

# JOIN US

Cypress Soaring Glider Club is located in Southern California. We are based at Hemet-Ryan Airport, in Hemet, California. We are convenient to most locations in Los Angeles, Orange, Riverside and San Diego counties.



If you would like to find out more about Cypress Soaring, Inc., please call, write or visit our web site. We're also on Facebook.

We invite you to come out and visit us at a club meeting, or if you would like an introductory glider ride, let us know. Email us at info@cypresssoaringmail.org.

With Cypress Soaring full membership you get...

- Use of club aircraft and equipment\*
- Flight instruction\*
- 24-month flight reviews for pilots\*
- Membership in the Soaring
  Society of America
- Club social activities\*
- \* Included in club dues



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You can live your dream of flying!





#### LEARN TO FLY

Learning to fly gliders could be one of the most exciting, challenging and rewarding experiences of your life. You will start flying, with the help of a flight instructor, almost immediately. Cypress club instructors are available one or two days a week, usually on weekends, so flight instruction is available to members about once a week.

#### **BE A SAILPLANE PILOT**

Cypress Soaring is equipped to provide you with a wide range of soaring experiences. Even if you are a pilot in powered aircraft wishing to experience the joy of motorless flight, Cypress Soaring could be for you.

We also offer more than just flight instruction. We are a group of people with interests like your own. We conduct regular club meetings once a month. We also have social events that offer a great opportunity to make new friends. People of all ages and a wide variety of backgrounds are members of Cypress Soaring.



# WHAT DOES IT COST?

When you join Cypress Soaring, Inc., you will pay an initiation fee of \$600. You will also pay monthly dues ranging from \$60 to \$75. Dues vary depending on the number of aircraft you are qualified to fly. Your dues include the use of the aircraft and all flight instruction you receive from Cypress Soaring flight instructors. The only other cost you will incur is the cost of aerotows, currently, about \$95 for a 3,000 ft. tow. Altogether, you could expect to spend about \$160-\$220 a month to fly sailplanes.

### JUNIOR MEMBERSHIP

Cypress Soaring also offers the Junior Membership, designed to make it more affordable for young people to learn to soar. Junior Membership is available to full time students between the ages of 14 and 22.

### ASSOCIATE MEMBERSHIP

If you own your own sailplane and would like to fly at Hemet Ryan Airport, we offer an Associate Membership for only \$60 per year.



#### A WORD ABOUT FITTING IN A SAILPLANE

The cockpit of a sailplane is a little smaller than the ordinary airplane. From a practical standpoint, the maximum height for someone to fit comfortably is about 6' 3". As with any aircraft, weight and balance is an important factor; even more so with sailplanes. The maximum weight that our gliders can accommodate is about 225 lbs.

