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IWGA World Games 2013
Cali, Colombia

Details
• 25 July – 4 August 2013
• http://www.worldgames2013.com/
• Cali, Colombia

Introduction
• International World Games Association (IWGA)
• Under the patronage of IOC
• As “B Olympics” entry gate to the Olympics
• 11 days, 30+ sports with 40+ disciplines
• 4,000+ athletes from well over 100 countries

Introduction
• First held in 1981
• Held every 4 years the year after the Olympics
• Largest multi-sports event after the Olympics
• Aspires to equal/exceed the importance of world championships organized by each federation
Introduction

- Focus on spectator friendly sports/disciplines
- Low budget approach using existing infrastructure and close proximity venues
- Excellent opportunity to showcase air sports
- Low cost of participation to FAI

FAI Participation

- CIVL: Paragliding Accuracy Landing
- IPC: Canopy Piloting
- Site: EMAVI Air Force Base in central Cali
- Demonstration event (site to be finalized):
  - CIAM: Indoor Aeromusicals

Progress

- Successful test event competitions
- Serious problems with local organising committee
- Competition Manager’s meeting November 2012
- FAI VP (COL) Markus GRAEBER

Host City – Cali, SW Colombia
Venue – Marco Fidel Suarez Air Force Base
EMAVI Air Force Academy (965 m/3166 ft AGL)

2012 Test Event
EMAVI Air Force Base
August 6th – 11th, 2012

- Final test event budget approx. USD 350,000
- New 70m x 25m parachuting pond constructed
- New dedicated access gate constructed
- 3 latest generation hydraulic paragliding winches
- Cat. 1 level judging equipment (same as in Dubai)
2012 Test Event Venue

- Parachuting & Paragliding on the same site
- Run in parallel using alternating time slots

2012 Test Event Parachuting

- 27 parachuting competitors (24 internationals)
- 5 training rounds, 8 competition rounds, 1 final round
- Distance and Accuracy main rounds
- Freestyle final with 12 competitors
- 1 Cessna Grand Caravan as jump plane

2012 Test Event Paragliding

- Paragliding winch launch used for safety reasons
- 23 paragliding competitors (3 internationals)
- 6 full competition rounds
- 1 national paragliding pre-qualifying event
- Successfully trained local judges to FAI standards

2012 Test Event Impressions

- Pond extension to improve safety margins
- Winch operator training and certification program to international standards
- National paragliding accuracy test event in Q1/2 2013
- National canopy piloting training events in Q1/2 2013

Preparations for 2013

- 2 training, 3 competition & 1 reserve day
- 36 Parachuting & 36 Paragliding Competitor slots
- Parachuting Canopy Piloting qualification at the Mondial in Dubai later this year
- Paragliding Accuracy qualification using CIVL ranking

The World Games 2013
July 25th – August 4th, 2013