



# 23<sup>th</sup> FAI WORLD RALLY FLYING CHAMPIONSHIPS

Sunday, 30 JUL – Saturday, 5 AUG 2023

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**Bulletin N°1**

Venue:

**LFLM – Mâcon Airfield – FRANCE**

Host NAC:

**Fédération Française  
Aéronautique**

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• **1 Status of preliminary entries received**

Team - Country	ACCREDITATIONS						Rental Aircraft			HOTEL		Date of arrival
	Crew	Team manager	Intern. Judge	Observer Judge	Other	TOTAL	C 150 /152	C172	SINGLE	Twin or double	Hotel	
SOUTH AFRICA	4	1				9		3	10	4	IBIS	23rd July.
GERMANY	7	1			1	16	1		10	5	Mercure	24th July.
AUSTRIA	3	1	1	1		9			3	2	Mercure	26th July.
CHILE	1					2		1	2		IBIS	23rd July
CHINA	3	1		1		8		2	1	3	IBIS	26th July
CYPRUS	2	1	1			6	1			3	IBIS	To be confirmed
SPAIN	5	1		1		12			8	1	Ibis	?
FRANCE	6	1	2			15					Mercure	25th July
GREAT BRITAIN	2	1	1			6			2	2	Mercure	?
ITALY	2	1			2	7			7		IBIS	25th July
NORWAY	2					4	1		4		IBIS	25th July
POLAND	9		1			19			1	9	Mercure	25th July
PORTUGAL	3	1	1	1		9				4	IBIS	28th July
CZECH REPUBLIC	6	1	1			14				7	Mercure	27th July
SERBIA	1	1				3			1	1	IBIS	29th July
SLOVAKIA	4	1	1			10					IBIS	?
SWITZERLAND				1		1			1		Mercure	27th July
	60	13	11	7	3	150	3	6	50	41		

Until now we have received 60 crew's preregistration which suggests a very good championship. To assure a good organization, we will accept NO more registration from now on except if we have cancellation.  
So, if more crews want to register now, they will be put on a complementary list.

## **2. Hotel booking**

Due to the important number of competitors, the organizing team had to book 2 hotels to host all the delegations.

6 nights are paid with the entry fees from Sunday 30<sup>th</sup> July to Friday 4<sup>th</sup> August (check out on 5<sup>th</sup> August).

If you want to stay in the same hotel for the training session and the championship, you will have to do the booking yourself before **31<sup>st</sup> March** to benefit from the special championship price.

### **Mercure Hotel**

Mercure Mâcon Bord de Saône  
26 rue Pierre de Coubertin  
71000 Mâcon  
**Email :** [H9319@accor.com](mailto:H9319@accor.com)  
**Tel :** +33 3 85 21 93 93

### **Ibis Crêches**

Ibis Mâcon Sud  
1 rue du Mâconnais  
71680 Crêches Sur Saône  
**Email :** [H0670@accor.com](mailto:H0670@accor.com)  
**Tel :** +33 3 85 36 51 60

## **3 Pilot licence for flying in France.**

- Valid pilot license
- Valid pilot medical certificate
- Valid FAI Sporting License
- Valid personal insurance policy

Case 1.1: Pilots with an ICAO license flying an aircraft registered in the same country as their pilot license, do not need any special authorization from the French civil aviation authority. Just send us at [wrfc2023@ff-aero.fr](mailto:wrfc2023@ff-aero.fr), a copy (scan) of your

- Valid pilot license for flight
- The authentication of the license, issued by the authority that issued the license, indicating compliance with ICAO (document less than one month old at the date of application)
- Valid medical certificate

Case 1.2: Pilots with an ICAO license flying an aircraft registered in the same country as their pilot license, ***if they live in Europe***, need a valid European licence. In this case, send us at [wrfc2023@ff-aero.fr](mailto:wrfc2023@ff-aero.fr), a copy (scan) of your

- a valid European pilot licence for flight
- a valid medical certificate

Case 2: it concerns Chile, China, Great-Britain, Serbia and South Africa.

Pilots with an ICAO license who want to fly on a French registration aircraft, will need a special authorisation from the French civil aviation authority. To get it, you'll have to pay 80€ per licence [here](#) and must file the form [here](#) with (one form per country for all the pilots) and send it to [wrfc2023@ff-aero.fr](mailto:wrfc2023@ff-aero.fr) **before 30th May** with a copy (scan) of:

- Valid ICAO pilot license
- The authentication of the license, issued by the authority that issued the license, indicating compliance with ICAO (document less than one month old at the date of application)
- Valid ICAO pilot medical certificate
- Copy of the payment of 80 € per licence

#### **4 Map information**

- AZBA corridor R45 S4 et S5 north to Macon will be free for flying during training days from 25<sup>th</sup> to 30<sup>th</sup> of July

#### **5 Schedule modification**

- As announced at GAC meeting in Lausanne, the opening ceremony is now schedule for Saturday 29 July late afternoon.