

JURY REPORT

50. internationals IGO ETRICH Wanderpokalfliegen 2015

F3A World Cup Event

16.05.2015 to 17.05.2015; Salzburg-Eugendorf Modellflugzentrum Kraiwiesen (Austria)

Overview

The 50. Internationales IGO ETRICH Wanderpokalfliegen 2015 in Salzburg Eugendorf-Kraiwiesen was organised by Modellflugclub Salzburg under the auspices of the Austrian Aero Club. The championship was conducted on the MFC-Salzburg site near Eugendorf, and had 38 participants representing 8 nations.

The weather conditions on Saturday were cloudy, cold on Saturday morning with light wind and sunny in the afternoon. On Sunday cloudy and rainy in the morning.

Two rounds of P-15 were flown on Saturday from 8:00 to 19:30. On Sunday all pilots were allowed to fly a third round of schedule P-15. The best 8 pilots of the P-schedule flew one final round of F15.



Pre-contest information

One bulletin was issued by the organisers via Internet, covering all aspects of the competition, lodging, travelling, costs, procedures, etc. This was supported by a very functional website.

Lodging

Competitors, supporters, helpers, and officials were accommodated in several hotels within a short driving distance from the competition site. All the hotels were excellent and other options were available to competitors as well.



Competition site

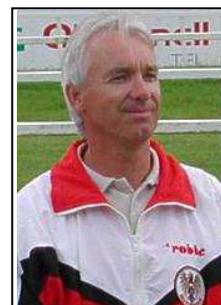
The site of the MFC-Salzburg flying club was reasonable for the competition, with a concrete long runway and soft grass surrounds. The manoeuvring area was clearly marked.

Spectators had easy access to the competition.

Organisation and execution

The competition was conducted smoothly, with one panel of five judges. The contest director, Mr Heinz Kronlachner, was a distinct asset to the event, with a firm, professional, yet fair and humane approach, always mindful of the requirements of the Sporting Code. His competition staff members were keen, willing, and knowledgeable, and accepted help and direction from the jury members readily.

Competitors were called in good time to execute their flights, by the contest director.





All score tabulation was done without problems, and scores were available during the flights because of the electronic input system used in Salzburg-Kraiwiesen since 1984. The scoring software designed by Oswald Hajek worked well, and there were no queries. TBL was used.

The flying standard was high, and a wide variety of equipment was used. Electrically-powered model aircraft accounted 90% of the entry.

Conduct of judges and jury

The jury members were in constant touch with the contest officials and there were no infringements of the Sporting Code. The judges performed their duties well.

There were no protests.

Judging panel comprising:

Norbert Polatschek (AUT)
Hermann Kleeb (LIE)
Pierre Pignot (FRA)
Alexander Tarsia (ITA)
Peter Uhlig (GER)



Supply of food and drinks and prize giving ceremony

On both days nice meals and cold and hot drinks were available at the clubhouse. The on-field prize giving ceremony took place on Sunday 17th Mayt , with the awarding of a lot of trophies.

Conclusion

The F3A– World Cup Contest 2015 in Salzburg-Kraiwiesen was a resounding success, and the organisers, staff, officials, participants, and sponsors need to be congratulated for their collective share. It was conducted in an atmosphere of excellent organisation, planning, execution, with sporting results.

FAI Jury, comprising:

Jutta Uhlig (GER jury president)
Franz Hauer (AUT)
Martin Rodemund (AUT)

May, 18th 2015

Jutta Uhlig, Jury President

