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# **BULLETIN 2**

FOR THE 2018 NATIONAL SKYDIVING CHAMPIONSHIPS IN

# ARTISTIC EVENTS CANOPY FORMATION FORMATION SKYDIVING STYLE & CLASSIC ACCURACY WINGSUITING

Training Day – 28 March 2018 Competition – 29 March 2018 to 02 April 2018 Awards Ceremony – 02 April 2018

(Date of this document - 20 March 2018)

# ORGANISER DETAILS

ADMINISTRATION OFFICER - 2018 Nationals Primary contact

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# **OPERATIONS STAFF**

## **MEET DIRECTOR / OPERATIONS MANAGER**

Herman Grobler 082 448 0784 jhermang@vodamail.co.za

## SAFETY OFFICER

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## **GENERAL MANAGER / MANIFEST OFFICER**

Danelle Field 079 345 7058 skydivenationals2018@gmail.com

### QUALIFIED LIFE SUPPORT

1x Intermediate Life Support (ILS) will be provided onsite over the period Wednesday 28 March 2018 to Monday 02 April 2018 inclusive during competition hours 08h00 – 17h00 each day. Advanced Life Support from the same supplier is provided as a callout service should this be required. The service provider is Trauma Rescue based in Rustenburg – <u>www.traumarescue.co.za</u>. It should be noted that this service is for stabilisation and emergency only and every competitor is responsible for providing their own Medical Insurance / Medical Aid for any incident requiring medical attention or follow up hospitalisation – no competitor will be permitted to participate in this event without providing proof of this requirement.

### CLEANING & MAINTENANCE STAFF

Provided by SkyDive Rustenburg throughout the training and competition dates.

# JUDGING STAFF

The Chief Judge is Claire King & the following judging staff :

Dirk Venter Bryetta Booyzen Michael Panaino

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

SSA CONTROLLER, JURY & VIDEO REVIEW PANEL

The SSA Controller for this event shall be Mohan Chudalayandy

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 of the bid document.

The protest fee for this competition shall be R500 per occurrence

# AIRCRAFT OPERATIONS AND GROUND CREW

2 (two) X328 Atlas Angel Turbine Aircraft with suitable pilots shall be provided in accordance with the bid document and Bulletin 1

All other aircraft staff, ground crew etc will be as provided for in the bid document and Bulletin 1

In-flight supplementary oxygen ( $O_2$ ) will not be provided by the Organisers however, competitors will be permitted to supply their own  $O_2$  systems provided they have been approved for aircraft operations by the Meet Director and Chief Pilot.

# **REGISTRATION FEE & COSTS**

### **REGISTRATION FEES**

Registration fee per competitor or team member regardless of number of events entered will be R1250 / per competitor or team member – this will include an event T Shirt, goodie bag, RSC daily membership and the closing ceremony function and meal.

Current PASA and SSA membership is required to participate in the 2018 National Championships – failure to comply shall result in disqualification from the event.

Competitors / participants to note that the PASA membership renewal period falls over the same time as the Nationals – you must have renewed your PASA membership or show proof of having done this as part of the registration process. If you are not a current PASA member on 1 April 2018 and the competition is in progress then you will not be allowed to jump or be eligible for any of the competition placings, medals, awards, titles or National Colours.

The 2018 registration form is available for download at the PASA website as below – note that every competitor / team member / alternate / cameraperson is required to complete this form

https://www.para.co.za/Files/2018%20RSC%20Nationals%20Registration%20Form.docx

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Close of Registration		12h00 on 14 <sup>th</sup> March 2018
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Late Registration(s) close : 12h00 on 27<sup>th</sup> March at additional R750 per person

Team registrations shall include alternates (if any), camera flyer and team name. Should a team wish to make use of pool camera flyers this must be indicated / requested and the slot fee for them shall be for the account of the team.

If an individual or team withdraws after the Close of Registration date they shall forfeit 50% of their registration fee however if an individual or team is grounded during the competition for safety or other reasons they will forfeit 100% of their registration fee

Please email proof of payment of all fees paid along with your registration forms to <u>skydivenationals2018@gmail.com</u>. The banking details for the competition are on the registration form forming part of this Bulletin 2

## JUMP RATE & ALTITUDE

<ul> <li>5000ft agl (or below) i.e. all Accuracy Events</li> </ul>	-	R260 / jump
- 11000ft agl (or below) i.e. all CF events, FS 2way, FS 4way & WS 2way	-	R310 / jump
- 13000ft agl i.e. all AE events, FS 8way, VFS & WS Performance	-	R330 / 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.

# PUBLIC RELATIONS AND MEDIA LIAISON

#### Advance publicity

Skydive Rustenburg has been proactive in distributing the press releases to numerous print, radio and television media

#### Advertising in media releases

Media releases have been distributed as required – the latest media release is attached to this Bulletin as Appendix 3

## Media conferences

A press conference / event has been scheduled for the week prior to the event date - details to be confirmed

#### Tourism involvement

The Northwest Government as well as the Bojanala Platinum Municipality have included the Nationals Event in their internal event planning as well as providing event coverage and promotional materials in both the Mafikeng and Rustenburg Tourist offices

#### Local media

1 local newspaper and 1 local radio station have committed to coverage in print and radio in the week prior to and during the week of the Nationals

#### Media liaison during the meet

Herman Grobler (2018 Nationals Meet Director) will be doing daily Event updates and handling any media queries as well as arranging Team / Competitor interviews during the competition dates.

All media queries are to be addressed to :

2018 Meet Director Herman Grobler 082 448 0784 jhermang@vodamail.co.za

# **CONDUCTING & COMPETITION DETAILS**

### 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.

### TRANSPORT INFORMATION

As per Bulletin 1

#### **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.

#### VIDEO DEBRIEF AREA

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

#### TEAM TROLLEYING AREA

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

#### PACKING / REST AREAS

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.

#### ACCOMMODATION FACILITIES

As per Bulletin 1

#### CAMPING FACILITIES

Camping is allowed on the Airfield at R25 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.

#### ACCOMMODATION OPTIONS IN RUSTENBURG

As per Bulletin 1

#### **REGISTRATION INFORMATION**

Registrations including full payment for registration and slots must be submitted by 12h00 on 14 March 2018. Registrations to include all official alternates, managers etc. (if any), videographer and Team Name. Late registrations will be subject to a R750 late registration fee and no registrations will be accepted after 12h00 on 27 March 2018. The official registration form provided for all Teams / Competitors is available at APPENDIX 1 and downloadable at

https://www.para.co.za/Files/2018%20RSC%20Nationals%20Registration%20Form.docx

### FAI SPORTING CODE & PASA NATIONALS REGULATIONS

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

Competitors to note the following "Competitors Responsibilities Rule" from the FAI Sporting Code :

#### 3.11.2.4 Competitor responsibilities.

All competitors entering sporting events under FAI rules shall accept that they may be required to submit to, and co-operate with, doping control measures. Entrants with a documented medical condition requiring the use of a Prohibited Substance or a Prohibited Method must before the event concerned have obtained a Therapeutic Use Exemption (TUE) in accordance with FAI Anti-Doping rules. In addition, for reasons arising during or immediately before the event, a competitor taking any drug or medication, or suffering from a medical condition, illness or injury, which might either compromise safety or invalidate a licence, must inform the Contest Director in writing before competing.

By entering this competition all competitors shall have made themselves aware of the following document and contents thereof – this is available for reference and download on the PASA website as follows :

#### PASA SSA Nationals Regulations

https://para.co.za/Files/PASA%20SSA%20Nationals%20Regulations%20Team%20Selection%20and%20Colours%20Criteria%202016-12.pdf

#### MEETINGS AND EVENT COMMUNICATIONS

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

The Team leaders meeting shall take place immediately after jumping ends on Wednesday 28 March 2018 and shall be followed by the draw for the competition rounds and jump order.

#### MANIFEST CALLS / PA SYSTEM

Manifest, manifest calls and the broadcasting to competitors shall be in accordance with standard practice. 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.

#### 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).

Manifest will take place on the basis of block time however the overall competition will not be held back by competitors taking part in more than 1 event – the complete provisions of section 1 part 4 of the PASA SSA Nationals Regulations document is to be fully understood by all competitors

Classic accuracy and Performance Wingsuiting events will be manifested on consecutive competition loads wherever possible in order to make best and consistent use of available weather conditions.

All 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.

The first load of the competition shall be at 08h00 on Thursday 29 March 2018 and the last load of the competition shall be at 15h00 on Monday April 2018 – should the Nationals event be completed before the final day as contemplated this will be communicated to the competitors as required.

#### AIRCRAFT MOVEMENTS AND MANAGEMENT

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

## COMPETITION NOTICE BOARDS

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

## 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.

#### MEDALS AND AWARDS CEREMONY

The awards ceremony and after Nationals function will take place on 02 March 2018 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.

# **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	9 rounds	12000ft	
2 way Acrobatic Flying	7 rounds	10500ft	
Freefall Style & Accuracy Landing			
Freefall Style	5 rounds	7200ft	
Accuracy Landing	10 rounds	3300ft	

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 awarding of National Colours as stipulated by the SSA and winning team(s) will be known as '2018 SA National Champions' in the relevant discipline.

# **EVALUATION REPORT**

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

Appendix 1 : Nationals Registration Form available for download at

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#### **Registration Form**

#### South African Skydiving National Championship 2018

#### Contact

#### Danelle (Admin): 079 345 7058

#### Email: skydivenationals2018@gmail.com

First Names		
Surname		
Address		
Date of Birth	ID Number	
Cell Number	Email Address	
Medical Aid Scheme	Medical Nr	
Nationality	Gender	
Weight	Height	

Next of Kin	
Cell Number	
Address	
Relationship	

## Skydiver Information

PASA Licence	PASA Number
Current Dropzone	Current C.I
Main Size	Reserve Size
Reserve Pack Date	T-Shirt Size
Are you camping?	Do you require evening
, , ,	meals from canteen?

## Total Jumps in the PAST

3 Months	1 Year	Total Jumps	

Bank	FNB	
Account Number	625 555 395 04	
Account Type	Cheque Account	
Branch Code	260246	
Reference Number	Name+Registration or Jumps	
Email POP To	Skydivenationals2018@gmail.com	

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Late registration(s) close : 23 March 2018

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- 11000ft agl (or below) i.e. all CF events, FS 2way, FS 4way & WS 2way 13000ft agl i.e. all AE events, FS 8way, VFS & WS Performance R310 / jump R330 / jump -

Discipline/Event	Discipline/Event No. of Rounds		Cost Per Competitor ( Excl Registration / Camera )
Canopy Formation			
2 way Sequential	8 rounds	6000ft	R2480
4 way Rotations	8 rounds	7000ft	R2480
4 way Sequential	8 rounds	8200ft	R2480
Formation Skydiving			
2 way Novice	6 rounds	10000ft	R1860
2 way Open	6 rounds	10000ft	R1860
4 way Novice	6 rounds	10000ft	R1860
4 way Intermediate	6 rounds	10000ft	R1860
4 way Open	10 rounds	10000ft	R3100
8way Open	10 rounds	13000ft	R3300
2 way Vertical Formation Skydiving	6 rounds	13000ft	R1980
4 way Vertical Formation Skydiving	8 rounds	13000ft	R2640
Artistic Events			
Freestyle Open	7 rounds	13000ft	R2310
Freefly Open	7 rounds	13000ft	R2310
Freefly Intermediate	7 rounds	13000ft	R2310
Wingsuiting			
Performance Flying	9 rounds	12000ft	R2970
2 way Acrobatic Flying	7 rounds	10500ft	R2170
Freefall Style & Accuracy Landing			
Freefall Style	5 rounds	7200ft	R1550
Accuracy Landing	10 rounds	3300ft	R2600

Event Priority	Events Participating	Team Name
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R260 / jump

Appendix 2 : Local Rustenburg Accommodation options

Stop 'n Stay

Tel:014 597 2002Email:bookings@stopnstaylodge.co.zaWeb:www.stopnstaylodge.co.za

#### **Rustenburg Kloof**

Tel: 014 594 1038 Email: info@rtbkloof.co.za Web: www.omaramba.co.za

#### Palm Lodge

 Tel:
 014 597 2520

 Email:
 info@palmrtb.co.za

 Web:
 www.palmrtb.co.za

## Afri Chic

Tel: 014 592 2763 Email: <u>bookings@africhic.co.za</u> Web: <u>www.afri-chic.co.za</u>

#### Waterglen

Tel: 014 5372412 Email: <u>waterglengh@mweb.co.za</u> Web: <u>www.waterglen.co.za</u>

#### **Boutique Hotel**

Tel: 014 592 4645 Email: info@rustenburgbh.co.za Web: www.rustenburgbh.co.za

#### Road Lodge

 Tel:
 014 537 3088

 Email:
 info@clhg.com

 Web:
 www.clhg.com

#### **Bambelela Lodge**

Tel: 083 236 8326 Email: <u>Sonja@bambelela-lodge.co.za</u> Web: www.bambelela-lodge.co.za

#### Casa Bella

Tel:014 537 2817Email:Bookings@casabella.za.netWeb:www.casabella.za.net

#### **Boschdal Guesthouse**

Tel: 014 533 3783

Email: guest1@boschdal.co.za

Web: www.boschdal.co.za

#### Safari Lodge

Tel: 014 597 9000

Email: reservations@safarirustenburg.co.za

Web: www.safarirustenburg.co.za

#### Lekkeslaap Accommodation

Web: www.lekkeslaap.co.za/akkommodasie-in/rustenburg





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For Attention : To ALL

Date: 20/03/2018

Ref : i20180320rscPRESS1

#### PRESS RELEASE 1 - SA NATIONAL SKYDIVING CHAMPIONSHIPS 2018

Dear Sir / Madam

The 2018 South African National Skydiving Championships will be held at Skydive Rustenburg located at The Rustenburg Municipal Airfield, Bojanala Platinum District Municipality, Northwest Province, South Africa. The Airfield is situated just North of the town on the R510 between Rustenburg and Sun City.

The competition dates are the 29<sup>th</sup> March 2018 to 2<sup>nd</sup> April 2018 inclusive and include an official training day on Wednesday 28<sup>th</sup> March 2018 with competition hours between 08h00 and 17h00 each day.

Competitors in the Championships are expected from all Provinces of South Africa and will be competing in 5 separate Skydiving Disciplines during the week of competition namely Formation Skydiving, Artistic Events, Canopy Formation, Classic Accuracy and Wingsuit Skydiving all of which will be vying for the title of National Champions in the various categories. Skydiving is also one of the few sports where men and women compete in the same competition on an equal footing with at least 25% of the expected competitors being female skydivers.

The Event is fully supported by the local Rustenburg Bojanala Platinum District Municipality as well as the Northwest Government who will use the opportunity to further their tourism, aviation and awareness programs in the area. The Event is open to the public during the competition hours and all are encouraged to view the proceedings from demarcated areas set aside for the public for the duration of the competition. Tandem jumps for those interested in experiencing skydiving will be available at a discounted rate on the 2 weekends before and after the Championship dates

This is the third time that the National Skydiving Championships are to be held in The Northwest Province and both Skydive Rustenburg and the Parachute Association of South Africa are excited to bring this unique and spectacular sport to the people of Rustenburg and The Northwest Province.

Further information on the Championships as well as events leading to the Nationals opening are available from Skydive Rustenburg's contacts below.

Meet Director - Herman Grobler (082) 448 0784 Administration - Danelle Field (079) 345 7058

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#### Best Regards

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