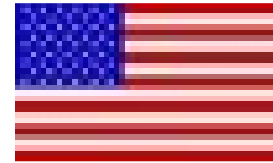


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EUROPEAN AIRBORNE BASIC COURSE 2012



Similar to the last years INTERNATIONAL AIRBORNE OPERATIONS® is running an Airborne Basic course to train beginners in military parachuting on round-canopy parachute systems.

EUROPEAN AIRBORNE BASIC COURSE 2012:

This course will become an international jump-course with jump-master teams from several nations! EUROPEAN AIRBORNE BASIC COURSE 2012 will become a true exchange of Airborne experience and skills and of course Airborne Spirit!

Every participant with military back-ground will be awarded with Dutch and US Airborne wings with respective certificates



In case of 10 jumpers would like to gain the Katanga honoree wings, we will invite the respective jumpmaster.



Important information for the award of the Airborne wings:

- We jump for the wings authentically only! A sale of jump-wings without jump with the respective jump-master of the awarding nation will not take place at all!
- Only active, reserve or retired military personnel of national armed forces or police units will be awarded with military awards. IAO reserves itself to require a proof of service (e.g., troop identity card, military service certificate or official document of the national armed forces) with beginning of the operation. We request to all participants to bring along a proof of service with the last issued rank.
- Civilians are welcome to join our operations but will receive a certificate of participation instead of military awards.

Term: April, 6th - 11th 2012 (prolonged Easter weekend)

Details to the jumps:

EUROPEAN AIRBORNE BASIC COURSE 2012 is open to all experienced military static-line jumpers and freefall qualified personnel and novices in military parachuting.

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Drop-zone:	Oostwold in the Netherlands, close to Groningen
Jump-ship:	Cessna 206 Turbine
Training and briefing	- In English, Dutch and German language - On round-canopy system (i.e. automatically opening)
Parachute system:	US made MC1-1C (steer-able military-round-canopy system)
Altitude:	round-canopy systems around 700m (2000ft)
Jumps:	- 5 jumps, one dispatched by an US jumpmaster

Parachute beginner training:

The EUROPEAN AIRBORNE BASIC COURSE 2012 is open to parachute beginners. Besides to the briefing in the parachute systems, jump-ships and DZ to all participants, novices in parachuting will receive an intensive training in exit-position, behaviour in the air under parachute, emergency procedures, mal-functions and parachute landing falls.

Please take in consideration that 90% of all Airborne units around the world are still jumping rounds by i.e. automatically opening. Our round-canopy course will open the door for you to join our world wide operations!

Requirements to participate in the jumps:

A) All jumpers and beginners must present on place:

- A medical certificate "fit for parachuting" (forms available on our website)
- A third party (liability) insurance and foreign health insurance

B) Experienced jumpers must present on place on top to A:

- a) A medical certificate "fit for parachuting"
- b) An Airborne training certificate or parachute logbook with appropriate entries
- c) A minimum number of 5 jumps with round-canopy systems
- d) At least 1 jump during the last 12 months

Experienced jumpers who cannot meet the requirements are requested to join the beginner training.

C) Freefall jumper must present on place on top to A:

- International valid FF licence, i.e > FAI A licence, USPA, BPA or equal
- A minimum number of 25 freefall jumps
- At least 2 jump during the last 3 months

Every participant will also be asked to sign a liability waiver to the host unit and nation and organizer.

Important: All the above documents are checked on place. Those who may not meet the requirements will not participate in the jumps and receive no refund.

Equipment to bring along:

- Boots suitable for parachuting
- Uniform:
 - Either proper current uniform of the jumpers national armed forces or
 - Tiger-stripe uniform
- National jump-helmet or black Protec Helm, but can be borrowed as well on the DZ
- For the ceremony national headgear of the jumpers branch
- Sport shoes and sport clothing

Organisation:

Number of participants: Minimum 8
Maximum 20

Meeting and release point: Will be issued after registration in reference to his program.

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Accommodation: On a camp-site close or recommended hotel close to the DZ

Meals: Available on the DZ

Details to arrival and departure will be told after registration

EUROPEAN AIRBORNE BASIC COURSE 2012 includes:

Training and briefing: on round-canopy parachute systems (i.e. automatically opening)

No of jumps: 5 jumps in total, 1 dispatched by an US JM

Jump-wings: Jump-wings of the Dutch in cloth and US Armed Forces in metal

Additional option: Katanga honouree wings on extra charge. Details upon request.

Cost: Beginner in parachuting: 450,-€, advanced jumpers: 420,-€

Registration:

Deadline for registration is March, 1st 2011. Only a limited number of places available – first come first served! Registration form upon request by info@internationalairborneoperations.com.

For questions please don't hesitate to contact us by info@internationalairborneoperations.com.

We are looking forward to meet you on the Dutch DZ in April 2012.

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