

## **R G Lee Triangle Trophy Rules**

*as at 21 November 2013*

The intention is to encourage cross country flying in a low key manner with simple rules.

1. Competition to run from 01 July to 30 June inclusive each period.
2. Open to all current financial Gliding Hawkes Bay & Waipukurau Inc members.
3. GPS data loggers must be used with tasks electronically declared prior to take off. No OO (Official Observer) is required.
4. Two tasks are available:
  - a. ex Waipukurau – Start Waipukurau A – Manga O Nuku – Marakeke – finish Waipukurau A (34.4km)
  - b. ex Bridge Pa – Start Bridge Pa – Maraekakaho – Paki Paki – finish Bridge Pa (33.3km)

The start, turnpoints and finish all have a 500m radius.

5. Maximum start height 3,000ft ASL with minimum finish height 1,000ft AGL.
6. Open to all gliders club and privately owned including two seaters. Two seat gliders may be flown with two pilots (e.g. instructor and student) with either or both claiming the flight. Pilots can attempt the task(s) as many times as they like.
7. Data files to be e-mailed to Jason Kelly at [Erinpac@xtra.co.nz](mailto:Erinpac@xtra.co.nz) within one (1) month of the flight along with aircraft registration and pilot(s).
8. Scoring to be unhandicapped and based on speed for completed tasks based on the declared distance and distance for actual or photo land outs.
9. Competition to be run in two tiers – Novice – those not holding a Silver 50km badge leg at the start of the flight, Experienced – those holding a Silver 50km badge leg at the start of the flight. An overall table of results will also be kept.
10. Results will be put on the [www.glidinghbw.co.nz](http://www.glidinghbw.co.nz) website and submitted to the HB Today newspaper for publication as appropriate.
11. The annual winner of the RG Lee Triangle Trophy shall be the highest scoring Novice pilot(s) with a flight completed in a club owned glider or equivalent.
12. Any disputes or matters not covered by these rules shall be decided by the Gliding Hawkes Bay & Waipukurau Inc committee whose decision shall be final.