



# Civil Air Patrol Texas Wing Conference 2010

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## Glider Ride Donation for Texas Wing Conference

A wonderful donation to the Texas Wing Conference is an instruction ride in a Blanik L-23 sailplane from the Soaring Club of Houston glider port in Waller County, west of Houston. Lt. Col. Eston Hupp, CFG, makes this attractive offer.

For information on the Soaring Club of Houston, please visit <http://www.scoh.org/>

This is what the SCH has to say about soaring:

The soaring bird has found a thermal or upward current of air, and is turning in circles to stay within the thermal and rise with it. For a pilot in a sailplane, it's the equivalent of a yachtsman finding a good stiff breeze that will take him where he wants to go.

The exhilaration of harnessing these forces of nature helps explain the big growth in popularity of glider flying, or soaring, in the past decade. Virtually every state now has small airports, called gliderports or soaring centers, where enthusiasts take part in cross country competition or simply fly sailplanes on weekend pleasure flights. We are one such organization serving the Houston, Texas area.

For directions, visit the SCH website at <http://www.scoh.org/>

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