

Crew Achievement Awards Program

Applicant Information:



Name: _____

Address: _____

Phone: _____

Email: _____

LEVEL THREE – CREW CHIEF

1. ____ Capable of doing pibal reading
2. ____ Course plotting by estimating wind speed and direction
3. ____ Provide pre-flight briefing to passengers
4. ____ Prepare balloon for pilot final pre-flight inspection
5. ____ Effective radio communication
6. ____ Capable of being leader for rest of the crew
7. ____ Refuel tanks with assistance from the pilot
8. ____ Know and teach at least three (3) types of knots used for ballooning (one of which must be the bowline)
9. ____ Crew at least ten (10) commercial flights
10. ____ Crew at minimum three (3) glows or static displays
11. ____ Drive chase vehicle for at least ten (10) chases (includes ability to back-up chase vehicle and trailer if applicable)
12. ____ Understand tether operations and crew for at least one (1) full tethered flight
13. ____ Teach other crew complete set-up and tear down procedures and the importance of each step
14. ____ Approved CPR and First Aid course within last 24 months
15. ____ Attend a safety seminar within last 12 months
16. ____ Current GEBA member
17. ____ Completed seventy (70) crews

I certify that I meet all above requirements for the GEBA Crew Achievement Award Program – Level Two and have enclosed a copy of my crew log as verification.

Applicant Signature: _____ Date: _____

As a pilot working with this applicant, I certify that I personally reviewed all supporting paperwork and this applicant meets all above requirements for the GEBA Crew Achievement Award Program – Level Three.

Pilot Name (please print): _____

Pilot Signature: _____ Date: _____

Mail this application form, all supporting paperwork, and a check for \$12.00 (made out to GEBA) to Bill Miller at the address in the GEBA Membership Directory, or you may scan and email completed application and supporting paperwork to crewchief@geballoon.org and mail check.

For GEBA use only:

Approved: _____ **Date:** _____

Denied: _____ **by (print / sign):** _____