

POPS/SOS/JOS/JOES/JONS/TBM RECORD APPLICATION

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Check POPS-USA.com for existing records

Circle ALL groups that apply: POPS - SOS - JOS - JOES - JONS - TBM (Tiny Broadwick)

Circle ALL records claimed: World – National (_____) – State(_____)

Type of record(s): FS - CF - Sequential – other: _____

Number in formation / description of dive: _____

DZ: _____

Location: _____ **Date of Record:** _____

Note that for SOS/JOS/JOES/JONS records each participant must also be a member of POPS.

Name	POPS#	SOS/JOS/ JOES/JONS#	Country of POPS# / SOS#... (not Nationality)

Camera flyer(s): _____
(camera flyers and the DZ get a FREE certificate, so don't include them in the fee)

Send this form (2 pages, 3 if more names are needed), with a PHOTO or VIDEO of the completed formation(s) and the certificate fee of \$5/person (check payable to James Davis) to:

James Davis
PO BOX 506, Wildomar, CA 92595

Or PayPal payment to: *TopPOPUSA@gmail.com* Or Venmo to: TopPOPUSA
All Certificates will be sent to the organizer for distribution (add your address on the next page).

As organizer, I hereby certify that I have checked each skydiver's POPS/SOS/JOS/JOES/JONS name and number and confirm that each jumper is a member or has submitted a membership form and fee before the aircraft left the ground. Note: record is invalid if jumper joins afterward.

I also certify that the formation was completed as planned, with every jumper slot and grip perfect.

_____ Organizer's Signature

_____ Date

Organizer's information, where the certificates will be sent to:

Name: _____

Address: _____

City/State/Country/Zip: _____
(or your country's
format)

Phone: _____ E-mail _____

LOAD ORGANIZER INSTRUCTIONS AND RECORD REQUIREMENTS

--All jumpers must be a registered member of POPS before the jump is made. If there is a question about the membership, you should collect the POPS membership fee and an application. If it is later determined that the person is already a member you can refund their money. If the record jump is for SOS, JOS, JOES, or JONS, the jumper must be a current member of that organization AND a current member of POPS. All female records (TBM) can be set in any category.

--There is no minimum number of jumpers required on any record; i.e. it can be as small as a two-way or as large as anything you can accomplish.

--By checking the website: pops-usa.com, you can determine if there is already a record in your area or if there is one to beat. To best an existing record it is necessary to make it larger - or, in the case of sequential, turn more points OR make it larger.

--You can claim a record for your State, country (National), or a World record. This program is international.

--All record jumps must be accomplished exactly as dirt dived with all grips as practiced.

--Photos or video must be submitted to the Records Administrator that show the dive or points were done as planned. Camera flyers should be advised to take photos/video from an angle so that the grips are clearly visible. The organizer is responsible to certify that the dive was done as planned.

--The organizer will collect a certificate fee of \$5.00 per record-holder and send a check, payable to James Davis, for the full amount (PayPal also accepted), along with the photos/video and completed application, to:

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PayPal to: TopPOPUSA@gmail.com

The certificates will be returned to the organizer who will ensure that each new record-holder receives their copy. Certificates for the DZ and camera flyers are free – the organizer should list those names on the application.

--The organizer is encouraged to send an article with high-resolution photos to 'Parachutists Magazine' and/or other publications, in a timely manner.

SEQUENTIAL RECORDS:

For formations of 40 jumpers or fewer:

--30% of the jumpers must release their grips and re-grip a different appendage (arm, leg, etc.), from point to point. Always 'round-up' when calculating the percentage. All jumpers must be linked. Simultaneous separation during transition is not required.

For formations of 41 jumpers or more:

--30% of the jumpers must release their grips and re-grip a different appendage (arm, leg, etc.), from point to point. **Piece moves in groups of two, three or four are allowed. Each person in a piece that moves will be counted towards**

