

ROMANIAN PROPOSAL TO HOST THE
14th FAI EUROPEAN ADVANCED AEROBATIC CHAMPIONSHIPS &
3rd FAI EUROPEAN INTERMEDIATE AEROBATIC CHAMPIONSHIPS



DEVA, ROMÂNIA
-2026-



ROMANIAN AIRCLUB - AWARD WINNING ORGANIZER

Welcoming, skilled and helpful staff, already experienced in organizing championships:

- The 9th FAI EAAC2015, Deva;
- 🏆 The 13th FAI WAAC 2018, Ploiești
- 🏆 The 22nd FAI WGAC 2019 and The 10th FAI WAGAC 2019, Deva
- 🏆 The 1st FAI EIAC 2021, Deva
- 🏆 The 12th FAI EAAC 2022, Clinceni
- 🏆 The 2nd FAI EIAC and the 13th FAI EAAC 2024, Clinceni

We won the CIVA Championship Organizer of the Year Trophy 🏆 in 2018, 2019, 2021, 2022 and 2024

In order to continue developing the Aerobatic Sport and to create a strong aerobatic center in this part of Europe, we present our intention to organize the 14th FAI European Advanced Aerobatic Championships and the 3rd FAI European Intermediate Aerobatic Championships - 2026 in Deva, Romania. Having the two classes competing at the same time in the same location is an opportunity to grow the interest for the Intermediate category, that we restarted in 2021 by organizing the 1st EIAC in Deva. We strongly consider that Intermediate is a good starting point for future Aerobatic Champions.

This combination of events is also a mean of reducing costs for the teams, by having one trip for both categories, and the experience from the last two years with WIAC/WAAC in Sarmellek - 2025 and EIAC/EAAC in Clinceni - 2024 already proved the functionality of this concept.

AEROCLUBUL ROMÂNIEI -
TRADITION AND PASSION FOR
FLIGHT
SINCE 1920

Aeroclubul României is a Flight School and Air Sports Center, offering young people free training for powered flight, gliding, ballooning and skydiving.

Founded in 1920, Aeroclubul României has celebrated 100 years of flying in 2020 - 100 years of tradition in organizing and competing in aeronautical events.

Aerobatic flying is a tradition for Aeroclubul României, our pilots being present at numerous FAI Aerobatic Competitions throughout the years.



PROPOSED SCHEDULE OF THE EVENT

- Official training days: 13th of September - 17th of September 2026
- Judges Arrival: 15th of September 2026
- Opening Ceremony 18th of September 2026
- Official Competition 18th - 26th of September 2026
- Closing Ceremony and Airshow - 26^h of September 2026
- Departures - 27th of September 2026



Why Deva?

- **Welcoming and helpful staff**, already experienced in organizing championships:
 - The 9th FAI European Advanced Aerobatic Championships;
 - 🏆 The 22nd FAI World Glider Aerobatic Championship 2019 and
 - The 10th FAI World Advanced Glider Aerobatic Championship 2019;
 - 🏆 The 1st FAI European Open Intermediate Aerobatic Championship 2021;
- Aeroclubul României - Deva won the CIVA Championship Organizer of the Year Trophy 🏆 in 2019 and 2021.
- **Closer to Central Europe region**, a destination that requires less refueling stops for ferry flights from most of the countries in Europe;
- **Uncongested and quiet airspace**, far away from busy airports and restricted areas;
- **Big and unobstructed airfield**, fit for less experienced pilots

DEVA AIRFIELD FACILITIES

FACILITIES:

- 2 Hangars for aircraft storage and maintenance
- Fire and rescue services
- Grass runway 700 x 40m
- direction 12/30
- Office space for contest administration
- Briefing room and classroom inside administrative building
- Free high speed Wi-Fi



Location – Deva Airfield, Romania



ENTRY FEES AND LOGISTICS

- Competitors - EUR 3200
- Competitors, without accommodation, breakfast and dinner - EUR 2250
- Other team members and observers - EUR 2600
- Other team members and observers without accommodation, breakfast and dinner - EUR 1650

Full entry fees cover:

- Fuel and oil for competition flights;
- Shared accommodation - double room;
- Breakfast, lunch and dinner;
- Transport between airfield and accommodation places;
- Official and social functions;
- Sanction fee for competitors;
- Programs arranged by the organizer.

Additional fees:

- + EUR 150 if paid later than 15th of June
- + additional EUR 150 if paid later than 15th of July
- + EUR 30/night for single room accommodation

Deadlines:

- No entries accepted after the 15th of August
- Entries without accommodation allowed no later than the 15th of July

FURTHER EVENT DETAILS AND CONDITIONS

20 FAI Officials expected:

- 7 Judges and their assistants
- Chief Judge and two assistants
- 3 Jury Members at the contest site

We consider this combination of events (EIAC+EAAC) a way to encourage entry-level pilots to compete, and to give them a chance to progress in a supervised environment, surrounded by top European flyers, in a safe manner.

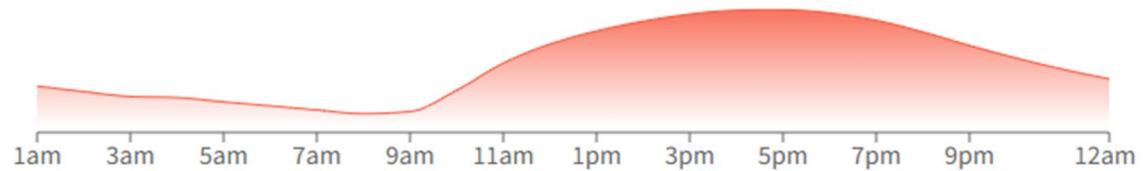
Historical temperature average in September

In Deva, Romania

Other months ▾

°C/millimeters/kilometers ▾

23°C highs **11°C** lows



General weather summary

 **Mildly cool, humid but cool**
FEELS LIKE

 **12.6 hrs**
DAYLIGHT LENGTH

 **T-shirt**
WHAT TO WEAR

 **21%**
CHANCE OF RAIN

2.35 mm
AMOUNT

 **7:04**
SUNRISE

19:41
SUNSET

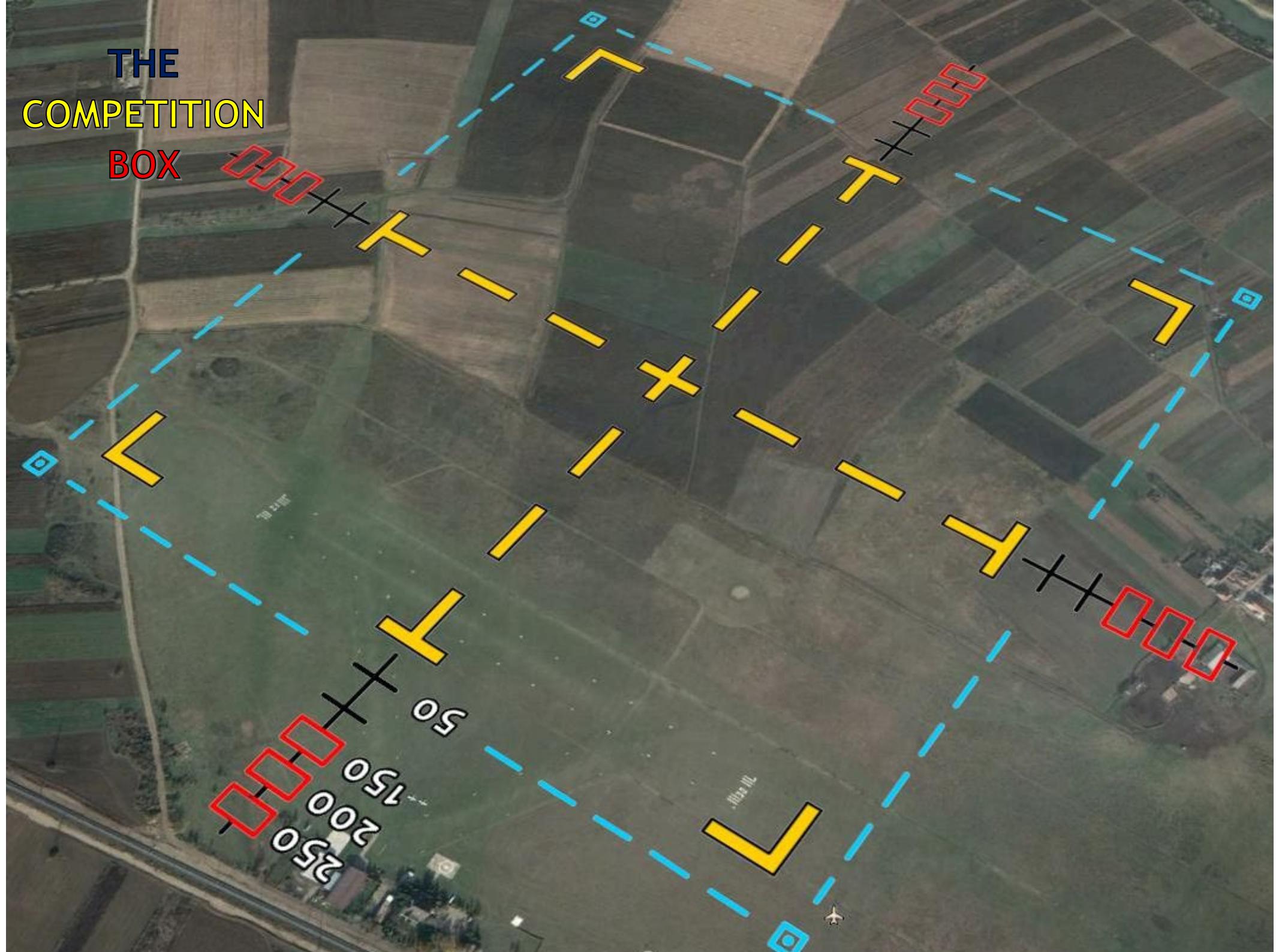
 **13.6 kph**
WIND SPEED

61%
HUMIDITY

 **53%**
CLOUD COVER

September is a moderately warm month in Deva, Romania, with temperature in the range of an average low of 11°C and an average high of 23°C

THE
COMPETITION
BOX



Other activities



The Prislop Monastery

Prislop Monastery is situated in one of the most picturesque regions of our country. From Hateg on the south opens the great depression of Hațeg or "Hateg" the cradle of the Roman people, which extends to the foot of Retezat Mountains.

Located in a clearing, elevation 640 m, Prislop Monastery is surrounded by hills that descend in gentle slopes to near monument.



The Corvin Castle

Located in the city of Hunedoara in southwest corner of Transylvania Corvin Castle, also called Hunyadi Castle has kept standing today, after seven centuries, towers firmly planted in history. It is one of the most popular castles in Europe, and they are crossed on foot lanes annually by over 70,000 tourists.

Thank you!
Q&A

