

High Flights Soaring Club Trophy Purposes and Award Criteria

Trophies are a fun and inspirational way to recognize exceptional, outstanding or otherwise noteworthy performance by a local member.

Trophies are awarded at the discretion of HFSC's President and are not necessarily awarded each year.

The chairperson for the awards should establish a trophy committee. The committee can meet and review member accomplishments with a recommendation being presented to the club President for award consideration.

Trophies are usually awarded at the annual banquet meeting. Recipients may take possession of the trophy and they should return trophies to the club by the end of May for display during the next soaring season.

Any flight a local member accomplishes qualifies for trophy recognition.

The specific trophies are intended to recognize the following:

ROAD RUNNER-- The crew or person that had the most difficulty or fun doing a retrieve of an off field glider landing by a member.

PELICAN-- The outstanding achievement or adventure in a SGS 1-26. That could be anything from some outstanding flight or badge flight, or the person who made the most flights in a SGS 1-26, or any other noteworthy achievement.

EAGLE-- For the most outstanding glider flight(s) or for outstanding service to the club over a period of time. Not normally awarded to an officer except when they "retire" if they have earned it --It might be termed our "MEDAL OF HONOR" for achievement or service "Beyond the Call of Duty".

FOUNDERS TROPHY-- Is for recognition of long term outstanding service to the club by a retiring President.