

Invitation and bulletin 1 12th Nordic Junior Gliding Championship 2016

The Norwegian Airsports Federation has the pleasure of inviting you to participate in the Nordic Junior Gliding Championship (NJGC), which will take place in Elverum, Norway from July 9th to 16th 2016. NJGC will be run in combination with the Norwegian National (FAI) Championship held at the same dates. The competition is open for all Nordic pilots born after the January 1st 1991. Each nation may enter unlimited number of pilots.

Location of the Event:

Elverum / Starmoen (ENHN)
N60.52,8 E011.40,4
Elevation 655'/218m
Starmoen radio 123,35

Ole Reistad Gliding Center
Located 140 km northeast of Oslo, 30 km east of Hamar and close to the Swedish border.
Host of the 3rd WGC club class in 2004.



Gliding in Norway

Starmoen is an excellent gliding site, with a variety of terrain options, ranging from agricultural areas to the south, hills and mountains to the north, and wild mountainous terrain to the northwest. Outlanding possibilities are good and almost always performed in the valleys. Soaring conditions in southeast part of Norway normally goes up to 2800 meter with thermals up to about 5 m/s. Dimension of the airfield is 1200x200 meter. The surface is grass with one asphalt strip 1180x8 meter.

Time Schedule

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| Invitation and Bulletin 1 | March 10 th |
| Preliminary entries Due | May 1 st |
| Bulletin 2 | June 1 st |
| Final Entries Due | June 1 st |
| Training | Until July 9 th |
| Registration | July 9 th |
| Configuration change closes | July 9 th at 20:00 |
| Main Contest Briefing | July 9 th at 20:30 |
| Contest flying | July 10 th – 16 th |
| Farewell party | July 16 th |
| Closing and prize giving ceremony | July 16 th |

Training

Ole Reistad Senter and the airfield at Starmoen is open for training from Easter and with full service every day from 1st of May.

Competition Class

The competition will be in one handicapped class using latest GFA Glider Handicaps multiclass (Australian handicap list). Water ballast will be allowed.

Two-seaters will be allowed providing that both pilots fulfil the requirements of participating in the competition.

Competition Officials

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| Competition director | Arild Solbakken |
| Deputy | Steinar Øksenholt |

Entry Fee

The entry fee for the competition is NOK 1800 and covers all operational costs during the competition except aerotows. Maps will be available for sale on the airfield.

Sign up your entry here: <http://booking.seilfly.no/>

The entry fee will be invoiced your national aero club (NAC) after 1st of June.

Aero Tows

Piper Pawnee and Piper Cub category tow planes will be in use during the wholecontest.

Towing fee: 600 meters 330 NOK

Accommodation

Camping (on site): 500 NOK/championship week

Single room (on site): 250 NOK/night

Double room (on site): 400 NOK/night

Cabins (on site, 4-5 beds): Friday-Sunday 6500 NOK

Thon Hotel Elverum (located in Elverum city, approx 10km from airfield)

General and local competition rules

The Championship rules shall comply with the rules and regulations laid down in the FAI Sporting Code (SC) General Section, Section 3 Gliding Annex A and with the procedures defined in the Local Procedures (LP). LP for gliding competitions at Starmoen, Revision 2016, are available here:

http://booking.seilfly.no/files/LokaleProsedyrer_rev_2016N-A%20rev00.pdf

Safety issues

With exception of mountainous area to northwest, out-landing options are sufficient and performed in the valleys where you will find farm land along the river.

Tasks are set so as to avoid extensive crossings of mountainous area.

A FLARM-installation is mandatory in every competing glider of the championship

Task Area

The task Area will be the same as used for the national championship and is sufficient for a number of varied tasks. More than 200 turn points have been identified. They cover a large region to the south, west and north of Elverum. The competition turn point list will be the same as used in the last years named Norway-South (NOSOUTH).

Altitude limitation is in general FL 95 in the south and 115 in the mountain areas to the north and northwest. There are a few airspace restrictions such as Gardermoen TMA, shooting areas at Elverum and Rena and two parachuting areas.

Turnpointlist:

<http://www.emap.no/wpserve/wps2/index.php?req=download&listid=NOSOUTH>

Airspace file:

<http://booking.seilfly.no/files/NorwayAirspace20150612.zip>

Official Homepage

The official homepage will be <http://booking.seilfly.no/>

We will also use Facebook so please join "Seilfly NM – Blogg"

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We are looking forward to seeing you at Starmoen this summer!

Best regards

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