

FEDERAÇÃO PORTUGUESA DE AEROMODELISMO

**12th EUROPEAN
CHAMPIONSHIP
Radio Control Aerobatics - F3A**

ALCOCHETE - PORTUGAL - 2004



PRELIMINARY INFORMATION

NOVEMBER 2003

FÉDÉRATION AERONAUTIQUE INTERNATIONALE

12th EUROPEAN CHAMPIONSHIP F3A

August 2004

The Portuguese Aeromodelling Federation - Aero Club of Portugal invites all European FAI affiliated National Air Sport Control Organization to enter a team and to participate in the 12th European Championship for F3A class, Radio Control Aerobatics for the year of 2004, in the following conditions:

DATES:

Effective : from August, the 19th to August, the 29th , 2004.

LOCATION

Alcochete - Beautiful town, 16 Km to the east of Lisbon, in the south bank of the river Tejo.

SITE

An asphaltic runway with 1000x30 meters, located inside the Portuguese Air Force Shooting Range , CTA.

Paved pilot/caller area, paved judges area with protection, flightline central marquee, transmitter pound, competitors marquee, spectators area, car parking area, bar, wc, and other services.

JURY

The International Jury will be composed by:

- President - Bob Skinner - CIAM Sub-committee Chairman
- 1st Member - Yolanda Losada - CIAM Delegate of Spain
- 2nd Member - J.Loureiro de Sousa - CIAM Portuguese Delegate

TEAMS

Every National Aero Club, member of the FAI, may enter a team of 3 competitors, team manager, assistant team manager and helpers, as allowed in the 2004 FAI Sporting Code, Section 4. Each country's supporters are also invited to attend.

The reigning 2002 European Champion is invited to participate extra is National Team.

RULES

FAI Sporting Code, Section 4 (2004 edition) and amendments. Each competitor must have a valid FAI Licence and a third part insurance, valuable in Portugal.

AWARDS

Trophies for the top 3 competitors (individual and team classifications).
Souvenirs for all competitors, helpers, and supporters and a diploma of participation for each competitor and team manager.

OFFICIAL LANGUAGES

English and Portuguese

FREQUENCIES

The recognised frequencies for radio control model aircraft in Portugal are 35,010 Mhz to 35,200 Mhz. Other frequencies may be used but at competitors own risk.

ACCOMODATIONS

1 - Hotels and guest houses - low to high prices available.
Detailed information available at Information Bulletin nº 1

ENTRY FEES

Basic entry fee and fee options for the accommodation and board will be presented in Information Bulletin nº 1

METEOROLOGICAL INFORMATION

Sunrise - 05.21 UTC Sunset - 19.54 UTC
Temperature - Maximum - 32,8 ° C / Average month temperature - 25,3 ° C
Total monthly precipitation - 21,9 mm
Frequency of wind direction - 29,2 % NW
Average Wind speed (NW) - 9,8 km/h

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BULLETIN 1

Bulletin 1 will be sent in December 2003 to all European NAC affiliated of FAI