



**Club de  
Aeromodelismo  
Zamora**



## Bulletin 1

**2022 FAI F3A European Championship  
for Aerobatic Model Aircraft  
Coreses (Zamora) \_ SPAIN**

**August, 21 to 28, 2022  
Opening Ceremony Sunday, August 21<sup>st</sup>  
Closing Ceremony Sunday, August 28<sup>th</sup>**



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### ***COVID-19 Safety Information***

*Bulletin 2 and all the following documentation will include all the necessary information and the protocols that the organizers and the participants will have to follow in order to participate based on the national regulations and the FAI recommendations. Always the national regulations prevail at all times over FAI recommendations. From time to time, please visit the FAI web site COVID19 section for any updates. Our web site will also be updated for this matter when so needed.*

*Sanitary restrictions are to be observed at any time within the flying facilities.*

## **ORGANIZER:**



CLAZ is happy to be the host of the 2022 FAI F3A European Championship for Aerobatic Model Aircraft.

CLAZ (founded in 1985) is a major model club in Spain. We have organized many F3A competitions since 1985. Since 1994, the Open International Ciudad de Zamora (FAI F3A World CUP Event) takes place with around 40 pilots from more than 8 countries.

We have also been host of the 2002 FAI F3A European Championship for Aerobatic Model Aircraft and 2005 FAI F3C European Championship for Helicopter Model Aircraft.

CLAZ is member of FACL and RFAE.



## **EVENT MANAGEMENT:**

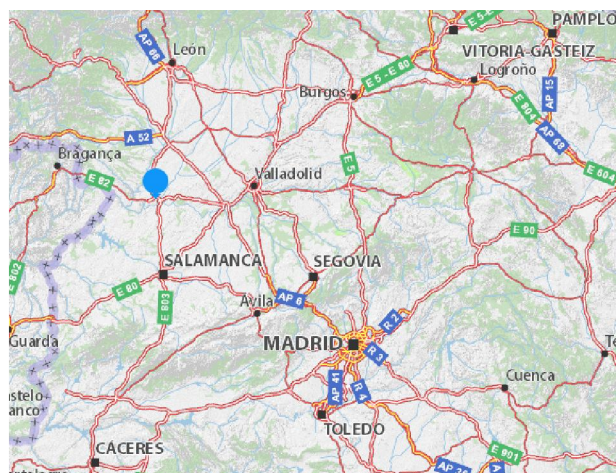
Mr. Antonio Coco	Event & Contest Director
Mr. Luis Losada	Deputy Event & Contest Director
Ms Lucia Losada	
Ms Alicia Losada	Secretariat
Mr. César Casado	Flight line Director 1
Mr. Rafael Pedrero	Flight line Director 2
Mr. Roland Poidevin	Computation
Mr. Alberto Avedillo	Computation
Mr. Jose Luis López	Computation & Internet access
Mr Héctor Yeboles	Webmaster
Mr. Santiago Salgado	Infrastructures
Mr. Juan A. Pascual	Infrastructures



## LOCATION:

**Zamora** is located in the centre of Spain, on the West of the Region of Castilla y León.

<https://www.spain.info/en/que-quieres/ciudades-pueblos/otros-destinos/zamora.html>



## ADDRESS OF CLUB AEROMODELISMO ZAMORA FLYING SITE:

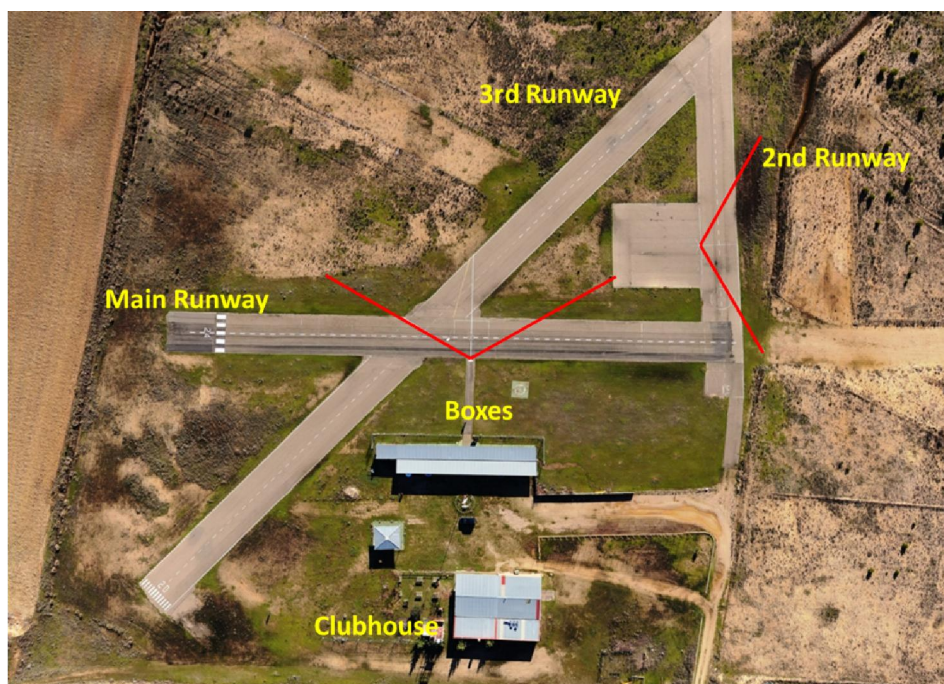
The facilities of Club Aeromodelismo Zamora are placed in Finca la Fadona, 7 Km. away from Zamora city.

**GPS: 41° 32' 42.56"N 5° 39' 32.56"W**





## FLYING SITE:



Three asphalt runways.

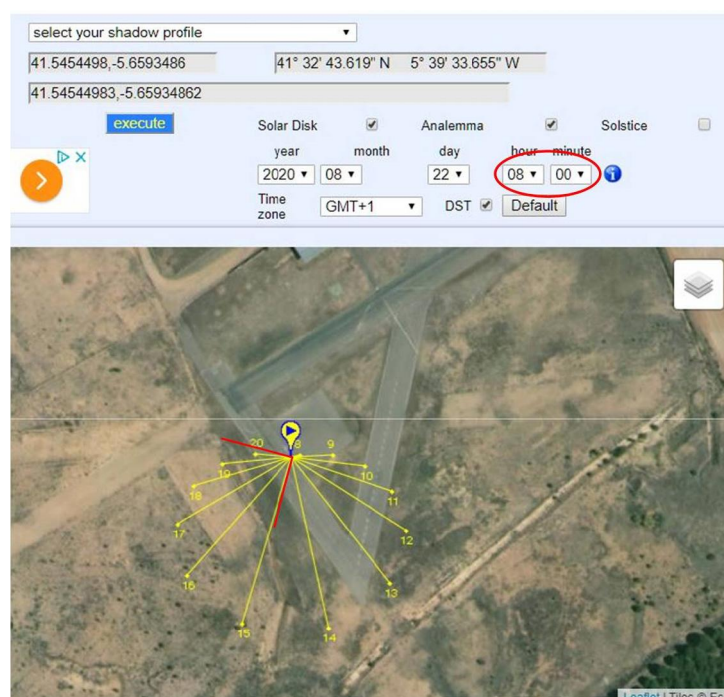
Boxes area.

Club House building.

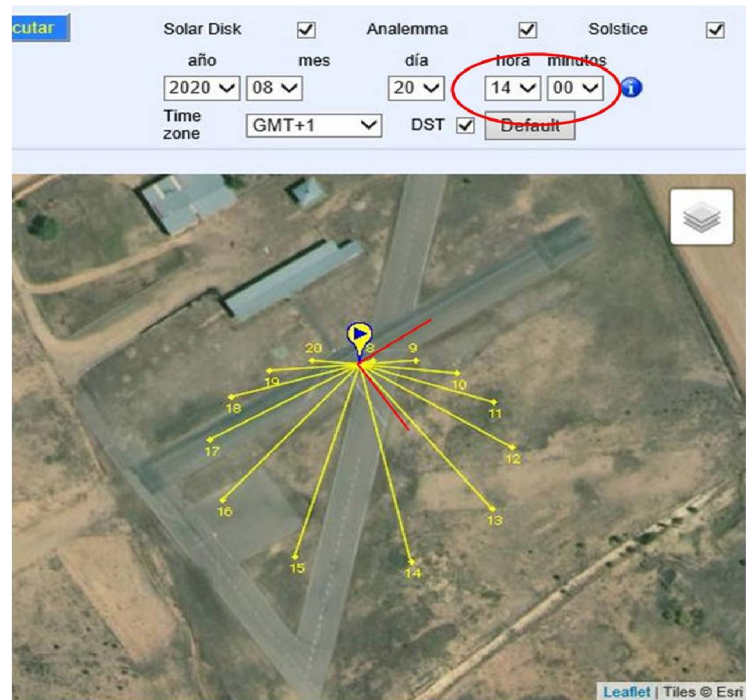
Sun will start in the morning at the right 120° limit and turn to the right, so no problem for visibility.

Altitude: 672 m above sea level.

## **Morning Flighthline:**



## Afternoon Fligthline:



## PICTURES OF THE FLYING SITE AND FACILITIES:

### Boxes



**Entrance to the facilities**



**Club House**



### **EVENT DATES:**

The event will be held from August, 21 to August, 28; 2022 (from Opening Ceremony to Closing Ceremony).

Weather conditions in AUGUST:      Mean daytime temperature is 15 - 30°C  
Wind speed: 13.5 Km/h average (25 August).  
South direction.

### **COMPETITION CLASS:**

FAI F3 Radio Control Aerobatics, Class F3A

### **COMPETITION RULES**

The championship will be run according to:

FAI Sporting Code Section 4 - Aeromodelling CIAM General Rules Volume 2022 Edition.

FAI Sporting Code Section 4 Aeromodelling Volume F3 Radio Control Aerobatics 2022 Edition.

FAI Code of Ethics

FAI Anti-Doping Rules.

### **ANTI-DOPING:**

If a competitor has to take, for a medical condition, any of substances listed on the WADA Prohibited List, then, she/he must have a "Therapeutic Use Exemption" (TUE) approved by FAI which will issue the TUE Certificate. Since the Prohibited List is updated by WADA not on a constant base, it is recommended to review from time to time the full section for Anti-Doping in the FAI Web site, <https://fai.org/anti-doping>. You will find all the necessary information.

### **FAI SPORTING LICENCES:**

Each competitor and team manager must possess an FAI Sporting License valid for 2022 and especially for the period of the event. The competitors and the Team Managers shall be listed in the FAI Sporting Licence database. The unique FAI ID number shall be provided during the registration period. Necessary information can be retrieved at the following link <https://fai.org/sporting-licences>

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



## **PROTESTS:**

Any protest must be presented in writing to the Contest Director and must be accompanied by the deposit of a fee of 50 Euros.

The protest must clearly state which rule or procedure/process in the Sporting Code was not followed or violated, and what restitution is expected. The protest fee is refundable if the protest is upheld by the FAI Jury.

Please take note that a protest is usually the last resort, if no satisfactory result has been obtained after an inquiry and then an official complaint. Please review, FAI Sporting Code General Section and CIAM General Rules.

The deposit is returned only if the protest is upheld.

## **OFFICIAL LANGUAGE:**

Official languages will be English and Spanish.

## **FAI JURY AND JUDGES' PANNEL**

### **FAI JURY:**

Mr. Peter Uhlig	FAI/Germany	President
Mr. Pierre Pignot	France	Member
Mrs Yolanda García	Spain	Member
Mr. Franco Sala	San Marino	1. Reserve
Mr Bob Romjin	Netherlands	2. Reserve

### **FAI Judges:**

○ Mr Emanuel Fernandes	Portugal
○ Mr. Javier Santamaria	Spain
○ Mr. Esa Eirola	Finland
○ Mr Gianluigi Giannoni	Italy
○ Mr. Peter Valanduyt	Belgium
○ Mr. Arnaud Bossard	France
○ Mrs Daniela Schmitter	Switzerland
○ Mr Dietrich Altenkirch	Germany
○ Mr. Tom Erik Sorensen	Norway
○ Mr. Sergii Cheporniuk	Ukraine

### **Reserve FAI Judges:**

Mr. Franco Sala	San Marino	Reserve (on site)
Mr Bob Romjin	Netherlands	
Mr César Casado	Spain (only for the Spanish Judge)	

We will have Mr Franco Sala on site, to serve both as reserve in the judges panel and FAI jury.





### **Scoring System:**

Notaumatic (same as used at the 2019 F3A FAI World Championship for Aerobatic Model Aircraft).

### **COMPOSITION OF A TEAM:**

Every FAI affiliated European National AeroClub (National Airsport Control Organisation) may enter a team consisting of:

- a Team Manager.
- a maximum of five competitors provided that at least one is a junior (age limit 18 years in the year 2022) and at least one is a woman.
- Official helpers
- Supporters

The reigning individual Champion Christophe Paysant Le Roux (France) and Junior Champion, Mr Andrea Cervi (Italy), provided that he will still be a junior pilot ,have the right (subject to the approval of his NAC) to participate in the championship. If they are not a member of the national team, their score will not be considered in the team results.

### **CLASSIFICATION AND AWARDS:**

FAI Medals (Gold, Silver, Bronze) and FAI Diplomas will be awarded following the to the FAI S/C to:

1st, 2nd, 3rd European Individual Champions.

1st, 2nd, 3rd European Junior Champions.

1st, 2nd, 3rd European Women Champions.

1st, 2nd, 3rd European Team Champions.

### **FAI Trophies:**

Individual Champion: “J. de Dobbelleer Trophy”

(current holder Christophe Paysant Le Roux \_ France)

Junior Champion: “Her Serene Highness Princess Marie of Liechtenstein Trophy”

(current holder Mr. Andrea Cervi, Italiy)

Team Champion: “Capitain Luc Mommer Trophy”

(current holder Team France).



## **SCHEDULE:**

Friday, August 19:		Early arrival and registration of teams
Saturday, August 20:		Arrival and registration of teams and officials.
	13:00-19:00	Official practice and model processing (part 1)
	20:00-21:00	Team-Managers' meeting; start order draw for Preliminary Rounds.
Sunday, August 21:	07:00-14:00	Official practice and model processing (part 2)
	09:30-12:00	Theoretical Judges briefing
	14:30-15:30	Judges briefing and practice P-23
	16:00-19:00	Opening ceremony
Monday, August 22:	07:00-19:00	Preliminary rounds – day 1.
Tuesday, August 23:	07:00-19:00	Preliminary rounds – day 2
Wednesday, August 24:	07:00-19:00	Preliminary rounds – day 3
Thursday, August 25:	07:00-19:00	Preliminary rounds – day 4
Friday, August 26:		Reserve day (it can change if needed)
	09:00-11:00	Judges briefing and practice F-23
	18:00-22:00	“CLAZ Evening” on the competition site with start order draw for semi finalists
Saturday, August 27:	07:00-18:00	Semi-final rounds, F-23
	19:00-20:30	Team-Managers meeting, finalists, judges, draw of unknown schedules, start order draw for finalists etc.
Sunday, August 28:	07:00-16:00	Final rounds, Unknown 1, F-23, Unknown 2.
	17:00-19:00	Closing ceremony, awards,
	21:00	Banquet <b>(1)</b>
Monday, August 29:		Departure of teams and officials

**All activities are on competition site except (1).**



## **ENTRY FEES:**

Team manager	EUR 370.-
Senior competitor	EUR 450.-
Junior competitor	EUR 250.-
Official Helper	EUR 90.-
Supporter	EUR 80.-
Banquet:	EUR 50.-

A competitor who will also be team manager will only pay the higher entry fee.

## **DEADLINES:**

Preliminary Entry Forms must be received not later than **February 20th, 2022**.

Official Final Entry Forms must be received not later than **May 15th, 2022**.

Entry Forms received after May 15th, 2022 cannot be accepted anymore!

All **entry fees** must be received **not later than May 20th, 2022**. Entry fees submitted after May 20th will incur a 15 % penalty. Any entry fee submitted more than 30 days after May 20th, 2022 will incur a 20 % penalty or may be refused by the organizer.

**Payment of entry fees will not be accepted at the arrival and registration of the team!**

If a competitor or team withdraws from the European Championship after having paid the entry fees, a refund will be considered only in case of force majeure or exceptional circumstances.

## **COVID-19 DEADLINE:**

**As it happened last year with all World or Continental Championships, as organizers we will be in direct contact with CIAM Bureau in order to evaluate together the situation and decide accordingly. As always public health is and will be our top priority. If it will be required to cancel or postpone the event, this will be announced to you not later than 15<sup>th</sup> July 2022.**

## **PRELIMINARY ENTRY FORM:**

Each National Aero Club (Nation Airsport Control Organisation) which plans to send a team to the European Championship is requested to fill out the enclosed Preliminary Entry Form and to return it to the correspondence address below to arrive not later than February 20<sup>th</sup>, 2022.

Return of the preliminary entry form is for information and planning purposes only and does not constitute an official entry by the NAC, nor does it commit a country to enter a team or send participants. However, only countries which returned the Preliminary Entry Form by February 1, 2022 will receive Bulletin 2 and the Final Entry Form, which must be returned by May 20<sup>th</sup>, 2022 including fees.





## **ACCOMMODATION:**

All accommodation procedures will be dealt by **VIAJES EROSKI\_Zamora**. Please, contact **Ms. Verónica Rosón** at the following e-mail address [v0356@viajeseroski.es](mailto:v0356@viajeseroski.es) to send your requirements and they will find the best alternative possible for your needs.

Contact phone: +34 980 671408

**All the procedures and payments related to accommodation have to be consulted with Viajes Eroski\_Zamora. They will give you any further information.**

Hotels available include

### **HOTEL NH ZAMORA\_Palacio del Duero 4\***

Plaza Horta, 1, 49002 Zamora.

**Prices per room Bed+Breakfast.**

DOUBLE ROOM	
Friday and Saturday	Weekdays
123 €	105 €
DOUBLE FOR INDIVIDUAL USE	
Friday and Saturday	Weekdays
113 €	95 €
TRIPLE	
Friday and Saturday	Weekdays
163 €	145 €

Lunch or dinner in the hotel restaurant: 20€ per meal.

### **HOTEL ZENIT DOS INFANTAS 4\***

Calle Cortinas San Miguel, 3, 49015 Zamora.

**Prices per room Accomodation.**

DOUBLE ROOM	
Friday and Saturday	Weekdays
88€	77 €
DOUBLE FOR INDIVIDUAL USE	
Friday and Saturday	Weekdays
61 €	57 €
BREAKFAST NOT INCLUDED: 9.50/person	

Lunch or dinner in the hotel restaurant: 18€ per meal.



## **HOTEL AC ZAMORA\***

Prices **per room** Bed+Breakfast.

Av. del Príncipe de Asturias, 43, 49029 ZAMORA

DOUBLE ROOM
88€
DOUBLE FOR INDIVIDUAL USE
78€

## **CASAS RURALES.**

Several offers will be offered within the area to host people in accommodation in guest houses.

### **Camping**

**There will be no camping facilities available at the contest site!**

There are NO camping facilities nearby. The nearest facilities are in Puebla de Sanabria (Zamora), 120 kms from the flying site.

## **CATERING – RESTAURANTS:**

Organizer will provide food on the flying site during the competition days, prices from € 10,00 to € 14,00.

Application form for meals will be made available to the TM after reception of the Final Entry Form.

Several restaurants are available at less than 15 km from the airfield.

## **INSURANCE:**

The organizer has insurance covering risks for third party liability. All visitors are required to have their own medical and travel insurance.

## **RADIO CONTROL FREQUENCIES:**

According to Section 4 – Aeromodelling Volume F3 Radio Control Aerobatics 5.1.11.

**b) Only Spread Spectrum Radio control systems are allowed**

## **BULLETIN 2**

Bulletin 2 will be published on March 1, 2022.



## **MODEL AIRCRAFT SPECIFICATION CERTIFICATES:**

According to Section 4 – Aeromodelling CIAM General Rules C.11.1 and C.12 Model aircraft, shall carry:

The national identification mark followed by FAI Unique ID number. The letters and numbers must be at least 25 mm high and appear at least once on each model.

Note: The list of the national identification marks (3 letters per country) is downloadable from “Documents” section of the CIAM website <http://www.fai.org/ciam-documents>

A model identification code (letters and/or numbers). This code has to be different for each nominated model aircraft of the competitor. The model identification code is to appear on each main part of the model (wing(s), tail, front and rear fuselage if detachable) so that the individual parts of a competitor's different models may be separately identified. The letters and/or numbers must be at least 10 mm high and clearly visible. The identification code of the nominated models must be recorded on the Model Aircraft Specification Certificate.

For World or Continental Championships, each NAC shall process every model and shall issue for each model aircraft a Model Aircraft Specification Certificate, provided by the FAI. A sticker, also provided by the FAI or marking to the pattern of this sticker, shall appear on each model.

Each competitor must present a correctly completed FAI Specification Certificate for each model aircraft entered in accordance with the Sporting Code. Specification certificates must be signed and stamped by the National Aero Club (National Airsport Control Organisation).

Model aircraft not properly processed by their NAC, with FAI certificates and stickers, must be processed by the organiser at a cost of 8 Euro for each model.

## **PRACTICES SITES:**

Several practice sites will be available at less than 1 hour from the contest site.

The list will be provided in bulletin 2.

## **MODEL AIRCRAFT FUEL:**

Please contact organizer if you need Methanol, Molsyn Oil or Nitromethane.

## **LIPO BATTERIES AVAILABILITY**

The organization will provide batteries for the electric motors, if requested.

An order form will be included in Bulletin 2. Only pre-ordered batteries will be available on site.





## **VISA REQUIREMENTS:**

All individuals travelling to Spain have to obtain eventually required visas well in time by themselves. Invitation letters will be issued by the Organizers under request.

## **REGISTRATION OF THE NATIONAL TEAMS:**

Only the team-manager will proceed to the team registration on the airfield.

The TM needs to bring the following:

- Copy of banking payment receipts.
- One national flag (approx. 1 m x 1.5 m).
- CD or USB key with the national anthem in format MP3.  
Or send us the MP3 file via WeTransfer.
- A list of the team members with FAI IDs.

Model Aircraft Specification Certificates will be required for processing.

## **TRANSPORTATION:**

The nearest International airports are:

- ☐ Valladolid\_Villanubla (distance 95 km by car to the airfield)
- ☐ Madrid\_Adolfo Suarez (distance 255 km by car to the airfield)

For judges and Jury, CLAZ will organise transportation from airport to contest site (for arrival & departure) and from contest site to the hotel.

## **Entry Fee payments:**

### **National Team XXXX**

#### **Club Aeromodelismo Zamora**

Bank: Caja Rural de Zamora

IBAN: ES18 3085 0011 19 1096615628

SWIFT: BCOEESMM085

**Bank charges payable by the sender.**

## **CORRESPONDENCE/WEBSITE:**

Website: <http://www.2022f3a-eczamora.com>

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(From 15.00 hrs CET to 20.00 hrs CET)

Postal Address: C/ Obispo Acuña s/n Ciudad Deportiva - Despacho N°1  
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