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INTRODUCTION FROM FAI PRESIDENT

Dear Air Sport friends,

We are glad to provide you with General Bulletin #1 of the FAI World Air Games Dubai 2015, the 4th World Air Games. I am extremely pleased to welcome you to the Games and I am sure you will have a wonderful time in Dubai!

I recently visited the Organizing Committee and met the sport liaisons, and I can assure you that they are all able and keen to make sure you will have great competitions.

Please read this Bulletin #1 carefully; there are a number of very important information points and deadlines.

My best wishes for successful competition, safe, competitive and fun. Safety first, as always.

Soft landings,

Dr. John GRUBBSTRÖM
FAI President

ABOUT THIS DOCUMENT

This General Bulletin provides you with all major information that is confirmed for the time being.

5 months before the Games, numerous topics are still under process and will be soon sorted.

As soon as the Organizing Committee will be able to release relevant updates, you will receive the next version of this bulletin and/or its annexes and/or sports bulletins. Communication will mainly be done through World Air Games website (www.wagdubai.ae), emailing (when you are involved in the Games) and FAI website (www.fai.org).

In case of any question, please feel free to get back to the Organizing Committee via email at directoroffice@wagdubai.ae.

1. GENERAL INFORMATION

1.1 About the FAI World Air Games

The World Air Games, conducted under the rules of the Fédération Aéronautique Internationale (FAI), is the premier international multi-discipline air sports event fielding the world's top Air Sports athletes.

1.2 Commitment

1.2.1 The Vision

Every 4 years the best athletes of World Air Sports combine in a major event to compete, promote their discipline, demonstrate their professionalism and inspire future generations.

1.2.2 The Mission

- Organize, in one place, a competition of the world's best FAI Air Sports athletes.
- Provide an exclusive and favourable environment for the Athletes, the Spectators, the Sponsors and the Officials.
- Provide world class venues, organization and environment to offer athletes the best conditions in which to focus on their performance.
- Coordinate a major public event to demonstrate the professionalism, the capacities and the developments in World Air Sports.
- Promote FAI ethical values, such as mutual understanding and respect.
- Promote state of the art flight safety.
- Connect all the different stakeholders of the FAI.
- Inspire new opportunities and motivate new generations for Air Sports.

1.2.3 The Objectives

- Create a safe environment for all competitions and participants.
- Have a professional competition with clear sports regulations for all.
- Have a clear and transparent selection process for the athletes and judges.
- Distribute a Gold, Silver and Bronze Medal in each discipline to recognize and honour the FAI WORLD AIR GAMES' best athletes in Air Sports.
- Assure Media coverage in all FAI countries.
- Build a legacy to assure the next FAI WORLD AIR GAMES by inviting future candidate cities.
- Promote FAI and Air Sports.

2. THE FAI WORLD AIR GAMES DUBAI 2015

The FAI World Air Games 2015 has been awarded to the United Arab Emirates and will be held in Dubai. This multi-discipline event will be organized by the Emirates Aerosports Federation (EAF) under the patronage of His Highness Sheikh Hamdan bin Mohammed bin Rashid Al Maktoum, Crown Prince of Dubai and chairman of Dubai Sport Council, and will take place from 1 to 12 December 2015.

The FAI World Air Games Dubai 2015 will be organized by the Emirates Aerosports Federation (EAF) in collaboration with the Fédération Aéronautique International and Skydive Dubai.

Competition Name	FAI World Air Games Dubai 2015
FAI category of event	1st category event
Official dates	December 1st, 2015 to December 12th, 2015. *"Latest Arrival Days" and "Earliest Departure Days" have been defined for each air sport discipline. Usually, these are 2 days prior to that discipline and 1 day after the end of competition of that discipline. The "Official Departure Day" is Dec 13th.* Please refer to Section 4. Schedule for details.
Location	Dubai, United Arab Emirates.

2.1 Air Sports in the FAI World Air Games Dubai 2015

1. Aerobatics (Powered / Gliders)
2. Aeromodelling
3. Aerostats (Balloons / Airships)
4. Amateur-built & Experimental Aircraft
5. General Aviation
6. Gliding
7. Microlights (Weight Shift / Gyrocopters / Paramotor)
8. Parachuting
9. Paragliding
10. Rotorcraft

2.2 Side Programmes

The Medical Commission (CIMP) of the Fédération Aéronautique Internationale (FAI) and the Medical authorities of Dubai are pleased to announce the "**First UAE International Symposium on Air Sport Medicine**". This symposium is part of the official programme of the FAI World Air Games Dubai 2015.

We look forward to a fruitful exchange of knowledge and expertise between medical doctors involved in aviation medicine with specific focus on Medicine in Extreme Situations in Air Sports and in other Aviation Activities.

2.3 Venue

Dubai is one of the seven Emirates and the most populous state of the United Arab Emirates.

It is located along the southern coast of the Arabian Gulf on the Arabian Peninsula.

This venue offers plenty of hotels, shops and beaches.

3. DISCIPLINES

3.1 Aerobatics

Discipline	Class / Task / Competition
Powered Aerobatics	Powered Aerobatics
Glider Aerobatics	Glider Aerobatics

3.2 Aeromodelling

Discipline	Class / Task / Competition
Radio Control Model Helicopters	F3N – RC Helicopters Freestyle
Radio Control Pylon Racing Model Aircraft	F3T – Semi Scale Pylon Racing Model Aircraft With Controlled Technology
Control Line Model Aircraft	F2D – Control Line Combat Model Aircraft
Radio Control Aerobatics	F3P - Indoor R/C Aerobatic Power Model Aircraft flying to music

3.3 Aerostats

Discipline	Class / Task / Competition
Hot Air Balloons	AX - Hot Air Balloons
Hot Air Airships	BX - Hot Air Airships

3.4 Amateur-built & Experimental Aircraft

Discipline	Class / Task / Competition
Aircraft Building	Public Aircraft Building

3.5 General Aviation

Discipline	Class / Task / Competition
Air Navigation Race / Accuracy	ANR
	Accuracy Landing

3.6 Gliding

Discipline	Class / Task / Competition
Gliding Efficiency Challenge	Parallel Glider Racing

3.7 Microlights

Discipline	Class / Task / Competition
Weight-Shift	RWL2T
Gyrocopters	GWL2T
Paramotors	Slalom

3.8 Parachuting

Discipline	Class / Task / Competition
Formation Skydiving (FS)	4-way Open
	4-way Female
	8-Way
	4-Way Vertical FS
Artistic Events (AE)	Freestyle Skydiving
	Freeflying
Canopy Formation (CF)	2-Way Sequential
	4-Way Rotation
Accuracy Landing (AL)	Male Team Accuracy
	Female Team Accuracy
	Junior Male Accuracy
	Junior Female Accuracy
Canopy Piloting (CP)	Speed
	Accuracy
	Distance
	Freestyle
Speed Skydiving (SP)	Speed Skydiving

3.9 Paragliding

Discipline	Class / Task / Competition
Aerobatics	Solo
	Synchro
Landing Accuracy	Accuracy

3.10 Rotorcraft

Discipline	Class / Task / Competition
Rotorcraft	Helicopters - Parallel Slalom
	Helicopters - Parallel Fender

4. SCHEDULE

N = November / D = December	N 28	N 29	N 30	D 1	D 2	D 3	D 4	D 5	D 6	D 7	D 8	D 9	D 10	D 11	D 12	D 13
Air Sport Disciplines	Sat	Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat	Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat	Sun
Aerobatics																Official Departure Day
Aeromodelling F3N																
Aeromodelling F3T																
Aeromodelling F2D																
Aeromodelling F3P	27.															
Aerostats Airships																
Aerostats Balloons																
Aircraft Building																
General Aviation																
Gliding																
Microlights Weight Shift																
Microlights Gyrocopters																
Paramotors																
Parachuting FS, VFS, AE, CF, AL, SP																
Parachuting CP																
Paragliding Acro Solo / Synchro																
Paragliding Accuracy																
Rotorcraft																
Symposium Air Sport Medicine																

NOTES:

Pre competition training and additional details in sport-specific bulletins.
Dec 02 is the National Day of the UAE.
Opening Ceremony scheduled for Dec 03.
Closing Ceremony scheduled for Dec 12.

	Latest Arrival & Earliest Departure	**These are the dates when competitors must have arrived in Dubai and the earliest possible departure dates. In case the competitor want to accept the "extended stay invitation", see Section 8. Extended duration of stay (Nov 30th to Dec 13th)**
	Early Arrival Practice Day(s)	
	Training (Official training)	
	Competition	

5. SELECTION PROCESS AND FAI REGULATIONS

5.1 Selection process of competitors

The selection of participating teams and competitors is under the responsibility of each FAI Air Sport Commission (ASC). Each ASC has communicated the list of selected competitors to the FAI. The FAI is now informing all National Air Sport Controls (NACs) and gathering all competitors' attendance confirmation through the FAI registration portal.

If a NAC or a competitor has any issue in regard to the selection process we kindly ask you to speak directly to ASC' representatives via www.fai.org.

The World Air Games selection process is based on world ranking lists. When a competitor cannot attend, his NAC cannot choose to replace him/her. The place will be fulfilled by the next best competitor from the reserve list provided by each ASC.

5.2 FAI Sporting License

It is MANDATORY for all competitors to hold a VALID FAI Sporting License issued by the national sporting organization for the discipline that she/he is entering in the WAG.

5.3 Registration to the World Air Games

5.3.1 Registration portal

The registration through the FAI registration portal is the UNIQUE way to confirm the participation of a competitor in the FAI World Air Games Dubai 2015.

At first connection go to https://wag2015.fai.org/pilot-self-search. Login is your email address. Then please follow the instruction to create your password. The system will send you an email, please always check your spam folders if you don't receive it.

Once you have your login and password go to http://wag2015.fai.org/login. You can access the registration portal at any time and see your Personal Profile and your competitions.

In order to secure the validity of competitors' FAI Sporting Licenses and to speed up their check-in once on-site and for organizational purpose, the registration in the FAI World Air Games Dubai 2015 is an individual process. For this reason, only one unique email address can be used for one unique competitor. It is not possible to use the same email address for multiple competitors.

The registration can be managed either by NAC on behalf of the competitors or by the competitors themselves. That said, all competitors remain under the umbrella of their NAC to gather the delegation under the same flag as per the aim of the Games.

IMPORTANT: all data collected in the registration portal will be used on an organizational purpose only (sporting license, accommodation, transport…etc.). The Organizing Committee commits not to make any commercial use of these data.

Every participant must fill in the correct information on both his personal profile and competition information in order to be well informed and reachable as well.

5.3.2 Registration timeline

All selected competitors must confirm their participation and register until August 15, 2015.

When selected competitors cannot participate, last call based on reserve list provided by ASCs will happen between August 15, 2015 and September 1, 2015.

Specific or additional information can be found in sport-specific bulletins.

5.3.3 Official invitation

An official invitation issued by the Host Organizing Committee will be sent personally to all registered competitors.

The official invitation can be used by the recipient for any purpose she/he is entitled to (sponsorship, holidays or visa requests…etc.).

5.4 Applicable Regulations

The General Rules have been communicated to the selected competitors as annex in their Notification Letter to Compete.

The FAI World Air Games Dubai 2015 will be held in accordance with the relevant provisions in the FAI Statutes and By-Laws, the FAI Sporting Code, these General Rules, the Event Competition Rules and any local regulations applied by FAI.

These General Rules provide the guidelines governing all Air Sport Events included in the Event Programme of the FAI World Air Games. In case of conflict, the General Rules take precedence over all sections of the FAI Sporting Code.

5.5 Official Language

The rules, regulations and information circulated to NACs and competitors or issued during the event shall be in English and, at the discretion of the Organizers, French and/or the language of the host country. In all interpretations the English language version shall prevail. (FAI General Section 3.9.5).

English and Arabic shall be the languages during the official ceremonies.

5.6 FAI Anti-Doping Programme

FAI condemns the use by athletes, in the misguided belief that they improve performance in the air, of substances banned by the World Anti-Doping Agency (WADA). Such substances may degrade pilot performance and compromise flight safety. The activities, defined as "doping", are contrary to the FAI's principles of fair play, and are potentially damaging to athletes' health and safety.

This is why the FAI is conducting an Anti-Doping Programme. In that frame, all athletes should be aware that by participating to the World Air Games, they commit themselves to respect the FAI Anti-Doping Rules and Procedures (available on FAI website) and they agree that they might be subject to anti-doping tests during the competition.

Should any athlete be taking any medication for health reasons, he/she should immediately contact the FAI Anti-Doping Manager to check whether their treatment contain a prohibited substance. In case it does, a Therapeutic Use Exemption can be issued by the FAI and allow the athlete to take part to the competition while being under medical treatment. Any TUE request has to be sent to the FAI Anti-Doping Manager **before November 1st 2015**. After that date, no TUE will be issued for the period of the WAG.

For more information, please visit the FAI website (www.fai.org/cimp-anti-doping-programme) and contact the FAI Anti-Doping Manager, Mrs Ségolène ROUILLON (antidoping@fai.org).

6. RULES AND SPORT-SPECIFIC BULLETINS

The General Rules of the FAI World Air Games Dubai 2015 define the framework.

Each competition format will be described in a sport-specific bulletin.

A sport-specific bulletin will be published in the next days for each air sport discipline and under the responsibility of each disciplines' Event/Meet Directors.

The rule of each competition will be published on-line. Specific communication can be made in due course and/or in the sport-specific bulletins.

7. ENTRY FEE AND COSTS

There is NO entry fee to compete in the FAI World Air Games Dubai 2015.

The host will provide and cover all "in-country cost" at least from "official arrival day" until the "earliest official departure day". The competition schedule under Section 4. Schedule lists the different days per discipline.

According to the rules & regulations and sporting codes of each individual discipline, this offer covers all athletes, pilots, co-pilots, navigators, competing crews, judges and jury and helpers.

"In-country costs" are defined to be:

- Hotel / lodging (basis: 2* or 3* hotels, twin-bed rooms - double occupancy),
- Meals (3 meals / day),
- Local transport,
- Social events as part of the official programme and announced by the host.

8. EXTENDED DURATION OF STAY (NOV 30TH TO DEC 13TH)

The Official Arrival Day is November 30th. **The Official Departure Day** is December 13th.

Athletes are requested to attend the FAI World Air Games Dubai 2015 as long as requested for their discipline and respective competition schedule (from latest arrival day to earliest departure day).

8.1 Complimentary offer

The Host is extending the invitation to attend as many days of the FAI World Air Games Dubai 2015 as possible. The Host is therefore offering to cover the "in-country-costs" from the "Official Arrival Day" until the "Official Departure Day" even if the competitions run less days.

8.2 Latest arrival day per discipline

Competitors who do not wish to accept the invitation for an early arrival, must arrive in Dubai minimum 48 hours prior to their first competition day for familiarization and technical briefings.

See Section 4. Schedule for further details per discipline.

8.3 Official Celebrations

The FAI World Air Games Dubai 2015 Opening Ceremony is scheduled for December 3rd.

The FAI World Air Games Dubai 2015 Closing Ceremony is scheduled for December 12th.

9. ACCOMMODATION FOR PARTICIPANTS

9.1 Hotels

	Hotel name	Address
Competitors	Grand Excelsior Hotel	Al Barsha 1, Near Mall Of The Emirates www.grandexcelsior.ae
	Novotel Dubai Al Barsha	Sheikh Zayed road, Al Barsha 1 www.novotel.com/gb/hotel-6535-novotel-dubai-al-barsha/index.shtml
	Double Tree by Hilton Hotel & Residences Dubai	Al Barsha http://doubletree3.hilton.com/en/hotels/uae/doubletree-by-hilton-hotel-and-residences-dubai-al-barsha-DXBABDI/index.html
	IBIS Hotel	Al Barsha www.ibis.com/fr/hotel-6540-ibis-dubai-al-barsha/index.shtml
	Citymax Hotel Al Barsha	Al Barsha 1, Behind Mall of Emirates www.citymaxhotels.com
Staff, Officials, Judges, Jury	JA Oasis Beach Tower	Jumeirah Beach www.jaresortshotels.com/Properties/OasisBeachTower/Tower/Overview.aspx
Guests	Auris Plaza Dubai	Al Barsha www.auris-hotels.com/en/auris-plaza-hotel-al-barsha/

Please note that the selected hotels may be subject to change in case of unforeseen circumstances.

9.2 Booking and room sharing

The organizing committee will be delighted to take care of reservation and booking on your behalf. **Please strictly refrain from individual booking.**

The FAI registration portal (wag2015.fai.org/login) will allow to collect your travel information like Arrival/Departure dates, time, and flight number…etc. in order to proceed with all the bookings.

All participants will stay in twin bedrooms. The room sharing plan will be provided to NAC/Head of Delegation and must be sent back for the entire NAC delegation to the organizing committee **before October 30th**, 2015 to info@wagdubai.ae.

When participant wish to be accommodated with accompanying persons (see Section 11.1. Accompanying persons) it is his/her responsibility to inform his/her NAC in order to ease the completion of the room sharing plan.

The responsibility for any changes or updates rests with the Head of Delegation.

9.3 Cancellation fee

After a NAC approved participation of its competitors and the competitors registered on the registration portal (deadline August 15th, see Section 5.3.2. Registration timeline) a cancellation fee may occur:

- When participation is cancelled after August 15th, 50% of the hotel fee will be charged.
- When participation is cancelled after September 1st, 75% of the hotel fee will be charged.
- When participation is cancelled after November 1st, 100% of the hotel fee will be charged.

Cancellation fee will be charged to the NAC who can then charge the competitor.

10. HEAD OF DELEGATION (HOD)

Each FAI Member (NAC) with athletes participating in the FAI World Air Games Dubai 2015 shall enter ONE (-1-) Head of Delegation (HoD), who may be an athlete and who will serve as liaison with the Organising Committee.

In-country costs for each HoD are covered by the host in the same way as for competitors (See Section 7. Entry fee and costs).

The Head of Delegation will be expected to stay during the entire duration of the competitions and be present at prize giving events of his country's participation. Also, he is expected to be available for press/media calls.

HoD will be responsible for the administration prior to arrival and conduct of his country's competitors while they are in Dubai.

The Head of Delegation is kindly requested to bring National flag (approximately 100 cm x 150 cm) and National anthem in a downloadable format (CD, MP3) to be used in ceremonies.

11. NON-PARTICIPANTS

11.1 Accompanying persons

This applies to every person who is not invited as participant, athlete, pilot, co-pilot, navigator, competing crew, judge and jury and support personnel (defined "competitor").

Accompanying persons will be expected to make their own arrangements for transport, accommodation and meals. However they can book their stay in Dubai through a dedicated travel agency: AL KOAS TOURISM (http://aktwag2015.alkoastourism.ae).

The travel agency and the Organizing Committee will do their best to meet accompanying persons' expectation to be accommodated with competitors.

11.2 Support personnel as per Sporting Codes

Each participating FAI Member (NAC) can provide athletes' and support personnel as specified in the Competition Rules for each Air Sport Event it enters.

See sport-specific bulletins for each air sport discipline.

12. VISAS

Some delegations/individuals may require a Visa to enter the UAE. The necessary visa support can be provided if the required passport details are submitted to the Organizing Committee BEFORE 30TH OCTOBER 2015.

Regarding visa, a copy of the Passport (jpg/pdf) in good quality has to be sent to visa@wagdubai.ae.

A Visa fee of US $75.00 applies (to be paid cash upon arrival by the HoD for the entire NAC delegation).

More information about visas:
http://www.visitdubai.com/en/travel-planning/travel-tools/visa-and-entry-information.

13. ARRIVALS AND CHECK-IN

13.1 At Dubai International Airport (DXB)

Delegations/individuals should report directly to FAI World Air Games Dubai 2015 Immigration Officers during official arrival days at the designated desk manned by Immigration and Personnel of the Organizing Committee at the Dubai International Airport for visas and clearances.

Bus service will be provided only from/to Dubai International Airport (DXB). Participants arriving in Abu Dhabi International Airport (AUH) or Sharjah International Airport (SHJ) have to arrange and pay the transportation fees to/from his assigned hotel by him-/herself.

Participants will be asked to show their Official Invitation to benefit from the bus services. Bus service is not available for accompanying persons who have not been officially invited as competitors.

The host will do its best to arrange for reliable and smooth transportation and will try to group arriving competitors. Some limited waiting may be necessary. Participants wishing to travel on their own from Dubai airport to the hotel can do so, but will be expected to pay in AED cash (taxi is approximately 100 AED =US $20) by themselves.

13.2 At the hotel

13.2.1 Information desk

After arrival at the hotel reception each delegation/participant will find information for the registration process.

13.2.2 Registration after arrival

The registration desk is located at the Skydive Dubai Palm DZ, Office & Judging tent. Please register during the check-in hours posted at the hotel reception.

Bus service will be available at regular hours from all hotels in order to take you to the competition venues.

The registration of individual participants is restricted (unavoidable exceptions). Therefore it is requested that the HoD or a designated representative, should carry out the registration for the whole delegation.

If you have any problems or delay on your arrival, you may contact by E-Mail or in urgent matters by phone the Chairman of the Public Relations Committee, **Mr. Salim Akram Abdel Karim**, (s.akram@eaf.ae / +971-50-6558833) or the Chairman of the Transportation Committee, **Mr. Ali Adullah Al Marzouqi** (Ali.amohammed@rta.ae / +971-50-6565969).

14. COMPETITION SITES

The main competition site is located at Skydive Dubai Drop Zone close to the “Palm Jumeirah” (25.090827, 55.139943).

Skydive Dubai Desert Campus (24.885459, 55.547787) and the Dubai Shopping Mall (25.197885, 55.278885) will also be part of the venues for some disciplines.

- Skydive Dubai Palm Drop zone (Palm DZ), Mean sea level (MSL).
- Skydive Dubai Desert Campus Drop zone (Desert DZ), 520 feet above MSL.
- Dubai Mall, Ice rink.

See Section 23. Annexes for more information.

15. LOGISTICS

The Organizing Committee offers to carry cost and handling of transport for competition aircraft to and from Dubai UAE.

This refers especially to the following air sport disciplines:

- Aerobatics (Powered / Gliders)
- Aerostats (Balloons / Airships)
- Microlights Weight Shift

Aircraft will be locally provided to the competitors for the following air sport disciplines:

- General Aviation
- Gliding
- Microlights Gyrocopters
- Rotorcraft

The official and exclusive logistics provider of the FAI World Air Games Dubai 2015 is DHL Trade Fairs & Events.

Sport-specific bulletins will provide sport-specific information about how to ship to and from Dubai and direct contact with DHL in order to ease the process.

16. RULES ON ADVERTISEMENT IN UAE

The Emirates Aerosports Federation hereby advises all participants (and potential sponsors) and their crew, support, staff, participating to the FAI World Air Games Dubai 2015, that the advertising of alcohol, gambling and tobacco as well as any other illegal drug or psychotropic or offensive substance or images is strictly prohibited in the UAE and is punishable by law. The ban on advertising such goods, and or products applies to all kinds of advertising including but not limited to media, digital advertising and user-generated content.

The information contained in this document is a direct extract from:

- Chapter 7 of the UAE Federal Law No. (15) of 1980 Concerning Publication and Publishing illustrating the materials prohibited to be published in UAE.
- The UAE National Media Council Resolution No. (35) of 2012 on the Standards of the Media Advertisements Contents.
- Chapter 6 of the UAE Penal code.
- UAE Anti-Tobacco Law No. (15) of 2009.

The Emirates Aerosports Federation hereby requests that all participants, sponsors and partners are to ensure that aircraft, balloon and all other equipment or materials intended for use in the FAI World Air Games Dubai 2015 must not display or present in any way any advertisement materials promoting or endorsing or encouraging the purchase or use of alcohol, cigarettes, gambling or offensive visual images or content.

Any advertisement, images, media or digital content of whatsoever nature which does not satisfy the above requirement in any part, will be considered a violation and entitles the Emirates Aerosports Federation to exclude the violator(s) from the competition. Violators will also be subject to severe penalties by the UAE authorities.

If doubt, competitors are requested to contact the Organizing Committee at their earliest opportunity (directoroffice@wagdubai.ae). Competitors are requested to check this subject as part of their own responsibility. Neither the Host nor FAI will take responsibility for negligence or competitors being late.

17. PILOT LICENSES IN UAE

Sport-specific bulletins in each air sport discipline will explain procedures and requirements for licenses, endorsing foreign licenses, issuing temporary licenses for aircraft and/or equipment rented from the host. This bulletin will also specify if air sport discipline-/aircraft-specific insurance requirements need to be followed.

18. INSURANCE IN UAE

Personal Health insurance and repatriation coverage are the responsibility of each participant and is highly advisable.

3rd party liability insurance coverage for the event is provided by the organizer.

Any damage to hotel rooms etc. is the responsibility of the persons involved.

Insurance for personal items and equipment are at the responsibility of each participant.

The UAE General Civil Aviation Authority (GCAA) published the minimum insurance requirements in the UAE in "Information Bulletin 06/2010(January 21, 2010). The document can be downloaded here: https://www.gcaa.gov.ae/en/ePublication/admin/Library%20Pdf/Information%20Bulletin%20%28IB%29/2010/Information%20Bulletin%20-%2006-2010.pdf.

More detailed information to be published in the sport specific bulletins.

19. MEDICAL FACILITIES

Adequate medical services will be provided at the Skydive Dubai Palm DZ & Skydive Dubai Desert Campus and at each of the three designated landing areas for parachuting during the competition, including the practice & training days

20. WEATHER / TIMES

Average daytime temperature during November/December is 28.5º (high) and 17.5º (low) centigrade during the day with cooler nights.

Wind:	Average wind speed is 3-5 m/s (6 – 10 knots).
Main directions:	West/Northwest
Sunrise / Sunset:	http://www.timeanddate.com/sun/united-arab-emirates/dubai?month=12&year=2015

21. MEDIA AND COMMUNICATION CHANNELS

FAI World Air Games Dubai 2015 website: www.wagdubai.ae

FAI websites: www.worldairsports.aero and www.fai.org

Email to the Organizing Committee – Operations: directoroffice@wagdubai.ae

Email to the Organizing Committee – Information: info@wagdubai.ae

Email to the Organizing Committee – Visa: visa@wagdubai.ae

22. ORGANIZING COMMITTEE & CONTACT PERSONS

22.1 World Air Games – Host Organizing Committee

President
His Excellency Saeed Mohammed HARIB,
Secretary General of Dubai Sport Council

Vice-President
His Excellency Nasser Hmouda AL NEDYADI,
President of Emirates Aerosports Federation

Director
His Excellency Yousif Hassan AL HAMMADI,
Vice-President of Emirate Aerosports Federation

Deputy-Director
His Excellency Mohamed Yousuf ABDULRAHMAN,
CEO of Skydive Dubai

Sports Director
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Sports director deputies to be confirmed.

22.2 Event / Meet Directors

Air Sport / Activity	Event Director
Aerobatics – Powered	Lars Göran ARVIDSSON (SWE)
Aerobatics – Glider	Vladimir MACHULA (CZE)
Aeromodelling	Antonis PAPADOPOULOS (GRE)
Aerostats – Hot Air Balloons	Claude WEBER (LUX)
Aerostats – Hot Air Airships	Crispin WILLIAMS (GBR)
Amateur-Built & Experimental Aircraft	Alfons HUBMANN (SUI)
General Aviation	Maurice DUCRET (SUI)
Gliding	Roland STUCK (FRA)
Microlights – Weight Shift	Rob GRIMWOOD (GBR)
Microlights – Gyrocopters	Kevin ROBINSON (GBR)
Microlights – Paramotors	José ORTEGA (FRA)
Parachuting	Helmut SCHLECHT (GER)
Paragliding	Andika UNTUNG SETIAWAN (INA)
Rotorcraft	Wolfgang PERPLIES (GER)

22.3 Judges / Juries

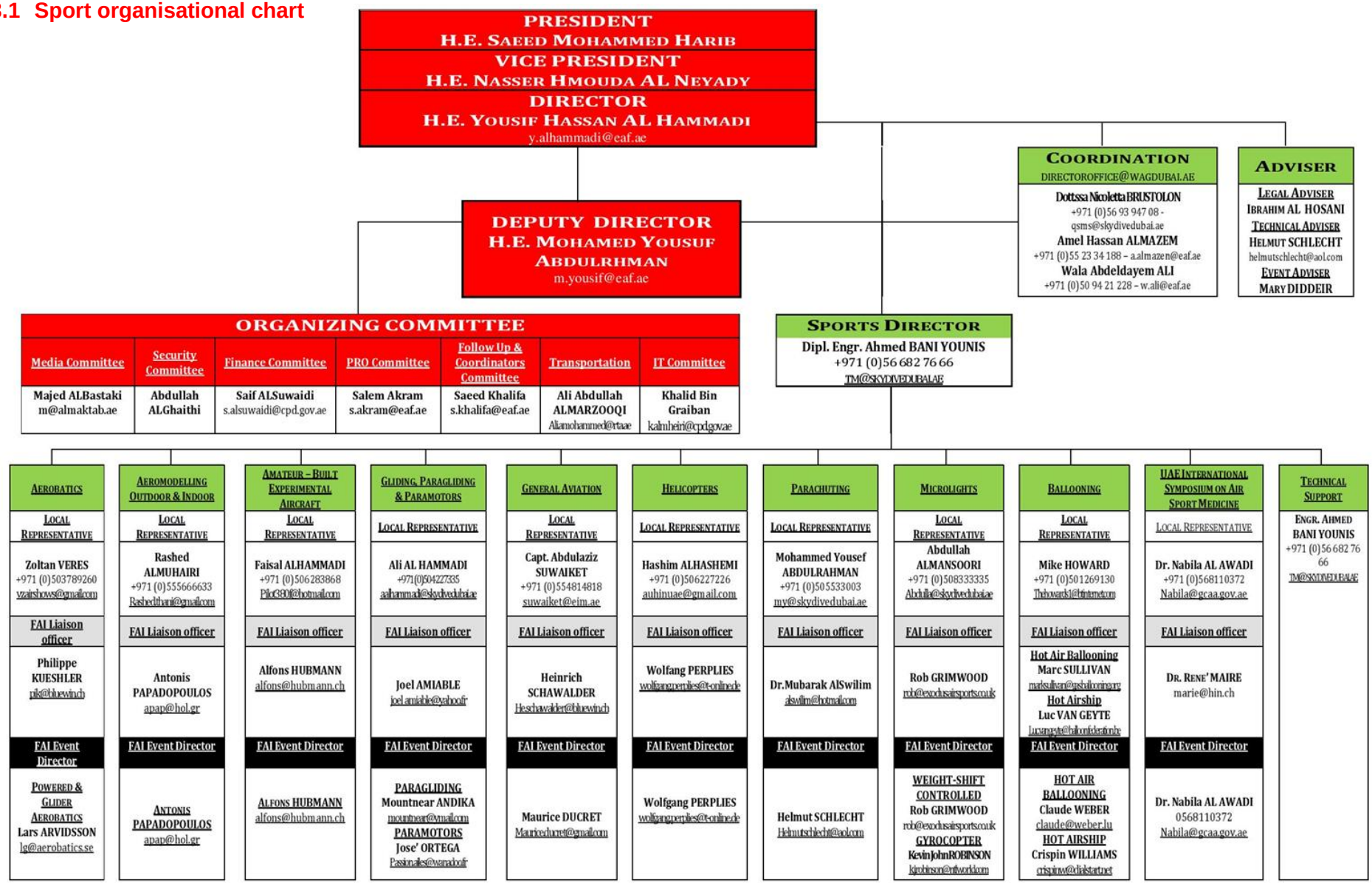
See separate specific bulletins of each air sport discipline.

22.4 Fédération Aéronautique Internationale

FAI Coordinator
Eric BERTIN, Sports & Events Manager

23. ANNEXES

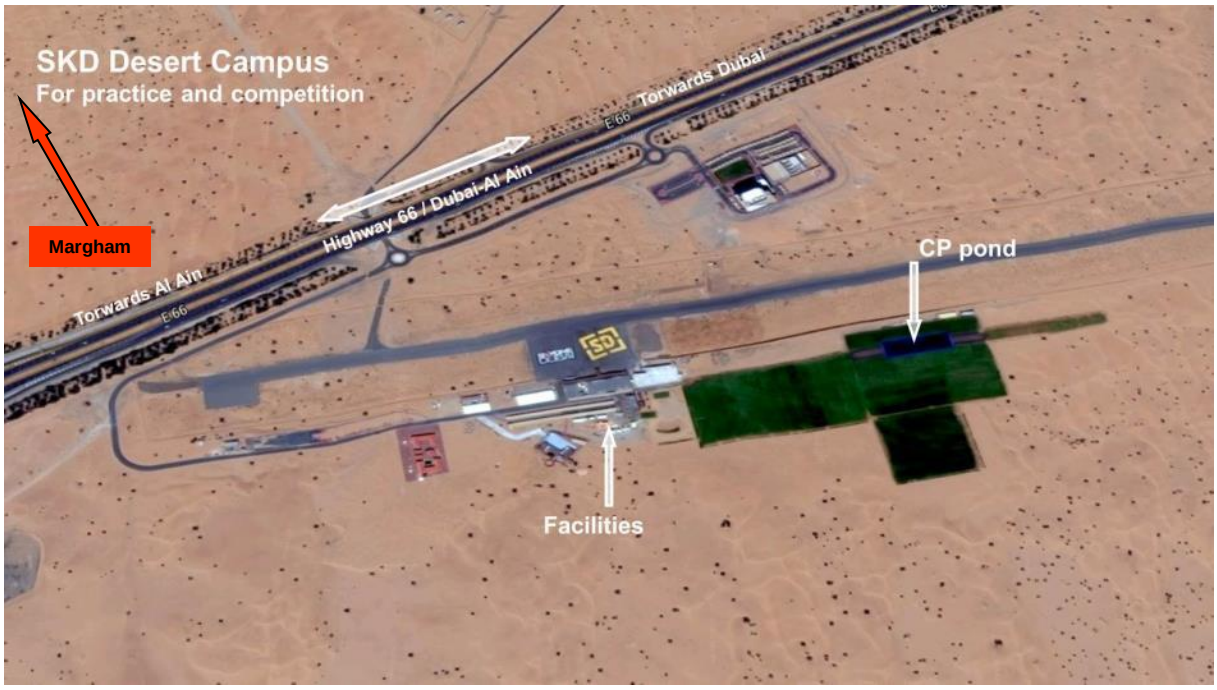
23.1 Sport organisational chart



23.2 Dubai aerial view

23.3 Skydive Dubai Palm DZ

23.4 Skydive Dubai Desert Campus



23.5 Dubai Mall Ice Rink

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