

Sailplane Grand Prix

2014 World Sailplane Grand Prix Final

2014-2015 Qualifying Sailplane Grand Prix
series

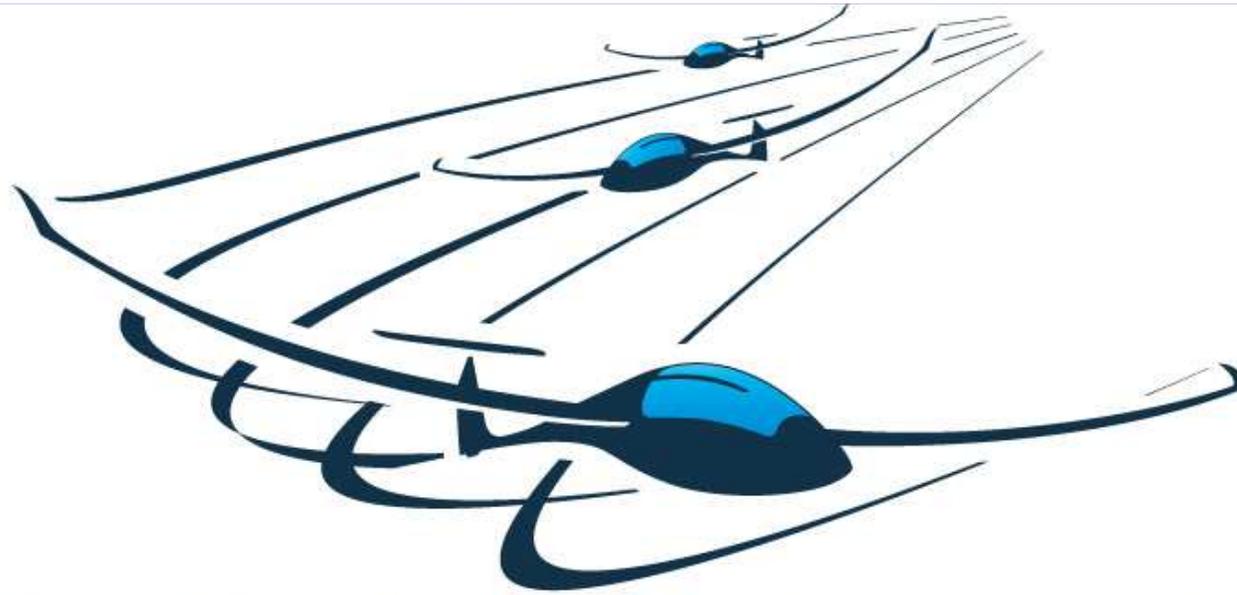
2015 World Sailplane Grand Prix Final, Varese, Italy
Proposal to change the class for the Sailplane Grand

IGC/FAME Grand Prix Company

Prix final in Varese 2014

Sailplane Racing web-site

IGC Ranking list



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What is happening with the SGP?

Objectives of SGP

Promote gliding as a competitive sport

Create media opportunities.

Provide NAC's with an event to promote gliding.



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What has been achieved?

- 4 SGP World finals
- 3 films including Gladiators in the Sky and Sailplane GP in the Andes.
- Masses of YouTube type videos.
- Development of live race coverage.
- Change in attitude of event organisers.



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What is still to do?

- Create value with the series
 - Tell the sport story!
- Provide support material



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SGP 2014 final in Sisteron

It has been announced by the IGC that the Sailplane Grand Prix final for the current season will be held at Sisteron (France).

Deadline for entries	April 1 st 2014
Official training	May 8 th 2014
Opening Ceremony	May 9 th 2014
Competition	May 9 th to May 16 th 2014
Prize Giving Ceremony	May 16 th 2014

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5th SGP World Final - France

Qualified pilots

Giorgio Galetto	ITA		Current Champion
Petr Beneš	CZE		Previous



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6th SGP World Final

2014-2015 Series

2012-2013 Series

2010-2011 Series

2008-2009 Series

2006-2007 Series

2005 Series

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Robert Schroeder	GER		Potchefstroom

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5th FAI Sailplane Grand Prix



Mike 
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world ranking :
n° 21

GREAT BRITAIN

Aérodrome Sisteron-Vaumeilh
8 au 16 Mai 2014



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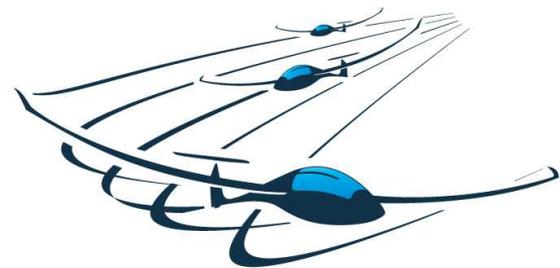


2014 Final Sisteron

- 20 Entries
- Positive response to partners and finances
- Professional video company
- Media links for news
- Highlights programme
- Public involvement

2014/5 6th Series

- Eight events
- Common branding
- Strong commitment from organisers



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Final 2015



Varese

6th Series Final Varese

- Qualifying event in 2014
- Strongly committed organising team
- On board video being developed

Main challenges

- Find commercial SGP team members.
- Develop media focus.
- Prepare support media material.
- Provide commercial support.



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Current focus

- Develop race highlight programme.
- Consolidate the brand.
- Develop media support material.

- Recruit SGP team members.
- Reaffirm SGP independent management.

(FAME)

Proposal :-

To hold the 2015 6th Sailplane Grand Prix final in the 18m class.

The SGP management group recommend the acceptance of the class change for the following reasons:-

- The SGP final as our prime promotional event should take place with the latest and most technically advanced sailplanes.
- In the past few years we have had qualifying events in 18m, 15m and even in Club class, all qualifying pilots always flew 15m in the final.
- Many of the top pilots qualifying for the final already compete in the 18m class.
- The 18m Class is the latest technology and this is an important point to present to potential sponsors and partners.
- 18m class mostly have turbo's or motors which increases the options for future event locations.
- 18m gliders are becoming more widely available.
- Many of the Worlds' top pilots have migrated into the 18m class and it is really important that the SGP continues to attract the Worlds' top pilots and maintain credibility as the IGC flagship promotional event.

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Sailplane Racing web site

- First WGC already using the site
- Development required on event management feature.

Objectives of SPR web portal

- Create value for organizers by providing useful tools
- Increase quality of event presentation by establishing close working relations with event organizers
- Create a single broadcast channel for viewers to follow glider racing
- Do all this through a process that is owned and managed by the IGC



9TH JUNIOR WORLD GLIDING CHAMPIONSHIPS

NARROMINE 2015

News



The Gliding Federation of Australia and the Narromine Gliding Club are pleased to be hosting the 2015 Junior World Gliding Championships in Narromine, Australia.

Another huge year at Narromine

As the Australian summer and soaring season draws to a close, we look back on another great summer of flying at Narromine...



- Junior Pre-Worlds
- Another huge year at Narromine
- Narromine to Host 2015 Junior Worlds

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Competition begins...

1 Dec - 12 Dec
633 days 11 hrs 25 m 37 s

Pilots and Classes

Class: club	Adam Webb	AUS	Std Cirrus	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
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Class: standard	Terry Cubley	AUS	LS8	<input type="checkbox"/>
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Current work

- First events: JWGC, WWGC, 13.5m WGC
- Focus : make it work
- Add all Category 1 events
- Ease of use by event organizers
- Advice on media presentation and promotion

Ranking list integration

- Contest entry interface
- Result upload
- Online payments
- Presentation

Future expectations

- All sanctioned contests
- Commercial partners
- Advertising
- Business

Questions & Discussion

