



A COMMUNITY AMATEUR SPORTS CLUB (CASC)

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BGFC Fees from 1 January 2023

BGFC Affordable Gliding Scheme

If you are on a low or modest income, you could be eligible for our Affordable Gliding Scheme. This provides both reduced annual membership fees and reduced launch fees. To qualify, you need to have an annual income of approximately £21,000 per annum or less. See www.bidfordglidingandflyingclub.co.uk/ags. For further details contact either the club office or the membership secretary at membership@bgfc.uk in the strictest confidence.

Membership Fees Membership fees are applied on 1st April each year. For new members joining up to 30 September, membership fees are calculated on a pro rata basis according to the month of joining. For new members joining after 30 September, members have a choice of payment options as follows: A. Pay the current year's membership in full which will be extended until 31 March in the following year, or B. Pay a pro rata membership fee until 31 March and then pay the following year's membership at the new price when due on 1 April	£ Base fee (Inc. BGA affiliation fee where applicable)
Adult full membership: For an individual aged 21 and over on 1st April. Required to fly club or private gliders and/or private powered aircraft based at Bidford (including £50 BGA fee for glider pilots only)	£440.00 (£490.00)
Family gliding membership. For an individual aged 21 or over on the 1st April, fee for additional flying members of the same family of an Adult Full Member (including £50 BGA fee)	£220.00 (£270.00)
Tug pilot membership. Reduced membership fee for non-gliding tug pilots who participate actively on the Club's tug Rota. Glider pilots who also tug require adult full membership above (no BGA fee payable)	£220.00
Country membership. Reduced membership fee for full members of another BGA club (no BGA fee payable)	£260.00
Introductory gliding membership. For new gliding members only. This introductory fee is only applicable for the first year of membership for student pilots aged 21 and over on 1 st April who have not yet obtained their Bronze badge or SPL (including £50 BGA fee)	£195.00 (£245.00)
Student membership: aged 21-25 and in Full Time Education. Reduced membership fee for glider pilot members aged between 21 and 25 inclusive on 1st April and in Full Time Education, (including £50 BGA fee)	£145.00 (£195.00)
Junior membership – age under 21. For all glider pilot members aged under 21 on 1st April (no BGA fee). Please refer to separate information setting out the full details of the benefits available to Junior Members	£52.00
Affordable gliding scheme membership. Annual membership fee (Includes BGA fee)	£52.00
Social membership. For a non-flying social member without a caravan based at Bidford	£96.00
Caravan and social membership. For a non-flying social member with a caravan based at Bidford	£440.00
BGA member affiliation fee. Applicable to all glider pilot members aged 21 and over on 1st April	£50.00
 Day membership: Visitor from another BGA gliding club, except Stratford and Black Mountains, per day Visitor from another BGA gliding club, except Stratford and Black Mountains, per week Friends & family, including BGA temporary member affiliation fee of £5.00, per day 	£15.00 £60.00 £20.00
Caravan parking. Fee applicable to 30th September and renewed annually comprising plot rental and maintenance fee as shown below. (All members with caravans must hold full membership)	£588.00
Short-term caravan parking: Caravan parking per week Caravan parking per month (minimum 3 months)	£36.75 £49.00
Caravan electricity. Monthly standing charge plus cost of actual usage based on meter reading	£2.25/month £0.25/unit

BGFC Fees from 1 January 2023 (Continued)

Aircraft hangarage. A landing card is required for every aircraft based at Bidford. Fees applicable for the period from 1st April to 31st March and covers up to 6 pilots: Landing card per aircraft Hangar rental per aircraft	£960.00 £960.00
Aircraft outside parking. No fees are charged for outside parking, but a landing card is required for every aircraft, (trailered or non-trailered). Fee applies for the period from 1st April to 31st March. Landing card per aircraft	£960.00
Glider trailer winter storage. For storage of a glider trailer in the club's hangar between the end of October and the end of March (i.e., aligned with British Winter Time) Electricity supplement for dehumidifier	£240.00 £75.00
Glider facilitation fee. Glider facilitation fees are payable by each syndicate member and are proportional to the number of owners in the syndicate. Fee applies for the period 1st Feb to 31st Jan Single ownership Family ownership (glider shared by two immediate family members) Two shares – each Three shares – each Four shares – each	£350.00 £435.00 £260.00 £230.00 £215.00
 SLMG facilitation fee. As glider facilitation fees but only applicable to gliders with retractable engines. Single ownership Family ownership (glider shared by two immediate family members) Two shares – each Three shares – each Four shares – each 	£450.00 £535.00 £310.00 £263.33 £240.00
Simulated launch failure (when flying with an instructor for training purposes)	£15.00
Circuit training* – Aerotow to 1,000' in a club two-seat glider for training purposes	£22.00
Normal Aerotow* – 1,000'	£28.00
Aerotow* – each additional 100'	£1.30
Aerotow* – 2,000'	£41.00
Competition launches* – 2,000'	£45.00
Aerotow Retrieve* – per nautical mile	£6.00
Winter operations* - Aerotow between 2,000' and 3,000' charged at 2,000'. Aerotow above 3,000', 1,000' F	REE
Glider Hire – AGS members for launches above 1,000' and all adult members (max charge 3 hours)	25 pence/min
Glider Hire – Junior members aged under 21 on 1st April	All time free
Introductory glider flights: Launch height to 2,000' Launch height to 3,000' Launch height to 5280' (Mile High!) Instructional Course Additional flights within 28 days charged at member aerotow rates shown above	£109.00 £139.00 £249.00 £275.00
Bellanca Scout: Training/tail wheel conversions only (no solo flights)	£250.00/hr
Visiting aircraft: Landing fee Overnight parking	£10.00 £5.00
Accommodation (no bed linen provided) Chalet, bunkhouse, kiosk, caravan per night Tent fee per night (includes electricity hook up)	£15.00 £10.00
Workshop hire Per day Per week	£20.00 £100.00

^{*} SUBJECT TO NO SIGNIFICANT CHANGE IN AVGAS PRICES, * Winter period aligns with British Winter Time