



# 2023 SUZHOU F3K OPEN

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苏州市大众体育联赛 · 航空模型四季赛  
苏州市航空模型公开赛

Organized by: Suzhou Municipal Sports Bureau  
Suzhou Sports Federation

Guided by: AERO SPORTS FEDERATION OF JIANGSU

Hosted by: AeroSports & ModelSports Ass. of Suzhou  
SuzhouWan Sports Park

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Bulletin 1

Time: OCTOBER 1<sup>ST</sup>-2<sup>ND</sup>

Location: SUZHOUWAN SPORTS PARK, SUZHOU CITY,  
JIANGSU PROVINCE, CHINA

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## 1 Introduction

### 1.1 Introduction

The 2023 Suzhou F3K Open will be held at Suzhou Wan Sports Park, located in Wujiang District, Suzhou City, Jiangsu Province. This place is a paradise for glider enthusiasts, boasting expansive airspace, convenient transportation, beautiful surroundings, and comprehensive supporting facilities.

For this competition, we've invited internationally renowned competitors, including former world champion Joe Wurts. There will be a world champion teaching day on September 30th. The official competition spans two days, specifically from October 1<sup>st</sup> to 2<sup>nd</sup>.

### 1.2 Organizers



The Suzhou F3K Open is organized by the Suzhou Sports Bureau and the Suzhou Sports Federation, with the event being managed by the Aero Sports and Model Sports Association of Suzhou, as well as P3K/F3K enthusiasts from Suzhou.

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### 1.3 Aero Sports and Model Sports Association of Suzhou

Founded in 2003, the Aero Sports and Model Sports Association of Suzhou is dedicated to the training and development of aviation sports and model sports. Recognized as a municipal pilot in 2009, it operates under the guidance of the city's sports bureau and general sports association. The association's leadership is comprised of public welfare enthusiasts passionate about model sports, as well as professionals and teachers experienced in the model industry.



Located at Suzhou's Third Youth Amateur Sports School, the association features five technical committees for various model sports, including aerial, maritime, vehicular, general, and drones, along with an executive secretariat.



Actively organizing various competitions and training events, the association aims to popularize and elevate the standard of model sports. With 92 group members and 7,680 individual members, it takes the lead in aviation and model sports training in Suzhou, coordinating summer courses, school courses, and various local to national competitions, all contributing to the advancement of aviation sports in the city.

### 1.4 Introduction to Suzhou Wan Sports Park



Suzhou Wan Sports Park is located in the Wujiang East Taihu Ecological Tourism Resort, adjacent to the East Tai Lake Hotel and bordering the 230 provincial road to the east. Recognized as a key ecological civilization and public welfare project in Wujiang District, it embodies the allure of ecological Wujiang, offering a combination of ecological restoration, sightseeing, vacationing, outdoor leisure, and sports activities. Covering an area of approximately 1,460 acres, the park is abundant in greenery with tens of thousands of plum blossoms, cherry blossoms, and crabapples planted in the northern part. A 10-kilometer jogging path runs through the entire park, flanked by a variety of flowers.

Furthermore, the park boasts outdoor facilities like soccer fields, basketball courts, tennis courts, badminton courts, leisure fitness zones, pedestrian paths, and parking areas. Indoor amenities include a squash room, table tennis room, billiard room, and a gymnasium, catering to the daily fitness and recreational needs of the public.

### 1.5 Competition Rules

- 1) Fédération Aéronautique Internationale (FAI) F3K rules (2022) will be used.
- 2) Official Language: All scorecards and audio will be in English.
- 3) Awards: Top 3 trophies, top 8 diploma.
- 4) Frequency Control: Must use 2.4Ghz equipment.

### 1.6 Registration

- 1) Registration Deadline: September 10<sup>th</sup>, 2023.

- 2) Registration forms must be accompanied by the full and correct fees to be valid.
- 3) Participant pilots: The event is open to pilots from all countries.
- 4) Open Class: 48 pilots maximum.

### 1.7 No Camping and Swimming

Under the SUZHOUWAN SPORTS PARK guidelines, no camping and swimming will be allowed.

## 2 Flying Site

### 2.1 Map

中国, 江苏省, 苏州市, 吴江区新城镇迎宾大道 1 号, 苏州湾体育公园  
Suzhouwan Sports Park, No.1 Yingbin dadao, Wujiang, Suzhou, Jiangsu, China



Baidu map: <https://j.map.baidu.com/15/X7cJ>

31°07'02.9"N 120°36'06.4"E

GOOGLE MAP: <https://goo.gl/maps/HzUjgvyPqmPZnXtQ6>

### 2.2 Weather

October is the dry season with very little precipitation, average 20 degrees Celsius.

### 2.3 Wind Speed

Winds in October are very steady, 30% chance 1-3m/s wind speeds, 40% chance 4-6m/s wind speeds, and 30% chance 7-11m/s wind speeds.

## 3 Schedule and Logistics

### 3.1 Event Schedule

Date and Time	Description
September 25 <sup>th</sup>	Announce Groups: <a href="https://www.f3kf3k.com/2023suzhouf3kopen">https://www.f3kf3k.com/2023suzhouf3kopen</a>
September 30 <sup>th</sup>	0700: Breakfast 0740: Pilots meet in hotel lobby, and take bus to flying field Field familiarization 1730: Pilots meet and ride back to the hotel 1800: Dinner, Pilots meeting, Pilot registration, get scorecards 20:00: World Champion Technical Exchange Conference.
October 1 <sup>st</sup> Day1	0700: Breakfast 0740: Pilots meet in hotel lobby, and take bus to flying field 0820: Pilot registration, test flying <b>0900: Opening speech, and competition begins(round 1-3)!</b> 1240:Launch time 1340:Round 4-6 1730: Pilots meet and ride back to the hotel 1800 – 2100: Dinner
October 2 <sup>nd</sup> Day2	0700: Breakfast 0740: Pilots meet in hotel lobby, and take bus to flying field 0820: Pilot registration, test flying <b>0900: Competition begins(round 7-9)!</b> 1240: Launch time 1330: Take Group photos 1550: <b>Award ceremony</b> 1730: Pilots meet and ride back to the hotel 1800-2100: Dinner
October 3 <sup>rd</sup>	Departure.

### 3.2 Hotel-Flying Field Logistics

All participants can use the bus service from the hotel to the flying field.

Bus times: 07:40 leave hotel to flying field, 17:30 leave flying field for hotel.

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百度地图: <https://j.map.baidu.com/b9/hlRd>





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GOOGLE MAP: <https://goo.gl/maps/UvAXjKNCRbFatPHq6>



### 3.3 Flying Field Facilities

The organizers will provide 6 portable washroom facilities.

A car will also be available to take injured pilots to the hospital.

## 4 Fees

### 4.1 Meals

#### 4.1.1 Breakfast

Breakfast will be provided by the hotel, served at 07:00 in the mornings.

#### 4.1.2 Lunch

All lunches will be provided at the field.

The athlete's registration fee includes the cost of lunch. If you have additional meal requirements, please pay for them before 9 p.m. the previous day(¥ 50RMB per person).

#### 4.1.3 Dinner

Dinner on October 1-2 is at your own expense. Please pay the fee by 12 noon each day:

¥ 100 RMB per person.

## 5 Competition Tasks

Date	Round	Task	T Name	Description	Working time
Oct. 1 <sup>st</sup>	1	A	Last Flight	Unlimited tries, last flight counts, 5:00 max.	7:00
	2	C3	All Up, Last Down	Three groups of simultaneous launch, 3:00 max.	n/a
	3	H	1234	Unlimited flights, target flight times are 1:00, 2:00, 3:00, and 4:00 max.	10:00
	4	L	One flight	One flight , 9:59 max.	10:00
	5	K	Big Ladder	Each competitor must launch his/her model glider exactly five times to achieve five target times as follows: 1:00, 1:30, 2:00, 2:30, 3:00	10:00
	6	J	Last 3 Flights	Unlimited flights, last 3 flights count, 3:00 max.	10:00
Oct. 2 <sup>nd</sup>	7	B	Last 2 Flights	Unlimited flights, next to last and last flight counts, 4:00 max.	10:00
	8	I	Best 3 Flights	Unlimited flights, best 3 flights count, 3:20 max.	10:00
	9	D	Two flights	Only two flights , 5:00 max.	10:00



*Note*

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**We welcome all DLG enthusiasts to  
join the 2023 Suzhou F3K Open!**

