

## BBAC Competitions Club event entry form

Grand Prix 1: 29-31 May 2010  
Ludlow C of E School, Bromfield Road, Ludlow SY8 1GJ  
Entry closing date 16th May 2010

Pilot Name			
email		Mobile	
Observer's Name			
email		Mobile	
Balloon Reg'n			
Liability Limit		Exp Date	
Entry fee of £50.00 (£25 for fiesta fliers) paid by		Indicate Cheque / Bank transfer	
I wish to take advantage of the novices' scheme	Yes/No	See notes below	
Camping / Caravan prepayment. £5/tent or £10/caravan if prepaid	Enter number of tents & caravans and amount paid		
Meal package (£20/head for 2x breakfast + 2x dinner)	Enter number of tickets and amount paid		
Rules booklets (only enter if you or your observer need new copy)	Enter number of copies needed		

### Important notes to entry procedures

#### Entry fees

The entry fee will be waived for pilots during their first competition year and for those pilots who have not entered a Competitions Club event during the last 5 years. The entry fee is non-refundable after the closing date. Also see novices' scheme below.

We encourage you to make electronic bank transfers direct to the following account:-

Sort code: 16-57-10 A/C: 22387420 and adding an appropriate narrative.

Alternatively, please send a cheque with your entry form payable to BBAC Competitions Club, to the membership secretary at the address shown below.

#### Camping & meals package

Camping/caravan fees shown above are for both night, so one tent only costs £5 for the whole event. Tent or caravans NOT paid in advance will cost £2 more.

To determine if the meals will be viable for the school, we need to give them numbers, so we are asking you to commit in advance and prepay. The school will order the amount of food to suit the numbers, so it is very unlikely more tickets will be available at the event. All prepaid camping and meals fees fully refundable if we cancel the event.

#### Rules booklets

As changes to the 2010 rules are minimal, we will re-use the 2009 rules. We expect most of you will have retained your 2009 rules booklets, but if you require a reprint, please enter the number above.

#### Novices' Scheme

Funding from the BBAC main committee allows us to provide financial training assistance for up to ten novice pilots in your first year of competition. You do not have to pay an event entry fee. Additionally you are entitled to 2 copies of the competition map if you require them. Please contact Lindsay Muir (lindsay@aerostationery.com) directly to receive your maps, otherwise they will not be available. You will need to inform her that you are claiming the maps as part of the novices' scheme.

#### Observers

Pilots must provide a suitable observer. If you have difficulty finding a suitable observer please contact the Chief Observer (chiefobserver@ballooncomps.org.uk). At the very least, you must inform the Chief Observer of the name of your observer by the Closing Date. Failure to do this will mean retention of your entry fee. Pilots will not be able to compete if they do not have a nominated observer.

#### Insurance and Membership Requirements

In order to enter our events you are required to be a member of the BBAC and the BBAC Competitions Club, have a valid PPL/CPL for hot-air balloons, 25hrs P1 experience and the appropriate medical certificate.

You are also required to have insurance as needed for your balloon to comply with EC directive EC785/2004, in force for the duration of the event. You are entirely responsible for the safe operation of your balloon and your team.

The Competitions Club accepts no liability on your behalf for any damage or injury to yourself or any third party. If you wish to fly an observer on any flight you must have passenger liability cover.

You will be asked to sign an insurance declaration sheet at registration, confirming that your insurance is in force for the duration of the event.

#### Communication

Details about our events are available on the Competitions Club website - [www.ballooncomps.org.uk](http://www.ballooncomps.org.uk). Please fill in your entry form electronically and submit it by email to the Membership Secretary:- [membership@ballooncomps.org.uk](mailto:membership@ballooncomps.org.uk) wherever possible. If this is not possible, it can be sent by post to the Membership Secretary:-

**Rupert Stanley, 26 Harwood Close, Tewin, Herts AL6 0LF**

For other enquiries, please contact the event coordinator responsible for the event you are enquiring about, or alternatively contact our Secretary - [secretary@ballooncomps.org.uk](mailto:secretary@ballooncomps.org.uk)