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## Tender:

## Landeskrone - Wasserkuppe - Cup 2025

### 1. Motivation: On the trail of old wings!

On July 26, 1934, the great gliding pioneer Wolf Hirth covered a distance of 352km from the Wasserkuppe (WaKu) to Görlitz as part of the Rhön Competition and thus achieved the first cross-country flight over 300km - a world record to date!

**This is the occasion for the Görlitz Flying Club to announce a challenge cup for the then record distance in gliding Wasserkuppe – Görlitz.**

**The LaWa Cup is intended to:**

- **Fun** and bring joy to the adventure of cross-country gliding.
- **Making aviation history come alive** for young and old.
- Create connections, promoting **Oberlausitz and the Rhön.**

**All Glider pilots from any region are invited to take part in the competition!**

### 2. Organizer

Owner: **Görlitzer Flugsportclub e.V.**  
Competition Director: Lars Pannier  
Sporting Director: Raik Fechner



in cooperation with: Society for promotion of gliding (GFS)  
Wasserkuppe e.V.



### 3. Place and period

The **2025 Landeskrone - Wasserkuppe Cup** competition will take place during:

**01.04.2025 bis 30.09.2025**

### 4. Siegerpreis

**LaWa - Pokal** challenge cup  
**500,- Euro** prize



**A special thank you for the support of the GFS at the Wasserkuppe e.V.**

## 5. Competition rules and scoring criteria:

- a) **Registration is free of charge** and must be sent by e-mail **before the first flight submitted** with the following information:

**E-Mail-recipient:** [lawa-pokal@goerlitzerfsc.de](mailto:lawa-pokal@goerlitzerfsc.de)  
**subject:** **Landeskronen-Wasserkuppe-Cup 2025**  
**content:** name, firstname, contact data, glider club

- b) The participant must complete the following **declared route**:

**Görlitz EDBX - Wasserkuppe EDER**  
oder  
**Wasserkuppe EDER - Görlitz EDBX**

Any take-off or landing sites can be chosen.

**The section between the Wasserkuppe airfield and the Görlitz airfield will be evaluated.**

For a classic flight with a starting point at WaKu or Görlitz and landing at Görlitz or WaKu, no declaration is necessary.

The departure and destination lines necessary for the declaration have a radius of 2km. The destination is also reached with a landing at one of the airfields (DMSSt WO point 4.5).

**coordinates Görlitz EDBX:** N 51° 09,32' / E 14° 57,01' Elev: 778 ft

**coordinates WAKU EDER:** N 50° 29,56' / E 09° 57,13' Elev: 2958 ft

- c) **CUP- file turning points:** lawa.cup (4km start and finish line with 2km radius)  
The flight is within 48h after landing by e-mail to [lawa-pokal@goerlitzerfsc.de](mailto:lawa-pokal@goerlitzerfsc.de) with the information according to a) and with the IGC file attached.  
With the registration of the flights, the competition rules and evaluation criteria are accepted.
- d) Approved **launch types:** self-launch, winch launch or aircraft tow
- e) Certified **aircraft:** All gliders **without index limit**  
(according to the currently valid DAeC Index List 2025)
- f) The winner is the participant with the **highest average flight speed** on the Görlitz – Wasserkuppe or Wasserkuppe – Görlitz section using the currently valid DAeC index list (2025).
- g) Each pilot can **submit as many flights** as they like, the flight with the highest index-adjusted average speed will be scored.
- h) If the average speed is the same, the participant whose aircraft has the smaller index wins. In the event of a further tie, the younger pilot!

## 6. Scoring and award ceremony

The rankings of the participants of the **Landeskronen-Wasserkuppe-Pokal 2025** will be published on the **homepage of the Görlitzer FSC e.V.** [www.goerlitzerfsc.de](http://www.goerlitzerfsc.de) published. The procedure and framework of the award ceremony with the presentation of the challenge cup and the prize money will be **communicated to the winner of the competition by 13.10.2025.**