



# 28 Way Competition

## Hibaldstow July 2008

### GENERAL

- All participants will accept these rules as binding on entering the competition.
- Competition will have a start and end time dictated by the DZ Operator and Officials at the end of the registration period.
- Teams may register up to the Saturday morning preceding the actual competition start.
- There will be a minimum of one round to call a meet. In the event of the minimum number of rounds not being completed the competition will be continued at the DZ Operators convenience.

### DOCUMENTATION

All competitors on booking in will produce the following:

- A valid BPA membership. Except in the case of other European Union (EU) parachutists, who are current members of their own country's parachuting governing organisations, are FAI certificated, have a minimum of 100 descents and hold current third party liability insurance cover of a minimum of €1.300,000.
- Current Medical declaration or Doctor's certificate.
- Log Book.

### EQUIPMENT

Each individual is responsible for supplying their own equipment, which should consist of:

- A serviceable main and reserve parachute, container and harness.
- An equipment inspection record and a reserve packing card.
- A serviceable altimeter and suitable helmet, clothing and footwear.

### THE EVENT 28-WAY SEQUENTIAL

- Each team will consist of a twenty eight team members including two Team Captains plus two Camera flyers. Four alternates may be nominated, but the Team Captains must do so before the start of the competition or with the judges/ team captains' consent at a later time.
- Each of the five rounds will consist of two formations, these can be built and transitioned to in any way the team likes either as a complete break or by flying pieces, unless a specific 'Inter' is shown. A sixth round will be used as a jump off or depending on time may be used at the judges discretion, this will be decide before jumping starts on the second day.
- In the event it is not possible to fly aircraft in formation, but is still ok for jumping the teams will be split into two half, each halve will have fourteen members including one Team Captain and one Camera flyer. A 14way dive sheet will be issued, the two sub-teams will both do the same dives and their collective scores will be added together. This combined score will become the score for the next round
- Each round will only count towards a team final score if, every team has completed that round and the same dive pool and aircraft type has been used.
- The judging will be from top shot camera and this camera must remain in this position throughout the whole skydive, the second camera can be above or below and can or may be used at judges discretion. During judging the use of the pause function will be allowed and if needed slow motion functions.
- There is no set working time, all rounds will be form the same exit altitude (to be confirmed on the day) and each team will be expected to break off in at least two waves, final decision will be made by the CCI (Chief Centre Instructor) at the start of the event, any team failing to comply to these rules will be disqualified from the competition

### SCORING SYSTEM

- For judging purposes each completed formation executed correctly will score one point. Falling to show an Inter or deliberately missing a formation will result in one point being removed
- In the event of a tie a jump-off should take place, weather/time permitting, at the Judges discretion. If a `jump-off' is not possible the team with the fastest build in the last completed round will be declared the winner.