hayward Slattery

### MEMBERS NEWS

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*Thank you for the pictures, stories and contributions from members!*

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**Short Newsletter this week folks.**

### Notices

**MP** – Repairs done, will be available once picked up from Sailplane Services on Saturday.

### Instructor Report Saturday – Ray reports on a busy day

We had decent southerly cross wind all day with good lift all around the sky. 14 launches for the day including a couple or three passenger flights in RDW.

New member Matthew Barrett took his first flight and thoroughly enjoyed himself. Steve took a passenger and then did an instructional flight with Dilan, which gave me a chance to spend a few minutes with a chap who helped Izzy and I with some very helpful welding advice. Cassian squeezed in a couple of flights to set himself up for flying GVF and Ben through in a couple as well.

A new controller has just started at NZWP and you will be hearing a bit more from him during the weekends while he learns the ropes. His name is Rula and after a couple of hours in the tower he came out to the field and we took him for a flight to show him what it looks like from our end.



*Anyone recognise this youngman.....see below*

## Duty Roster For Jan, Feb, Mar

Month	Date	Duty Pilot	Instructor	Tow Pilot
Mar	1	K JASICA	I BURR	P THORPE
	2	C HAYWARD-SLATTERY	P THORPE	R HEYNIKE
	8	A NEJATI	L PAGE	R BURNS
	9	M KUYS	I WOODFIELD	G CABRE
	15	M WEYNA	A FLETCHER	P THORPE

	16		R BURNS	R CARSWELL
	22	K BHASHYAM	S WALLACE	R HEYNIKE
	23	I O'KEEFE	S WALLACE	R BURNS
	29	T PRENTICE	P THORPE	G CABRE
	30	R SEMMENS	L PAGE	R CARSWELL

*Well, that was Ben Sly only a few years ago. Now look at him, soaring here there and everywhere. Thank you father Rex. Only thing that ain't changed is the Green Hangar*

