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# **Bloomfield International**

### Location

Latitude 37.9335° N Longitude 85.2695° W

Distance 15 miles Bearing 57°

### Field

Elevation 770 ft Length 2000 ft Orientation 10-28 Width N/A ft





Farm field near Bloomfield KY

Bloomfield International is a farm field near Bloomfield. Apparently, it was once used as an airstrip.

Mike landed there on 8/14/14, approximately where the red line is and was aero retrieved without difficulty. He landed east to west coming in over the barn.

The field is an active farm field and is currently planted in grass, but there is no guarantee that the crop won't change.

The field is slightly downhill from east to west, about 30 feet over 2000 feet.

# **Brightleaf Field**

### Location

Latitude 37.7150°N Distance 37.7 miles Longitude 84.8235°W Bearing 100°

### **Field**

Elevation 955 ft Length 1300 ft Orientation 16-34 Width 50 ft





Runway is sod, very well kept at the time of visit. The strip is hidden away in the Brightleaf Golf Resort just south of Harrodsburg, KY.

The field is short and narrow, but would probable accommodate a 15m ship if exactly centered on runway and wing kept up until between runway edge marker lights. In other words use it as a last resort only.

Harrodsburg, KY area - narrow - use it as a last resort only

# Deer Run Airpark 85KY

### Location

Latitude 38.4703° N Distance 49 miles Longitude 85.1386° W Bearing 23°

### Field

Elevation 890 ft Length 3100 ft Orientation 13-31 Width 70 ft





Picture shows the western berm.

Deer Run is a great airstrip owned by a consortium of current and retired professional pilots.

Runway is grass in good condition. Width may be a problem. There are low berms alternating on each side. If you stay in the center with a 15 meter ship you should be OK. Landing from the south there is a small berm on the east with plenty of room to the west. However, shortly down the field the situation reverses, although the western berm is much lower and probably not a factor.

The northern end was not closely inspected. Foree's is a close alternative.

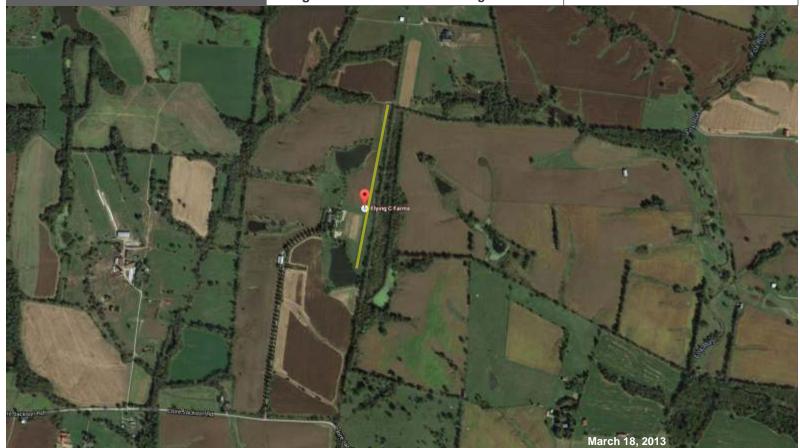
# Flying C Farm 6KY3

### Location

Latitude 38.3286° N Distance 39 miles Longitude 85.2142° W Bearing 24°

### **Field**

Elevation 850 ft Length 2060 ft Orientation 01-19 Width 150 ft





Runway is grass in good condition with a sailplane friendly width.

Landing to the north is favored because of a slight uphill slope for about the first 1200 feet at which point a gentle but marked swale runs through the runway. North end of the runway is about 30 feet higher than the south end.

Owner is friendly to pilots.

This airstrip is near Rooster and greatly superior because of the width.

# Foree Airport 12KY

### Location

Latitude 38.4604° N Distance 48 miles Longitude 85.1686° W Bearing 22°

### Field

Elevation 853 ft Length 1600 ft Orientation 13-31 Width 80 ft





Runway is grass. It slopes upward to the Northwest favoring a landing to the north.

There are 5 gallon paint buckets turned upside down marking the runway edges. I believe there are lights inside the buckets. The buckets stand about 14" high and are about 75 feet apart.

The width here is actually better than at Deer Run which is the closest alternate airstrip.

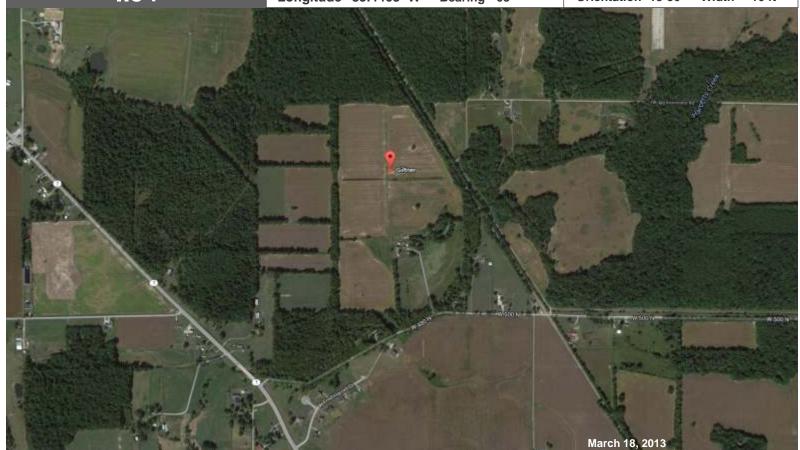
Access is excellent.

# Giltner Airport II54

### Location

### **Field**

Elevation 850 ft Length 1700 ft Orientation 18-36 Width 10 ft





PRI (II54)|RY 18/36:1700x50-TURF-RP18|MGR: MARK S ANDREASEN|812-273-4285.

This field has been let go. Emergency only. Most recent crop corn

Good emergency field immediately southeast might be a better choice.

Owner is friendly.

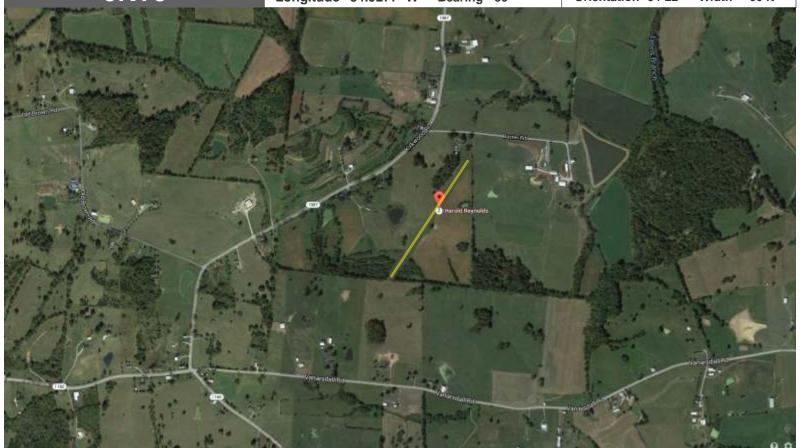
**Emergency only** 

# Harold Reynolds 5KY8

### Location

### **Field**

Elevation 860 ft Length 1400 ft Orientation 04-22 Width 60 ft





Picture is taken from the northeast end of runway looking southwest.

Runway is grass. Owner says he keeps it mowed 60 feet wide.

Glider pilots are welcome to use the strip at their own risk. This field is located in an area where there are very few other good landing sites.

There is a windsock at the northeast end of the field, but it is small and I think would be very difficult to see. There are traffic cones marking the threshold of the northeast end of the runway.

Field is located midway between Lawrenceburg and Harrodsburg, Kentucky.

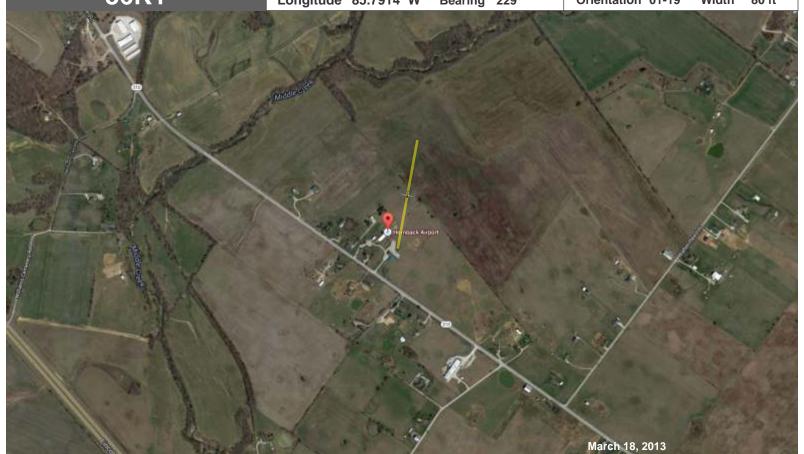
# Hornback Airport 86KY

### Location

Latitude 37.6225° N Distance 21 miles Longitude 85.7914° W Bearing 229°

### Field

Elevation 760 ft Length 800 ft Orientation 01-19 Width 80 ft





View from North to South - Watch out for man standing near runway.

Runway is grass in good condition at the time of visit.

The strip slopes downward from south to north. There are high tension power lines and a large garage on the southern end of the runway. (It is the T-shaped building in the lower center of the overhead picture.) The white area surrounding it is a gravel parking area.

Landing should only be done from north to south toward the building due to the runway slope and high tension lines. The approach from the north is unobstructed but there is a marked increase in the slope of the runway near the tree line.

Touchdown near the sailplane would be desirable.

# Jake's Field

### Location

### **Field**

Elevation 903 ft Length 1500 ft Orientation 02-20 Width 80 ft





Landing to the south is favored

Runway is grass and slopes upward from north to south.

Landing to the south is favored because of the slope.

There is a berm on the east side of the runway(near the pine tree in the top photo) starting about 600 feet from the north end.

There is width to the west if needed.

# Jeffries Farm Airport 6KY6

### Location

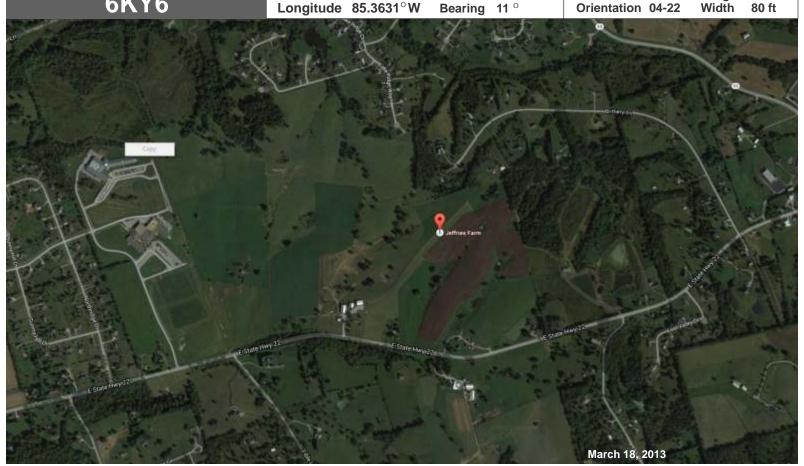
Latitude

38.3606° N Distance 38.5 le 85.3631° W Bearing 11°

# Distance 38.5 miles E

Field Elevation 860 ft Lo

Elevation 860 ft Length 1500 ft Orientation 04-22 Width 80 ft





Best approach is from the southwest

Runway is sod, very well kept at the time of visit.

The strip slopes downward from the northeast to the southwest. Most marked slope is the first 500 feet on the southwest end. Best approach would be from the southwest landing to the northeast. Plan to touchdown about 500 feet from southwest threshold to avoid steepest slope.

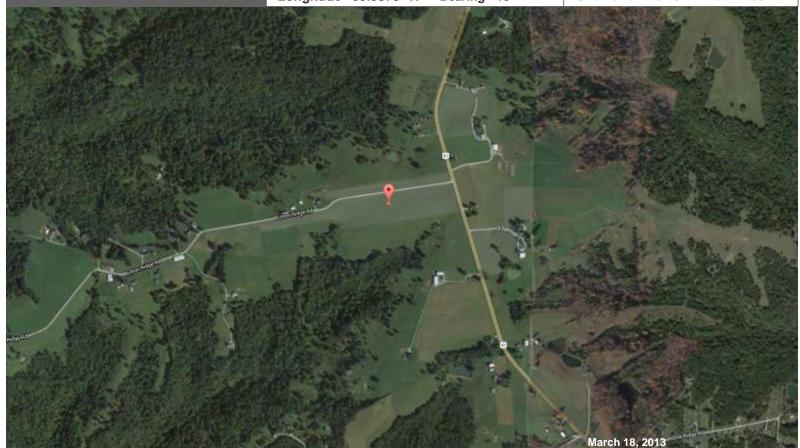
Windsock is located on barn at southwest end of runway.

# Land Out - 1

### Location

### Field

Elevation 891 ft Length 2500 ft Orientation 19-28 Width 80 ft





Wind permitting, would plan landing to the east with touchdown where the field widens

Field appears to have been planted in grass.

Orientation is basically east-west with power lines along the north and east borders. US 42 forms the east border. The field is approximately 180 feet wide for the first 1000 feet on the west end and broadens out to more than 400 feet at the east end. Mild undulations are present particularly in the west end. Would plan landing to the east with touchdown where the field widens, if wind permits. Field is basically flat, other than the undulations in the west end.

It is a farm field so changes could occur at any time. (visited 2/14/2013)

## Lee Bottom 64I

### Location

Latitude 38.6315°N Distance 56.4 miles Longitude 85.4435°W Bearing 03°

### Field

Elevation 470 ft Length 4080 ft Orientation 18-36 Width 80 ft





View to the North

Lee Bottom is a beautiful, well maintained airstrip on the banks of the Ohio River. There is a high bluff along the west side of the runway which can cause some turbulence if the wind is strong from the west and the landing is to the north.

(Note aerial view has been rotated 90 degrees clockwise - north end is to the right)

PUB (64I)|RY 18/36:4080x100-TURF-RP36|RY 18/36 YELLOW SQUARES FLUSH WITH GND MARK RY THLDS & WHITE TRAFFIC CONES MARK RY BOUNDARY.|RY18: RWY 18 APCH SLOPE 34:1 AT THLD.|RY36: APCH SLOPE 28:1 AT THLD.|MGR: GINGER DAVIDSON|812-866-3211

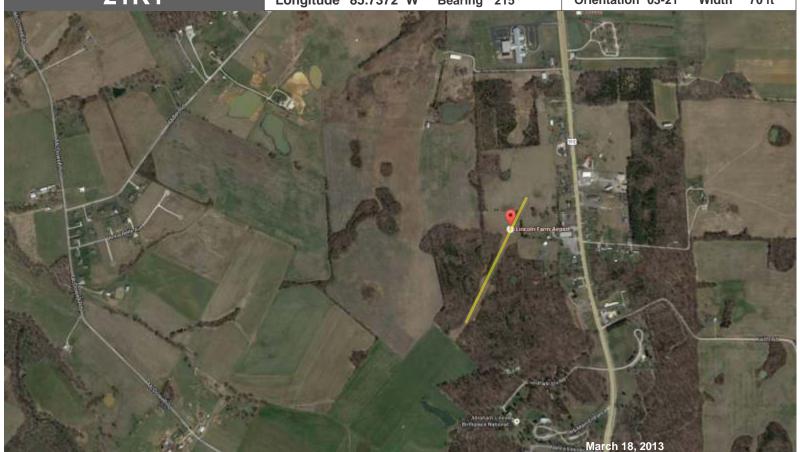
# Lincoln Farm 21KY

### Location

Latitude 37.5375° N Distance 23 miles Longitude 85.7372° W Bearing 215°

### **Field**

Elevation 778 ft Length 1500 ft Orientation 03-21 Width 70 ft





Very precise approach control is required for this field - should only be used in an emergency.

Runway is grass. Runway slopes downward from north to south.

Brush has grown in on the edges with the narrowest part being about midfield. Width there was paced at about 70 feet.

Landing should be from south to north.

There are tall trees along the edges on both ends.

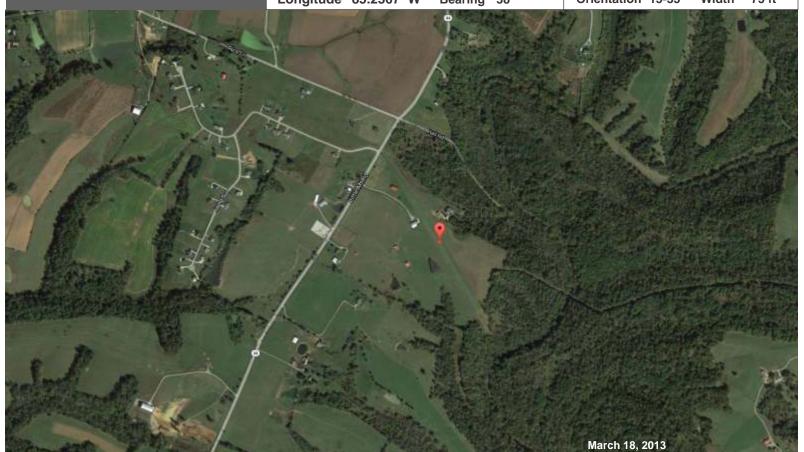
This field would require very precise approach control and in my opinion should only be used in an emergency.

# Littlemount

### Location

### **Field**

Elevation 748 ft Length 1800 ft Orientation 15-33 Width 75 ft





The terrain to the southeast is very hostile to a forced landing

Runway is sod, very well kept at the time of visit.

The runway slopes uphill to the northwest approximately 20 feet over its' length of 1800 feet. Landing to the northwest with tow out to the southeast is favored by terrain and slope, although the terrain to the southeast is very hostile to a forced landing.

I landed there on August 4, 2013 flying the L-33 and was aero retrieved without incident. We believe that Shawn Honacker owns the field.

# Mason Valley 3KY3 Latitude Longitude 85.3594°W Distance 17.2 miles Bearing 26° Field Elevation 509 ft Length 1475 ft 80 ft



View of field to Southeast

Mason Valley is a large sod farm near Taylorsville, Kentucky. Gliders have landed there on numerous occasions, most recently 9/28/14. Owner is friendly.

The runway is marked by traffic cones at the present time. In the past the runway has been marked by white tires. The runway is moved periodically depending on where the crop is being harvested. There is high ground and a major power line to the northwest and a smaller power line on the approach from the southeast. The runway has always been in excellent condition and it lies in the middle of the sod farm providing flat approaches in both directions, being mindful of the power lines some distance out on either end.

I have landed there twice both times from the northwest to the southeast, but either direction should work well. I towed out to the southeast.

# McGrew Field Latitude S7.5076°N Distance 44.1 miles Bearing 242° Location Field Elevation 720 ft Length 2400 ft Orientation 10-28 Width 150 ft



PRI (66KY)|RY 10/28:2400x150-TURF|OWN:ROBERT MC GREW|502-242-7378

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Runway is grass, very well kept and runs basically east west with a mild slope to the west.

Owner is friendly.

View of field to West

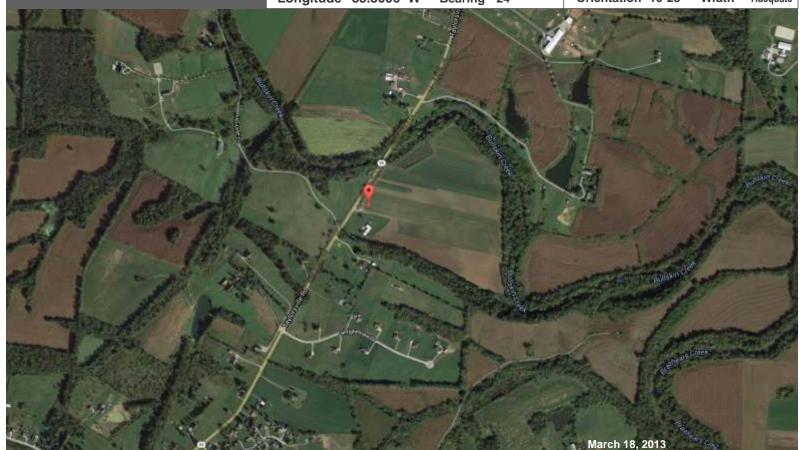
# Mike's Sod Farm

### Location

Latitude 38.1652°N Distance 26.5 miles Longitude 85.3006°W Bearing 24°

### Field

Elevation 720 ft Length 1700 ft Orientation 10-28 Width Adequate





Mike's sod farm is about 3.5 mile northeast of Willow Island and would only be used in the event one was in the vicinity with no other option.

It is a long flat field, but had some areas of dampness on the day I visited. The northern part of the field appears better drained, but is shorter.

Landing choices might also vary depending on what area had been harvested recently.

Only use in the event of no other option.

# Miles Field 3KY9

### Location

Field

Elevation 840 ft Length 1700 ft Orientation 04-22 Width 80+ ft





Miles Field is a former home of the Louisville Soaring Club and is named after Bob Miles, one of the founding members of the club (and major benefactor).

Field is currently owned by Pat Patterson and a number of power aircraft are based there.

Runway is in excellent condition and measures about 1700 feet to the dog leg. There is a downward slope from northeast to southwest. Picture is taken looking from southwest to northeast.

Picture is taken looking uphill from southwest to northeast.

# Nelsonville Latitude 37.7154°N Distance 10.2 miles Bearing 228° Longitude 85.6407°W Bearing 228° Field Elevation 452 ft Length 2500 ft Orientation 06-24 Width 80 ft



Field is difficult to see when approaching from the northwest.

Runway is sod in good condition at the time of visit.

About midway there is a windsock on the southern edge of the runway. Watch out for it during landing.

Owner not present at time of visit.

March 18, 2013

Field is difficult to see when approaching from the northwest. It is hidden by the treeline along the northwest edge of the runway.

Mike Carlson landed there in late August, 2014. He landed to the East and did an aero retrieve with tow out to the West. Owner's son was present and voiced no objections.





Runway is sod in excellent condition at the time of visit.

Windsock is located on the southwest side of the runway about 800 feet from the south end abeam the large house.

PRI (2KY4)|RY 14/32:2930x85-TURF|RY 14/32 HAS WHITE MARKERS AT RY ENDS.|THREE RADIO TOWERS 320 FT TO 650 FT MSL LCTD 2 NM NORTHWEST OF ARPT.|OWNER DESIRES ARPT NOT BE CHARTED.|MGR: JAMES LIVERS|270-737-1049

This is a really nice airstrip.

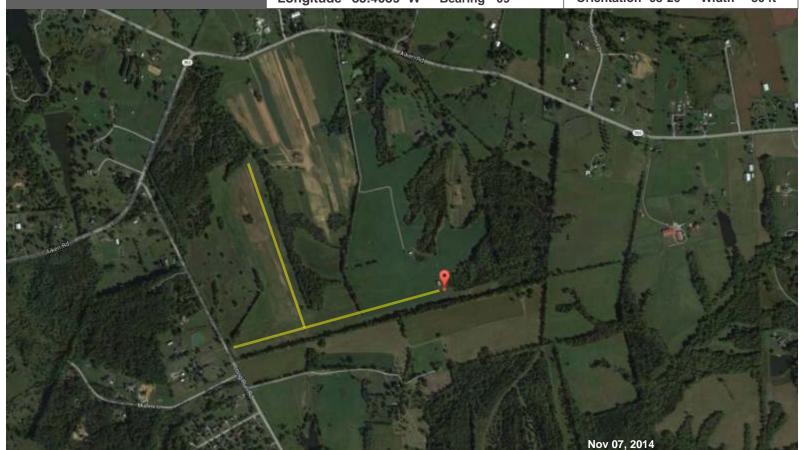
# **Private Air Strip**

### Location

Latitude 38.2833°N Distance 33 miles Longitude 85.4039°W Bearing 09°

### **Field**

Elevation 765 ft Length 3300 ft Orientation 08-26 Width 80 ft





Picture is taken from the marker looking west.

I found this airstrip while visiting the sod farm to the north (note brown areas where sod has been removed). This is a large sod farm with many possibilities for emergency landings. The area indicated by the line running east west in the center of the photo appears to be in use as an airstrip (note - there was an airplane parked in hangar where the marker pin is placed).

Owner of the sod farm does not want his farm used as a landing strip and denies that there is an active air strip on the back of his property. Maybe someone else owns the air strip.

Airstrip has a good bit of roll on extreme east end. Picture is taken from the marker looking west.

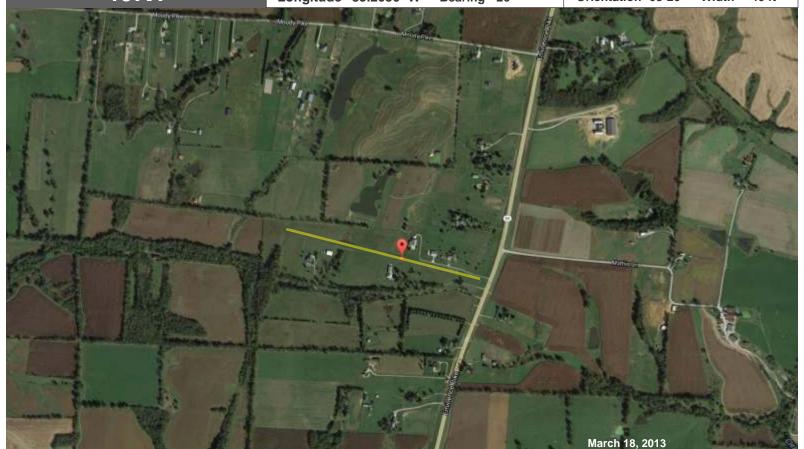
## Rooster 40KY

### Location

Latitude 38.2934° N Distance 37 miles Longitude 85.2050° W Bearing 26°

### **Field**

Elevation 765 ft Length 2000 ft Orientation 08-26 Width 40 ft





The runway is too narrow for a sailplane

Runway is grass and narrow. There are runway lights along each edge and berms in some areas.

The east end of the runway abuts highway 55 and is about 10 feet below the roadway with berms on either side. If a landing there were absolutely necessary land to the east with touchdown abeam the barn with the white roof on the south side of the runway, keep your wings level until between runway edge lights. You might just be able to pull it off, but it is a high risk situation.

There are several aircraft based there and the owner is friendly, however the runway is too narrow for a sailplane.

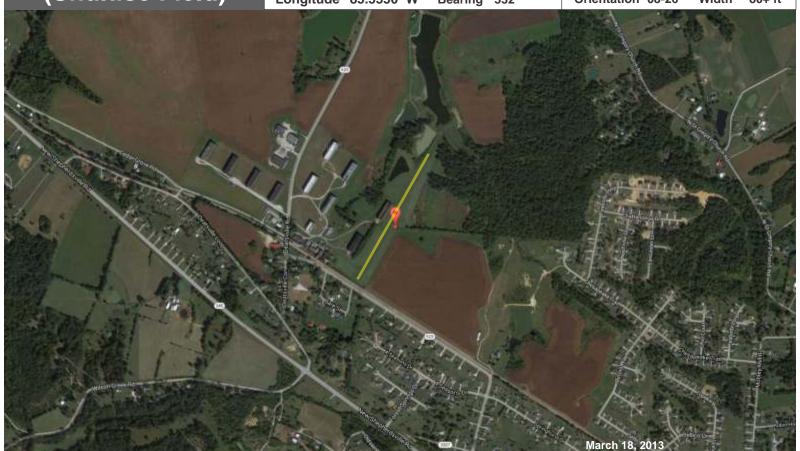
# Samuel's Springs (Shultise Field)

### Location

Latitude 37.8978° N Distance 6.5 miles Longitude 85.5550° W Bearing 332

### **Field**

Elevation 765 ft Length 1700 ft Orientation 08-26 Width 80+ ft





Plan to land to the south and depart to the north.

Runway is sod, very well kept at the time of visit.

The strip slopes upward from northeast to southwest with the most pronounced slope in the first 500 or so feet at the northeast end. Best to approach from the northeast and land to southwest. Be sure avoid tall trees and to allow for the upward slope on the northeast end. Bourbon warehouses parallel the runway and are good landmarks. Wires located at southern end.

Numerous landings and aero retrieves have been done at this field. This would make a good practice outlanding field for the club.

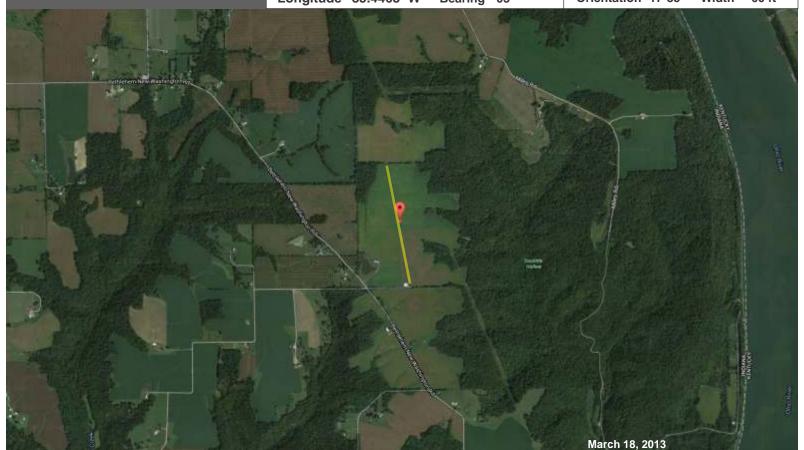
# Schindler's Field

### Location

Latitude 38.5611°N Distance 51.2 miles Longitude 85.4463°W Bearing 03°

### **Field**

Elevation 807 ft Length 3200 ft Orientation 17-35 Width 60 ft





Runway is grass, closely cut at the time of visit.

There is a green and white barn at the south end of the runway. There are some mild undulations in the mid portion. There is a CONE SHAPED OBSTRUCTION (appears to be a large traffic cone) on the west side of the runway about 1000 feet from the south end. It is on the runway and would require deviation from the midline to avoid. It marks a survey station and should be avoided.

The owner, Robert Schindler is friendly to pilots.

A cone shaped survey station toward the south end should be avoided

# Shady Acres (4KY8) Latitude 37.9458°N Longitude 85.6969°W Latitude 85.6969°W Longitude 85.



No longer maintained as an airfield

This field is no longer maintained as an airfield.

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At the time of visit the surface was harvested soy bean crop and would make a good emergency landing strip. The field has been planted in soy beans the last two seasons and corn prior to that. Runway surface conditions will depend on time of year and crop planted.

A good landmark is the interstate rest area immediately east of the field. Tenant farmer present at time of visit states that houses will soon be built in this field.

Best to touchdown beyond the stream that traverses the runway near the midfield point, but this is not absolutely necessary.

# **Ultralight Field**

### Location

### **Field**

Elevation 729 ft Length 800 ft Orientation 17-35 Width 50 ft





Note - Pin on satellite photo is located at position from which above ground-level photo was taken.

Paul and I visited this field in August of 2012. The owner was not present, but we were told that it is used as a RC field.

The runway is paved 800 feet by 50 feet with wide shoulders and approximately 300 feet of rough over run going uphill at the north end. There is structure on the west side of the runway about 300 feet from the south end. There is enough width to avoid this obstacle.

Landing to the north would be favored because of the over run and the slope. The paved runway is very nearly level.

If you land here you will be doing a trailer retrieve.

# Wilkerson's Airport 61IN

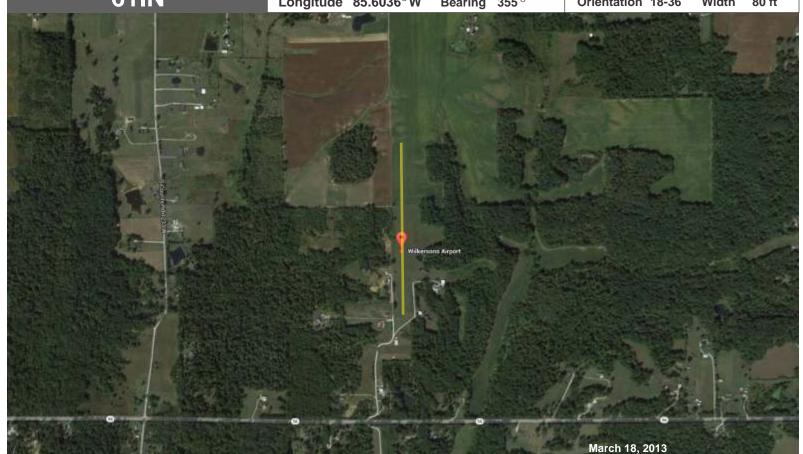
### Location

Latitude 38.7137° N Distan Longitude 85.6036° W Bearin

Distance 62.7 miles Bearing 355 °

### **Field**

Elevation 730 ft Length 2500 ft Orientation 18-36 Width 80 ft





Lexington, IN - Private use

Runway is sod, very well kept at the time of visit. Closely mowed area is 50 feet wide, but additional width is clear.

Windsock located near south end on west side.

White water tower northwest of field.

PRI (61IN)|RY 18/36:2550x60-TURF|MGR: FRED & HAZEL WILKERSON|812-866-2825|OTHER CONTACT: MARK WILKERSON 2578W DEPUTY RD. MADISON IN 47250 - 812-273-1304

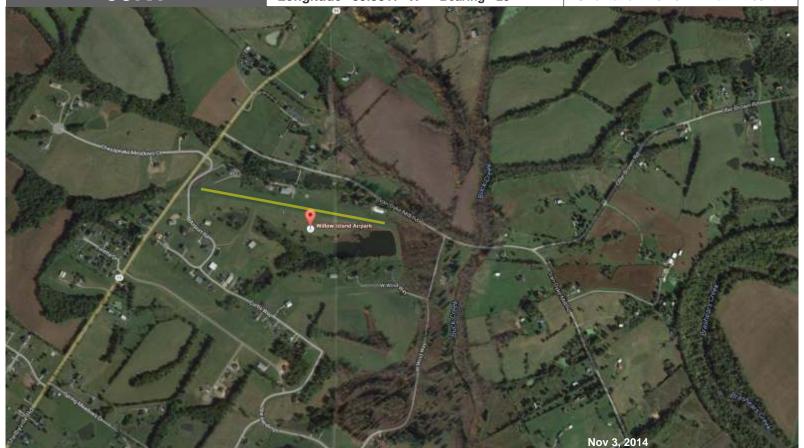
# Willow Island 58KY

### Location

Latitude 37.1208° N Distance 23 miles Longitude 85.3317° W Bearing 23°

### **Field**

Elevation 738 ft Length 2400 ft Orientation 10-28 Width 80 ft





View from East to West. Uphill slope

Willow Island is a grass strip that is part of fly in community. One of our club members resides there.

The main runway(northern most) is in very good condition and Brian landed there recently and was aero retrieved. Terrain drops off at the east end of the runway.

There is a second runway south of the main runway, but it is shorter, narrower, and basically oriented in the same direction, so I don't think there is any reason to use it.

For the last several years there has been an aircraft parked on the south side of the main runway about midfield. It poses no hazard and helps mark the site as an airfield.

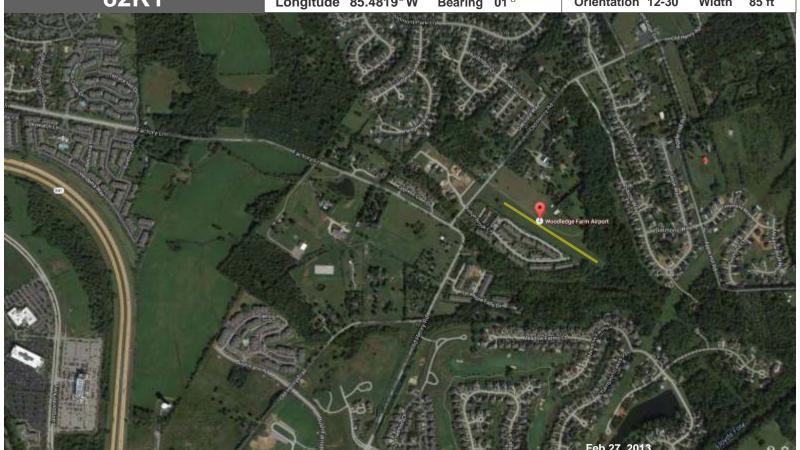
## Woodledge Airport 82KY

### Location

Latitude 38.2834° N Distance 32 miles Longitude 85.4819° W Bearing 01°

### **Field**

Elevation 680 ft Length 1700 ft Orientation 12-30 Width 85 ft





Trees at Southeastern end, wires at Northwestern end of runway

Runway is grass and in good shape at the time of visit. It is located in eastern Jefferson County on the edge of SDF Charlie airspace and surrounded by subdivisions.

It is owned by E.J. Schickli, one of the founding members of the Louisville Soaring Club and the individual that donated the K-6 to the club.

There are power lines(marked with orange balls) at the northwest end of the field and trees at the southeast end. Windsock is on the west side about midway along the runway. Timmon's field, a portion of which can be seen in the lower right hand corner of this picture, is no longer usable and should be removed from the sectional charts.

