

## **ASA (KITE SURFING) EVENTS 2018**

Please contact Maj MA JONES or Mr Jon Metcalfe if you wish to add Corps or Regt events to the Army Kitesurfing FOE.

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**Red** – Training Event (Army Kite School).

**Black** – Army Representative Sport Event.

**Blue** – Corps UK/Overseas Sports Tour.

**Green** – Army CR:X Team Event.

<b>EVENT</b>	<b>DATE</b>	<b>LOCATION</b>	<b>LEAD</b>	<b>COMMENT</b>
<b>(a)</b>	<b>(b)</b>	<b>(c)</b>	<b>(d)</b>	<b>(e)</b>
Royal Artillery Kite Tour	Jan	Vietnam	Maj Cunningham	<i>RA Pers only.</i> POC: <a href="mailto:sailarmy@btconnect.com">sailarmy@btconnect.com</a>
Royal Engineers Kite Tour	March 3 -20	Thailand	Lt G Gibson	32 Engr Lead – <i>RE Pers only</i> POC: <a href="mailto:Gary.Fairbairn845@mod.uk">Gary.Fairbairn845@mod.uk</a>
Army CR:X Team Training/Trials	March 10-11 March 24-25	Hayling Island	JM/MJ	Army CR:X selection and training. Open to all Army Intermediate to Advanced riders interested in competing on the National CR:X league. Event will provide initial CR:X twintip & boarder cross racing training, introduction to CR:X equipment. The ASA will select the top riders to represent the Army at CR:X events – the

				Army CR:X team will be publically funded and is restricted to 4 riders per event.
Army CR:X Team Event	April 21 - 22	Lancing	One Design Racing UK	Publically funded Army CR:X Team (4 Pax). Open to all other Army Riders, preferably having attended CR:X training, at personal expense (approx., £55 per person per entry).
BKSA Instructor CPD weekend	April 7-8	AISTC / Hayling	JM	Refresher training and professional development for Army BKSA Instructors. Open to all qualified Army BKSA Instructors.
Ex HEBRIDIAN KITE (Army Vs Navy)	April 21 - 29	Benbecula	MJ / JM	HEBRIDIAN KITE is a Wave Riding & Twintip Race Exercise aimed at Intermediate to Advanced riders competent riding challenging remote locations. Must have directional and wave experience.
Army CR:X Team Event	May 12 - 13	Portland / Weymouth	One Design Racing UK	
Ex MERCURY KITESURFER (Royal Signals)	May 5 – 12	Lemmings Cyprus	WO2 Hickley	<i>RSigs Pers only.</i> Royal Signals Overseas Training Camp. POC: Rob.Hickley105@mod.uk
BKSA Level 1 & 2 Course	May 21-25	AISTC / Hayling	Army Kite School	12 Students
BKSA ITC	May 21-25	AISTC / Hayling	JM	4 - 8 pax
Cyprus (lemmings insp) BKSA Level 1 ITC	June 2-10	Cyprus	JM	4 – 8 pax
Army CR:X Team Event	May 26 - 27	Hill Head	One Design Racing UK	
R WELSH Training Camp	June 2 – 10	Lemmings Cyprus	Sgt Morris	<i>R Welsh/Inf Pers Only.</i> POC: Thomas Oliver-Morris via FB Group.

BKSA Level 1 / 2 Course	June 18-22	AISTC / Hayling	Army Kite School	12 pax
BKSA Level 1 ITC	June 18 - 22	AISTC / Hayling	Army Kite School	6 pax
Ex ADVANCED EAGLE II Army Overseas Sports Tour	July TBC	Brazil TBC	TBC	ADVANCED EAGLE is aimed at Army level advanced freestyle riders. Entry standard is a competency at jumping, loops and the beginnings of unhooked tricks. Attendees must be free to compete in the Combined Services freestyle competition, and be competitive enough to seed straight into the Open fleet.  8 -12 Pax
BKSA Level 1 / 2 Course	July 9 - 13	AISTC / Hayling	Army Kite School	12 Pax
BKSA Level 1 / 2 Course	Aug 20-24	AISTC / Hayling	Army Kite School	12 Pax
Army CR:X Team Event	Sept	Hayling Island	One Design Racing UK	
BKSA Level 1 / 2 Course	Sept 17-21	AISTC / Hayling	Army Kite School	12 Pax
Army Corps Championships (Inc. Army Freestyle Team Trials)	Aug 28-Sept 3	Rhosneigr	JM	The Army/Corps Championships will be split into two parts.  1) Aug 28 <sup>th</sup> - 31: Intermediate coaching (pre-fixture training) aimed at riders who have recently completed a Basic Skills course.  2) 31 Aug – 3 Sept: Army Champs: Corps Teams and Individual Freestyle competition (1 Day numbers and weather dependant)

				The whole week is open to all Army riders, priority in part 1 will be given to Novice to Intermediate riders, part 2 to Corps/Regt Teams.
Army CR:X Team Event	Oct	Daymar Bay	One Design Racing UK	
UK Armed Forces Festival of Kiting (Inc. CS Freestyle Championships & CS CR:X Finals)	Oct 1-5	Hayling Island CBK	Army lead	Open to all Army riders who have completed Basic Skills Course.  Limited to 32 pax.  Will include CS Freestyle and Combined Services CR:X final
Ex KERNOW KITE (Inc. Army Wave Riding Championships)	Nov 12 – 16	RAF St Mawgan	TBC	Army Wave Riding Championships.  Suitable for experience wave/directional riders only.  Limited to 12 pax.
Ex EAGLE KITE (Corps/Regt Training)	Various	Worldwide Cyprus / Lemmings	Corps/Regt	<i>Army affiliated Corps/Regt Clubs are welcome to arrange their own training Camps/Overseas Sports tours and publish them via the Army Events FOE and FB page.</i>  <i>Lemmings Sailing Club (Cyprus) is a BKSA recognised school and can offer military focused kitesurfing packages. Army BKSA Instructors are able to carry out Basic Skills training from Lemmings beach. RAF Indulgence flights are usually available (but carry significant risk!).</i>

				<i>POC: Dave Baker (contact via FB Group)</i>
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