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2010 CONTEST SCHEDULE
All GX Combat unless noted otherwise
Several dates are tentative pending the permitting process

**4/18 Middlesex, NJ
Speed Limit and 1/2A Combat**

4/25

5/2 Granite State Invitational-Franklin, NH

5/9 Mother's Day

**5/16 Spring Contest-Hershey, PA-CD Phil Cartier
Speed Limit and 1/2A**

5/23

5/30

6/6

**6/12-13 District I Championships -Middleboro, MA
F2D Combat**

6/15-19 Brodak Fly-In

6/20 Granite State Championships -Franklin, NH

6/27 Len Minick Memorial Combat Challenge-East Hampton, CT

7/4

7/11

7/13-16 U.S Nats F2D/Speed Limit/1/2A/Fast

7/18

7/25

8/1

**8/8 East Coast Championships -Hershey, PA-CD Phil Cartier
Speed Limit and 1/2A**

8/15

8/22 Salmon River Shootout -East Hampton, CT

8/29

9/5 New England Championships -Worcester, MA

**9/12 Wingbuster Invitational-Middleboro, MA
F2D Combat**

**9/19 Middlesex, NJ
Speed Limit and 1/2A Combat**

**9/26 Eastern Mass Championships -Middleboro, MA
F2D Combat**

**10/2 October Air War-Vincentown, NJ-CD Roy Glenn
(single elimination 1/2A and Speed Limit Combat)**

10/10 North County Shootout-Leominster, MA

10/17 Fall Finale-Worcester, MA

**10/24 Wingbuster Shootout-Middleboro, MA
F2D Combat**

10/31 Wingbuster Fall Fly-Off / Post Season Contest - Middleboro, MA

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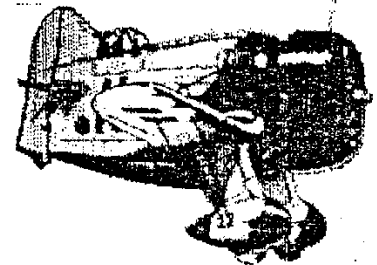
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One N Done



Shootout

These rules, minus a few tweaks, were conceived by Gene Pape. Gene may or may not approve of the tweaks, however, in the interest of giving credit, where credit is due, Gene is the gentleman who is the inspiration behind this concept.

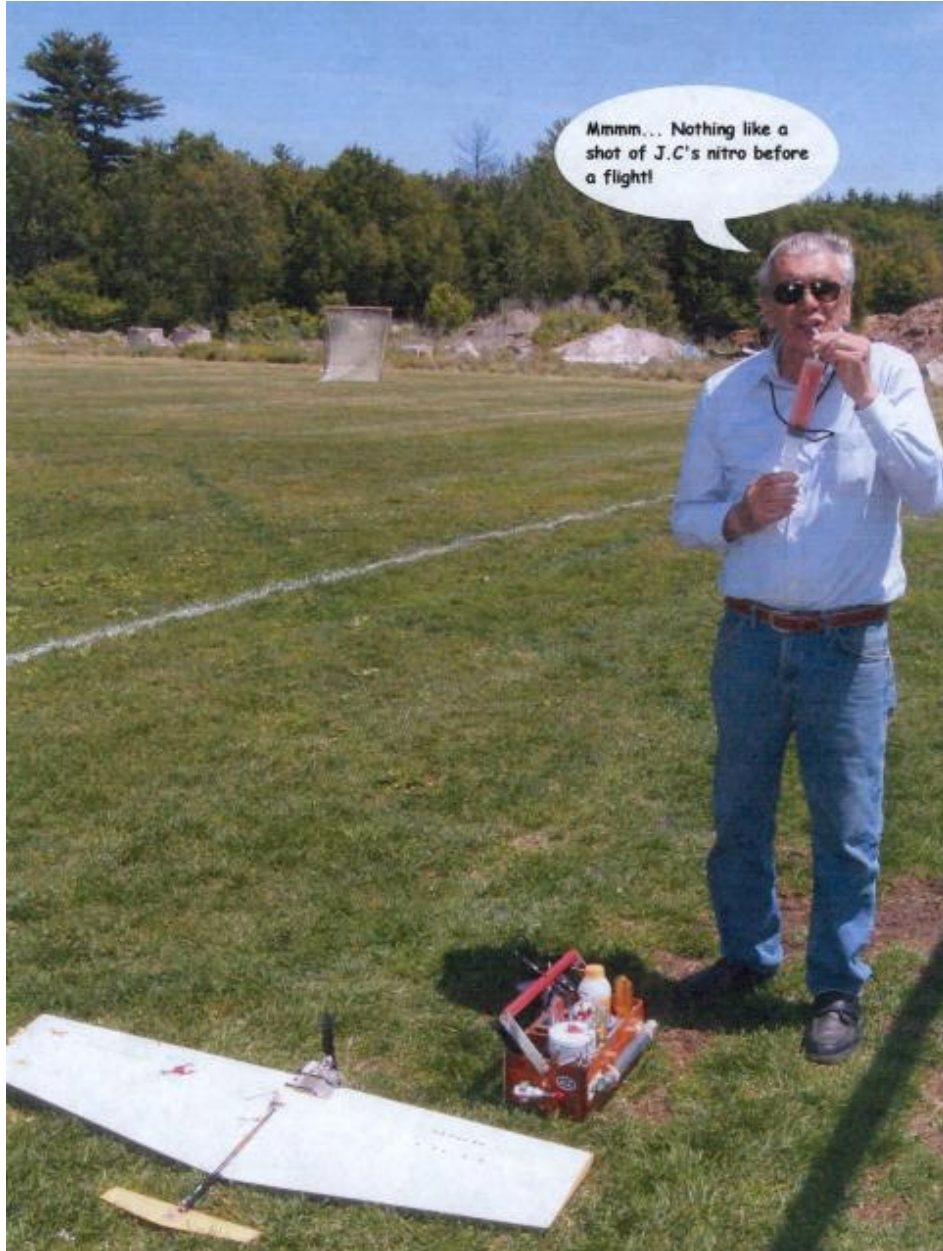
Each match will have a 1 minute staring period where the pilot will start his own engine, get to the pilots circle, and be ready for his plane to be launched. At the end of that one minute period, pilots not ready to launch will forfeit the round. If both pilots are ready to launch, the signal to start will be given. Both planes will be launched from 180 degrees apart, and combat will begin immediately for a 2 minute match period. The match would be scored with 1 point for the first cut, 2 points for the second cut and 3 points for each additional cut. The first string cut counts. In the event 1 airplane crashes, or lands for any other reason before the end of the 2 minute period, the other will win the match. In the event of a mid air collision, both pilots forfeit the round.

These “One N Done” shootouts could be staged with GX equipment, including a speed limit, or with F2D equipment. They events would take 1-1/2 to 2 hours depending on the number of competitors and thus would allow our group to run a regular contest plus this event in the same day. Look for at least one of these shootouts to happen at a New England contest near you.



Holy Batman !
Dick Sherman's GX Batplane
(left)

Jim Carpenter Eats, Sleeps and
Drinks Control Line Combat
(below)



NECN CONTEST FUND
8/1/2009 Through 1/23/2010

Date	Payee	Category	Amount	Running Total
8/1/2009	balance		\$196.00	\$196.00
8/9/2009	Eastern Mass Championships	trophy expense	-\$54.00	\$142.00
8/9/2009	Eastern Mass Championships	entry fees	\$60.00	\$202.00
8/16/2009	107th r/c Flyers GX Shootout	trophy expense	-\$72.00	\$130.00
8/16/2009	107th r/c Flyers GX Shootout	entry fees	\$80.00	\$210.00
8/18/2009	North County Shootout	Permit/Sanction Expense	-\$25.00	\$185.00
8/18/2009	Silver Lake Shootout	Permit/Sanction Expense	-\$25.00	\$160.00
8/23/2009	Salmon River Shootout	trophy expense	-\$72.00	\$88.00
8/23/2009	Salmon River Shootout	entry fees	\$70.00	\$158.00
8/30/2009	Silver Lake Shootout	Permit/Sanction Expense	-\$75.00	\$83.00
9/6/2009	New England Championships	entry fees	\$330.00	\$413.00
9/6/2009	New England Championships	trophy expense	-\$285.00	\$128.00
9/6/2009	New England Championships	t-shirts	-\$220.00	-\$92.00
9/6/2009	Brian Stas	contribution	\$20.00	-\$72.00
9/6/2009	Ken Hargreaves	contribution	\$20.00	-\$52.00
9/20/2009	Wingbuster Model Airplane Club	donation expense	-\$100.00	-\$152.00
9/20/2009	Mark Rudner	contribution	\$20.00	-\$132.00
9/20/2009	District I Championships	entry fees	\$60.00	-\$72.00
9/20/2009	District I Championship	trophy expense	-\$48.00	-\$120.00
10/4/2009	Silver Lake Shootout	trophy expense	-\$72.00	-\$192.00
10/4/2009	Silver Lake Shootout	entry fees	\$105.00	-\$87.00
10/11/2009	North County Shootout	trophy expense	-\$72.00	-\$159.00
10/11/2009	North County Shootout	entry fees	\$150.00	-\$9.00
10/11/2009	Brian Stas	contribution	\$80.00	\$71.00
10/11/2009	Ken Hargreaves	contribution	\$60.00	\$131.00
10/25/2009	Wingbuster Shootout	trophy expense	-\$48.00	\$83.00
10/25/2009	Wingbuster Shootout	entry fees	\$90.00	\$173.00
10/25/2009	Brian Stas	contribution	\$5.00	\$178.00
11/1/2009	Season End Awards	trophy expense	-\$192.00	-\$14.00
11/1/2009	Fall Fly Off	trophy expense	-\$72.00	-\$86.00
11/1/2009	Fall Fly Off	entry fees	\$135.00	\$49.00
11/8/2009	Fall Finale	trophy expense	-\$72.00	-\$23.00
11/8/2009	Fall Finale	entry fees	\$90.00	\$67.00
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Thank You, Paul Kubek



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