

# North Carolina State Record



Calling all HEROES!.....Come join us for the **HEROES SKYDIVING North Carolina State Record 100-way!** This is an invitational skydiving record event this June with great friends and amazing skydives organized by **Louis French, Roger Ponce, Gorka Amian, and Kirk Verner!**

**Event Site:** Skydive Paraclete XP; 143 Airport Dr, Raeford, NC 28376

**Dates:** June 11<sup>th</sup> – 15<sup>th</sup>, 2025; June 11<sup>th</sup> is an optional attendance day (pre-registration required)

**Scope:** We will be setting a new North Carolina FS bigway record at Skydive Paraclete XP! The plan is to best the current 2015 record early in the event and then move on to additional exciting formations! We are planning for 17 skydives for the weekend. With the exception of the first few, the jumps will be from ~18,000 feet AGL with oxygen.

**Participation:** Application link: <https://forms.gle/ncVhD969d7my5Gv56>

We will have a team of highly talented great teammates. The best of the best skydivers who also meet the Heroes creed of being a Hero both in the sky and on the ground!

**Schedule:**

Wednesday (June 11 <sup>th</sup> ):	<b>9:00 am -</b>	5:00 pm	5-6 jumps, optional day, organizing <b>free</b>
Thursday (June 12 <sup>th</sup> ):	<b>7:30 am -</b>	Sunset	Dinner and fellowship in the evening
Friday (June 13 <sup>th</sup> ):	<b>8:00 am -</b>	Sunset	Dinner and fellowship in the evening
Saturday (June 14 <sup>th</sup> ):	<b>8:00 am -</b>	Sunset	Banquet dinner in the evening
Sunday (June 15 <sup>th</sup> ):	<b>8:00 am -</b>	3:15pm	Hangout and say goodbye to friends

**Tunnel 6-way:** At previous events years ago, we incorporated 6-way tunnel flying on the first day of the event, however at this record we are planning on jumping each day. This is a rain or shine event and in the case of inclement weather, we may hold at the DZ for our window instead of aborting to tunnel drills. If you missed the 6-way tunnel event last December, please make plans to attend and try to grab a slot on the amazingly fun annual 6-way tunnel mega meet held in the beginning of December each year (Dec. 6-7, 2025)!

**Registration:** Once you complete the application (link above), and if your application is accepted to join this historic team, you'll receive a request for registration payment (via paypal). Contact Louis with any questions at [skydiverevents@gmail.com](mailto:skydiverevents@gmail.com)

**Costs:** Registration is \$475, however you can receive a \$50 discount and only pay \$425 as long as you apply by Feb. 28<sup>th</sup>. If your application is accepted (via email), then your non-fundable registration payment confirms your registration. Registration covers all the great Heroes Skydiving offerings you've come to expect, and this year plans to up the excitement even more! Once your application is accepted, you'll receive registration payment instructions.  
Jump costs are expected to be \$48ea and will be paid on-site at the event.

**Travel:** The Fayetteville (FAY) regional commercial airport is 30 mins from the DZ. Raleigh/Durham (RDU) is about 1.5 hours away and Charlotte (CLT) is about 2.5 hours away.

**Lodging:** There are several Airbnb's in the area. The closest acceptable hotel to the DZ is the Holiday Inn & Suites, they have a *Paraclete rate* of \$119. Best luck confirming this is probably by calling the reservations number.  
Holiday Inn & Suites (Rate code: "Paraclete", IPH98)  
Reservations number: 800-465-4329; local number: 910-491-5352  
2501 Two Bale Ln  
Fayetteville, NC 28304

**Background:** Heroes Skydiving was founded in 2008 with the goal of having fun, safe, and successful Bigway skydiving events and tunnel events, to share great times with the best of people in our sport who share this Heroes mission!

*Heroes skydivers are those with the ability and determination to be a hero in the sky and on the ground.*

**More Info:** Feel free to contact Louis at [skydiverevents@gmail.com](mailto:skydiverevents@gmail.com) with any questions. Also keep an eye on [www.heroskydive.com](http://www.heroskydive.com) for other events!

**We look forward to seeing you at Raeford in June for this historic **RECORD** event full of great fun with our skydiving family!**

Louis