



Balloon Federation of America

SPORTING BADGE CLAIM FORM

BADGE OR DIAMOND claimed					
(please tick appropriate box)					
Silver Badge	<input type="checkbox"/>	Distance Diamond	<input type="checkbox"/>	Duration Diamond	<input type="checkbox"/>
Gold Badge	<input type="checkbox"/>	Altitude Diamond	<input type="checkbox"/>	Goal Diamond	<input type="checkbox"/>

APPLICANT	
NAME	
Address	
Phone, Fax, Email	
NAA Sporting License No.	

CONTROLLING OBSERVER	
NAME	
Address	
Phone, Fax, Email	
BFA Observer Level or NAA Appointed	

CONTROLLING OBSERVERS
 The Controlling Observer is an individual appointed by the NAA or certified by the BFA as an observer to verify the badge performances, and to verify and approve the badge applications. In the case of badge applications where National or World records are used for the distance, duration or altitude portions of a badge application, the Controlling Observer certifies that the performances submitted are based on the registered record. Where flights flown at CIA or BFA sanctioned events are used for the goal portion of a badge application, the Controlling Observer certifies that he/she has seen both the task and official results sheets for that flight.

BADGES
Standard Badges are issued by the BFA to pilots who have achieved the requirements for the respective badge or diamond.
Precious metal badges may be commissioned by badge holders at their own expense from the FAI/CIA. Ordering information and prices are available on the CIA pages of the FAI web site or from the BFA website and program chair.

**BALLOON FEDERATION OF AMERICA
CIA SPORTING BADGE**

PERFORMANCES ACHIEVED

	SILVER BADGE	GOLD BADGE	DIAMOND
DISTANCE Achieved Subclass ¹ : _____ Registration: _____ Date: _____ Minimum required:	_____ km _____ _____ 100 km	_____ km _____ _____ 300 km	_____ km _____ _____ 500 km
DURATION Achieved Subclass: _____ Registration: _____ Date: _____ Minimum required:	_____ h:m:s _____ _____ 3 hours	_____ h:m:s _____ _____ 6 hours	_____ h:m:s _____ _____ 12 hrs – AX, 24 hrs all others
ALTITUDE Achieved Subclass: _____ Registration: _____ Date: _____ Minimum required:	_____ m _____ _____ 3000 m	_____ m _____ _____ 6000 m	_____ m _____ _____ 9000 m
GOAL Achieved Subclass: _____ Registration: _____ Date: _____ Minimum required:	_____ m :cm _____ _____ Within 10 m of declared goal more than 3 km from launch point	_____ m :cm _____ _____ Within 1 m of declared goal more than 3 km from launch point	_____ m :cm _____ _____ Within 0.1 m of declared goal more than 3 km from launch point

*Four Gold performances or Three Diamond performances will qualify for a Gold badge.
Four silver performances or three Gold performances will qualify for a Silver badge.*

CERTIFICATION

The undersigned applicant and observer certify that the claim above is correct and satisfactorily proven. They understand and agree that the FAI/CIA may at any time request proof that a performance was realized and controlled in accordance with the Sporting Code regulations, that it may refuse recognition if it finds the evidence to be insufficient, and that negligent certification or willful misrepresentation will be grounds for disciplinary action by the applicant's or observer's NAC.

Date: _____

Signed by: _____
Applicant

Controlling Observer

¹Subclass – e.g. AX-7, AA-3, AM-8