

Skywings 2022 index

This index covers feature articles, flight tests, competition reports, letters and safety items from every issue of Skywings published in 2021. That's 432 pages of free-flying excellence! We are, yet again, indebted to master-indexer John Owen-Jones for his exacting work of compilation.

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Early porosity, Dominico 30	Safety Advisory 2: Paragliders external surfaces	Aug	13	FSC
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British Accuracy Cup 1/ European Cup	Dead centre: BAC 1/ UK European Cup	Jun	15	Andy Webster
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Dutch Grand Prix, Breda	Dead centre: Dutch Grand Prix	Dec	22	Andy Webster
European Accuracy Champs, Romania	Dead centre: European Championships	Nov	18	Myrianthe Ewington
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Human powered flight	News: Icarus Cup 2022	Sep	8	Hania Mohiuddin
Human power annual comp	Icarus Cup, Lasham	Oct	26	Tamara Ivancova
Starting in competition	Propellerhead: New kid on the block	Jul	22	Joe Womersley
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British Club Challenge 2021	Comp lines: Advance British Winter Challenge	Mar	24	Matt Tandy
British Sports Championship	Comp lines: Sports Champs, Gemona	Sep	19	David Willis
British Winter Open, Colombia	Comp lines: British Winter Open	Mar	22	Beth Sillince
European Championships, Serbia	Comp lines: European Championships	Nov	14	Stan Radzikowski
GB Worlds team – tactics report	Comp lines: Gold!	Jan	12	Jocky Sanderson
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PWC Baixo Guandu, Brazil	Comp lines: Baixo Guandu World Cup	May	15	Ruth & Ulric Jessop
PWC Clopotiva, Romania	Comp lines: PWC Clopotiva	Aug	20	Stan Radzikowski
PWC Krusevo, North Macedonia	Comp lines: PWC Krusevo	Sep	16	Ruth Jessop
PWC Roldanillo, Colombia	Comp lines: PWC Roldanillo	Apr	12	Richard Meek
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Rural Romania	Comp lines: Ruth Jessop's travel tips	Aug	22	Ruth Jessop

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Buttermere Bash	News: One of the best!	Aug	24	Bill Morris
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Parajet Maverick	First Impressions: Lightweight trike	Dec	28	Chris Devine
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Sharing airspace	News: Courteous flying	Jul	9	Julie Drake
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Training

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Return to the water

Chasing the sun

The Mentor Plus course

Jul 30 Sam Smith

Dec 30 Leszek Rutkowski

Feb 10 Jeff Royle