

Skydive Chicago Presents



22nd FAI Formation Skydiving World Championships
&
11th FAI Artistic Events World Championships
&
1st FAI Speed Skydiving World Championships
&
17th FAI Canopy Formation World Championships
&
34th FAI Freefall Style and Accuracy Landing World Championships
&
8th FAI Junior Freefall Style and Accuracy Landing World Championships

September 10-21, 2016

Skydive Chicago, Ottawa, IL USA

www.WPC2016.com

FAI World Parachuting Championships - Mondial 2016 Official Bulletin #1

Events

Formation Skydiving

4-way

4-way Female

8-way

Vertical Formation Skydiving

Artistic Events

Freestyle Skydiving

Freeflying

Speed Skydiving

Speed Male

Speed Female

Speed Male Junior

Speed Female Junior

Canopy Formation

4-way Sequential

4-way Rotation

2-way Sequential

Freefall Style

Style Male

Style Female

Style Male Junior

Style Female Junior

Accuracy Landing

Accuracy Male

Accuracy Female

Accuracy Male Junior

Accuracy Female Junior

Team Accuracy Male

Team Accuracy Female

Aims of the Event

To determine world champions in: FS, AE, CF, AL, ST and SP.

To determine Male and Female ST and AL Overall Champion, Junior Male and Female ST and AL Overall Champion, Overall ST and AL Champion Nation.

To establish new world records.

To determine points earned towards the INTERNATIONAL WORLD PARACHUTING RANKING LISTS.

To improve the judging methods and technology.

Date of the Event

September 10th-21th, 2016

Location of the Event

Skydive Chicago is located at Ottawa Airport, which is a private airport in the City of Ottawa and is approximately 130 km to the south west of downtown Chicago, Illinois. Skydive Chicago is located in approximately 90 hectares of private land. The main landing area consists of approximately 12 hectares of unobscured, flat, manicured grass. There is an additional landing area just to the north of the main landing area, approximately 1.6 hectares, where the swoop pond is located.

Skydive Chicago has been host to some of the largest events in the history of skydiving, such as: the 246-way World Record and 164-way Vertical World Record (among several other world record attempts); the 2002, 2007, 2010, 2013 and 2014 US Nationals; and the annual Summerfest.



The facilities for the competitors as well as the judges and organization officials include:

- Main hangar: 4,800 sq. meters; with judging rooms, VIP lounge, restaurant for public, packing areas, etc.
- Dining Tent
- Delegation Tents
- Full Service Rigging Loft
- Creeper Areas
- 4 actual Twin Otter fuselage mock-ups

Skydive Chicago will also be utilizing a secondary DZ located 12.6 miles from Skydive Chicago. Cushing Field will be the location for the Freefall Style and Canopy Formation events. This area will be a complete DZ with packing, food, and restroom facilities. Judging for these events will also take place at this location. Bus service will be available to this location daily.

Aircraft



Twin Otter:

Formation Skydiving
Artistic Events
Speed Skydiving
Canopy Formation
Accuracy Landing

Caravan:

Freefall Style
Accuracy Landing

Twin Otter Handle Configuration

Exit speed will be 85-90 knots. Twin otters and caravan both have left side door with camera step and 2 handles.

Official Entry Date

Registration: By August 1st, 2016 at the latest.

Procedure for Submitting Entries

Registration for the 2016 World Championships will be online. Each delegation member must be individually registered and complete payment made to be considered registered. A single entity may enter the individual details for all or some of the delegation members. In this case, please note the total due and select the option to pay via wire transfer in the individual payment section. A single transfer may then be made of the total amount due for the delegation. Additionally, each delegation's NAC is asked to e-mail a list of all approved delegation members, including team names, to wpc2016@skydivechicago.com.

The information required of each individual for registration includes:

- Full Name
- FAI License Number
- Gender
- E-mail of Individual Registrant (This must be the individual's email and may not be, for example, a generic Federation e-mail because a confirmation e-mail will be sent to each individual once online registration has been completed. The confirmation email contains a link to complete the electronic waiver, which is mandatory and must come from each individual.)
- Phone Number (can be the NAC phone number, personal phone number not required)
- Address (can be the NAC address, personal address not required)
- Date of Birth
- Sweatshirt Size
- Role (i.e. Competitor, Head of Delegation, Team Manager, Coach, Medic, Media, Significant Other, or Other)

Online registration can be found [HERE](#). On the initial registrations screen, upon clicking "Sign up Here!" a window will pop-up asking if you are a Competitor, Member of the Official Delegation, or a Person in Addition to the Official Delegation. Please choose the appropriate option, and note that if you are a Competitor you will need your FAI license number.

View our [WPC 2016 Registration How-To](#) video for additional registration help. You can also contact us at wpc2016@skydivechicago.com with any additional questions.

Where and How to Pay the Registration Fee

- Payments can be made:
 - Online via credit card during the registration process. All major credit cards will be accepted, but subject to a \$25 booking fee per registrant.
 - Via bank transfer. Please use this payment method if you wish to pay for more than one registrant at a time. Only after transfer has been received is registration considered to be complete. Any bank charges for wire transfers will be the responsibility of the sender.
- The whole amount as per the section on Entry Fees must be paid to the organizer.
- Payments must be made in USD.
- In the event that the conditions above are not fully fulfilled by the entry deadline the remaining money must be paid in cash in USD on site prior to any jumps being performed.

Wire Transfer details

Bank Address:

Old Second National Bank
323 E Norris Drive
Ottawa, IL 61350 USA

Account Holder:

Skydive Chicago
3215 E 1969th Rd
Ottawa, IL 61350

Account #: 5230072729

Route Number: 071916822

Swift Code: WFBIUS6S

Entry Fees

Event	Host Fee (\$USD) includes IPC Sanction Fee of 90€ converted to USD	Total (\$USD) includes \$25 credit card booking fee
Formation Skydiving (FS)	\$850	\$875
Vertical Formation Skydiving (VFS)	\$850	\$875
Artistic Events (AE)	\$800	\$825
Canopy Formation (CF)	\$800	\$825
Accuracy & Style (AL-ST)	\$950	\$975
Accuracy Landing ONLY (AL)	\$850	\$875
Freefall Style ONLY (ST)	\$850	\$875
Speed Skydiving (SP)	\$825	\$850
Team Alternate	\$600	\$625
Member of Official Delegation	\$600	\$625

Competitors are responsible for their own lodging and travel.

Registration Includes:

- Competition Fees
- Sanction fees
- Competition Jumps
- Re-Jumps and Jump-offs
- Lunch on days of competition jumping (September 12-19)
- Opening Ceremony
- Awards and Closing Ceremony
- Banquet dinner
- Competitor gift bag including an event sweatshirt
- Transportation: Airport Shuttle (reservation per registrant is required) and local hotel to dropzone shuttle
- Medals
- Judging

Additional Event Registration Fee: \$150 USD, plus jumps

The total amount due for registration is calculated by taking the fee of the highest priced event and adding the additional event fee(s) and jumps. There is a single event fee for those competing in Style and Accuracy. Please make sure to select the correct event(s) during the registration process to avoid being charged incorrect registration fees.

Persons in Addition to the Official Delegation:

- Registration Fee: \$195 USD
- Includes:
 - Lunch on days of competition jumping (September 12-19)
 - Opening Ceremony
 - Awards and Closing Ceremony
 - Banquet dinner
 - Competitor gift bag including an event sweatshirt

Banquet Dinner Ticket Only: \$50 USD (available for purchase upon arrival)

Pre-Event Training Jumps:

- Accuracy Landing: \$24 USD
- Freefall Style: \$26 USD
- FS, VFS, AE, SP, CF: \$25 USD

Number of Teams Allowed in Each Event

The minimum number of NACs needed per event to take place is regulated by Sporting code section 5, paragraph 4.10.

The maximum number of competitors/teams per event/discipline is regulated in the Competition Rules of each discipline.

Judging Equipment

FS, AE, CF: Omiskore! HD www.omniskore.com

Style Camera: Scoring system in accordance with IPC Rules

Accuracy Pad: Scoring system in accordance with IPC Rules

Speed Measuring Devices (SMD): Scoring system in accordance with IPC Rules

Schedule of Events

Schedule subject to change upon meet director's discretion.

September 9 th (Friday)	Arrival of Judges
September 10 th (Saturday)	Arrival Day, Registration, Practice Jumping at main and satellite DZ
September 11 th (Sunday)	Practice Jumping at main and satellite DZ Practice jumping ends at 12:00pm Draw: 12:00pm Transportation to Opening Ceremony starts at 2:00pm Opening Ceremony: 4:00pm-6:00pm
September 12 th -19 th (Mon-Mon)	Competition Days: jumping from 6:30am to sunset
September 20 th (Tuesday)	Closing Ceremony Drinks and Appetizers: 4:00pm-5:00pm Dinner: 5:00pm-6:00pm Thank You: 6:30pm-7:00pm Awards: 7:00pm-9:00pm Band/Fireworks: 9:00pm-12:00am
September 21 st (Wednesday)	Departure Day

Judges Conference

Judges Conference will take place on Saturday, September 10, from 10am until completed.

Judges Training Course

Judges Training Course will not be held at this event.

Event Organizer

Skydive Chicago in conjunction with the United States Parachuting Association (USPA).

USPA
5401 Southpoint Centre Blvd.
Fredericksburg, VA 22407
540-604-9740
uspa@uspa.org

Skydive Chicago
3215 E 1969th Rd Unit 1
Ottawa, IL 61350
815-433-0000 office
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WPC2016@skydivechicago.com

Organization Officials

Meet Director	Bill Wenger
Deputy Meet Director	TBA
Assistant to the Meet Director	TBA
FAI Controller	Gillian Rayner
Chief Judge FS	Karla Cole
Chief Judge AE	Thi Bich Van Ha
Chief Judge SP	Arnold Hohenegger
Chief Judge CF	Bernard Nicolas
Chief Judge Freestyle & Accuracy Landing	Günter Berendt
Jury President	Doris Merz
Jury Members	Barbara Davies
	Johannes Gritsch
Assistant to the Chief Judges	Marylou Laughlin

Expected Weather Conditions

Average September Weather Conditions
Averages taken from 2013-2015 weather data

Average High Temperature: 25°C

Average Low Temperature: 13°C

Wind Speed: 6 knots, Wind Gusts: 17 knots

Sunrise: 6:35 CST, Sunset: 19:05 CST (Central Standard Time = UTC – 6:00)

National Anthem and Flag

The FAI sporting code requires that each delegation must bring its own national flag and its national anthem in a MP3 format to be used in ceremonies. The recommended flag size is 100cm x 150cm.

Wind Tunnel Pre-Event Training Camps

IFLY Chicago operates 2 wind tunnels in the Chicago area:

- IFLY Rosemont is located 1 hour and 20 minutes from Skydive Chicago. The tunnel is located next to O'Hare Airport.
 - Phone: 779-456-4359
 - <https://www.iflyworld.com/chicago-rosemont/>
- IFLY Naperville is located 1 hour from Skydive Chicago.
 - Phone: 779-456-4359
 - <https://www.iflyworld.com/chicago-naperville/>

Upon completion of the draw on September 11th no registered participant may fly in any wind tunnel.

IFLY Chicago is offering \$750 hours to competitors. You must call IFly Chicago directly and use the code COMPETE16 to qualify for the discount.

Transportation options

Provided Shuttle

- From Airport to DZ on arrival day (Saturday, September 10th)
 - Departs from O'Hare @ 10am, 5pm, 10pm
 - **Each registrant must make a reservation through registration confirmation e-mail**
- Local Loop from 'local hotels' to DZ
 - Runs every 2 hours
 - Includes the following hotels:
 - Hampton Inn Ottawa
 - Holiday Inn Express - Ottawa
 - Fairfield Inn & Suites Ottawa Starved Rock
 - Super 8 Ottawa Starved Rock
 - Quality Inn Ottawa
 - Surrey Motel
 - Sands Motel
 - Heritage Harbor Ottawa
- DZ to Airport on departure day (Wednesday, September 21st)
 - Departs to O'Hare @ 10am, 5pm, 10pm
 - **Each registrant must make a reservation through registration confirmation e-mail**

Hired Shuttles

IV Airport Shuttle	+1-815-830-3389	www.ivairportshuttle.com
ACT II Transportation	+1-309-799-8891	www.actiitransportation.com
Arts Shuttle	+1-815-223-1769	www.artsairportshuttle.com
Starved Rock Shuttle	+1-815-488-4500	www.starvedrockshuttle.com
Go Airport Shuttle	+1-888-284-3826	www.airportexpress.com

Local Taxi Companies

City Cab	+1-815-830-3389
G & R Cab	+1-815-433-1233
Marseilles Taxi	+1-815-200-4044

Non-Local Taxi Companies

Yellow Cab	+1-312-520-3096	www.yellowcabchicago.com
American Taxi	+1-847-673-1000	www.americantaxi.com

International Airport Transportation Options

O'Hare International (KORD):

<http://www.flychicago.com/OHare/EN/GettingToFrom/Pages/default.aspx>

Midway International (KMDW):

<http://www.flychicago.com/midway/EN/GettingToFrom/Pages/default.aspx>

Uber

www.uber.com

Hotel/Motel Accommodations

Within 7km of the DZ (in Ottawa) – Included in Local Loop Shuttle

Holiday Inn Express - Ottawa	+1-815-433-0029	holidayinn.com
Quality Inn Ottawa	+1-815-433-9600	choicehotels.com/Illinois/Ottawa
Super 8 Ottawa Starved Rock super8.com/hotels/Illinois/Ottawa	+1-815-434-2888	
Hampton Inn Ottawa	+1-815-434-6040	hamptoninnstarvedrock.com
Fairfield Inn & Suites Ottawa Starved Rock	+1-815-431-8955	mariott.com
Heritage Harbor Ottawa	+1-815-433-5000	heritageharborottawa.com/vacation-rentals

Older, Less Expensive Motels within 7-10km – Included in Local Loop Shuttle

Surrey Motel	+1-815-434-1263	surreymotel.com
Sands Motel	+1-815-434-6440	sandsmotelottawa.com

Within 25km of the DZ (LaSalle-Peru, Utica, Streator, Morris)

Fox River Bed & Breakfast	+1-815-431-9257	foxriverbnb.com
Hampton Inn & Suites Peru	+1-815-220-8400	hamptoninn3.hilton.com
Holiday Inn Express & Suites Peru	+1-815-224-2500	holidayinnexpressperu.com
Quality Inn Peru	+1-815-223-8585	choicehotels.com/Illinois/Peru
Super 8 Peru	+1-815-223-1848	super8.com/hotels/Illinois/Peru
Fairfield Inn & Suites Peru	+1-815-223-7458	marriott.com
The Daniels Motel	+1-815-223-3829	danielsmotel.com
Eco no Lodge – Princeton, IL choicehotels.com/Illinois/Princeton	+1-815-224-2500	
Tou-Rest Motel Peru	+1-815-223-0952	
LaQuinta Inn Peru Starved Rock State Park	+1-815-224-9000	laquintaperu.com
The Willows Hotel	+1-815-667-3400	thewillowshotel.net
Days Inn Oglesby/Starved Rock	+1-815-883-9600	daysinn.com/hotels/Illinois/oglesby
Starved Rock Lodge	+1-815-667-4211	starvedrocklodge.com
Grizzly Jack's Resort	+1-866-399-3866	grizzlyjackresort.com
Brightwood Inn	+1-815-667-4600	brightwoodinn.com
Best Western Oglesby Inn	+1-815-883-3535	book.bestwestern.com
Holiday Inn Express & Suites Morris	+1-815-941-8700	ihg.com
Super 8 Morris	+1-815-942-3200	super8.com/hotels/Illinois/morris
Quality Inn Morris	+1-815-942-6600	choicehotels.com/Illinois/morris
Comfort Inn Morris	+1-815-942-1433	choicehotels.com/Illinois/morris
Days Inn & Suites of Morris	+1-815-942-9000	daysinn.com/hotels/Illinois/morris
AmericInn & Suites	+1-815-672-0080	americinn.com/hotels/il/streator
Relax Inn	+1-815-672-3168	relaxinnstreator.com

House Rentals

www.AirBnB.com

www.vrbo.com

<https://lasalle.craigslist.org/search/hhh>

Medical Coverage

A First aid and CPR trained person will be at the competition site for the duration of the event. Local and county emergency services are available via 911 emergency phone calls, with a typical response time of about 7-10 minutes. Travel time to the local hospital is 10 minutes. Trauma center hospitals are located nearby in Aurora (63 km) and Peoria (138 km), accessible via 25-minute helicopter ride. Life flight Helicopter response time is 15 minutes.

Insurance:

All competitors must have full third party liability insurance valid in the US and also have insurance to cover medical expenses in the case of injury and repatriation. In case of any problems please contact the organizers. Personal items and equipment are the participants' responsibility. Third Party Insurance may be obtained through www.USPA.org

Safety Information, License, Gear Requirements

A valid FAI sporting License for 2016 is required, and each competitor must be listed in the FAI Sporting License Database. It is recommended that the License be obtained a minimum of 3 months prior to the start of the competition to enable verification.

Use of a helmet is not required, but it is strongly recommended.

To avoid complication and confusion, all reserve parachute systems will be subjected to a 180 reserve repack cycle. Therefore, each rig to be jumped during competition must be re-packed and inspected on March 17, 2016 or any date thereafter. For any TSO gear packed by a non-FAA certified parachute rigger a rigger verification form must be completed. You may find this form in Annex 1. The form must be completed and presented upon onsite registration for each rig. There are NO exceptions to this. Parachutes must be fully opened by 600m (2000ft) AGL.

AAD Requirements

AADs are not required, but highly recommended.

Per FAR Sec. 105.43 Use of single-harness, dual-parachute system:

“(c) If installed, the automatic activation device must be maintained in accordance with manufacturer instructions for the automatic activation device.”

*AAD must be indicated on reserve data card with serial number and date of manufacture (DOM).

*AAD service must be logged on reserve data card, or be able to check service due dates on the AAD itself (available on Cypres II and Vigil).

Service Requirements:

Cypres (original)

- Batteries changed every 2 years
- Service every 4 years, +/- 3 months
- 12 years from DOM life limit, +/- 3 months (last units should be obsolete Aug/Sept 2015)

Cypres II

- Batteries changed & service every 4 years, +/- 6 months
- 12 years from DOM life limit, +/- 6 months

Vigil I

- “Batteries must absolutely be replaced after 10 years of use” (per vigil manual) or after 2,000 jumps, whichever comes first
- 20 years from DOM life limit

Vigil II

- “Batteries must absolutely be replaced after 10 years of use” (per vigil manual) or after 2,000 jumps, whichever comes first
- 20 years from DOM life limit

Vigil 2+

- Batteries changed every 10 years by Vigil America
- 20 years from DOM life limit

Argus

- CAN ONLY BE INSTALLED IN **MIRAGE, DOLPHIN, WINGS**
- Batteries changed every repack (180 days for US repacks, 360 days for foreign repacks)
- Service every 4 years, +/- 3 months

Mars

- 16 years from DOM life limit
- User responsible for yearly check

Additions to Original Bid

Speed Skydiving (SP) and a new satellite DZ have been added to the 2016 World Parachuting Championships – Mondial.

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The second bulletin will be provided no later than June 1st, 2016.

Annex 1-

Rigger Verification Form

Skydive Chicago

Rigger Verification Form

In accordance with the United States FAR 105.3, 105.43, and 105.49, all parachute reserve systems with TSO'd gear must be packed within 180 days by a "certified parachute rigger." For the World Parachuting Championships FAI – Mondial 2016, every parachute reserve system in use must be re-packed and inspected on March 17th, 2016 or any day thereafter. This document is required for every parachute system being used at Skydive Chicago, and must be completed by the "certified parachute rigger" who performed the most recent re-pack and inspection of the reserve parachute system. In the event that this document is not provided for a parachute system, that parachute system will not be allowed to be jumped at Skydive Chicago, or its annexed sites until it has been repacked and inspected by a Certified FAA Rigger. If your parachute system has been packed by and FAA rigger there is no need to fill this form.

I, _____ (Name of "certified parachute rigger"), am certified to pack reserve parachutes in _____ (Country of Jumper's Origin). I have packed and inspected the reserve parachute in the parachute system that matches the following description:

Owner of Parachute System: _____

Container Type: _____

Container Serial Number: _____

Container Date of Manufacture: _____

Reserve Re-pack Date: _____

Printed Name: _____

Signature: _____ Date: _____

Identification number or seal (if applicable): _____