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This year the conditions occurred to enjoy a pretty indoor competition. We had participants of the Czech Republic, Chile, Spain, France and Great Britain. We counted with one of the best pavilions in Europe for the practice of this sport and also we count with the best team of judges and timekeepers according to the high level of the competition.

The pavilion staff were vital to keep the pavilion hermetic and safe enough to fly all around the velodrom, without any airflow during the flying of the lighter models. As consequence the moisture of that day made us sweat a lot.

12 contestants took part in the main category. With a contest much closed up to the last flights, Mikita Kaplan (from the Czech Republic) was the most regular, flown more than 30 minutes (32' 57") but Didier Barberis (from France) flown two better flights of 32' 50 and 32' 32" winning the competition for only 5 seconds of difference, both improved their personal records in this competition.

The group of "more than 30 minutes" also included Zdenek Cinert (from Czech Rep). Manuel Ángel Díaz Garcia y Daniel Medina (both Spanish) scored close to the 30 minutes, but still need a little improvement to exceed it. Maybe next year? The Mikita's daughters, Klara and Gabriela showed us that this is also a sport for girls. They always performed their flyings with a smile in their faces.

F4F: In this category took part 6 contestants. The Daniel's Spanish Fury won with wide difference, with best flying times and second in statics. We saw some masterpieces like the



Andrés Gonzalez's Bleriot XI.

In F4D only 3 contestants took part. The best were the Daniel's models.

The International after-effect has been positive, the excellent conditions of the pavilion that allowed to realize very good times and the good organization, they augur a

Cette compétition, qui bénéficie d'un cadre exceptionnel semble en passe de devenir un des rendez-vous marquants du futur....

major participation in 2007. We are grateful sincerely to the collaboration of the Sports Municipal Foundation of Valencia,

to the Federation of Air Sports of the Valencian Community, to the Conselleria of Culture, Education and Sports of the Valencian Community and to the Judges and Timekeepers that sweated a lot to make possible one more year the celebration of this contest:

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Translation by Luis Font, sorry for the mistakes I have made!