

Women's World Gliding Championships 2017

WAIKERIE, AUSTRALIA





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Why should the men have all the fun?

Women should have the chance to fly in Australia also





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Proposed period for the event

Training Dates: Tuesday 24th January– Friday 27th January 2017

Competition Dates: Sunday 29th January – Saturday 11th Feb 2017

Alternate period for the event

Training dates : Tue 2nd January – Friday 5th January 2018

Competition dates: Sunday 7th – Saturday 20th January 2018



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Waikerie airfield and facilities

4 runways with extensive all over landing options

Sufficient buildings, facilities, tie-downs, water, wifi, etc for a large competition



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Accommodation and catering options

There are extensive accommodation options at the airfield and within the local town

- Camping
- Cabins
- Motels
- Hotels
- Houseboats



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Competition area

The task area comprises flat fields throughout an extensive grazing and cropping region. Outlanding options that are unsurpassed and safety for finishing aircraft.



Meteorological conditions:

Average daily maximum temperature during Jan/Feb is around 32°C.

Maximum daytime temperatures may exceed 40°C

Only an average of rain or drizzle 2 days per month.

Airspace restrictions

The task area is effectively unrestricted to FL180/FL245 with a small area of FL125

Typical tasks of 300-500km, with tasks of up to 1000km having been set/completed



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Ideal soaring conditions:

Hot weather

Reliable conditions

Many flying days

Fast speeds

Oxygen required



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Glider Availability

There are ways to make accessing a competitive glider no more expensive than using your own at home

Glider swap

- Many Australian pilots are keen to swap their glider for a glider in Europe, NZ, USA, South Africa, etc

Bring your own

- Ship your own glider during the European winter
- Hire to your friends to help pay the transport costs

Hire a European glider

- 60+ gliders shipped to Australia each summer from Europe

Hire one of ours

- We will coordinate affordable, high quality glider hire in Australia.



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COSTS

Favourable exchange rate

Entry fee: 750 Euro

Aero tows: 50 Euro

Car fuel per litre: 1.00 -1.20 Euro per litre

Accommodation: 5 - 40 Euro per day

Catering: From 12 – 20 Euro per dinner / meal



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