

49th Multi-class Nationals – Dalby - October 2010

It's getting serious now, less than six months to go. By the time you read this most entries will have been confirmed and pilots will be able to start preparing and practising for what will be a very competitive event. Check the website <http://www.ddsc.org.au/dalby2010/index.html> for an update on the entries.

The interest in competing at Dalby has been such that the Sports Committee and the National Competition Committee have introduced an interim seeding list for Dalby. This interim list means that the top 40 IGC ranked pilots are seeded for entry.

The remaining places and the places that aren't taken by the top 40 are available for other pilots. A more comprehensive seeding list will be developed in time for the 50th multi-class nationals to be held at Narromine in the 2011/12 season.

Only 10 international pilots will be able to compete and with the Grand Prix the week before at Boonah, it looks like some of the worlds best pilots will be competing.

In Dalby, there has been a lot of rain and the grass cover is better than it has been for years. Hopefully this will make the airfield preparation easier.

One of the big problems in recent years has been tugs. It looks like we will have enough, although some will be coming from New South Wales with the inevitable ferry costs.

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