



EAC2023

22° EUROPEAN AEROBATIC
CHAMPIONSHIP

ITALY

Pavullo nel Frignano – Modena

September 9th – 16th 2023

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1. Organizer

1.1. The 22th FAI European Aerobatic Championship will be organized by the Aeroclub of Pavullo nel Frignano (MO) Italy , rappresented by The President Roberto Gianaroli

2. Regulations

2.1. The FAI and CIVA Regulations for this event are :

FAI Sporting Code – General Section

FAI Sporting Code – Section 6 – 2023 Edition

FAI Anti-Doping Rules

Italian Civil Aviation Regulations

Local airfield Regulations

2.2 The official languages of the contest will be English and Italian.

2.3. Participants are responsible for obtaining if necessary all authorizations to enter the Italian territory (passport, visa,..). Customs formalities can be made at Bologna Airport (LIPE)

3. Location

3.1. The event will take place at Pavullo nel Frignano Airport located about 70 km West -South-West of BOLOGNA City, in the north part of Italy, in the center of Emilia Romagna Region.

Airport ICAO Code : LIDP – Uncontrolled Airport

Traffic Operational hours : SR-SS (+-30)

ATS Operator : Radio Frequency 124.980Mhz

Address Via teichfuss, 6 cap 41026 Pavullo nel Frignano (MO)-Italy

Phone number 0536-324613

Web site www.aeroclubpavullo.it

Fuel Available : Avgas 100LL

Oil : Available

Runway :

Orientation : 02/20 Concrete

Elevation : 2244 ft (684 mt) a.m.s.l.

Dimension: 1240 mt x 23 mt

Direction 02: TORA 1190mt TODA 1240 mt ASDA 1120 mt LDA 861 mt

Direction 20: TORA 930 mt TODA 930 mt ASDA 930 mt LDA 1073 mt

Hangar : available

Weather forecast : Auto station

4. Schedule :

September 3th – 8th

Arrival.

Registration

Training days at LIDP

Reservation slot in advance at the website www.eac2023.it (Flights and Results section)

September 9th

16PM to 17PM Open Briefing

17:30PM Open Cerimony and special dinner

From September 10th to September 15th

Contest from 9AM to 12AM and From 15PM to 19PM

September 16th (SAT)

Free style From 9AM to 12AM

Awards and Closing Ceremony

Gala dinner

September 17th

Departures

Note : No training flight before registration.

Note : This schedule may be altered due to technical and organizational reasons as well as weather conditions.

5. Training Flights

5.1. They are provided on the site of the contest from 3th to the 8th September.

A schedule will have to be filled in on the website of the contest www.eac2023.it. Each pilot must select an available slot for a training flight between 9.00 until 19.00. In case of bad weather conditions, both the Flight Director (FD) and the pilot will agree on another slot. The FD can modify the order of the training flight.

6. Accommodation

6.1. Accommodation will be booked by Organisation in high standard hotels in the center of City of Pavullo (10 minutes walk from the airport, 5 minutes by car)

6.2. Entry fee includes 9 nights from September 8th (check in) until 17th September in the morning (check-out) in a Double room. Extra fee of 20 Euros par days for a single room.

6.3. Teams or pilots **arriving earlier** will have to pay their accommodation fuel and oil consumption. Organisation can provided to hotel reservation and meals at 150 euros each days.

6.4. Shuttles between hotels and airfield will be provided by our sponsor from 8th to 17th September

6.5. Accommodation :
High standards hotel

7. Entry Eligibility

7.1. All the entries will be accepted according to the FAI Sporting Code, section 6 chapter 1.2.4 and 1.2.5

7.2. The entries for competitors will be accepted through the National Airports Control (NACs) according to the FAI Sporting Code, Section 6, 1.2.4. and 1.2.5.

7.3. Other team members, as defined in the FAI Sporting Code, Section 6 Part 1, and 1.2.6) may enter as National team members. Entries are only accepted through the NAC controls.

7.4. Admission of observers of National team is accepted (1.2.6). The entry fee for observers is the same as for non-competitor team members. Entries are only accepted through the NACs (1.2.6).

7.5. The organizers accept entrants "Hors concours" (H/C) according to Sporting Code, section 6, 1.2.6., as long as they can provide evidence of appropriate and current Unlimited level experience.

7.6. The organizers may limit the number of H/C entrants depending on the number of NAC competitors at the Championships. Priority given to H/C will be based on the date of reception of the valid entry form and the fully paid entry fee.

7.7. Registration will be valid and complete only after the submitted Official Entry forms are validated, and the full entry fees paid.

7.8. Online and registration paper form and other relevant information will be available on the official contest website. **Pre-registration form is available on website www.eac2023.it and can be submitted in advance to facilitate coordination.**

8. Pilot

8.1. Pilot entry requirements

- Valid EASA pilot license for flight aerobatics or ICAO compliance
- Valid pilot medical certificate
- Valid FAI Sporting License
- Valid personal insurance policy

9. Aircraft

9.1. Each aircraft participating in the competition must have a valid Certificate of Airworthiness for unlimited aerobatics. 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 organizers for every contest aircraft. (FAI Sporting Code 1.2.7)

9.2. Aircraft of experimental category must have an Easa permit to fly. Overfly, take off and landing in the Italian airspace is allowed for 28 consecutive days.

10. Insurance

10.1. All aircraft using the Italian airspace must be insured for the liability of damages caused by operation of the aircraft to third parties in compliance with the conditions of the Regulation (EC) No 785/2004 of 21/08/2004 covering a minimum amount in SDR (Special Drawing Rights) according with the following MTOW :

- Up to 1000 kg 1.500.000 SDR (approx. 1.900.000 €)

10.2. Each aircraft must have a Certificate of Insurance for use in an aerobatic FAI competition

11. Entry Fee :

11.1. Competitors (double bed room): **2 840 €**

11.2. Team members and observers (double bed room): **1 900 €**

11.3. Additional charged for single room: **20 € par Day**

11.4. The entry fee covers :

Accommodation from 8th (check in) till 17th of September (9 nights),

3 meals a day (breakfast, lunch and dinner)

AVGAS 100LL and Oil for the competition flights (D100 or 15W50)

Transfers between hotel and airfield

Opening and Closing ceremonies (including meals)

Entertainments provided by the organizer

Entry fee must be paid before June 1st. After June 1st an additional charge

11.5 Deadlines

Entry fee must be paid in full within June 1st. See the table below for late and very late payment

11.5.1. If the organizers cancel the EAC 2023 before 15th June the whole entry fee will be refunded. After 15th July all unspent EAC funds will be used to repay as much of the entry as possible with priority given to participants who have been the first ones to pay their entry fees.

11.5.2. If a registered pilot or official has to cancel his participation, his NAC can substitute another pilot or official with no financial penalty. If a participant cancels his entry, through the NAC information, the proportion of the fee will be refunded as explained below :

Before **June 1st**: 100% refund

From **June 1st until July 1st** : 50% refund

After **July 1st** : no refund

Competitors			Other team members	
Payment date	Double	Single	Double	Single
Regular - before June 1st	2840 €	3040 €	1900 €	2100 €
Late - before July 1st	3040 €	3240 €	2100 €	2300 €
Very late - After July 1st	3240 €	3440 €	2300 €	2500 €

12. Free Sequence Submission

12.1. According to the FAI Sporting Code, Section 6, Part 1, 2.2.d) the Free sequence of each competitor is submitted not earlier than **8th August** to the contest organizer and not later than **7st September**(14.00 LT) on the contest site.

12.2. Competitors have to submit their free Known sequence (Programme 1) to the e-mail address of the organizers for checking and confirmation for validation.

12.3. Free sequences are submitted using OpenAero drawing software (seq format). Sequence must be drawn using the latest available software version. The computer file must contain completed pages for the three forms (A, B and C).

13. Anti-Doping Policy

13.1. All pilots participating to the contest may be subject to an anti-doping control instructed by the world anti-doping agency.

13.2. All information and prohibited substances and methods can be found on the web site <https://www.wada-ama.org>

14. Protest Fee

14.1. Protest can be submitted by paying 90 €.

15. Other cost

When not covered by the entry fee :

- AVGAS 100L : 3 € TTC/liter
- Oil Aero 100 ou Aero 80 : 12 €/liter
- Oil Aero 15W50 : 15 €/liter

Note : Fuel and oil prices are only given for information only and may be subject to change.

16. Officials

16.1. International jury

- President : Pierre VARLOTEAUX
- Members : Pekka HAVBRANDT, Steve TODD

16.2. Board of judges

- Chief Judge : Nick BUCKENHAM
- Judges: to be announced

16.3. Local officials

- Contest Director : Maurizio COSTA
- Flight Director : Fabio Venturelli
- Secretary : Sonia Venturelli
- Scoring Director : Severine Marteau
- Technical commission : Sergio Dallan, Tomaso Marzetti

17. Bank account for payment

Account Name : AERO CLUB PAVULLO SOCIETA' SPORTIVA DILETTANTISTICA A.R.L.

Adress of Bank :

BPER SPA - FILIALE DI PAVULLO NEL FRIGNANO

IBAN : IT 86 A 05387 66920 000001500903

BIC : BPMOIT22XXX

Remark : EAC 2023 - country – name(s)

18. Address for correspondence

Aeroclub Pavullo-	President Office	0536324613
Secretary-	Sonia Venturelli	+39 3924338189 sonia.venturelli@aeroclupavullo.it
Aeroclub Pavullo Address :	Via Teichfuss, 6, 41026 Pavullo nel Frignano (MO) ITALY	

19. Communications

The Nac and official form must be submitted at the following address :

registration@eac2023.it

The administration practies must be submitted to the following address:

administration@eac2023.it

The information can be submitted to the following address:

info@eac2023.it

20. Entry form

The forms are available on the website www.eac2023.it at the section "Documents".