

Provisional Agenda



BGA Club Development Conference, Sunday 26th October 2025, Eastwood Hall

The conference will begin at 09.00 and close at 17.15, with registration from 08.30.

NB The clocks will have changed (one hour backwards) overnight, giving everyone extra sleep. Try to avoid accidentally arriving at 07.30.

The theme of this year's conference is '*keeping clubs healthy in challenging times*'.

09.00 We begin with a plenary session for all delegates, including Club Technical Officers. Here we will cover:

- The welcomes & introductions
- BGA news including updates from:
 - Safety
 - Inspectors / BGA Part 66
 - Child Protection
- Promoting Gliding
- Welcoming New Members

11.15 After coffee we break out into smaller workshop groups and the workshop for Club Technical Officers begins and will run until 17.00. Broadly these workshops until lunch are about looking after people. Your options are (currently):

Workshop I: Expanding Horizons <i>or</i> Safety <i>or</i> Child Protection	Instructing related session led by the Instructing and Examining Committee
Workshop II: Club Culture <i>or</i> Inclusion & physical adaptations <i>or</i> Interclub Cooperation	

14.15 After lunch we are together again to discuss:

- UK Gliding Clubs beyond 2025
- Strategic Planning

15.55 After tea we break out once more with the aim of these sessions is for you to leave with something tangible, or to at least see a way to completing it when you get back to your club. Your options are (currently):

Workshop III: Developing a Risk Register <i>or</i> Expanding Horizons <i>or</i> a topic tbc	Instructing related session led by the Instructing and Examining Committee
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17.00 We gather again to summarise and will close the conference at 17.15

This draft agenda is more or less as we hope it will run, however, there may be alterations to content and timings.