## **EYAM EDGE**

Wind Direction: South to southwest, (205 degrees is best).

Take Off A: SK 203 777. The field is 200m east of the Barrel Pub, with gorse growing and usually a water tank in it. The gate should have a "please close" sign!

Top Landing Field A: Immediately behind take-off A on the other side of the road in the field with the stone quarry at its west side.

Top Landing Field B: A small field more suitable for paragliding landings. This field is used by the farmer to grow silage so please do not land in it when the grass is very long from around mid-may until it has been cut.

Bottom Landing Fields: Walk out up hill towards the west end of the farm buildings, to emerge on the road that runs Foolow to Bretton. If you land out please do not climb walls make your way via gates and footpaths.

## Do not land in any of the fields near the large mast, the farmer is likely to take action!

Airspace: Amber 2 at FL 65

Hospital: Calow. Chesterfield. Tel 01246 277271

Site Code: none

Parking: Is in the lane to the east of the Barrel pub. Please do not block the gateways

Access: Approach by the road via Foolow, Eyam or Great Hucklow.

Characteristics: Not a great soaring site only 300 ft high. Needs a moderate wind to be soarable.

Can be very turbulent in what seem like good conditions, also restricted landing areas directly below take off with power lines and dry stonewalls makes it a **demanding site for experienced pilots only**.

Good XC site, with flights to the coast regularly achieved.

Paragliders should be aware of being blown back in stronger winds

Safety: Beware of possible sailplane activity. Power lines run along below the edge.

*Restrictions:* Like most DSC sites. There are sheep around that need more consideration from mid March through to May when they are lambing.

Please be aware that from mid May there are fields that are growing long grass for silage. Please try to avoid landing in them. If you do, please trample as little of the grass down as possible. It is normally harvested by the end of June.

