

# 2020 FAI F3J World championships for Model Gliders

**For Seniors and Juniors**  
**Tekovsky Hradok, Slovakia**

Dates: Opening Ceremony – August, 2<sup>nd</sup> 2020  
Closing Ceremony – August, 8<sup>th</sup> 2020  
Venue: Tekovsky Hradok airfield  
Country and NAC: SLOVAKIA, Slovensky narodny aeroklub  
Website: [www.f3jwch2020.sk](http://www.f3jwch2020.sk)



## BULLETIN 1



CLUB LITTEAM, LERMAS AND SLOVAK NATIONAL AEROCLUB INVITE  
ALL NATIONAL FEDERATIONS TO COMPETE IN  
2020 FAI F3J WORLD CHAMPIONSHIPS FOR MODEL GLIDERS for Senior and Junior

## **1. ORGANISERS**

Fédération Aéronautique Internationale  
National Airsports Control: Slovak National Aeroclub  
National Modelsports Control: Lermas  
Local organizer: Club Litteam

## **2. NAME, CLASSES, DATE, LOCATION AND FACILITY OF CHAMPIONSHIP**

### **Name:**

2020 FAI F3J World Championships for Model Gliders

### **Classes:**

Class F3J senior

Class F3J junior

### **Dates:**

From opening ceremony Sunday August, 2nd to closing ceremony Saturday August, 8th, 2020

### **Location:**

Place – Tekovsky Hradok airfield

Address – Tekovsky Hradok airfield, 935 51

Elevation – 162 AMSL

### **Event model flying facility**

Grass airfield

### **Flying day**

Possible fly from 9:00 to 19:00

## **3. FAI RULES**

### **Rules**

- FAI Sporting Code Section 4 Aeromodeling, CIAM General Rules ABR 2020 Edition
- FAI Sporting Code Section 4 Aeromodeling Volume F3 Radio Control Soaring Model Aircraft 2020 Edition
- FAI Code of Ethics

### **Individual Classifications**

FAI medals and FAI diplomas will be awarded to the competitors placed first, second and third for juniors and seniors.

In order to award the title of Junior World Champion, junior competitors from at least four nations must participate in the class.

For the additional female senior classification, FAI medals and FAI diplomas will be awarded to the competitors placed first, second and third.

The best female earns the title of senior Female World Champion if females from at least four different nations participate in that class.

For the additional female junior classification, FAI medals and FAI diplomas will be awarded to the competitors placed first, second and third.

The best female earns the title of junior Female World Champion if females from at least four different nations participate in that class

#### **Team classification**

For the team ranking the best three results of the team will be considered.

FAI medals and FAI diplomas will be awarded to each members and the team manager of the teams placed first, second and third.

## **4. FAI JURY**

### **Jury**

1. Tomas Bartovsky – President – CZE
2. Peter Feigl – Member – GER
3. Andras Ree – Member – HUN

### **Jury reserve**

1. Markus Schneuwly – 1st Reserve – SUI
2. Lubomir Krupar – 2nd Reserve – SVK

## **5. CONTEST OFFICIALS**

### **NAC Officials**

President of Slovak National Aeroclub - PaedDr. Jan Mikus – SVK

### **Management**

Organiser – Jan Littva – SVK

Contest director – Serdar Sualp – TUR

### **Line Marshalls**

F3J Line Marshall – Michal Husar – SVK

## Staff

Technical Chief – Dusan Kapolka – SVK

IT Service – Patrik Gach – SVK

## 6. ANTIDOPING

If a competitor has to take, for a medical condition, any of the substances listed on the WADA Prohibited list then he must have a Therapeutic USE Exemption from the FAI.

For more information please do follow the link: [www.fai.org/page/useful-information](http://www.fai.org/page/useful-information)

## 7. LOCAL STANDARD WEATHER CONDITIONS

### Average weather conditions in August

Temperature average: 26 °C

Sunrise: 5:30

Sunset: 20:10

## 8. OFFICIAL CONTEST SCHEDULE

<b>30.7.2020 - Thursday</b> 8:00 – 20:00	<b>Training World Cup, Eurotour, WCH</b> Presentation World cup
<b>31.7.2020 – Friday</b> 9:00 – 19:00	<b>World Cup, Eurotour „Litteam cup“</b> Presentation World cup, contest
<b>1.8.2020 – Saturday</b> 9:00 – 16:00 16:00 – 20:00	<b>World Cup, Eurotour „Litteam cup“</b> Contest Registration WCH
<b>2.8.2020 – Sunday</b> 9:00 – 15:00 17:00 – 18:00 18:30 – 19:00	<b>Processing, Opening ceremony WCH</b> Processing Opening ceremony WCH Meeting for FAI Jury, Judges, Officials, Team managers and organizers
<b>3.8.2020 – Monday</b> 9:00 – 19:00	<b>WCH F3J for Seniors and Juniors</b> Contest day – Qualifying rounds
<b>4.8.2020 – Tuesday</b> 9:00 – 19:00	<b>WCH F3J for Seniors and Juniors</b> Contest day – Qualifying rounds
<b>5.8.2020 – Wednesday</b> 9:00 – 19:00	<b>WCH F3J for Seniors and Juniors</b> Contest day – Qualifying rounds
<b>6.8.2020 – Thursday</b> 9:00 – 19:00	<b>WCH F3J for Seniors and Juniors</b> Contest day – Qualifying rounds
<b>7.8.2020 – Friday</b> 9:00 – 19:00	<b>WCH F3J for Seniors and Juniors</b> Contest day – Fly offs

20:00 – 24:00	Banquet on airfield
<b>8.8.2020 – Saturday</b> 17:00 – 18:00	<b>Closing ceremony</b> Closing ceremony on airfield Contest Reserve day
<b>9.8.2020 – Sunday</b>	<b>Departure of participants contest field</b>

**Lunch break 13:00 – 14:00**

## 9. NATIONAL TEAM

Each member of the FAI-CIAM may enter a team consisting of:

- team manager
- team manager assistant
- maximum 4 competitors senior, providing that at least one competitor is a female
- maximum 4 competitors junior, providing that at least one competitor is a female - age limit 18 years in the year 2020
- according to the FAI Sporting Code, the reigning senior World Champion
- according to the FAI Sporting Code, the reigning junior World Champion (referring to the CIAM General Rule 2020)
- official helpers, supporters

## 10. LICENCES

Each competitor, team manager and assistant of team manager must possess a FAI Sporting License, valid for 2020, issued by their NAC, included in the FAI Sporting Licence Database.

The holder of a FAI Sporting Licence may be required to present an official document bearing his photograph and signature as proof of identity.

Organizers must use the FAI Sporting Licences validity check website for final verification of these Sporting Licences for all Team members.

## 11. TROPHIES AND AWARDS

Individual and team classifications. Winners will be awarded with FAI medals and diplomas and trophies from the Organisers.

Also the F3J perpetual trophies will be awarded to the winner(s):

- Individual senior: Neil Webb trophy, holder Arijan HUCALJUK (CRO)
- Individual junior: ERA technology trophy, holder Jaroslav VOSTREL (CZE)
- Team senior: QFI technology trophy, holder Germany

- Team junior: ERA technology trophy, holder Germany

## 12. LANGUAGES

English and Slovak

## 13. ENTRY FEES

Team manager	300 €
Team manager assistant	200 €
Senior competitor	300 €
Junior competitor	200 €
Helper / Supporter	60 €

**Entry fees must be received by the Organisers no later than 1th may, 2020!**

## 14. ACCOMODATION

### Camping

- On the airfield
- Electricity (240V), toilets, showers
- Place for campers, tents
- 10 €/day per person

### Hotels and pensions

Hotel Golden Eagle \*\*\*\* [www.goldeneagle.sk](http://www.goldeneagle.sk)

Business Hotel ASTRUM LAUS \*\*\* [www.astrumlaus.sk](http://www.astrumlaus.sk)

Hotel DASTAN \*\*\* [www.hoteldastan.sk](http://www.hoteldastan.sk)

Hotel LEV \*\*\* [www.hotellev.sk](http://www.hotellev.sk)

Levi Dom Residence Hotel \*\* [www.levidom.sk](http://www.levidom.sk)

Apartments on Basta [www.apartmanynabaste.sk](http://www.apartmanynabaste.sk)

Koliba u Sidla <http://www.kolibausidla.sk/>

Average price for hotels is 51 €/1 night/1 person

Average price for pensions 33 €/1 night/1 person

## 15. MEALS

- Lunchs at the airfield in hangars

- from Restaurant Gourmet
- from Monday to Friday, 3rd to 7th august 2020
- 7 €/lunch per person

Price of food in shops near airfield:

- Butter 1,45 €/500 g
- Pork 5,59 €/1 kg
- Chicken 2,59/1 kg
- Cheese 1,29 €/100 g
- Milk 0,85 €/1 l
- Mineral water 0,59 €/1,5 l

## 16. BANQUET

- Banquet on the airfield in hangar
- Friday 7th august 2020, from 20:00
- Cost 25 € on person
- Meals and drinks include in price

## 17. PAYMENT INFORMATION FOR ENTRY FEES

**Bank name:** Prima banka Slovensko, a. s.

**Bank address:** Hodzova 11, 010 11, Zilina

**Account name:** Klub „Litteam“

**IBAN:** SK06 3100 0000 0044 4000 2702

**BIC:** KOMASK2X

**Payment mark:** International country code (like Slovakia – SVK, Germany – GER, ...)

All transaction charges are paid by sender

**Later payments will be subjected to a fine, as follow:**

- 2. May – 31. May 2020 – 5% fine
- 1. June – 30. June 2020 – 10% fine
- 1. July – 30. July 2020 – 20% fine

## 18. PROTEST

**Rules**

All protests must be presented in writing to the Sports Director at the competition site, and must be accompanied by a deposit of the fee. The fee is 50 € according to the FAI Sporting Code Section 4 Aeromodelling, Volume ABR 2019 Edition. The deposit is returned if the protest is upheld only.

## **19. MODELS PROCESSING**

### **FAI Specification Certificate**

Each competitor must present a valid FAI SPECIFICATION CERTIFICATE for his model(s) from his NAC, according to FAI Sporting Code Section 4 Aeromodelling, Volume CIAM General Rules 2020 Edition.

**Model aircraft not properly processed by the NAC, must be processed by the organiser at a cost of 8€ for each model.**

## **20. ENTRY FORMS**

Preliminary Entry Forms for the WCH: Preliminary Entry Form (see attachment) has to be sent **before March 1st, 2020.**

Final Entry Forms sent **no later than May 1st, 2020.**

Entry forms send to:

- **via post:** Jan Littva, Ul. F. Hecku 508/39, 934 01, Levice, Slovakia

or

- **or via e-mail:** [f3jwch2020@gmail.com](mailto:f3jwch2020@gmail.com)

## **21. REGISTRATION**

Team manager must present on registration:

- ID card or Passport
- Final entry form signed and stamped by the National Air Sports Control (NAC)
- A copy of the teams banking payment of the Entry fee receipt

## **22. VISA REQUIREMENTS**

Slovakia is member of the European Union and the Schengen area. For visa requirements check: [https://www.mzv.sk/web/en/consular\\_info/visa](https://www.mzv.sk/web/en/consular_info/visa)

## **23. ALLOWED FREQUENCIES**

35 MHz, 40 MHz, 2,4 GHz



Organiser strongly recommends 2,4 GHz

#### **24. PLACE IN HANGAR**

Pilots can use hangars for planes. Each place will be equipped with electricity connection provided for model charging. Price per 1 pilot 10 € for all contest. Size of the place depends on numbers of pilots from national team.

#### **25. INSURANCE**

The organiser will provide third party insurance in accordance with paragraph B.8.9 of Volume ABR of the FAI Sporting Code only. Any other type of insurance should be covered by the participants. Citizens from EU must bring EC-111 health insurance certificate. Non EU citizens must provide own insurance and a copy must be enclosed to the final entry.

#### **26. CONTACT**

Organizer: Jan Littva

Club: Club Litteam

Address: Ul. F. Hecku 508/39, Levice, 934 01

Phone: 00421 903 800 789

Email: [f3jwch2020@gmail.com](mailto:f3jwch2020@gmail.com)

#### **27. LOCATION**

Airfield Tekovsky Hradok is located 7km southwest from Levice.

GPS coordinates: 48° 10' 14.8729648" N, 18° 32' 35.1063556" E

Google maps:

<https://www.google.sk/maps/@48.1706367,18.5429745,1085m/data=!3m1!1e3>

Near international airports and kilometres, hours by car:

- Bratislava M. R. Stefanik (SVK) 126km, 1:40h
- Vienna Schwechat (AUT) 193km, 2:20h
- Budapest Liszt Ferenc (HUN) 144km, 2:15h

