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50km from Sun City : 100km from PTA : 120km from JHB

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Att : Jacqui Coetsee CHAIRMAN, SPORT SKYDIVERS ASSOCIATION

Ref : South African SkyDiving Nationals 2015 Bid Document

Ref : RSCNationalsBid2015 03 October 2014

Dear Jacqui

Please find herewith the SkyDive Rustenburg bid document for the Combined (3 Events) PASA 2015 Nationals to be held at Rustenburg SkyDiving Club over the period Sunday 26 April to Friday 01 May 2015

This bid includes the Skydiving Disciplines Formation Skydiving FS, Artistic Events AE and Canopy Formations CF – the hosting of a particular discipline is obviously dependent on there being sufficient competitor participation in that discipline by the Registration date provided.

We thank you for the SSA's consideration of the PASA Combined National 2015 at SkyDive Rustenburg and assure you of all possible cooperation and support from the Committee, Staff and Operators of SkyDive Rustenburg

Best Regards

Herman Grobler
Chairman RSC - 082 448 0784

Graham Field
Chief Instructor RSC – 074 198 0891

Please feel free to contact either one of us directly at any time should you have any queries or require further information.

1 – ORGANISOR DETAILS

1.1 DROP ZONE

SkyDive Rustenburg / Rustenburg SkyDiving Club
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Rustenburg Airfield
Northwest Province South Africa

1.2 ORGANISOR CONTACT DETAILS

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2 – OPERATIONS STAFF

2.1 MEET DIRECTOR

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2.2 ASSISTANT MEET DIRECTOR

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2.3 SAFETY OFFICER

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2.4 MANIFEST & ADMINISTRATION STAFF

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2.5 QUALIFIED LIFE SUPPORT

Will be provided on site – details after bid is awarded

2.6 CLEANING & MAINTENANCE STAFF

Provided by SkyDive Rustenburg

3 – JUDGING STAFF

Judging requirements have been discussed with Dirk Venter – 3 official judges as per recommendation have been allowed . We will provide the required space in the judging area for associated event trainee judges

3.1 JUDGING ROOM(S)

At time of bid this will be provided in one or more of the RSC chalets with suitable space and privacy requirements for the duration of the competition. There is the possibility of the adjacent large hanger with dedicated office space being made available to us for the duration of the competition TBA

3.2 JUDGING EQUIPMENT

Provided and set up by Judges

3.3 PRINTING AND ADMIN COSTS

Reasonable and adequate printing / admin costs for the judges to fulfil their service will be provided by Skydive Rustenburg.

3.4 DAILY MEALS

Three meals daily will be provided to approved judging staff on the official Nationals Dates from the RSC canteen

3.5 TRANSPORT COSTS

Skydive Rustenburg will facilitate where possible the transport to / from the event with other competitors for judges not locally based

3.6 JUDGES PAYMENT

Judges payment will be in accordance to the guidelines as provided by the SSA and in accordance to previous Nationals payment in this regard.

4 – JURY

4.1 PRESIDENT OF THE JURY

To be appointed by the Chief Judge and Event organiser prior to the start of the competition and announced at the Safety Briefing.

4.2 TWO JURY MEMBERS

To be appointed by the Chief Judge and Event organiser prior to the start of the competition and announced at the Safety Briefing.

5 – VIDEO REVIEW PANEL

This panel will be in accordance to the requirements as defined in item 5 of the 2015 request for bids document

6 – AIRCRAFT OPERATIONS AND GROUND CREW

6.1 AIRCRAFT

We will provide 2 (two) X328 Atlas Angel Turbine Aircraft fitted with in-flight doors, skydivers handles, skydivers steps and all required skydiving aids for the period 25 April to 01 May. In the event of unservicibility of the aircraft during the event, the Aircraft operators (Warbirds – Johan Lok) will assist in obtaining suitable replacements where required.

The Atlas Angels are regular jump aircraft at 4 South African drop Zones and require no further CAA certification. They are also known to most SA Skydivers and are readily available for pre-event training at any of the Gauteng Drop Zones.

6.2 AIRCRAFT COORDINATOR

Herman Grobler – Skydive Rustenburg will be responsible for this role as well as all pilot, ATC, fuelling liaison etc. All competitor, meet director and judging requirements will be discussed and agreed beforehand. In addition the Event Safety officer and / or meet director will liaise and coordinate between all parties regarding aircraft operations

6.3 PILOTS

Chief pilot will be Cornel Janse v Rensburg with 2nd pilot as required and supplied by aircraft operators for Warbirds – Johan Lok. In the event of incapacity or unavailability of either the 2 primary pilots then a back-up pilot will be provided by Warbirds.

6.4 LOADMASTERS

To be provided by Skydive Rustenburg as required – Safety Officer to coordinate

6.5 RADIO OPERATORS

To be provided by Skydive Rustenburg as required – Safety Officer to coordinate

6.6 REFUELLERS

To be provided by Skydive Rustenburg and coordinated by duty pilot(s)

7 – REGISTRATION FEE AND COSTS

7.1 REGISTRATION FEE

Registration fee per competitor or team member - R1 100 / per person

7.2 JUMP RATE & ALTITUDE

- Jump rate per jump will be R290 / jump to 11 000ft AGL or below
- Jump rate per jump will be R310 / jump to 13 000ft AGL – note that all jump altitudes are subject to ATC requirements / direction as is the norm at Skydive Rustenburg
- Jump altitude for all disciplines will be in accordance with altitudes required in bid document outline and FAA regulations. This altitude may be adjusted at the meet directors discretion for meteorological, safety and / or operational considerations as well as at the possible instruction of ATC
- Multiple teams may be accommodated on 1 run-in or as agreed by competitors and meet director.
- Note all re-jumps, practice rounds and judged practice rounds related to this competition will be for the competitors account.
- Re-jumps due to failure in event organization are for the account of SkyDive Rustenburg.

Note that the jump rate as listed above is in line with the anticipated increase in the fuel price and unfavourable exchange rates by the event date however we reserve the right to revise these rates in line with large discrepancies in recovery

7.3 SSA MEMBERSHIP

All competitors shall be fully paid up members of The Parachute Association of South Africa as well as the Sport Skydivers Association of South Africa as stipulated in item 7.3 of the Request for Bids document – members who have paid temporary membership are to note conditions.

8 – BUDGET

INCOME	Planned Income	Actual Income	EXPENSES	Planned Expense
Registration (50 competitors)	R 55 000,00	R 0,00	Equipment & Transport	
SSA Contribution	R 21 150,00	R 0,00	Discipline Equipment /Hire	R 0,00
Sponsorships	R 0,00	R 0,00	Equipment Transport	R 0,00
Other	R 0,00	R 0,00	Judging	
Total Income	R 76 150,00	R 0,00	Judging Fee	R 6 800,00
			Scoring System Hardware	R 6 000,00
			Scoring System Software	R 0,00
			Judge Accommodation, food & transport	R 11 000,00
			Consumables (printing, paper, etc.)	R 800,00
			Medical Facilities	
			EMS	R 7 500,00
			Aircraft	
			Aircraft Placement	R 2 500,00
			Municipal / Airport Inspectors	R 0,00
			Pilot Accommodation & Food	R 0,00
			Extra Operational capacity	
			Staff Food	R 0,00
			Extra Staff 3 x 7days	R 2 500,00
			Manifest Officer	R 0,00
			Infrastructure	
			Toilets / ablutions	R 0,00
			Marquee	R 6 000,00
			Access Cards	R 0,00
			Outdoor Screens for competitor scores	R 4 000,00
			Charcoal/Wood	R 700,00
			Skip for Waste	R 0,00
			Additional Equipment	R 3 000,00
			Fuel Tank	R 1 300,00
			Entertainment	
			T-shirts	R 10 000,00
			Awards Braai	R 5 000,00
			Publicity	
			Publicity / advertising	R 0,00
			Total Expenses	R 67 100,00

9 – PUBLIC RELATIONS AND MEDIA LIAISON

- 9.1. Advance publicity
- 9.2. Advertising in media releases
- 9.3. Media conferences
- 9.4. Local town – public relations and promotions
- 9.5. Tourism involvement
- 9.6. Local media
- 9.7. National media
- 9.8. Media liaison during the meet
- 9.9. Media liaison at the end of the meet
- 9.10. PR Staff

SkyDive Rustenburg Public Relations Staff are competent and experienced in handling the media requirements for such an event. We will endeavor to provide as much media and other PR events as possible both during the run-up to and during the event

10 – CONDUCTING & COMPETITION DETAILS

10.1

Venue is Rustenburg Skydiving Club at Rustenburg Airfield, a PASA approved DZ

10.2, 10.3 & 10.4

13 seater Quantum bus will be made available where required – drivers will be provided.

Additional vehicles will be available on request / if required.

DZ Quad Bike for outlandings

Any additional local transport for the successful running of the Nationals will be provided by SkyDive Rustenburg at no charge

Boarding point is not more than 700 meters away.

10.5

- Packing Hanger and normal DZ weekend facilities
- Large screen TV with video / DVD / download facilities will be available in the Clubhouse, additional if required by teams at their expense
- Adjacent hangars may be made available
- Skydive Rustenburg will provide an additional suitable Marquees for packing and team rest areas
- Trolley / walk through area in adjacent open hanger
- Additional Packing area on the grass or in the DZ hanger as per normal ops

10.6

Team debrief area will be provided either in 1 of the Chalets OR in an area TBA suitable for this purpose

10.7

An adjacent hanger with smooth concrete floor will be made available for this purpose during the official Nationals Dates

10.8

There will be a large packing and rest Marqui provided on the grass & pool area as well as the RSC hanger that is presently used for normal skydiving operations

10.9, 10.10, 10.11

- Existing Chalets and Wendy Huts are NOT available for the duration of the Nationals for accommodation purposes. For camping see 10.12
- There are 2 existing male and 2 existing female toilets at the DZ premises
- There is 1 existing male and 1 existing female shower at the DZ premises

- There is an additional ablution block approx 400m from the DZ on the airfield property consisting of 4 toilets and 4 showers each for male and female – we use these as additional facilities at present
- No chalets / wooden huts are available due to staff requirements
- Local accommodation ranging from budget to luxury is available in Rustenburg and surrounds. Details and options will be provided in future bulletins. The Sun City resort is 47km away

10.12

Camping is allowed on the DZ at R50 per person per night – there is additional camping areas at several resorts within a 10km radius of the DZ

10.13, 10.14

There is a large range of Hotel, B&Bs, Guest Houses and lodges within the immediate vicinity of the DZ and within 10km – a full list of available options will be provided in a following Bulletin. We will endeavor to arrange preferable rates for competitors at some of these venues

Various activities are available in the immediate area including Rustenburg Kloof, Magalies Canopy Tours, Sun City, Tandem Paragliding etc. Various outings will be pre-organised, available and on standby in conjunction with other local operators and local tourism board.

10.15

Registrations including full payment for registration and slots must be submitted 30 days prior to the official training date of 26 April 2015. Registrations shall include alternates (if any) , videographer and Team Name. Late registrations will be subject to a 10% late registration fee and no registrations will be accepted after 26 April 2015. A registration form will be provided for all Teams / Competitors in the 1st Nationals Bulletin

10.16

All relevant RSC staff have a working knowledge of the FAI Sporting code

10.17, 10.18, 10.19

Shall be conducted in accordance with FAI and competition requirements as necessary

10.20, 10.21, 10.22

Manifest, manifest calls and the broadcasting to competitors shall be in accordance to standard practice ie 45min standby, 15 min to boarding point and final call. Manifest boards will be placed at the Manifest office for the referral of teams and the announcements will be made through a suitable PA and speaker system

10.23

Load management will be undertaken by the manifest officer. Competitors on multiple teams / disciplines will be accommodated where possible however this may mean adjustment of call times etc

10.24

This will be the responsibility of the Aircraft Coordinator and Chief Pilot as is the norm at Skydive Rustenburg

10.25

RSC will provide a large screen TV for the broadcasting of event dives and team scores with assistance by the Judges and associated equipment

10.26

RSC has a fully staffed and equipped bar and clubhouse area which is available to all competitors and members of the public for the duration of the event. In the event of long weather delays then there are several places of interest in the area as well as malls, shops, bars and night-clubs in the immediate vicinity

10.27

The awards ceremony and after Nationals function is provisionally planned for 1 May 2015 as soon as reasonably possible upon competition completion. The competitor registration fee will include the cost of the meal for all participants

11 – EVENTS OFFERED

An event timetable will be issued after the close of registration prior to the competition

Discipline/Event	No of Rounds	Exit Altitude
Canopy Formation		
2 way Sequential	8 rounds	6000ft AGL
4 way Rotations	8 rounds	7000ft AGL
4 way Sequential	8 rounds	8200ft AGL
Formation Skydiving		
2 way Novice	6 rounds	10000ft AGL
2 way Open	6 rounds	10000ft AGL
4 way Novice	6 rounds	10000ft AGL
4 way Intermediate	6 rounds	10000ft AGL
4 way Open	10 rounds	10000ft AGL
8 way Open	10 rounds	13000ft AGL
Vertical Formation Skydiving (2 way)	6 rounds	13000ft AGL
Vertical Formation Skydiving (4 way)	8 rounds	13000ft AGL
Artistic Events		
Freestyle Open	7 rounds	13000ft AGL
Freefly Open	7 rounds	13000ft AGL
Freefly Intermediate	7 rounds	13000ft AGL

All events shall consist of the amount of rounds of competition as stipulated in the 'Request for Bid Document' with the required minimum round(s) being completed for an outcome of the Nationals

National Colours, National Records and the like may be awarded to winning Team(s) in each discipline / event provided the minimum criteria are met wrt the awarding of National Colours as stipulated by the SSA and winning team(s) will be known as '2015 SA National Champions' in the relevant discipline – it is noted that 2015 is an 'off year' for competition and colours purposes.

12 – EVALUATION REPORT

Will be submitted by meet director within 30 days of the completion of the event.