FAI-World Cup F3B 2014

The FAI-World Cup F3B 2014 has been finished with the “39th Oktoberfestpokal” in Munich. We had 16 competitions in the FAI-Calendar; unfortunately the competition in Deelen/NED must be cancelled due to the bad weather conditions; the competition in Ruotsinpyhtää/FIN could not be counted, because only Finnish competitors took part. With 213 pilots from 20 nations the FAI-World Cup F3B 2014 was again an outstanding series of competitions. At this point I will say thanks to all organizers and their helpers for their engagement.

In addition I will say many thanks also to Karl Hinsch and Uwe Schlaffke-Mowinkel for the quick evaluation and publication of the results on F3B.de and on the FAI-homepage.

Presenting the results of the FAI-World Cup competitions we have an outstanding quality compared to other competition series; normally the best 10 pilots of a competition are published Sunday evening after the competition.

The actualization of the overall results is mostly finished Monday morning that the pilots and all interested people can see the actual standings promptly.

The FAI-World Cup Trophies are not handed out by the FAI; these trophies are generated on private initiative. Therefore I will take the opportunity to thank all our sponsors:

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After 14 counted competitions the FAI-trophies were handed to:

From left: Andreas Herrig, GER; Martin Herrig, GER; Andreas Böhlen, SUI was not present

These pilots are additionally honored during the FAI/CIAM „Spring Meeting“ in Lausanne next year.

2015 we expect the same number of FAI-World Cup competitions than this year.

The preliminary time table will be published in the near future.

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