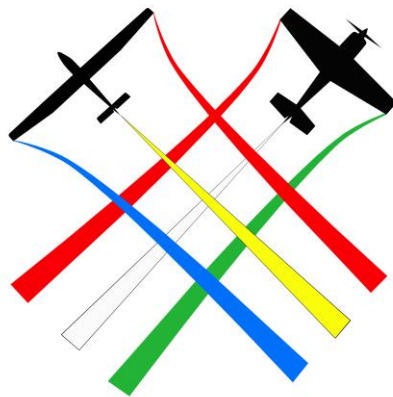




ROMANIAN AIRCLUB
ROMANIAN AERONAUTICAL FEDERATION



BULLETIN No. 1

5th DANUBIA GLIDER AEROBATIC CUP

Unlimited, Advanced

Deva, Romania 12th June – 18th June 2017

1. General

1.1. Organizer

- 1.1.1. The 5th Danubia Glider Aerobatic Cup (DGAC) will take place under the auspices of the Romanian Aeroclub and the Romanian Aeronautical Federation.
- 1.1.2. The operational organizer is the Romanian Aeroclub (Bulevardul Lascar Catargiu nr. 54, sector 1, Bucuresti).

1.2. Place and date

- 1.2.1. The event will take place at DEVA airfield, where is Aeroclubul Teritorial „Constantin Manolache” Deva. The airfield is situated 6 km E from the town DEVA.

- 1.2.2. DEVA airfield information:

Airfield DEVA	ICAO --- LRDV
Location	6 km, 105 degree from Deva
Operational availability	VFR
Operational hours	SR – SS
Custom	Nil
Aerodrome operator	Aeroclubul Teritorial „Constantin Manolache”
Adress	Comuna Saulesti Str.Aeroportului nr 1 jud. Hunedoara.
Phone/Fax	0040.372 761 320 / 0040.254 236910
Fuel grades	AVGASS100LL by prior arrangement
Oil grades	AEROSHELL W100 by prior arrangement
Hangar space	limited, by prior arrangement
ARP	22 57' 58"E 45 51' 59"N
Elevation	188,4 m 618,1 Ft
Frequency	119,700 Mhz
Runway	11/29 700 x 100 m, grass
Traffic circuit	11LH; 29RH, 1200 Ft AMSL

- 1.2.3. The event will take place in the period of time: **June 12th to 18th June 2017.**

1.3. Familiarization and Training Flights

- 1.3.1. Familiarization flights at Deva Airfield will be possible from 10th June to 13th June 2017. The competition box will be marked during familiarization flight days.
- 1.3.2. Earlier training flights are allowed by the prior agreement of the Organizer. In case of need, please contact the Organizer via e-mail: glider@danubiacup.com or via the contact information in chapter 11.

1.4. Schedule

- 1.4.1 Official working hours of the Contest Office and Organizers will be from 08.00 to half an hour after the landing of the last competitor.
- 1.4.2 These hours are valid for any official inquiries or information or deposit of claims/protest concerning the contest during the contest's period.
- 1.4.3. All times are stated in local time (LT=UTC+3 hrs).
- 1.4.4. The Schedule may be changed due to technical and organizational reasons as well as weather conditions.
- 1.4.5. One additional day in the Schedule is included for cancellations of flights due to weather and organizational reasons.
- 1.4.6. Standard daily schedule is the following:

Standard Daily Schedule	
8:00	Briefing
9:00 - 13:00	Competition Flights
13:00 - 14:00	Lunch Break
14:00 - sunset	Competition Flights

- 1.4.7. Competition schedule:

12th June (MON)	
Familiarization flights	
Arrivals	
13th June (TUE)	
Familiarization flights	
Arrivals	
Registration	
18:00	Opening briefing
14st June (WED)	
8:00	Briefing
9:00 - 13:00	Competition flights
13:00 - 14:00	Lunch break
14:00 - sunset	Competiton flights
after sunset	Opening party
15nd – 16rd June (THU-FRI)	
8:00	Briefing
9:00 - 13:00	Competition flights
13:00 - 14:00	Lunch break
14:00 - sunset	Competiton flights

17th June (SAT)

8:00	Briefing
09:00 - 13:00	Competition flights
13:00 - 14:00	Lunch break
17:00 - 18:00	Awarding ceremony
18:00	Closing dinner

18th June (SUN)

Departures

2. Regulations

2.1. Rules

- 2.1.1. The 5th Danubia Glider Aerobatic Cup 2017 (DGAC) will be conducted according to the following rules:
- FAI Sporting Code – General Section,
 - FAI Sporting Code – Section 6 Part 2,
 - Flight Rules published by the Romanian CAA,
 - Local Regulations (will published during the Opening Briefing)

2.2. Categories

- 2.2.1. The 5th Danubia Glider Aerobatic Cup 2017 (DGAC) will be conducted in following categories:
- Unlimited - UNL
 - Advanced - ADV

Note: A category will be opened in case at least 3 competitors have been registered.

2.3. The Box and positioning

- 2.3.1. Standard box according to FAI Sporting Code, Section 6 Part 2 will be marked.
2.3.2. No line Judges will be applied.

3. Official language

3.1. Official language

- 3.1.1. The official language of the 5th DGAC 2017 is English. The language of all communications and briefings is English. In case of any disputes the English version of the regulations shall be guided.

4. Participation, Competitors and Aircrafts

4.1. Participants

- 4.1.1. Any competitor may participate at the 5th DGAC. Competitors from same countries will be grouped into teams. Teams will be represented by the Team manager.
- 4.1.2. Participants may participate as a national team member or as an independent pilot. Independent competitors will be excluded from team results. They will not be excluded from overall results.
- 4.1.3. Each competitor has to be a holder of:
- a valid Glider Pilot License with an aerobatic extension according to competitors national legislation and contest category,
 - a valid Medical Certificate,
 - a valid personal insurance policy.

4.2. Gliders

- 4.2.1. All participating gliders must satisfy the performance criteria essential for advanced/unlimited category competition flights.
- 4.2.2. For all competing gliders a valid Certificate of Airworthiness of the related country must be presented with all other documents, which are required to being airworthy.
- 4.2.3. For all competing aircraft using the airspace of Romania, Third Party Liability insurance must be concluded with respect to damage caused by operation of that aircraft to third parties covering a minimum amount in SDR (Special Drawing Rights) or in equivalent value of any other freely convertible currencies, for the aircraft with MTOW as mentioned below:
- MTOW up to 500 kg - 750.000 SDR (approx. 870.000 EUR)
 - MTOW above 500 kg to 1000 kg - 1.500.000 SDR (approx. 1.800.000 EUR)
- 4.2.4. Each competing aircrafts must be insured against 3rd Party Public Liability, according to EU Regulation (EC) No. 785/2004, claims with a minimum amount as mentioned above according to MTOW. gliders arriving in Romania must be able to present their insurance policy with a copy in English, certified by the Insurance Company.
- 4.2.5. The Technical Committee will check all the documents. Acceptance of the application will be decided considering these documents. There is no objection against the decision of Technical Committee.
- 4.2.6. Several pilots can fly with one glider.

- 4.2.7. Limited hangar space for competing gliders will be available for the period of the Championship.
- 4.2.8. In case of insufficient hangar capacity, priority will be given to those whose entry fee payment is confirmed by the Organiser, in order of confirmation.

5. Entries and Registration

5.1. Deadline for the Entries

- 5.1.1. The Official Entry Forms must be provided to the Organizer not later than **May 31st 2017**.
- 5.1.2. No additional fees will incur in case of payment on the site.
- 5.1.3. Entry Fee payment must be done till Opening briefing (13th June, 18:00) as latest.
- 5.1.4. In case a participant has any queries about the arrival and clearance of his/her fees should contact the Organizer using e-mail glider@danubiacup.com or the other contact information in chapter 11.
- 5.1.5. Entry Fee must be paid in full amount and bank fees must be charged to sender's account.

5.2. Registration

- 5.2.1 Registration can be made using the following communication channels:
 - Ordinary mail - send your applications to Romanian Aeroclub at the address specified in chapter 11.
 - Electronic mail– send email to glider@danubiacup.com , registrations will be considered to be valid after confirmation.
 - FAX – use the telephone number specified in chapter 11.
- 5.2.2 In case of any problems with registration or any other relevant issues, please contact the organizer at glider@danubiacup.com. In need of urgent help please call +40.726.678.450.

5.3. Free sequence submission

- 5.3.1 The Free sequence of each competitor should be submitted not later than at the opening briefing.
- 5.3.2 As a second option, competitors may submit their Free sequence to the e-mail address glider@danubiacup.com. Every submission will be confirmed. Free sequence submissions are not valid without confirmation.
- 5.3.4 Free sequences should be submitted using either Microsoft Visio Aresti software or Openaero file format. PDF file format or even hand drawn hard copies of the complete ABC form with the competitor's Free sequence will be also accepted.

6. Entry Fees

6.1. Entry Fees

6.1.1 Entry Fees are specified as follows:

- Competitor: **EUR 50**
- Other team member and observer: **free**

6.1.2. To pay the Entry fee please use the bank details provided in chapter 12.1.1.

6.1.3. The entry fee does not include the expenses of the accommodation, meals nor the towing service.

6.1.4. The entry fee covers:

- Official and social functions,
- Programs arranged by the Organizer.

6.1.5. Full amount of the entry fee will be refunded if competitor withdraws from the competition before the beginning of the Opening briefing.

6.1.6. No entry fee will be refunded if competitor withdraws from the competition after the beginning of the Opening briefing.

7. Towing

7.1.1. Towing will be provided by using two towing planes, plus one as back-up.

7.2. Towing costs:

- Towing - 1.250 m - 50 euro
- Towing - 850 m - 35 euro

7.2.1. Prices will be the same for training and competition flights.

8. Protest

8.1. Protest fee:

8.1.1. Protest must be submitted accompanied by the payment of **EUR 70**.

9. Accommodation and catering

9.1. Accomodation

9.1.1. Organizer will help booking accommodation. In case of need please contact the Organizer.

9.1.2. Hotel accommodation can be found in Deva or in the surrounding of Deva.

9.2. Catering

9.2.1. Three meals per day and refreshment for all participants will be available in the local restaurant.

10. Officials

10.1. International Jury

President of int. Jury: - To Be Announced
Members: - To Be Announced

10.2. Board of Judges

Chief Judge: - To Be Announced
Judges: - To Be Announced

10.3. Technical committee

President: - To Be Announced
Members: - To Be Announced
- To Be Announced

10.4. Local Officials

Contest Director: - To Be Announced
Assistant Contest Director: - To Be Announced
Assistant Secretary: - To Be Announced
Flight Director: - To Be Announced

11. Contact

11.1. Address of correspondence

AEROCLUBUL ROMANIEI
Bulevardul Lascar Catargiu nr. 54
Sector 1, BUCURESTI
ROMANIA

11.2. Other communications

Phone/Fax: 0040-21.312.3619
e-mail: glider@danubiacup.com
web: www.danubiacup.com

12. Entry Fee Payment Details

12.1.1. All Entry Fees should be paid to:

- RO34RNCB0082044174100006
- Swift: RNCBROBU
- Banca Comerciala Romana (BCR), Sucursala Unirea, Bucuresti
- Account holder: **FEDERATIA AERONAUTICA ROMANA**

13. Airfield Information and the Box



- ARP DEVA Airfield WGS-84 Coordinates – **22 57' 58"E 45 51' 59"N**

14. How to get to Deva airfield

- 14.1.1. Deva airfield is located about 6 km east from the town DEVA.
- 14.1.2. after exiting the town DEVA in the direction Sibiu, after passing Santuhalm, on the left side will see a company named DHS. After the company DHS, turn left and in a few hundred meters, you will arrive to the airfield. (see map below)

