

Annex 15A

The Japan Aeronautic Association
hereby nominates
Shuji NAKAYA
as a candidate for
the Leonard da Vinci Parachuting Diploma

Shuji Nakaya won the Formation Skydiving Japan National Championship title for 13 consecutive years, beginning in 1989. As a team leader of the Japanese delegation, he also participated in the World Parachuting Championships consecutively from 1989 to 2001. He placed 5th in the 8-way Formation event at the 1999 WPC held in Corowa, Australia, which is the highest showing ever made by a Japanese Formation team.

As a chief instructor at the Tokyo Sky Diving Club, he has contributed to the education of young jumpers. His outstanding skill and leadership in Parachuting is widely acknowledged by parachutists in Japan.

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