

Eastern Soaring Center, Inc.



Located in the heart of the Appalachian Mountains of West Virginia, Eastern Soaring Center (ESC, Inc.) offers soaring rides, flight instruction and tows from the Grant County Airport (W99) in Petersburg. Operations run year-round (Thursday through Sunday) serving Washington DC, Baltimore, Northern VA and the surrounding areas. ESC, Inc. is the only commercial operation in the mid-Atlantic region exclusively offering the most exciting form of glider launch (winch launch) and is one of the highest winch launches on the East coast.

BOOK YOUR FLIGHT TODAY!

One Stop—Scheduling and Payment
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Available by appointment :

Thu/Fri: 10am-5pm Sat: 8am-5pm
Sun: 12pm-5pm



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Rates: (tax not included)

- \$99 promo price for "Scenic Ride for One - Winch Launch up to 2000 feet above ground" (10 - 15 min flight)

- \$139 promo price for "Scenic Ride for One - Winch Launch up to 3000 feet above ground" (20 - 25 min flight)

**Actual altitude achieved dependent on weather conditions*

***Take a second flight (only applies for same passenger on same day) for half-price (till day is sold out)*

Dual video of flight: (pick any two of the following views: wingtip, tail or in cockpit): \$50 (DVD mailed out NLT next business day [often available same day while you wait])

Other conditions: Waiver required to be signed prior to flight. Maximum passenger weight is 230 lbs. Passengers under 18 yrs old are very welcome, but guardian must be present. Reservations are required; limited number of flights are available daily (subject to weather)...once these are sold-out no additional reservations can be taken. Same-day reservations (if available) charged an additional \$30 fee.

Gift Certificates available for online purchase.



Pilot/Instructor: Brian Collins, a retired USAF colonel, has been flying gliders since 1989 and obtained his CFI-G in 1996. Since then, he has accumulated over 2500 hours and 5300 flights in gliders including thousands of cross-country miles. Currently, he is an SSA Instructor and a Glider Check Pilot Examiner with the Maryland Wing of the Civil Air Patrol. He has set over 20 state and 2 national records and is the only U.S. glider pilot with all SSA Distance badges up through 1500 km. In 2015 he was named the '2d Most Active' SSA Instructor in the U.S.