



9th FAI EUROPEAN CHAMPIONSHIP FOR SOARING MODEL AIRCRAFT (Class F3J)



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Information Bulletin 2

“The Soarist” Istanbul Model Gliding Club wishes to invite the reigning Senior and Junior F3J European Champions and all official teams of FAI-CIAM member nations to enter the F3J European Championship in Müsellim Köyü Saray, Turkey in July 2013. The invitation extends to Senior and Junior Team Managers, Senior and Junior Assistant Team Managers, Tow-men, Official helpers, Press Representatives and Supporters.

The 2013 F3J European Championship is being organised by the **Istanbul Soaring Club of Turkey**, from 13 to 20 July 2013 and will be preceded by the “Thrace F3J Cup” on Thursday 11 and Friday 12 July 2013. The contest will be held at the Musellim model gliding field, approximately 150 km Northwest of Istanbul- Atatürk International Airport.



There are no man-made obstacles, buildings, trees or water reservoir in the vicinity. Below is the Google photo of the field.





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Organisation

Organising Chairperson	A. Serdar Cümbüş	(scumbus@soarist.com)
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Line manager	Marin Kordic	
Line manager	Alex Wunscheim	

Communication

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Official webpage address is <http://f3jturkey2013.com/>

Contest Schedule (Pre-Competition and European Championship)

Early arrival date : 09 July 2012

Official arrival date : 12 July 2012

Date	Activity
9 -10 July 2013	Practice flights
11-12 July 2013	The Thrace Cup. Pre-competition.
13 July 2013	Registration, Model processing
14 July 2013 (9 am – 11 am)	2013 F3J European Championship Opening Ceromony
14 - 18 July 2013	2013 F3J European Championship flying days
19 July 2013	Fly off, Prize Giving and Closing Ceremony . Banquette
20 July 2013	Departure

* Entry forms and fees for the Pre-Contest will be available at the officaial webpage.

FAI Jury

Pre-Contest and European Championship Jury members Tomáš Bartovský (Czech Republic), Raymond Pavan (Luxembourger), Jaro Muller (Slovakia).

Flying site facilities

The following facilities will be available at the flying site during the competition:

- Tent (shade) facilities
- Ground anchor/stake
- Toilet facilities
- Catering (refer to meals below)
- Paramedic services
- Security
- 220V electricity

Meals and Banquette

Breakfast and dinner will be served in the hotels. Lunch will be available at the field.





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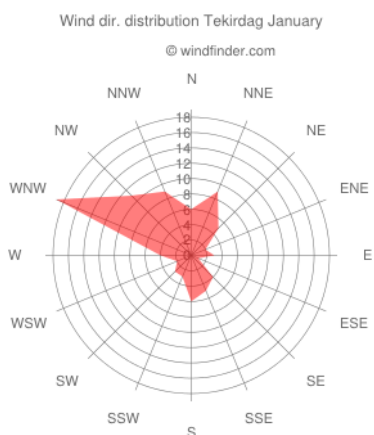
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Drinks, water, snacks and light meals will be available to purchase on the field. Cost of set lunch is 10€. Cost of dinner is 12€.

Cost of Banquette is 30€ per person.

Weather conditions

Description	Specifications
Co-ordinates	N 41 28' 12.00 , E 27 44' 23.25
Altitude	Approx 100 m / 300 ft
Sunrise	5:40 am
Sunset	8:40 pm
Ave Min / Max Temp	18 °C / 30 °C for the month of July (average air temp 24°C)
Ave Rainfall	10 mm for the month of July
Wind Statistics	12% probability of NW wind of 6 Knots (3.08m/s) http://www.windfinder.com/windstats/windstatistic_tekirdag.htm



Wind Direction Distribution - July (%)

Official Language

The official language of the competition, publications & results will be English.

Competition Rules

“The Thrace” pre-contest and the European Championship will be run according to the most recent FAI Sporting Code.

Entry fees

Senior Team Manager	€250
Senior Team Assistant Manager	€250
Senior Pilot	€250
Junior Team Assistant Manager	€150
Junior Team Manager	€150
Junior Pilot	€150





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Helpers (including tow men) €50
Media and official supporters €50

Deadlines

Preliminary Entry 1 January 2013 – 28 February 2013
Official Entry 1 March 2013 - 1 June 2013

Payments

Early entry : 10% discount on entry fees by 31 January 2013
Late entry : 10% penalty fee after 7 June 2013, 20% penalty fee after 15 June 2013

All payments to be deposited into the following bank account:

Account Name : Istanbul Model Planör Kulübü Derneği
Bank : Yapı Kredi Bankası
Branch : Nakkastepe
Branch code : 930
Account number : 82022699
SWIFT Code : YAPITRISFEX
IBAN number : TR71 0006 7010 0000 0082 0226 99

Frequencies

Competitors are requested to provide three (3) Communications Authority of Turkey approved frequencies on their entry forms.

27 MHz band for model control. Shared with surface vehicles, toys, etc.		35 MHz band for Model Aircraft control only (The FIRST & LAST six frequencies may affect each other in the 35MHz band in older single- conversion receivers)				53 MHz band for model control. Shared with radio amateurs	
4	26.995	61	35.010	86	35.260	31	53.300
5	27.005	62	35.020	87	35.270	32	53.350
6	27.015	63	35.030	88	35.280	33	53.400
7	27.025	64	35.040	89	35.290	34	53.450
8	27.035	65	35.050	90	35.300	35	53.500
9	27.045	66	35.060	91	35.310	36	53.550
10	27.055	67	35.070	92	35.320	37	53.600
11	27.065	68	35.080	93	35.330	38	53.650
12	27.075	69	35.090	94	35.340	39	53.700
13	27.085	70	35.100	95	35.350	40	53.750
14	27.095	71	35.110	96	35.360	41	53.800
15	27.105	72	35.120	97	35.370	42	53.850
16	27.115	73	35.130	98	35.380	43	53.900
17	27.125	74	35.140	99	35.390		
18	27.135	75	35.150	100	35.400	54 MHz band for model control	
19	27.145	76	35.160	101	35.410	46	54.450
20	27.155	77	35.170	102	35.420	47	54.500
21	27.165	78	35.180	103	35.430	48	54.550
22	27.175	79	35.190	104	35.440		
23	27.185	80	35.200	105	35.450		
24	27.195	81	35.210	106	35.460		
		82	35.220	107	35.470		





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83	35.230	108	35.480
84	35.240	109	35.490
85	35.250	110	35.500

- 2.4 GHz band at 100mW maximum radiating power

Protest fee

All protests must be presented in writing to the Contest Director, and must be accompanied by a cash deposit of €35. The deposit will be returned if the protest is upheld.

Awards

FAI diplomas and FAI medals will be awarded to the competitors placed first, second and third (senior and junior classification) and to the teams (including the team-manager) placed first, second and third (senior and junior team placing).

No fly zones and safety areas

No restricted flying areas will be in place for this contest. No landing will be permitted within the spectator/catering area, the launch corridor, across towlines or any other safety areas and safety penalties will be applied according to the rules of FAI Sporting Code. A diagram of the field layout and safety areas will be included in bulletin 2.

Advertising, Marketing, Sponsorship and Donations

The Soarist Istanbul Model Glider Club would like to offer you the opportunity to market your company or products during the preparations for the European Championship, as well as during the event. Please select items which interest you and email your request to sbalcik@soarist.com so that the organisers can send you more information in this regard.

- Overall Sponsor** Company logo present on all official correspondence, web pages, clothing, gift bags, advertising boards, television coverage including advertising space for specific products and gazebo during the European Championship
- Event Sponsors** Opening Ceremony
 Entertainment during event
 Banquet
- Item Sponsors** Gift Packs including branded bag
 Official clothing
 Digital time displays
 Gazebo's or tents
- Team Sponsor** Sponsorship of specific team
Description (eg Czech Juniors): _____
- Product Stand** 3x3m gazebo during the European Championship





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Tow-men

The organisers will make every reasonable attempt to assist teams by arranging tow-people for hire during the European Championship, however teams should indicate that they would like towers well in advance (as per their Preliminary Entry) and it remains the responsibility of the individual teams to ensure that they can spend some time practicing with their tow-men before the event.





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Anti-doping

If any competitor has to take any of the substances listed on the WADA Prohibited list for a medical condition, then he/she must have a Therapeutic Use Exemption from the FAI.

Visa requirements

We recommend verifying all travel arrangements and documents with your local travel representatives.

Insurance

The Championship will be covered by limited third-party liability insurance covering all competitors for model accidents involving injury to others and damage to property. The organisers are not responsible for any other injury, loss, theft or damage to persons or property.

Transport

The organiser will provide transfer service from Airport to the flying field.

If you would like to hire a vehicle, we suggest agents for all the car hire companies and usually offer better rates than booking directly.

Travelling in Turkey

For more information on possible tourism options, see the official web site. Please note that in Turkey, the speed limit on most city roads is 90km/hour, on dual carriage highways, the normal speed limit is 120km/hour.

Media and spectators

Local television, radio and newspaper media will be alerted of the event and as much publicity gained as possible. We plan to approach a local channel producer, Top TV, to cover the event for television purposes and intend placing regular articles in the local newspapers to keep the public informed of the event, both for our sponsors benefit and for the benefit of general model gliding in Turkey. Media representatives will be given special passes and nametags to allow them access to designated safe areas. General spectators will be allowed in designated areas only, not in the competitor areas or on the flight line.

Flags, Anthems and Names

Teams are required to email the following to the organisers by 1 April 2013:

- A picture of your national flag
- Your national anthem
- A recording of how to pronounce the name of each member of the team

Teams are requested to bring a national flag which is 180 x 120 cm with them and a CD of your national anthem.

Practice Fields

Pilots will be able to practice at the official contest field from 4 July 2013.

Accommodation





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The hotels available nearby and within 50 km from the competition field are:

HOTEL	CITY HOTEL (3 Stars)	
WEB PAGE	http://www.cityhotel.com.tr/	
LOCATION	ÇERKEZKÖY CITY CENTER	
BOOK ROOM	35 (29 DBL - 6 SNG)	
CHECK IN/OUT DATE	08 JULY - 22 JULY 2013	
RELEASE TIME	15 JANUARY 2013	
CONCEPT	HALF BOARD	BED&BREAKFAST
SINGLE ROOM PER NIGHT	100 TL	75 TL
DOUBLE ROOM PER NIGHT	160 TL	110 TL

HOTEL	HOTEL SHILLA	
WEB PAGE	http://www.shillaotel.com/ (3 Stars)	
LOCATION	8 KM TO ÇORLU&ÇERKEZKÖY , AT VELİMEŞE	
BOOK ROOM	30	
CHECK IN/OUT DATE	08 JULY - 22 JULY 2013	
RELEASE TIME	15 JANUARY 2013	
CONCEPT	HALF BOARD	BED&BREAKFAST
SINGLE ROOM PER NIGHT	120 TL	85 TL
DOUBLE ROOM PER NIGHT	200 TL	135 TL
TRIPLE ROOM PER NIGHT	270 TL	170 TL

HOTEL	PASHA HOTEL	
WEB PAGE	http://www.cerkezkoyhotelpasha.com/ (3 Stars)	
LOCATION	ÇORLU CITY CENTER	
BOOK ROOM	25 (15 FRENCHBED ROOM - 10 TWINBED ROOM)	
CHECK IN/OUT DATE	08 JULY - 22 JULY 2013	
RELEASE TIME	15 JANUARY 2013	
CONCEPT	HALF BOARD	BED&BREAKFAST
SINGLE ROOM PER NIGHT	100 TL	75 TL
DOUBLE ROOM PER NIGHT	180 TL	125 TL

HOTEL	GABRALI HOTEL	
WEB PAGE	http://www.gabralihotel.com/ (3 Stars)	





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LOCATION	ÇERKEZKÖY CITY CENTER	
BOOK ROOM	40 (22 DBL - 14 SNG - 4 TRP)	
CHECK IN/OUT DATE	08 JULY - 22 JULY 2013	
RELEASE TIME	15 JANUARY 2013	
CONCEPT	HALF BOARD	BED&BREAKFEAST
SINGLE ROOM PER NIGHT	85 TL	65 TL
DOUBLE ROOM PER NIGHT	145 TL	100 TL
TRIPLE ROOM PER NIGHT	215 TL	145 TL

HOTEL	GOLDEN PALAS HOTEL	
WEB PAGE	http://www.goldenpalascerkezkoy.com/ (4 Stars)	
LOCATION	3 KM TO ÇERKEZKÖY INDUSTRIAL ZONE ,25 KM TO ÇORLU	
BOOK ROOM	60	
CHECK IN/OUT DATE	08 JULY - 22 JULY 2013	
RELEASE TIME	15 JANUARY 2013	
CONCEPT	HALF BOARD	BED&BREAKFEAST
SINGLE ROOM PER NIGHT	125 TL	90 TL
DOUBLE ROOM PER NIGHT	200 TL	135 TL
EXECUTIVE SUIT	145 TL (PER PERSON)	100 TL (PER PERSON)
KING SUIT	315 TL (PER PERSON)	280 TL (PER PERSON)

HOTEL	BUSINESS HOTEL	
WEB PAGE	http://www.cerkezkoybusinesshotel.com/default.asp?page=content&id=67 (4 Stars)	
LOCATION	5 KM TO ÇERKEZKÖY CITY CENTER	
BOOK ROOM	50	
CHECK IN/OUT DATE	08 JULY - 22 JULY 2013	
RELEASE TIME	15 JANUARY 2013	
CONCEPT	HALF BOARD	BED&BREAKFEAST
SINGLE ROOM PER NIGHT	120 TL	90 TL
DOUBLE ROOM PER NIGHT	190 TL	135 TL
JUNIOR SUITE SNG	165 TL	125 TL
JUNIOR SUITE DBL	240 TL	185 TL
KING SUITE	300 TL	245 TL

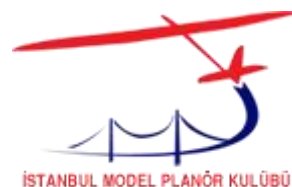
Exchange rate : 1€ = 2.36 Turkish Lira (As of 15 January 2013)





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For reservations please contact:

Setur Travel Agency

<http://www.bookinturkey.com/homepage>

There are maybe some other possibilities for lodging but these are recommend ones. You can also do your reservations through by yourself.

F3J European Championship Entry Form

All entries will be done on the official web page http://f3jturkey2013.com/#!registration_form.aspx

Dead line for the entry is 1 June 2012.

20% increase on the entry fee will be applied on late entries.

The Soarist Pre-contest Entry Form

(Please note the contest will be limited to 120 entries on a first come basis)

All entries will be done on the official web page <http://f3jturkey2013.com/#!pre-entry-form.aspx>

Dead line for the entry is 1 June 2012.

20% increase on the entry fee will be applied on late entries.

Checklist of items to send to the organisers:

Checklist of items to submit with pre-entry:

- Pre-entry form

Checklist of items to submit with Official Entry:

- Official entry form
- Copy of medical and travel insurance for each team member
- Email National Anthem in WAV or MP3 format
- Email pronunciation of the names of each member of the team

Checklist of items to bring with to the European Championship:

- Copy of medical and travel insurance
- "Therapeutic Use Exemption" from the FAI if applicable

