2007 US Soaring Team Western Cross-Country Camp

Sky Sailing Inc. will be hosting the 2007 US Team sponsored western cross-country camp.

Where: Warner Springs CA  [www.skysailing.com](http://www.skysailing.com)

When: May 7-11 2007 Arrive May 6th for local area briefing and welcoming BBQ.

Who is invited: Anyone that would like to learn from the basics of XC flying to efficient XC flying or racing. This is going to be a camp, so will try and have a relaxed feel.

Minimum experience: capable of doing a 100Km flight on a soarable day, spot landings and low energy landings at the same time, min private license. If you do not have the minimum experience you may sit-in for the lectures.

What we will be offering: We will have an assortment of morning lectures. If you bring your own glider we will offer lead and follow, if you do not have your own sailplane we will be offering dual or solo flying, depending on availability. Evening lectures and flight analysis will follow dinner. A professional staff at Sky Sailing Inc., and mentor pilots with experience in Cross Country and racing. The only one who will not appreciate you attending this camp will be your flying buddies, because of the experience that you will gain, while they sit at their office desk working.

Tentative mentor list: 4 mentors have been Regional champions, 2 current/former US Team pilots, 4 experienced local Cross Country pilots.

Our goal is that when you leave the camp you will: have a higher level of comfort while flying Cross Country. Have shifted some weaknesses to strengths in your flying ability. Improve your Cross Country speed by learning from some of the top pilots in the US today. Gain insightful tips and feedback from a five-day soaring experience.

Dinner: We will provide dinner either BBQ style or at a local restaurant, included in price.

Tows: Tows will be provided by Sky Sailing Inc. and a 2000ft tow is included in price.

Lodging: We recommend the Warner Springs Ranch  [www.warnersprings.com](http://www.warnersprings.com) we have set up a group rate please contact me for pricing and reservations. The Warner Springs Ranch is great for the non-flying crew and has an 18hole golf-course, 3 swimming pools, spa, equestrian center, tennis courts, etc.

Two-seat ships: Our current plan is to have 2 Grob 103’s, S10vt, Duo Discus, Nimbus 4d, we are still working on the availability of more.

Single seat ships: Sky Sailing Inc. has a Grob 102 and a SGS 1-36 available for rent.
**Cost:** $875 for 5 days. This includes: dinner, lectures, mentoring, 2000ft tow, flights uploaded to the OLC, and of course beer. The mentors are unpaid and any profit will go to support the US Soaring Team.

Juniors under 25 will have fees waived.

Look for the 2006 Cross-Country Camp article in *Soaring*.

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