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This special quick edition of the newsletter is to advise members of important coming events and to amend earlier information. Please read it carefully.

\* Official visit not this Saturday!

## NOTE THESE DATES

Sat 18 Flying at Lochiel Inst. Mike Barnden

Sun 19 Flying at Lochiel Inst. to be confirmed

**Sat 25**

Flying at Lochiel. GFA National Coach, Mike Valentine, RTO Ops Philip Beale and RTO Airworkers Bronte Wood will pay an official visit. All solo pilots and instructors are asked to be on field. Trainees may attend as desired.

Sun 26 Flying at Lochiel Inst. Don Heis (to be confirmed)

Sat 2 July Flying at Lochiel Inst. Guy Horley

Sun 3 Flying at Lochiel Inst. Guy Horley

Tues 5 Special Instructors' Meeting at 1 Yandra St. Vale Park at 7.30 pm (to be confirmed).

**Wed 6**

General Meeting at 7.30 pm in the Jenny Parkes Room, Uni. of Adelaide. Mike Valentine and other GFA officials will attend this meeting. All Club members are asked to make a special effort to attend this meeting.

Sat 9 Flying at Lochiel Inst. Tom Nemeth

Sun 10 Flying at Lochiel Inst. Mark Foster

The official visit and special meeting are about air safety. Our Club has been plagued with a series of incidents and accidents which concern the authorities responsible for the management of gliding in Australia - G.F.A. (The Gliding Federation of Australia).

\* All members must attend either the day at Lochiel on the 25th or the meeting on the 6th.

**Mike Valentine** is National Coach. In that position he is responsible for all training and certification of pilots throughout Australia. He used to be G.F.A. secretary and ex. Rawler ex. R.A.F. etc. He knows what gliding is about. The aim of his visit is to see what he can do, by advice and action, to improve our situation. Mike lives in Melbourne.

**Philip Beale** is RTO Ops i.e. Regional Technical Officer - Operations. He is responsible for all gliding operations in this State. Philip's primary concern is air safety, but he also deals with training at all levels. His contact with the Club is through the C.F.I. Philip has recently taken over from Harry Bache. He lives at Rawler.

**Bronte Wood** is RTO Air i.e. RTO Airworthiness. Anything to do with the maintenance or repair of aircraft comes into his area. His contact with the Club is through the Airworthiness Officer (Mark Forster). Bronte lives in Adelaide.

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**HELP needed!** Don is building a shed at 1 Yandra Street, Vale Park (big enough to take a glider wing). If you are free anytime this weekend and don't mind helping please drop in. Anyone with electrical wiring or plumbing skills will be given red carpet treatment. Tel. 2614245

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