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## Carpet Friendly Skids



### Introduction to Approved Skids

Welcome to SWSA! Our team has just replaced the carpeted landing surface in preparation for our 2016 contest season. This is a large expense for our club which also takes serious manpower to complete.



We would like to share some of the approved landing skids that do not puncture the carpet. We realize that these are not typical solutions that many of you use every day. Our goal is to help you be successful. We typically weigh the grass skids then cut enough rubber material to match that weight. Tape or GOOP can be used to secure the material. We understand this is not the most aerodynamic item we can add to our sailplanes yet do assure you the small amount of drag added will more than compensate you for the zero flight score we will apply to your score card when a nice new hole is placed in our carpet.



Simple RC Car tire glued to the fuselage with GOOP.



Approved Skids Continued



Fiberglass shoe with rubber material bonded to it.

Not Approved Skid

We will not permit the use of grass skids



Thank you for helping our club

Simple RC Car tire secured with strapping tape wrapped around the fuselage

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