



OFFICIAL BULLETIN N° 1



**9th FAI European Formation Skydiving Championships &
16th FAI World Cup of Formation Skydiving, Prostějov 2009
and**

**6th FAI European Artistic Events Championships &
7th FAI World Cup of Artistic Events, Prostějov 2009**

**30th August – 6th September 2009
Aero Club Falcon Air Prostějov
Prostějov – Czech Republic**

Website: www.ec2009.info

EVENTS

Both the European Championships and the World Cups

FORMATION SKYDIVING

4-Way

8-Way

4-Way Female

Vertical Formation Skydiving /VFS/ - World Cup ONLY

ARTISTIC EVENTS

Freestyle Skydiving

Freeflying

AIMS OF THE EVENT

To determine European Champions in all events except VFS

To determine World Cup Winners in all events

To establish new European and world records

To promote and develop the VFS as a new event

To improve judging methods and technology

EVENT ORGANIZER

Aero Club Falcon Air Prostějov

Fully supported by the Aero Club of Czech Republic

ORGANISING COMMITTEE

Mr. Milos SKLENKA - Org. Committee President and Parachute Club Falcon Air Chairman

Mr. Josef VANA – Manager of TK plus Sport Marketing Company

Mr. Vlastimil DVORAK – President of the Aero Club of Czech Republic

Mr. Oldrich SVOZIL – Parachute inspector of the Aero Club of Czech Republic

Mr. Martin DLOUHY - Manager of Jump Tandem Parachute Company

OFFICIALS

Meet Director:

Mr. Jiri BLASKA

FS Chief Judge

Ms. Rina GALLO (Canada)

AE Chief Judge

Ms. Alya ANANINA (Russia)

Jury President

Mr. Pål BERGAN (Norway)

FAI Controller

Mr. Rainer HOENLE (Germany)

Assistant to Chief Judges:

Mr. Ivo SKOTAK

LOCATION OF THE COMPETITION SITE

Civilian (former military) grassy airfield is a natural part of the town of Prostějov (only about 5 km from the city center). A corner of the airfield was selected as a center point of the competition site. Two small hangars and Falcon Air Skydiving Club building form a natural compound there. The same DZ served well during the S&A European Championship 2005. The town of Prostějov (50,000 inhabitants; 50 km north of Brno) is easily accessible by road (highways) or by train. The competition site (Prostějov airfield) is situated next to the highway; 250 km east from Prague (highway only); 50 km from Brno (highway only); 190 km from Vienna.

Transport service will be provided for initial access (from airports or stations to the drop zone or hotels). Transport service price list will be posted on our website.

AIRCRAFTS

Aircrafts to be used: among European skydivers well known L 410 – Turbolet (exit speed for AE, FS 4way and VFS 150 kph +/- 10 kph and exit speed for FS 8way 170 kph +/- 10 kph, left door with FS grip for exit). All planes will be equipped with the same type of skydiving kit. (Details on the website)

PRE-EVENT TRAINING CAMPS

The Falcon Air Skydiving Club operates every weekend from April and daily from the end of June. For arrangements of your Training Camp please contact the Club at least 10 days in advance. Cheap, club level accommodation is available.

The L-410 Turbolet planes with the championships skydiving kit operate there throughout the year. Calendar of Club activities is available on www.falconair.cz/en/calendar.php.

SAFETY INFORMATION

Use of AAD is mandatory for this event.

INSURANCE

It is strongly recommended to have insurance to cover all medical expenses and repatriation in case of injury and for third party liability with coverage for situations not covered by SC 5, 4.5.3.(2) Without insurance the above mentioned expenses must be cleared on site by cash payment. In case of problem please contact the organizers. Any damage to the hotels etc. is the responsibility of the persons involved. Personal items and equipment are under participants' responsibility.

TIME SCHEDULE

August 26 – August 28 (Wednesday to Friday) Arrival of Scoring system team and Officials

August 29 (Saturday) Arrival of Panel judges

August 30 (Sunday) Arrival of delegations, official training

August 31 (Monday) Official training, Opening ceremony, Technical meeting

September 1 - September 5 (From Tuesday to Saturday) Competition days - jumping

September 5 Afternoon - Prize giving ceremony and closing banquet

September 6 (Sunday) – official departure day, but all participants are invited to stay at drop zone Prostějov one more week for After World Cup Boogie.

Detailed schedule in Bulletin No 2 and on website www.ec2009.info

ENTRY FEES

Competitors

/amounts in EUR per one person/

<u>Events</u>	<u>Entry Fee</u>
FS one event	850
FS two events	1050
VFS /8 rounds/	820
AE one event	800
AE two events	1000
VFS + FS	1050
VFS + AE	1050

Entry fees cover:

Competition jumps /including re-jumps and tie break jumps/

Accommodation /7 nights/

Meals /3 x daily/

Local transport /hotel – DZ/

Competition fee /IPC Sanction fee, farewell banquet, medals, cups, judging.../

One training jump

<u>Accompanying person</u>	520 EUR	Heads of Delegation and Team Managers
	430 EUR	Others

Option 2

If the team wishes to arrange accommodation and meals by themselves, than 320 EUR per participant is deducted from the full option.

JUDGES TRAINING COURSE

The judges training course will not be organized at this event.

JUDGING EQUIPMENT

Organizer prefers the CamScore Scoring System from the UK.

COMPOSITION OF DELEGATIONS

Each NAC can nominate up to four (4) teams into each event of the World Cups.

European countries must appoint 1 /one/ of them /FS events/ and up to 2 /two/ of them /AE/ for the official European Championships classification prior the competition beginning.

Other delegation members will be specified in the Bulletin No2.

CURRENT CONTACTS:

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Meet Director:	Mr. Jiri BLASKA	blaska@post.cz
Assistant to Chief Judges:	Mr. Ivo SKOTAK	iskotak@hotmail.com

REGISTRATION AND PAYMENT

The **Preliminary Entry Form** must reach the organizer **before June 15, 2009**.

The **Official Entry form together with the fees payment** must reach the organizer **before July 15, 2009**.

Registration by internet is the preferred method.

Payment must be made in Euros by bank transfer. Bank charges to be paid by the sender.
All forms with payment instructions will be available on www.ec2009.info from 30th April 2009.

WEATHER CONDITIONS

(Average Aug. 30. -Sept. 6.). Temperatures day/night 22°/ 8°C;

Sunrise/Sunset: ZULU - UTC 04:10 /17:35 = local summer time 06:10/19:35

Sunshine 75%; rains 17%;

Winds up to 5m/sec 60%, 5-8m/sec 30%, over 8m/sec 10%; mostly SW directions.

The Bulletin No 2 will be issued before 1st June 2009.

March 25, 2009

Jiri Blaska

Meet Director

ANNEX – 1

Preliminary Entry Form for European Championships

Nation	
Address NAC	
Phone/Fax	
E-Mail	
Contact Person	
Remarks	

We intend to register the following number of participants on a preliminary basis:

TEAMS	N° of Teams	Total N° participants (incl. alternates)	N° for Option 1	N° for Option 2
FS 4-Way Open (max 1)				
FS 8-Way Open (max 1)				
FS 4-Way Female (max 1)				
VFS Open (max 1)				
Freestyle (max 2)				
Free flying (max 2)				

Head of Delegation	
Team Manager	
Team Coach	
Interpreter	
Accompanying Persons	

Total number of people in delegation:

Date _____ Name _____ Signature _____

Preliminary Entry Form for World Cup

Nation	
Address NAC	
Phone/Fax	
E-Mail	
Contact Person	
Remarks	

We intend to register the following number of participants on a preliminary basis:

TEAMS	N° of Teams	Total N° participants (incl. alternates)	N° for Option 1	N° for Option 2
FS 4-Way Open (max 4)				
FS 8-Way Open (max 4)				
FS 4-Way Female (max 4)				
VFS Open (max 4)				
Freestyle (max 4)				
Free flying (max 4)				

Head of Delegation	
Team Manager	
Team Coach	
Interpreter	
Accompanying Persons	

Total number of people in delegation:

Date _____ Name _____ Signature _____