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BULLETIN 1

2015

NATIONAL SKYDIVING CHAMPIONSHIPS IN

ARTISTIC EVENTS CANOPY FORMATION FORMATION SKYDIVING WINGSUITING

Training – 25 & 26 April 2015

Competition – 27 April 2015 to 01 May 2015

Awards Ceremony – 01 May 2015

(Date of this Bulletin – 20 February 2015)

1 – ORGANISER DETAILS

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QUALIFIED LIFE SUPPORT

Will be provided onsite – final details of service provider in Bulletin 2.

CLEANING & MAINTENANCE STAFF

Provided by SkyDive Rustenburg throughout the training and competition dates.

3 – JUDGING STAFF

The Chief Judge is Thierry Courtin and judging staff will be:

Thierry Courtin	FS & CF
Lourens Barnard	FS, CF & WS
Jacqui Coetzee	FS, CF & WS
Claire King	AE
Dirk Venter	AE (Judges' Liaison)

Trainee Judge(s) and all associated costs to be provided by the SSA.

The large adjacent hangar with dedicated office space is being made available to the Judges / Admin for the duration of the competition.

All judging equipment is to be provided and set up by Dirk Venter, to SSA requirements, in the office space provided and all reasonable and adequate printing / admin costs for the judges to fulfil their service will be provided by the organisers.

Three meals daily will be provided to official judging staff on the official Nationals Dates from the RSC canteen OR as allowed for in the accommodation service provided.

JURY & VIDEO REVIEW PANEL

The Jury to be appointed by the Chief Judge and Event organiser prior to the start of the competition and announced at the Safety Briefing.

The Video Review Panel will be in accordance with the requirements as defined in item 5 of the 2015 request for bids document.

4 – AIRCRAFT OPERATIONS AND GROUND CREW

2 (two) X328 Atlas Angel Turbine Aircraft fitted with in-flight doors, skydivers' handles, skydivers' steps and all required skydiving aids will be provided for the period 25 April to 01 May 2015. In the event of unserviceability of the aircraft during the event, the Aircraft operators (Warbirds – Johan Lok) will assist in obtaining suitable replacement(s).

Aircraft coordinator will be Herman Grobler and will be responsible for all pilot, ATC, fuelling liaison etc. All competitor, meet director and judging requirements will be discussed and agreed beforehand.

A pilot's roster will be provided to the SSA one week prior to the Nationals start date. Chief pilot will be Cornel Janse van Rensburg with 2nd pilot as required and supplied by aircraft operators for Warbirds – Johan Lok. In the event of incapacity or unavailability of either the 2 primary pilots then a back-up pilot will be provided by Warbirds.

A loadmaster will be assigned on each load as required from the relevant competitors – Safety Officer to coordinate.

A radio operator will be provided by Skydive Rustenburg as required – Safety Officer to coordinate.

Aircraft refuellers will be provided by Skydive Rustenburg and coordinated by duty pilot(s).

In-flight supplementary oxygen (O₂) will not be provided by the Organisers however, competitors will be permitted to supply their own O₂ systems provided they have been approved for aircraft operations by the Organiser and Chief Pilot.

5 – REGISTRATION FEE AND COSTS

REGISTRATION FEES

Registration fee per competitor or team member regardless of number of events entered will be R1100 / per person – this will include an event goodie bag, RSC daily membership and the closing ceremony function and meal.

Current PASA and SSA membership is required to participate in the 2015 National Championships – failure to comply shall result in disqualification from the event. Members who have paid temporary membership are to note conditions.

Close of Registration : 12h00 on 13th April 2015

Late registration(s) close : 12h00 on 25th April 2015 at additional R200 per person

JUMP RATE & ALTITUDE

- 11000ft agl (or below) i.e. all CF events, FS 2way, FS 4way & WS 2way - R290 / jump
- 13000ft agl i.e. all AE events, FS 8way, VFS & WS Performance - R310 / jump

Note that all jump altitudes are subject to ATC requirements / direction as is the norm at Skydive Rustenburg as well as aircraft performance on the day / time.

All re-jumps, practice rounds and judged practice rounds related to this competition will be for the competitor's account.

All re-jumps due to failure in event organization are for the organiser's account.

Note that the jump rate as listed above is in line with the anticipated increase in the fuel price and unfavourable exchange rates by the event date however we reserve the right to revise these rates in line with large discrepancies in recovery.

6 – BUDGET

INCOME	Planned Income	Actual Income	EXPENSES	Planned Expense	Actual Expenses
Registration (50 competitors)	R 55 000,00	R 0,00	Equipment & Transport		
SSA Contribution	R 21 150,00	R 0,00	Discipline Equipment /Hire	R 0,00	R 0,00
Sponsorships	R 50 000,00	R 0,00	Equipment Transport	R 0,00	R 0,00
Other (RSC)	R 3 000,00	R 0,00	Judging		
Total Income	R 129 150,00	R 0,00	Judging Fee	R 6 800,00	
			Scoring System Hardware	R 6 000,00	
			Scoring System Software	R 0,00	R 0,00
			Judge Accommodation, food & transport	R 11 000,00	
			Consumables (printing, paper, etc.)	R 800,00	
			Medical Facilities		
			EMS	R 10 000,00	R 0,00
			Aircraft		
			Aircraft Placement	R 7 000,00	R 0,00
			Municipal / Airport Inspectors	R 0,00	R 0,00
			Pilot Accommodation & Food	R 2 000,00	
			Extra Operational capacity		
			Staff Food	R 1 000,00	
			Extra Staff 3 x 7days	R 2 500,00	
			Manifest Officer	R 1 000,00	
			Infrastructure		
			Infrastructure Upgrade	R 50 000,00	
			Marquee	R 6 000,00	
			Access Cards	R 0,00	
			Outdoor Screens for competitor scores	R 4 000,00	
			Charcoal/Wood	R 700,00	
			Skip for Waste	R 1 000,00	
			Additional Equipment	R 3 000,00	
			Fuel Tank	R 1 300,00	
			Entertainment		
			T-shirts	R 10 000,00	
			Awards Braai	R 5 000,00	
			Publicity		
			Publicity / advertising	R 0,00	
			Total Expenses	R 129 100,00	R 0,00

7 – PUBLIC RELATIONS AND MEDIA LIAISON

7.1. Advance publicity

7.2. Advertising in media releases

7.3. Media conferences

7.4. Local town – public relations and promotions

7.5. Tourism involvement**7.6. Local media****7.7. National media****7.8. Media liaison during the meet****7.9. Media liaison at the end of the meet****7.10. PR Staff**

SkyDive Rustenburg Public Relations Staff are competent and experienced in handling the media requirements for such an event. We will endeavour to provide as much media and other PR events as possible both during the run-up to and during the event.

8 – CONDUCTING & COMPETITION DETAILS

8.1 Venue Details

The venue is Rustenburg Skydiving Club at Rustenburg Airfield, a PASA approved DZ – operational hours sunrise to sunset OR as indicated by the Meet Director.

8.2, 8.3 & 8.4 Transport Information

13 seater Quantum bus will be made available where required – driver will be provided.

DZ Quad Bike and Double Cab bakkie for outlandings will be provided.

Any reasonable additional local transport for the successful running of the Nationals will be provided by SkyDive Rustenburg at no charge.

Boarding point is 200 meters away – a shade structure will be provided and transport if required by any competitor due to injury or disability.

8.5 Team Facilities

- Packing Hangar, grassed area and normal DZ weekend facilities.
- Large screen TV with video / DVD / download facilities will be available in the Clubhouse, additional if required by teams at their expense.
- An adjacent large hangar will be made available for packing and trolleying.
- An additional suitable Marquee(s) for packing and team rest areas will be provided.

8.6 Video Debrief Area

Team debrief area will be provided either in 1 of the Chalets OR in an area TBA suitable for this purpose.

8.7 Team creeping Area

An adjacent hangar with smooth concrete floor will be made available for trolleying / dirt dive during the official Nationals Dates.

8.8 Packing / Rest Area

There will be a large packing and rest Marquee provided on the grass and pool area as well as the RSC hangar that is presently used for normal skydiving operations.

8.9, 8.10, 8.11 Accommodation Facilities

- Existing Chalets and Wendy Huts are NOT available for the duration of the Nationals for accommodation purposes. For camping see 8.12.
- There are 2 existing male and 3 existing female toilets at the DZ premises.
- There are 5 existing male / female showers at the DZ premises.

- There is an additional ablution block approx 400m from the DZ on the airfield property consisting of 4 toilets and 4 showers each for male and female – we use these as additional facilities at present.
- Local accommodation ranging from budget to luxury is available in Rustenburg and surrounds. The Sun City resort is 47km away.

8.12 Camping Facilities

Camping is allowed on the Airfield at R50 per person per night, the camping area is adjacent to the 'additional ablution block' described above. The organisers will provide 24 hour security to this area for the duration of the competition. There are additional camping areas at several resorts within a 10km radius of the DZ.

8.13, 8.14 Accommodation Options

There is a large range of Hotel, B&Bs, Guest Houses and lodges within the immediate vicinity of the DZ and within 10km – a selected list of available options is attached in Appendix 2. Preferable rates for competitors are being negotiated at some of these venues.

Various activities are available in the immediate area including Rustenburg Kloof, Magalies Canopy Tours, Sun City, Tandem Paragliding etc. Various outings will be pre-organised, available and on standby in conjunction with other local operators and local tourism board.

8.15 Information

Registrations including full payment for registration and slots must be submitted by 12h00 on 13 April 2015. Registrations to include all official alternates, managers etc. (if any), videographer and Team Name. Late registrations will be subject to a R200 late registration fee and no registrations will be accepted after 12h00 on 25 April 2015. The official registration form provided for all Teams / Competitors forms part of this Bulletin 1.

8.16 FAI Sporting Code

All relevant RSC staff have a working knowledge of the FAI Sporting code.

8.17, 8.18, 8.19 Meetings and Event Communication

Shall be conducted in accordance with FAI and competition requirements, as necessary.

8.20, 8.21, 8.22 Manifest Calls

Manifest, manifest calls and the broadcasting to competitors shall be in accordance with standard practice i.e. 30 min standby, 15 min to boarding point and final call. Manifest boards will be placed at the Manifest office for the referral of teams and the announcements will be made through a suitable PA and speaker system.

8.23 Load Management

Load management will be undertaken by the manifest officer. Competitors on multiple teams and / or disciplines will be accommodated where possible however this may mean adjustment of call times etc. for the affected team(s).

All AE, FS and CF competition loads will commence at 08h00 on each day of the competition – the duration of the relevant day's events will be subject to weather conditions and specific event requirements.

8.24 Aircraft movements and management

This will be the responsibility of the Aircraft Coordinator and Chief Pilot as is the norm at Skydive Rustenburg.

8.25 Competition notice boards

RSC will provide large screen(s) TV for the broadcasting of event dives and team scores with assistance by the Judges and associated equipment.

8.26 Entertainment facilities

RSC has a fully staffed and equipped bar / clubhouse area which is available to all competitors and members of the public for the event duration. In the event of long weather delays there are several places of interest in the area as well as malls, shops, bars and night-clubs in the immediate vicinity.

8.27 Medals / Awards Ceremony

The awards ceremony and after Nationals function will take place on 1 May 2015 OR as soon as reasonably possible upon competition completion. The competitor registration fee includes the cost of the meal for all participants and additional tickets will be on sale for non-competitors and public.

9 – EVENTS OFFERED

An event timetable will be issued after the close of registration prior to the competition

Discipline/Event	No. of Rounds	Exit Altitude (AGL)
Canopy Formation		
2 way Sequential	8 rounds	6000ft
4 way Rotations	8 rounds	7000ft
4 way Sequential	8 rounds	8200ft
Formation Skydiving		
2 way Novice	6 rounds	10000ft
2 way Open	6 rounds	10000ft
4 way Novice	6 rounds	10000ft
4 way Intermediate	6 rounds	10000ft
4 way Open	10 rounds	10000ft
8way Open	10 rounds	13000ft
2 way Vertical Formation Skydiving	6 rounds	13000ft
4 way Vertical Formation Skydiving	8 rounds	13000ft
Artistic Events		
Freestyle Open	7 rounds	13000ft
Freefly Open	7 rounds	13000ft
Freefly Intermediate	7 rounds	13000ft
Wingsuiting		
Performance Flying	6 rounds	12000ft
2 way Acrobatic Flying	7 rounds	10500ft

All events shall consist of the amount of rounds of competition as stipulated in the 'Request for Bid Document' with the required minimum round(s) being completed for an outcome of the Nationals.

National Colours, National Records and the like may be awarded to winning Team(s) in each discipline / event provided the minimum criteria are met with regard to the awarding of National Colours as stipulated by the SSA and winning team(s) will be known as '2015 SA National Champions' in the relevant discipline – it is noted that 2015 is an 'off year' for competition and colours purposes.

10 – EVALUATION REPORT

Will be submitted by meet director to the SSA controller within 30 days of the completion of the event.



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NATIONALS REGISTRATION FORM

PERSONAL DETAILS

First Name: _____ Date of Birth: _____ Medical Aid: _____ Address: _____ Contact Nr: _____ Nationality: _____ Height: _____ Next Of Kin: _____ Relationship to Applicant: _____	Surname: _____ ID or Passport: _____ Medical Nr: _____ Email: _____ Sex: _____ Weight: _____ Contact Nr: _____
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SKYDIVE DETAILS:

Total Jumps: _____ Total jumps in last year: _____ Total jumps in last 3 Months: _____ Total jumps in last 1 Months: _____	Ratings: _____ PASA NR: _____ LICENSE NR: _____ Current Dropzone: _____
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Event 1	
Team Name	
Event 2	
Team Name	
Event 3	
Team Name	
Event 4	
Team Name	

MEDICAL HISTORY

Do you suffer from, or are you being treated for (tick the appropriate box):

Epilepsy	YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO <input type="checkbox"/>	Ear problems	YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO <input type="checkbox"/>
Diabetes	YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO <input type="checkbox"/>	Dizziness	YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO <input type="checkbox"/>
Heart condition	YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO <input type="checkbox"/>	Infections	YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO <input type="checkbox"/>
Blackouts or dizzy spells	YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO <input type="checkbox"/>		
High blood pressure	YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO <input type="checkbox"/>		
Low blood pressure	YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO <input type="checkbox"/>	Corrective lenses	YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO <input type="checkbox"/>
Asthma	YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO <input type="checkbox"/>	Single / limited vision	YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO <input type="checkbox"/>

Previous Fractures:

Legs	YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO <input type="checkbox"/>	Briefly describe: _____
Ankles	YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO <input type="checkbox"/>	
Back	YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO <input type="checkbox"/>	
Wrists	YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO <input type="checkbox"/>	
Shoulders	YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO <input type="checkbox"/>	

Are you currently on medication? YES ☐ NO ☐

Are you addicted to alcohol or other habit forming drugs? YES ☐ NO ☐

Blood Group: _____ Allergies: _____

DECLARATION

I, _____, the undersigned, do hereby certify and warrant that all details provided are true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

- I am over 18 years of age.
- I do not suffer from any physical, psychological or chronic illness or disability that could affect my ability engage in skydiving and parachuting.
- I am not on any medication, drugs or undergoing any course of treatment, nor influenced by drugs or alcohol that could affect my ability engage in skydiving and parachuting.
- I recognize, acknowledge and am aware that skydiving and parachuting are potentially hazardous activities that will expose me to risk of personal injury and / or death.
- I voluntarily choose to participate in skydiving and parachuting with knowledge and understanding of the potential dangers involved. I freely choose to accept all risks of possible injury and / or death.
- I agree, for myself my heirs executors and successors to INDEMNIFY, exempt, release, and to FOREVER HOLD HARMLESS all parties, individuals, organizations, associations, clubs, associated companies, personnel, agents and representatives from any and all liability against all claims, costs, damages, liabilities, demands or actions of any kind whatsoever (which includes acts or omissions whether due to negligence or otherwise), in respect of, or arising out any physical or mental injury or damage of any degree or nature whatsoever or howsoever caused for anyone whomsoever resulting directly or indirectly from participation in skydiving and parachuting.
- I acknowledge and understand that elements such as atmospheric conditions / weather, exit altitudes, freefall times, parachute opening altitudes, time spent under parachute, and aerial videography and photography cannot be guaranteed.
- I give permission for photos and/or video footage featuring myself to be used for the purposes of promoting skydiving and parachuting.
- I have read, understand and agree to the terms and conditions upon which I voluntarily, and at my own risk, undertake to partake in skydiving and parachuting activities.

Volunteer Parachute Jumper Signature: _____

Date: _____

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