

# Updated Programme



## **CSC End of Season Do Punchbowl Inn, Askham, Cumbria Saturday 23<sup>rd</sup> November 2024**

A fabulous evening out to celebrate the end of our flying season in a traditional countryside inn, with cosy real fires, set in a stunning rural location. Wonderful food, real ale, and entertainment second to none with a presentation by the current British Junior Paragliding Team. **Everyone welcome – do join us!**

Evening programme:

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| <b>5:00 – 9:00pm</b>           | <b>Food available in main areas of the pub</b>           |
| <b>7:00 - 7:30pm.</b>          | <b>SOAR –screening of (Kinga) film sponsored by CSC</b>  |
| <b>7:30 – 8:15pm</b>           | <b>AGM and pilot awards in function room</b>             |
| <b>8:30 – 9:45pm</b>           | <b>British Junior Team presentation in function room</b> |
| <b>9:45pm to closing time.</b> | <b>More drinks and crack throughout the pub</b>          |

<https://www.punchbowlinnaskham.com/>

This will take place in the rear function room of the pub where Cumbria Soaring Club has exclusive use. The event is Free of Charge!

### **Key Items**

#### **SOAR - A girls road trip – film screening with intro by Westie**

This film, sponsored by CSC, follows Kinga Masztalerz – adventurer, Red Bull athlete, and one of the world's leading women pilots, on a girls' hike & fly road trip in the UK. The film will premiere at the Kendal Mountain Festival. This is your chance to see it. (more details below)

#### **Presentation by our Invited Speakers: The British Junior Paragliding Team**



Cumbrian pilots Kanan, Josh, and Jacob take us on their thrilling journey to the Junior Paragliding World Cup podium, packed with amazing footage!

They share the exciting lessons learned at the British Paragliding Racing Academy Boot Camp and how they applied those strategies to shine at the 1st Junior World Championship. It's a fun ride filled with teamwork, challenges, and unforgettable moments!

## **AGM,**

The CSC AGM - always kept short, will include election of next year's chairman and committee

## **Pilot Awards**

Following immediately after the AGM. The 2024 Pilot awards will include.

- Best new Pilot
- Keenest Pilot
- KenKen award

## **Parking**

The location is ideal for travel from all parts of Cumbria and beyond! There is parking at the rear of the inn, and we can accommodate a few campers for people who are dining with us and want to make an evening of it. Please contact Jonny on 07792 460123.

Jonny has also made an arrangement with the farmer next door to the inn to allow campers to overnight at the back of farm. Again, please contact Jonny on 07792 460123.

## **Dining Discount!**

**CSC is offering a £5 discount to club members towards your meal; booking is essential, just bring your BHPA card to redeem £5 off the cost of your meal.**

For those wishing to eat, a seasonal menu will be available, including traditional Christmas dinner for those already in the mood! Vegetarian options are available plus seasonal venison casserole which is sourced locally from The Lowther Estate.

Please contact Jonny to make reservations for your party on 07792 460123 or call the Punchbowl on 01931 712443 stating the number of people for your table, your preferred dining time, and a contact number for the lead guest. Booking a table for food is essential to avoid disappointment. The Punchbowl is a popular venue with locals and visitors alike, and it's usual for tables to be filling up as early as 5pm.

Meals are ordered and served in the various rooms throughout the pub, near the separate function room.

We would also recommend eating early in the evening to avoid missing the film screening at 7:00pm, **short** AGM and Prize Giving starting at 7:30pm, and of course our fabulous Invited Speakers at 8:30pm, all to be held separately in the adjoining function room.

Whether you choose to eat or not, the evening will offer all the usual ingredients of a CSC Social: convivial conversation and cheer and a fascinating flying focused presentation. All CSC members and partners welcome.

## Accommodation

For those wishing to stay the night or the weekend, the management of the inn are offering a generous discount with a room rate reduced from £160 per night down to £90 per night including breakfast. The inn has 5 double en-suite rooms and 1 twin en-suite.

They are also able to offer a static caravan to the rear that can accommodate 4 guests. The static is a minimum two night stay, with a rate reduced from £380 down to £240 for the two nights. Breakfast is not included but can be requested at the time of checking in.

Please contact Jonny direct on 07792 460123 to book accommodation as this offer is exclusively for CSC members. Alternatively email Jonny at [jonneysims@me.com](mailto:jonneysims@me.com)



## Soar - a girls' paragliding road trip

What happens when you invite Kinga Masztalerz – adventurer, Red Bull athlete, and one of the world's leading women pilots – to chase the flying weather through England and Wales on a girls' hike & fly road trip?

This film project, initiated by CSC's Westie and DHPC's Rhian Ebrey follows Kinga on a week's flying, culminating at the LCC. The action focuses on the X-Lakes challenge with lots of familiar Cumbria faces, including X-Lakes 2024 champ Bud Patterson, who also helped support the road trip.

Created by CSC/Dales pilot/filmmaker John Hamlett, the film premieres the same weekend, at the Kendal Mountain Festival. It'll then go out to other clubs, film festivals and YouTube to show the wider world how welcoming the paragliding community is, and how cool it is to fly like a girl!