

*BID FOR 7TH FAI EUROPEAN PARAGLIDING ACCURACY
CHAMPIONSHIP PRILEP, FYR MACEDONIA*

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PARAGLIDING ACCURACY LANDING**

**03rd October – 11th October 2020
PRILEP, FYR MACEDONIA**

Aeronautical Federation of FYR Macedonia
Paragliding Club Delta

Skopje,
November 2017

1. Organizer

Paragliding Club Delta on behalf of Aeronautical Union of FYR Macedonia

2. Name of Championship

7th FAI European Paragliding Accuracy Championship
Prilep, FYR Macedonia

3. Proposed dates of Championship

03rd May – 11th October 2020

4. Location of Championship

Prilep, FYR Macedonia

5. Organizers, Directors and key officials

Organizers will be people from the Aeronautical Federation of FYR Macedonia, Paragliding Club Delta and Municipality of Prilep.

Majority of the team will be people involved in the organization of the Paragliding European Championship held in Krusevo 2016

Support and Supervision

FAI - International Aeronautic Federation
CIVL - Commission internationale de Vol Libre
Aeronautical Federation of FYR Macedonia
Agency of Youth and Sport of FYR Macedonia

Organisation Director: Martin Jovanoski
Organisation Deputy Director: Goran Dimiskovski
Meet Director: Martin Jovanoski
Safety Director: Goran Dimiskovski
Chief Launch Marshal: Kuzmanovski Goran
Chief Target Marshal: Jane Markoski
Meteorologist: Vladimir Nedelkovski
Scorer: Aleksandar Angelovski
Retrieve: Zoran Dimoski
HQ: Ilioska Viktorija

6. Entry Fee

The Entry fee:

290 EUR per pilot;

180 EUR per female competitors

150 EUR per Team leader. other team members and accompanied persons;

Late entry fee payments will be increased by 25% surcharge.

The Entry fee includes:

- transport to the take-off and retrieve for all the registered pilots during all competition days, and official training day
- competitor and glider identification ID card
- lunch package
- snacks at the target
- competition shirt
- free internet access at the HQ and landing area
- free entry in the cities sporting clubs
- free tickets to all championship events and parties,

2. Pilot Entry & team size

The Championships are open to all Member and Associated Member countries of FAI who may enter the team with the maximum per nation set by Sec7 by CIVL

The maximum number of pilots is 130 if not stated otherwise in Sec7. All entries must be made on the official Entry Form, signed by NAC representative.

3. Test Event

Proposed date of Test Event is 05th October 2019 to 13th October 2019. Pilot qualifications will be same as for Europeans, and it will be open event, with expected entry fee of 70 EUR.

4. Location details and Launch sites

Prilep is 4th largest city in the country with around 70.000 population. Big with historical heritage and as well as the newly formed adventure tourism activities, Prilep is developing to be very attractive for tourists and visitors. Situated in the north-east part of the famous Pelagonia Valley , Prilep is surrounded with mountains and takeoff sites.

The few options listed below allow us to have very successful events with many flyable days.

1. Treskavec
altitude 1140m
landing at 700m
suitable wind directions - SW W NW
20min away from Prilep

This takeoff is on the north side of the town, in the area of very popular 11th century monastery visited by everyone that comes in town.

2. Krusevo East

altitude 1420m

landing at 650m

suitable wind directions - N NE E SE

45min away from Prilep

Krusevo East takeoff is the most known takeoff in the area with multiple world and European championships held there

3. Ribnik

Altitude 775m

landing at 615m

suitable wind directions - ALL

20min away from Prilep

This is perfect 160m grassy hill in the middle of the flats that works for any wind direction with code name "macedonian dune de pyla", here was held European Cup in 2005

4. Toptash

altitude 990m

landing at 700m

suitable wind directions - SW W NW

10min away from Prilep

This is a renewed site, on the east part of the town. Used for many accuracy comps in the 90s now sorted and cleaned again to be in function... Very attractive as people from the town can see the Paragliders fly strait from home.





10. HQ – Accomodation options

HQ will be in hotel Cristal Palace in Prilep... the biggest and most suitable place for this, it was already HQ of the world junior aero modeling championship and we will have few different rooms and halls for our activities.

For accommodation, the Cristal Palace hotel will offer special discount deals for the competitors plus in the city of Prilep there is big variety of

- Hotels;
 - Motels;
 - Houses to rent
- as more options

11. Transport

Transfers from HQ to Landing zone and Take-off will be organized for each competitor. We will also have parking places for the competitors and visitors cars close to the landing areas, from there our buses will do the transport to take-off.

Transportation will be with mini buses with 10 to 15 seats each

12. Rescue/Medical Services

We will have Mountain Rescue team at the on standby and First Aid team Ambulance on the landing during the whole competition.

All the Local (Prilep, Krusevo) hospitals will be informed for our activities.

Helicopter rescue team will be also informed for our activities, they have VFR capabilities only and is stationary in Skope, usual response time is 1h

13. Insurance

What is required from Pilot:

- Appropriate Medical Insurance certificate (no specific amount)
 - Appropriate Third Party Liability Insurance certificate (no specific amount)
- Documentary proof of insurance (in English) must be presented to the organizers before the start of the championship.

14. Media coverage, publicity

We have a team for public relations. They will be giving out daily info to journalists and National TV Houses. Press conference before and after the event will be organised by the same team. They will run FB page for live news and pictures and couple of videos will be done during the competition week.

15. Competition website

All the info, results, updates, news will be shared on the competition web, the same web will be used for the pre event.

web will be active after confirmation of the event.

16. Finance and sponsorship

At the moment, we have been confirmed with support from Agency of Youth and Sport and Local government of city Prilep. Some interest is shown by various companies from the country as well as support from Red Bull and some paragliding companies. We are planning to cover around 40% of the budget from sponsorship.

17. Any additional information

- Pilots that will arrive early will get full support and organisation for flying and training
- For non flying staff or bad weather days we will organise trips to lickal attractions, lots of historical heritage in the region.
- the event is held and will be finished at a big national celebration day with various activities organised in city of Prilep (11th October)

SUMMARY

We are very motivated to show and prove our abilities for organising such event at the highest sportive level possible and help to rise up accuracy in the paragliding and sport world. In same time we want to show the capabilities of this part of Pelagonia Valley as a top paragliding destination. Special attention for the new live scoring and live streaming technologies will be given