



## **COMPETITION REPORT**

**AIRSPORT :** Aeromodelling

**EVENT:** 2012 European Championships for Soaring Models

**CIAM COMPETITION CLASS:** F3K (Seniors and Juniors)

**DATES:** August 11 – 18, 2012

**PLACE (VENUE):** France, Chamblay

**ORGANIZER:** Federation Francaise d'Aeromodelisme

**CONTEST DIRECTOR:** Stephane CHAMPANHET (France)

**JURY :** Antonis PAPADOPOULOS (President – CIAM President)  
Bruno DELOR (Member - France)  
Ralf Decker (Member – Germany)  
Raymond Pavan (Reserve – Luxembourg) also present.

**INFORMATION BULLETINS:** One Preliminary Bulletin and one Official Bulletin were circulated by the organizer, containing all the necessary information for the event. Also a web site was on line by the organizers.

**REGISTRATION and TECHNICAL PROCESS:** The registration took place on the field, during Saturday and Sunday, August 11 and 12, 2012. The technical processing took place, in a nearby location, in a tent, arranged by the organizers. During the Technical Processing of the models, all the competitors provided the required model certificates, except one competitor from Slovenia where the certificates were not stamped by the NAC. The models of this competitor were processed by the organizer, with the required amount paid by him.

One competitor from Sweden and one from France who were participating in other FAI World Championships, informed the organizer via their Team Managers, about their delay in arriving, but both of them arrived, before the official starting of the competition, and were registered and have their models processed according to the rules.

Finally, the only competitor who was not present and not registered was the Italian junior, Matteo CARPI.

For the Seniors event 49 competitors were registered and 9 for the juniors.

### **SENIORS**

	<b>Competitor</b>	<b>Country</b>	<b>FAI Licence #</b>	<b>IOC</b>
1	HELM Harald	AUSTRIA	4400000096	AUT
2	JUTTE Bastian	AUSTRIA	9100030622	AUT
3	PFAFFINGER Heinz	AUSTRIA	3401000071	AUT
4	LEROY Olivier	BELGIUM	BEL 4404	BEL
5	MONNOM Sacha	BELGIUM	BEL 6355	BEL
6	VERSCHOREN Kristof	BELGIUM	BEL 7017	BEL
7	BRATRSOVSKY Ivo	CZECH REPUBLIC	CZE 1169	CZE
8	KRYSTOF Pavel	CZECH REPUBLIC	CZE 1113	CZE
9	RESLER Ondrej	CZECH REPUBLIC	CZE 1189	CZE

10	HOFFMANN Jens	DENMARK	DEN-5035	DEN
11	NORSKOV Soren	DENMARK	DEN-5024	DEN
12	RASMUSSEN Palle	DENMARK	DEN-5029	DEN
13	MOQUEREAU Ivan	FRANCE	FRA 1166	FRA
14	PETERS Rudy	FRANCE	FRA 1178	FRA
15	ROTTELEUR Anthony	FRANCE	FRA 737	FRA
16	HERRIG Martin	GERMANY	GER-2284	GER
17	REINICKE Gunar	GERMANY	GER-3282	GER
18	VOGLER Henrik	GERMANY	GER-3364	GER
19	OCCHIBOVE Gian Marco	ITALY	15629	ITA
20	POMPELE Flavio	ITALY	8785	ITA
21	ROTA Paolo	ITALY	15483	ITA
22	TIMOFEJEVS Sergejs	LATVIA	270 YL	LAT
23	BRIEDIS Saulius	LITHUANIE	LTU 290	LTU
24	PAMPIKAS Donatas	LITHUANIE	LTU 472	LTU
25	SIUMBRYNS Ricardas	LITHUANIE	LTU 237	LTU
26	AANEN Peter	NETHERLAND	552691	NED
27	DE VRIES Its	NETHERLAND	714224	NED
28	VAN VARK Arjen	NETHERLAND	455695	NED
29	BJORGO Leif	NORWAY	NOR 77614	NOR
30	SORGAARD Oyvind	NORWAY	NOR 3817	NOR
31	GRZESICA Jaroslaw	POLAND	POL-3379	POL
32	HILBRYCHT Krzysztof	POLAND	POL-6256	POL
33	SIAMA Adam	POLAND	POL-3938	POL
34	BURMISTROV Evgeniy	RUSSIA	4236	RUS
35	LOMOVSTEV Dmitriy	RUSSIA	2015	RUS
36	SEMERIKOV Sergey	RUSSIA	4235	RUS
37	SKRABL Denis	SLOVENIA	10,202	SLO
38	SUSTER Ales	SLOVENIA	10,192	SLO
39	HAMMARSKIÖLD Mattias	SWEDEN	SWE-24096	SWE
40	SVANTESSON Sören	SWEDEN	SWE-39136	SWE
41	WAHLBERG Stefan	SWEDEN	SWE-23732	SWE
42	FASSLER René	SWITZERLAND	SUI38891	SWI
43	LUTHI Roland	SWITZERLAND	SUI52895	SWI
44	WELLS Andrew	SWITZERLAND	SUI54219	SWI
45	KALAMBET Andreii	UKRAINE	UKR-687	UKR
46	SYNIELYTSYI Oleksandr	UKRAINE	UKR-496	UKR
47	VASHCENKO Vitalii	UKRAINE	UKR-366	UKR
48	JONES Simon	UNITED KINGDOM	GBR110922	GBR
49	STERN Michael	UNITED KINGDOM	GBR 136270	GBR

## JUNIORS

	Competitor	Country	FAI Licence #	IOC
1	FINKE Max	GERMANY	GER-3459	GER
2	FREITAG Matthias	GERMANY	GER-3661	GER
3	MUSCHLER Franziskus	GERMANY	GER-3610	GER
4	KINDS Rob	NETHERLANDS	709138	NED
5	BREBACK Stefan	SWEDEN	SWE-69395	SWE
6	FINDAHL Oskar	SWEDEN	SWE-58263	SWE
7	HORBAN Mykola	UKRAINE	UKR 715	UKR
8	KALEMBET Andrey	UKRAINE	UKR 687	UKR
9	PITELGUZOV Anton	UKRAINE	UKR 689	UKR

**COMPETITION AREA STATUS:** The field was large enough for the event. After the official practice and during the Team Managers Meeting, a proposal signed by all Team Managers was accepted by the organizers, and the Start and Landing Area was relocated to a new place, which was a little more away from the boards of a nearby small forest, but less level, than the originally selected by the organizers.

The field rearrangement was performed by the organizer team and by almost all the participants (Team managers, competitors and helpers). This relocation delayed the start of the competition for one hour, but this has not caused any real problem to the event, since the scheduled program, for this day, was executed normally.

This team effort has to be mentioned as a very good example for the spirit that has to be followed for all airports events.

**WEATHER CONDITIONS:** Conditions were good during the event and no delays were noticed due to weather conditions. By all means weather conditions were within the described limits of the Sporting Code.

**EVENT ORGANIZATION:** The event was well organized. Event Director. Mr. Stephane CHAMPANHET, Contest Director Mr. Jerome SUSS and all the team have done whatever it was possible to have a well organized event. More than enough volunteers were present throughout the entire event, and nothing was missing.

The timekeepers were well trained and no problem was reported.

Two Team-managers meetings were organized, one before the start of the competition and one before the fly-off rounds. All the Team Managers attended both meetings.

12 qualification rounds were scheduled and performed for the seniors and 14 rounds for the juniors. Since the juniors were only 9, no fly off rounds were scheduled for them. For the seniors 4 fly off rounds were scheduled and performed. For the third senior place, after the 4<sup>th</sup> Fly Off round there was a tie, so a tie brake round was performed as of the rules.

During the competition, random model processing was performed and between the 2<sup>nd</sup> and 3rd round all the models were processed again.

**INJURIES:** No such an incidence was reported.

**DOPING CONTROL:** No such a control was performed from WADA, FAI, or the Local organizer.

**PROTESTS:** There was no protest submitted at these championships.

**CEREMONIES:** Opening and Closing Ceremonies were organized in the local Castle. During the opening ceremony, a parade of all the teams was performed at the beginning. Then short speeches by the Event Director and the Jury President and finally a well prepared buffet was in place for all the participants.

The Award ceremony also took place at the same place. The winners were presented the FAI medals and diplomas and the appropriate National Anthems were performed.

The closing banquet took place later on also on the same place and a nice dinner was served. Trophies from the local organizer (FFAM) were also presented.

The FAI protocol was followed with success.

Two special evenings were organized for all participants, on Monday and Wednesday.

**TROPHIES:** No trophy is currently registered in CIAM Trophy list for this event.

**COMMENTS:** We would like to thank the Federation Francaise d'Aeromodelisme (FFAM) and the entire competition staff, for running the event in a fair and friendly atmosphere. The organisers are to be commended for an excellent event.

Jury President – Antonis PAPADOPOULOS



Jury Member – Ralf DECKER



Jury Member – Bruno DELOR



Date : August 17, 2012