America's Cup Champions

Established in 1989 by Al Hotard and administered since 1993 by Jim Parker, the America's Cup (AC) program recognizes sustained competition success in Fédération Aéronautique Internationale (FAI) Outdoor Free Flight contest events across North America. The competition season runs each calendar year. A maximum of thirty-six contests per year are sanctioned by the AC sponsor club, the Southern California Aero Team. Competitors may fly in as many contests as they wish, but only their top four scores per event count for their final AC season score. A maximum of two scores may come from any one flying site. Points earned for placings in each contest have varied over the years but currently are: 1st place 25 points, 2nd place 23 points, 3rd place 21 points, 4th place 19 points and 5th place 17 points. Bonus points are awarded for more than five flyers in any event. Winners are formally presented with the perpetual Cups each February at the banquet for the Max Men International at Lost Hills, California.

	F1A Towline Glider	F1B Wakefield Rubber	F1C 2.5cc Power	F1H Small Towline	F1G Coupe D'Hiver Rubber	F1J 1cc Power
1989	Matt Gewain	Paul Crowley	Bob Sifleet	—	—	—
1990	Jim Parker	Jim Quinn	Bob Gutai	—	—	—
1991	Jim Bradley	Dan Tracy	Norm Poti	—	—	—
1992	Jim Parker	Jim Brooks	Randy Archer	—	—	—
1993	Pierre Brun	Jerry McGlashan	Ralph Cooney	—	—	—
1994	Martyn Cowley	George Batiuk	Ed Keck	—	—	—
1995	Pierre Brun	Eric Ryan	Randy Archer	Martyn Cowley	Bob Hatschek	Bruce Hannah
1996	Brian Van Nest	Jerry Fitch	Randy Archer	Martyn Cowley	Chuck Markos	Ken Happersett
1997	Matt Gewain	Jerry Fitch	Gil Morris	Martyn Cowley	John O'Dwyer	Bruce Augustus
1998	Andrew Barron	Al Brush	Ed Keck	Martyn Cowley	Bob White	Faust Parker
1999	Lee Hines	Paul Crowley	Bob Gutai	Martyn Cowley	Bob White	Faust Parker
2000	Steve Spence	John Sessums	Bob Gutai	Brian Van Nest	Dick Wood	Bob Gutai
2001	Brian Van Nest	Bill Booth	Bob Gutai	Bob Sifleet	Bob White	Faust Parker
2002	Brian Van Nest	Dick Wood	Bob Gutai	Martyn Cowley	Tom Ioerger	Bob Gutai
2003	Jim Parker	Walt Ghio	Randy Archer	Mike McKeever	John Clapp	Austin Gunder (J)
2004	Jim Parker	Jim Bradley	Roger Simpson	Brian Van Nest	Jack Emery	David Shirley
2005	Mike McKeever	Ed Vanlandingham	Randy Archer	Brian Van Nest	Tom Ioerger	Tom Kerr
2006	Mike McKeever	Blake Jensen	Matt Gewain	Jim Parker	Jack Emery	Austin Gunder
2007	Rene Limberger	Alex Andriukov	Ed Carroll	Brian Van Nest	Peter Brocks	Faust Parker
2008	Rene Limberger	Blake Jensen	Don Chesson	Mike McKeever	Ed Vanlandingham	Faust Parker
2009	Andrew Barron	Blake Jensen	Mike Roberts	Brian Van Nest	Mark Belfield	Austin Gunder
2010	Jim Parker	Brian Pacelli (J)	Don Chesson	Brian Van Nest	Ed Vanlandingham	Austin Gunder
2011	Brian Van Nest	Blake Jensen	Faust Parker	Mike McKeever	Blake Jensen	Faust Parker
2012	Mike McKeever	Charlie Jones	Ron McBurnett	Mike McKeever	Tiffaney O'Dell	Faust Parker
2013	Shlomi Rosenzweig	Tom Vaccaro	Roger Simpson	Brian Van Nest	Blake Jensen	Faust Parker
2014	Jama Danier	Walt Ghio	Gil Morris	Bob Sifleet	Tiffaney O'Dell	Faust Parker
2015	Jama Danier	Greg Simon	Faust Parker	Mike McKeever	Tiffaney O'Dell	Faust Parker
2016	Jama Danier	Tony Mathews	Faust Parker	Brian Van Nest	Tiffaney O'Dell	Faust Parker
2017	Mike McKeever	Alex Andriukov	Ed Carroll	Jim Parker	Tiffaney O'Dell	Faust Parker
2018	Ken Bauer	Alex Andriukov	Faust Parker	Blake Jensen	Tiffaney O'Dell	Faust Parker
2019	Jim Parker	Alex Andriukov	Faust Parker	Blake Jensen	Tiffaney O'Dell	Faust Parker
2020	Mike McKeever	Blake Jensen	Faust Parker	Jim Parker	Tiffaney O'Dell	Faust Parker
2021	Enes Pecenkovic	Jerry Fitch	Faust Parker	Mike Fedor	Jerry Fitch	Mike McKeever
2022	Jama Danier	Alex Andriukov	Faust Parker	Blake Jensen	Tiffaney O'Dell	Faust Parker
2023	Enes Pecenkovic	Charlie Jones	Faust Parker	Jim Parker	Geralyn Jones	Daryl Perkins
2024	Jama Danier	Alex Andriukov	Guy Menanno	Jim Parker	Tiffaney O'Dell	Guy Menanno

All-Time AC Championships

25	Faust Parker	(F1C, F1J)
13	Peter Brocks	(F1E, F1G)
12	Brian Van Nest	(F1A, F1H)
13	Mike McKeever	(F1A, F1H, F1J, F1E)
11	Jim Parker	(F1A, F1H)
10	Blake Jensen	(F1B, F1H, F1G)
10	Jack Murphy	(F1S, F1Q)
10	Tiffaney O'Dell	(F1G)
9	Bob Hanford	(F1P)
8	Bob Sifleet	(F1E, F1H, F1C, F1Q)
7	Martyn Cowley	(F1H, F1A)
7	Bob Gutai	(F1C, F1J)
6	Alex Andriukov	(F1B)
5	Randy Archer	(F1C)
4	Julie Parker	(F1Q, F1S)
4	Austin Gunder	(F1J)
4	Jerry Fitch	(F1B, F1G)

	F1P 1cc Limited Power	F1Q Large Electric	F1E Slope Glider	F1S Small Electric
2006	Cody Secor (J)	Vic Nippert	Peter Brocks	—
2007	Bob Hanford	Dick Ivers	Peter Brocks	—
2008	Cody Secor (J)	Dan Berry	Peter Brocks	—
2009	Dave Rounsaville	Bernie Crowe	Peter Brocks	—
2010	Bob Hanford	Julie Parker	Peter Brocks	—
2011	Glenn Schneider	John Oldenkamp	Peter Brocks	—
2012	Glenn Schneider	Julie Parker	Peter Brocks	—
2013	Glenn Schneider	Julie Parker	Peter Brocks	—
2014	Bob Hanford	Matt Gewain	Peter Brocks	—
2015	Bob Hanford	Jack Murphy	Peter Brocks	—
2016	Bob Hanford	Dick Ivers	Peter Brocks	Julie Parker
2017	Randy Secor	Bob Sifleet	Bob Sifleet	Don DeLoach
2018	Randy Secor	Bob Sifleet	Bob Sifleet	Jack Murphy
2019	Hayden Ashworth (J)	Ben Tarcher	Tom Ioerger	Jack Murphy
2020	Bob Hanford	Ben Tarcher	Jack Greening	Jack Murphy
2021	Mike Fedor	Ben Tarcher	Bob Sifleet	Jack Murphy
2022	Bob Hanford	Jack Murphy	Peter Brocks	Jack Murphy
2023	Bob Hanford	A.Schlosberg	M. McKeever	Jack Murphy
2024	Bob Hanford	Jack Murphy	M. McKeever	Jack Murphy