

CIVL 2016 PLENARY RECORDS AND BADGES REPORT

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A lot of things have been happening in 2015.

- Badges are picking up and it looks as after we raised the bar for getting the diamond badge, more and more pilots would like to get one, and this year for the first time after I have been in charge of R&B I had to approve more than 10 XC diamond badge flights and also for the first time Accuracy diamond badge.
- In 2016 we are proposing two new diamond badges for accuracy as well, to be more in line with XC badges and to give other pilots more options and wiliness to participate.
- Records are also very interesting, and XC pilots are amazing as all the time with records breaking achievements.
- After the introduction of Aerobatics records we finally got a preliminary notification just at the end of the year for the first aerobatics record, hopefully it will be ratified as the first official aerobatics record as well.
- Just before WAG in Dubai we also received first notification for Accuracy record, which has been improved in Dubai by two pilots, which are also both claiming for a new WR. There was some interesting discussion in Dubai, as it seems not a lot of pilots knew about new WR and how they work. I think we will have to work a lot on media and presentation of this new type of records.
- A lot of work has been put into fine tuning the S7d for 2016, and as such a lot of new proposal are on the table on this year plenary.