

To do before you leave:

Light wind/No-wind conditions are very common on launch. Expect to do lots of no-wind forward launches. So if you haven't had the chance to ground handle much recently, make a point to get out and practice those inflations/launches so you'll be ready to go. If you like, feel free to film some of yours and send them to me for critique/feedback.

Packing list:

- Glider/Harness/Reserve/Helmet
- Light jacket and pants - it's generally quite warm but occasionally can be chilly in the mornings. You don't need heavy clothing.
- Light gloves (I personally like mechanic gloves with thin leather palms like these, but any



will do):

- A dry bag such as the type kayakers use, something like this. The most important part is that it is totally waterproof so you can put your phone/wallet in it, 1L is usually big enough but you might like a 2L:
https://www.amazon.com/IDRYBAG-Waterproof-Floating-Kayaking-Swimming/dp/B07RTG6FHF/ref=sr_1_15?crid=2U0A0WLC9Q8YX&keywords=1l%2Bdry%2Bbag&qid=1679940198&srefix=1l%2Bdry%2Bba%2Caps%2C122&sr=8-15&th=1
- Repair kit: Glider tape and extra line material if you have it (can also buy on site if needed)
- Optional but highly recommended: A gopro/action camera that is waterproof with a knee mount. There are knee-mounts available from local vendors if you don't already have one
- Optional but highly recommended: A second front-mount reserve. I'll have a couple spares I can loan out to people but it would be ideal to have your own if possible.
- I will be providing life jackets and radios for use during the courses, but if you plan to fly on other days when that equipment is used by someone else, it would be good to have your own radio (or as backups just in case). Life jackets can be rented from the local schools for \$3/day, or you can pick up an auto-inflate (get at least 175N buoyancy rating). I have not had problems transporting the life jacket when in checked baggage so long as the canister is installed)
- Outlet adapter(s) for charging phone/computer/radio. Turkey uses the same 220V plugs that the rest of the EU uses.

Cable Car Account Setup

Sign up for an account with the Cable Car (teleferik) here:

<https://shmfethiye.kapadokya.edu.tr/en/shm-panel/Login>

Sometimes it takes a day or two for approval after you upload your license so make sure to do this before you arrive to avoid a hassle. It will ask for your rating and you'll notice that there's only options for P3/P4. If you are a P2, send me a message and I will write you an instructor endorsement letter which you can submit and they will let you through no problem.

Getting to Oludeniz from Dalaman:

There are 2 main options for getting to Oludeniz

- 1) Taxi - costs about the Turkish Lira (TL) equivalent of \$60-80. This is the fastest option
- 2) Bus - first to Fethiye and then take a mini-bus for about 20-30 min, or taxi the remainder of the way

When departing the airport, head straight out the door and across the street to the busses. You're looking for the bus labeled Fethiye (Fet - e - yay), but chances are people will point you in the right direction when they see your paragliding bag. The bus ride to Fethiye takes about 1 hour and the busses are typically coordinated with the planes arriving so you seldom have to wait very long. Take the bus all the way to the last stop which is a bus station in Fethiye. I have not encountered any safety issues or heard of any in Fethiye and Oludeniz itself is very safe and friendly, so you don't need to worry about getting around.

From the bus station in Fethiye, you have two options:

- a) Get a taxi to Oludeniz for about 150 TL. The taxi stand is very nearby and if you just say taxi you'll be pointed in the right direction
- b) Take the minibus. They come every 10 min or so and are large white 20 person vans with the destination labeled. The bus stop is just a short walk around the corner from the bus stop on the main street in front of a supermarket here <https://goo.gl/maps/n8TmuaDydsXr4WcM7> . Just tell the Driver "Oludeniz (ooh lu den is) but he'll probably know what you want from your bags. It takes about 20 min by minibus. If you're staying in the main town (not the beach) and need to get a taxi the final way, they are easy to find and run late into the night.

Payment options

To reserve your spot, send a 50% deposit with the remaining 50% due 60 days prior to the start of the course

1) Zelle

Bolder Adventures Llc

bolderadventures@gmail.com



2) ACH Bank Transfer

**Bolder Adventures LLC
Domestic Transfer Details**

Use these details to send both domestic wires and ACH transfers to Bolder Adventures LLC's Mercury account.

Beneficiary

Beneficiary Name	Bolder Adventures LLC
Account Number	9801302045
Type of Account	Checking
Beneficiary Address	3925 Apache Ct E, Boulder, CO 80303

Receiving Bank Details

ABA Routing Number	084106768
Bank Name	Evolve Bank & Trust Mercury uses Evolve Bank & Trust as a banking partner.
Bank Address	6000 Poplar Ave, Suite 300 Memphis, TN 38119

3) Wise

<https://wise.com/pay/r/LZhUCDOccl1doO0>