



## IGC – FAI Challenge Cups

### Part 10 – History of the FAI Women’s Standard Class Challenge Cup

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#### History of the FAI Women’s Standard Class

- 1979 The FAI Standard Class Challenge Cup was donated in Hungary due to the first Women’s European Gliding Championship in Dunaujvaros / Hungary held in the Standard class. 15 m class gliders which participated in the competition, received 5 % handicap.
- 1999 The last FAI Women’s European Gliding Championships took place in Leszno/ Poland in the Club Class, Standard Class and 15 m Class.
- 2001 The FAI WEGC changed to FAI Women’s World Gliding Championships in Pociunai/Lithuania. The FAI Women’s Standard Class Challenge Cup was transferred to that competition.

The following is engraved: The names of the champions are engraved on labels on the base.

Description of the Cup: The upper part of the FAI Standard Class Women’s Challenge Cup consists of a chrome/silver bowl covered with a lid of the same material. The lid is decorated with a brass handle on top. The centrepiece of the cup is a handcrafted brass cube with two black wooden handles. The cube is attached to a cone shaped chrome/silver envelope and fixed on a round black bottom.



Engraving:

*Hungarian Chief Military Organisation Awards this Cup  
to the Women’s European Gliding Champions.*

Rules and Regulations: see page 1 – IGC FAI Challenge Cups 1.1 – 1.1.4

#### List of FAI Women’s Standard Class champions and events:

##### Women’s European Gliding Championships Standard Class

1979	Monika Warstat, DDR	Dunaujvaros / Hungary
1981	M.Francoise Gavaret, France	Chérence / France
1983	Marlis Bertram, Germany	St-Hubert / Belgium
1985	Christine Moroko, France	Subotica / Jugoslavia
1987	Ursula Wojda, Poland	Shumen / Bulgaria
1989	Maria Kyzivatova, CZE	Oriol / Russia
1991	Valentina Toporova, UDSSR (Ukr)	Husbands Bosworth/UK
1993	Maika Hohn, Germany	Ceske Budejovice / CZE
1995	Bozena Demczenko, Poland	Marpingen / Germany
1997	Gundula Goeke, Germany	Prievidza / Slovakia
1999	Sarah Harland, Great Britain	Leszno / Poland

##### Women’s World Gliding Championships Standard Class Champions and events

2001	1 <sup>st</sup> WWGC	Sarah Steinberg-Harland / UK	Pociunai / Lithuania
2003	2 <sup>nd</sup> WWGC	Cornelia Schaich / Germany	Jihlava / CZE
2005	3 <sup>rd</sup> WWGC	Jana Veprekova / CZE	Klix / Germany
2007	4 <sup>th</sup> WWGC	Sarah Kelman / Great Britain	Romorantin/ France
2009	5 <sup>th</sup> WWGC	Sue Kussbach / Germany	Szeged / Hungary
2011	6 <sup>th</sup> WWGC	Sue Kussbach / Germany	Arboga / Sweden
2013	7 <sup>th</sup> WWGC	Sue Kussbach / Germany	Issoudun / France

## Women's World Gliding Championships Standard Class Champions and events

2015	8 <sup>th</sup>	WWGC	Aude Grangeray / France	Arnborg / Denmark
2017	9 <sup>th</sup>	WWGC	Aude Grangeray / France	Zbraslavice /CZE
2019	10 <sup>th</sup>	WWGC	Sarah Arnold / USA	Lake Keepit / AUS
2021	11 <sup>th</sup>	WWGC	<i>Postponed to 2022</i>	Husband Bosworth/GBR
2022	11 <sup>th</sup>	WWGC	Cornelia Schaich / Germany	Husband Bosworth/GBR
2023	12 <sup>th</sup>	WWGC	Barbora Moravcova /CZE	Garray / Spain