



23RD FAI WGAC

11TH FAI WAGAC

28.07-08.08.2021 LESZNO · POLAND

23rd FAI WORLD GLIDER AEROBATIC CHAMPIONSHIPS

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LESZNO AIRFIELD
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POLISH AERO CLUB

Dear Participants

It is a great pleasure to officially invite you to participate in 23rd FAI World Glider Aerobatic Championships and 11th FAI World Advanced Glider Aerobatic Championships.

The COVID-19 pandemic, which has turned the world upside down, forced us to postpone the World Glider Aerobatic Championships to 2021.

We hope, that the horrible time will be over soon and everything, what has been impacted due the COVID-19, including aviation sports, will get back to normal. We also believe, that nothing will change our plans anymore and we'll together enjoy the great atmosphere and unforgettable sports emotions during World Glider Aerobatic Championships 2021 in Leszno.

Please find below all relevant details for your preparation. In case something remains unclear, do not hesitate to contact the organising team.

We are looking forward to see you in Leszno!

Jerzy Makula

WGAC Contest Director

Michał Graczyk

WGAC Coordinator
Leszno Airfield Foundation

I. GENERAL INFORMATION

1. Place and date

The 23rd FAI World Glider Aerobatic Championships and 11th FAI World Advanced Glider Aerobatic Championships will be held at the Leszno Airfield (ICAO: EPLS, Leszno, Poland), from 28th July to 8th August 2021.

2. Organisers

The 23rd FAI World Glider Aerobatic Championships and 11th FAI World Advanced Glider Aerobatic Championships will be organised by the Leszno Airfield Foundation (Fundacja Lotnisko Leszno) in collaboration with Polish Aero Club (Aeroklub Polski).

3. Contest categories

The World Glider Aerobatic Championships will be held in two contest categories:

- Unlimited Glider (UG) - 23rd FAI World Glider Aerobatic Championships
- Advanced Glider (AG) - 11th FAI World Advanced Glider Aerobatic Championships

4. Organiser contact details

Address	Fundacja Lotnisko Leszno Szybowników 28 64-100 Leszno, Poland
Telephone	+48 503 089 948
E-mail	info@wgac2021.pl
Official website	www.wgac2021.pl
Social media	facebook.com/lotniskoleszno fb.me/e/Pqxy596J twitter.com/wgac2021

5. Airfield details (event location)

Address	Lotnisko Leszno Szybowników 28 64-100 Leszno, Poland
Airfield details	Name: Leszno – Strzyżewice ICAO code: EPLS Coordinates: 51°50'06"N 016°31'19"E Elevation: 310 ft AMSL
Time zone	CEST (UTC + 2h)
Airfield frequency	122.305
Airfield contact	mobile: +48 577 215 344 e-mail: info@lotniskoleszno.pl website: www.lotniskoleszno.pl

6. Registration

The entries (online entry form for participants and NAC registration form) will be available from 1st January 2021 on the official contest website www.wgac2021.pl.

REGISTRATION / PAYMENT SCHEDULE

Preliminary (NAC) entries due	30 April 2021
Pilots (participants) registration deadline	31 May 2021
Entry fee payment deadline	31 May 2021

7. COVID-19

According to the FAI, national and local health authorities, all recommendations will be announced by the WGAC organisers as early as possible via bulletins, social media and on official contest website.

II. CHAMPIONSHIPS SCHEDULE

Unofficial (free) training	17 – 24 July 2021
Familiarisation flights	24 – 27 July 2021
Registration	24 – 28 July 2021
Judging seminar	28 July 2021, 9:00 – 15:00 LT
Mandatory opening briefing	28 July 2021, 16:00 LT
Opening ceremony	28 July 2021, 18:00 LT
Contest days	29 July – 7 August 2021
Closing ceremony (prize giving)	7 August 2021, 18:00 LT
Farewell party	7 August 2021, 20:00 LT
Departures	8 August 2021

III. CHAMPIONSHIPS OFFICIALS

Contest director	Jerzy Makula
President of the International Jury	Manfred Echter
Member of the International Jury	Madelyne Delcroix
Member of the International Jury	Kari Kemppi
Chief Judge	Philippe K�uchler
Judges	Steff Hau Tamara Dovgalenko Bela Guraly Maciej Bialek Vytautas Tautkevicius Remy Louvel Luca Andraghetti

IV. FEES AND PAYMENT DETAILS

1. The entry fee does not include the competitors expenses of the accommodation, meals nor the towing service.
2. Payment of the registration fee must be done via bank-transfer.
3. The deadline of entry fee payment is 31 May 2021.
4. If payment is made later than 31 May 2021 or at the contest site, an additional 150 EUR fee will be charged.
5. Any payments charges (transfer bank costs etc.) should to be paid by the participant.
6. In case of entry fee refunds, the refunded amount will be reduced by bank fees or any other transfer charges.
7. If a competitor is disqualified from the event according to FAI Sporting Code, entry fee will not be refunded.
8. The entry fee covers farewell party (competitors and team members).

FEES

Fee	Amount	Refund policy
Entry fee - competitor	750 EUR	100% refund before 31 May 2021, 50% refund before 31 June 2021
Entry fee - team member	300 EUR	
Farewell party	60 EUR	no refund
Towing 1250 m AMSL	70 EUR	N/A
Towing 800 m AMSL	50 EUR	N/A
Protest	60 EUR	100% returned if the protest is upheld

BANK DETAILS

Bank name	PKO Bank Polski S.A.
IBAN	PL24 1020 3088 0000 8102 0127 6161
SWIFT (BIC code)	BPKOPLP
ACCOUNT OWNER	Fundacja Lotnisko Leszno
REMARK	WGAC2021 or WAGAC2021 + Participant name

V. REGULATIONS

1. The FAI 23rd WGAC & 11th WAGAC 2021 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 Civil Aviation Authorities of Poland
 - Local regulations.
2. The official languages during the FAI 23rd WGAC & 11th WAGAC 2021 is English.
3. The FAI 23rd WGAC & 11th WAGAC 2021 participants must be members of NACs. Only the entries submitted by NACs will be accepted. The participants unable to represent any NAC may be authorized to participate by the FAI Executive Board or the Air Sport Commission concerned, (FAI Sporting Code General Section 4.5.1).
4. All competitors have to be holders of:
 - valid glider pilot's license with an aerobatic extension according to competitor's national legislation
 - valid FAI sporting license
 - valid medical certificate.
5. All competitors must produce evidence of adequate third party insurance valid for the duration of the contest and valid in the organiser's country.
6. All participating gliders have to satisfy performance criteria essential for competition flights.
7. A valid aerobatic certificate of airworthiness or equivalent document issued by the competent aviation authority of the participant's country must be produced to the organisers for every contest glider aircraft (FAI Sporting Code Section 6 1.2.7.1).
8. All participating gliders must have the certificate of insurance against third party liability covering a minimum limit according to EU 785/2004, valid in Poland, for the duration of the contest and trainings.
9. More information about FAI 23rd WGAC & 11th WAGAC 2021 will be published in the Bulletin 2 and on the official contest website www.wgac2021.pl.

VI. ACCOMMODATION

1. Apartments at Leszno Airfield

Five, renovated in 2021, comfortable apartments for 4-6 guests, with a separate, fully furnished and equipped kitchen, located at the Leszno Airfield. More details and fares on www.wgac2021.pl. Contact: +48 577 215 344

2. Camping

Campsite with a capacity of 100+ people located at the Leszno Airfield area, equipped with electric plugs boxes, showers/WC and fully equipped kitchen. Contact: +48 695 370 701.

PRICES

1 person / night	5 EUR
1 tent / night	5 EUR
1 camper / night	10 EUR

3. Hotels

Hotels in the nearest area to the Leszno Airfield:

- Hotel Akwawit (3 stars standard, distance: 3 km, www.hotelakwawit.pl)
- Hotel AchToTu (2 stars standard, distance: 300 m, www.achtotu.com.pl)
- Motel Moya (2 stars standard, distance: 100 m, www.mojaleszno.pl/motel/)

VII. CONTEST BOX

