

# TRAINING INFO

Welcome to the great adventure of Paragliding!

Paragliding in Kenya can be challenging, as the equatorial wind conditions are quite unique.

For this reason Cloudbase Kenya offers a complete flight training package (P1 & P2 Level) which includes initial ground training (P1 Level) and then basic flight training (P2 Level) with a paraglider, teaching you the magical skill to takeoff, paraglide and land, to increase your safety and joy of the sport.

After P1 & P2 Level course you will be able to independently paraglide in still air.

Cloudbase Kenya follows the PAK Training Level curriculum, therefore all achieved training can be noted in the PAK Logbook and all skill levels can be endorsed in your personal PAK Paragliding License.

Our instructors are PAK certified and care for your utmost safety.

### **Before Training Requirements**

For safety reasons there are three requirements before training. You need to:

1. Register as annual member: <a href="https://paraglidingassociationkenya.com/">https://paraglidingassociationkenya.com/</a>

2. Get Insurance Cover with: <a href="https://www.rescue.co/">https://www.rescue.co/</a>

3. Sign Indemnity Form (last page)

# **Clothing Requirements:**

- 1. Ankle high hiking shoes
- 2. Long trousers and long sleeved shirt
- 3. Basic gloves (climbing gloves from Decathlon)
- 4. Skate board helmet (Decathlon)



# P1 Level: Ground Training

#### Training equipment provided by us.

#### **Training Content:**

- 2 scheduled weekend blocks (4 days). Training depending on weather conditions
- Paragliding theory
- Confidently launching (pull-up) paraglider and first hops
- At the end of P1 training the student will be able to train independently on the ground.

# P2 Level: Flight Training

## Personal paragliding equipment is required (contact us for more info on this)

### **Training Content:**

- 2 scheduled weekend blocks (4 days). Training depending on weather conditions
- Paragliding Theory (2 x theory manuals)
- Under radio supervision: 15 flights in still air of more than 1 minute & 1 flight from higher altitude (over 600m height)
- At the end of P2 training the student will be able to paraglide independently in still air (with radio supervision).

#### **Training locations:**

Depending on weather, training takes place either in the Longonot area north of Nairobi or south of Nairobi near Konza (1.5h drive)

- (camping/accommodation close to training locations possible)
- Transport can be provided for an additional USD 20 per person



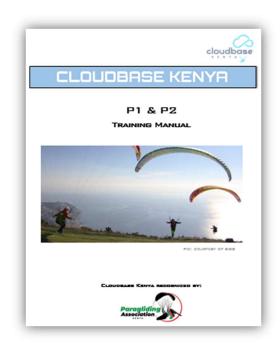
# **PRICELIST**

#### **Courses:**

- P1 Taster (2 hours) USD 65 / KSH 8500
- P1 Level (4 days) USD 320 / KSH 42k (training gear & transport provided)
- P2 Level (4days) USD 320 / KSH 42k (with own training gear)

# Manuals, Booklet & Logbook (USD 60)

- Theory Manuals x 2 USD 35 / KSH 4500
- Personal Logbook
   USD 25 / KSH 3500



## New Paragliding Kit (USD 3500 – 4000) / ~ KSH 500k

Includes:

- Paraglider (Wing)
- Harness
- Safety Parachute

Check our paragliding kit packages in our **SHOP**.

Check the FAQs below or contact us:

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# Frequently Asked Questions

# QUESTIONS ABOUT GEAR

### Do you rent paragliding gear for training?

Due to little demand, we do rent out training gear

- For P1 Training, the paragliding training gear is included in the price
- For P2 Training you need to have your own gear

#### What gear do I need for P2 training?

You need your own full paragliding kit, which consists of:

- 1. Paraglider Wing
- 2. Harness
- 3. Safety Parachute

The paraglider, harness and safety parachute need to be correctly sized for each pilot, to ensure maximum safety during flight. Cloudbase Kenya will advise you well on this.

Please ask us for more advice on this topic

## How much does new paragliding kit cost and how long can I use it for?

It depends on what you choose, estimated USD 3500 – 4500.

If kept well you will enjoy flying with your gear 10-15 years. Paragliding Kit has great resell value.

#### Does my first paragliding kit have to be new or can I buy second hand gear?

There is a huge second hand paraglider market online. The challenge is, that you will most probably order used gear from abroad. This can be tricky as you cannot visually inspect the gear before ordering it.

Therefore we advise to purchase NEW paragliding kit from us. The advantage is, that you will be well advised of what to purchase.

### What paraglider brands are you distributor for?



We are official distributors of Kenya, for the brands:

- BGD
- AIRDESIGN
- UP
- SWING

We are also distributor for the paragliding accessory the brand <u>SYRIDE</u> which sells world class flight instruments for paragliding.

# <u>QUESTIONS ABOUT TRAINING</u>

### Where can I find pricelist for Training?

We will send you the full pricelist after you contact us on Whatsapp.

### When do I become an independent pilot.

After P2 training.

If you feel confident to fly without supervision, talk to your instructor and he will advise you.

#### Do you issue a Kenya Paragliding License?

The Paragliding Association of Kenya (PAK) can issue you a license, endorsing your paragliding skill levels P1 to P5 in it in the PAK Paragliding License Booklet.

# QUESTIONS ABOUT EQUIPMENT ORDER

#### What is the shipment time of ordered paragliding kit?

It usually takes 3-4 weeks for equipment to be in your hands in Kenya

### Can I pay a deposit and full amount later?

After you confirm your order, we will send you a Proforma Invoice with Banking details. Only full upfront payment makes the order possible.



# **WAIVER FORM**

Cloudbase Kenya

I hereby declare, that for my participation in the PARAGLIDING FLYING AND PARAGLIDING GROUND HANDLING TRAINING, I agree to and understand that:

| 1.  | I understand and am aware that the above mentioned activities are dangerous and not without risk. And that even caution, instructions and expertise do not exclude the risk of accidents; |   |
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| 2.  | I am participating in the above-mentioned activities on a voluntary basis and that this is entirely at my own risk and at my own responsibility;  |   |
| 3.  | Cloudbase Kenya accepts no liability for personal damage, injury or death resulting from participation in the above-mentioned activities;   |   |
| 4.  | I am not under the influence of drugs, alcohol or medication;   |   |
| 5.  | I declare that I am aware of the fact that good psychological and physical health is Required for participation in the above-mentioned activities;  |   |
| 6.  | I confirm that Cloudbase Kenya has given me the opportunity to read this document And that it was made available to me in a timely manner;  |   |
| 7.  | I declare that I am at least 18 years of age, or that I, as a parent or legal representative, Consent to participant taking part in the in the above-mentioned activities;                |   |
| I have read, fully understand this consent form, and sign this waiver on a voluntary basis. |   |   |
| PAK Membership Nr:  Next of Kin, Name/Phone Nr:   |   |   |
| Rescue.co Nr:   |   |   |
| Personal Health Insurance Nr:   |   |   |
| Date:   |   |   |
| Name:   | Signature:  | _ |