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Chris Sarnowski and Paul Kubek **Fall Fly-Off** October 2019

## **Proposed 2020 Schedule**

This is tentative, several of the permissions are not totally in place
There may well be changes and adjustments.

16-May Saturday	107 <sup>th</sup> RC Flyers Spring Championships	GX	Saugus MA
21-Jun Sunday	GX Shootout	GX	location TBD
11-16 July	Combat AMA Nationals		Muncie, Indiana
9-Aug Sunday	<b>Central Mass Championships</b>	GX	E. Brookfield, MA
23-Aug Sunday	Silver Lake Shootout	GX	Kingston, MA
13-Sep Sunday	Eastern Mass Invitational	F2D	location TBD
27-Sep Sunday	Fall Finale Combat Tournament	GX	location TBD
11-Oct Sunday	Eastern Mass Championship	F2D	location TBD
24-Oct Saturday	107 <sup>th</sup> RC Flyers Fall Championship	GX	Saugus, MA
7-Nov Saturday	Turkey Day Shootout	GX	Saugus, MA

Note: The contests marked "location TBD" are reasonably definite date wise They will be at one of three possible locations

## Rumors, Facts Etc.

SHOOTOUT RULES: The "Shootout Rules" that will be used for the "Nemesis Only"contest(s) can be found on page seven. Flown, at least initially, in a single or double elimination format at the end of a GX contest(s). This will make it practical to compete with just one airplane.

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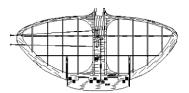
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E-Mail Address \_\_\_\_\_ Forum login name \_\_\_\_\_ 

Birth Date \_\_\_\_\_ Male [ ] Female [ ] Competition Flyer [ ] Sport Flyer [ ] Non Flyer [ ] 

Club/ Clubs Affiliation \_\_\_\_\_ Please rate your preference of flying 1 through 10 with 1 being most preferred. 

Combat: 1/2A [ ], Fast [ ], Slow [ ], Super Slow [ ], FAI [ ]; Stunt [ ]; Racing [ ]; Carrier [ ]; 

Speed [ ]; Free Flight [ ]; R/C [ ]; Other [ ]

ANNUAL DUES: \$30.00 (U.S. Funds Only) 

\$6.00 for each additional family member at same address (No Newsletter)

Be sure to include your forum login name so that you can be granted access to the members section.

F2D Pitman Fund \$ Other (Specify) \_\_\_\_\_ \$

## 2020 Control Line Combat AMA Nationals

Muncie, Indiana July 11 - 16



NATS Registrations - <a href="http://nats.modelaircraft.org/register/">http://nats.modelaircraft.org/register/</a> AMA offers \$50 entry fee waived for first time NATS entries

## 6 days of combat!

Help the F2D team prep for the worlds and stay for the national championships

Sat July 11	Sun July 12	Mon July 13	Tue July 14	Wed July 15	Thu July 16
AMA Nats F2D <sup>1</sup>	AMA Nats F2D¹ (cont.)	AMA Nats Event 328: F2D <sup>2</sup> Fast	AMA Nats Event 329: Speed Limit <sup>3</sup>	AMA Nats Event 330: ½ A <sup>4</sup>	AMA Nats Event 328: Fast <sup>5</sup>
Double Elim -	Full F2D Rules	Double E	lim First Round -	Guaranteed Two	Matches

F2D - current FAI rules

<sup>2</sup>F2D Fast – AMA 328 with 2010 or later F2D equipment

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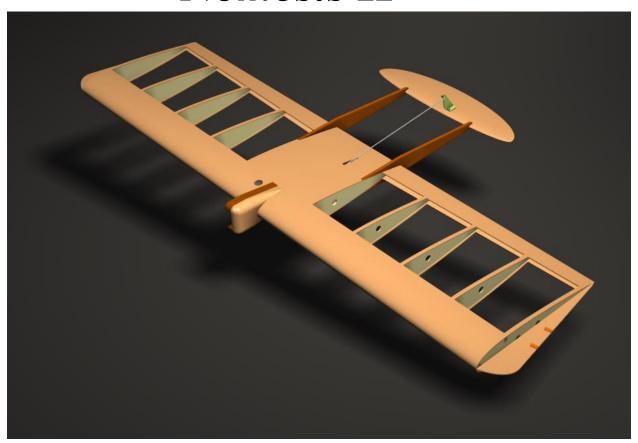
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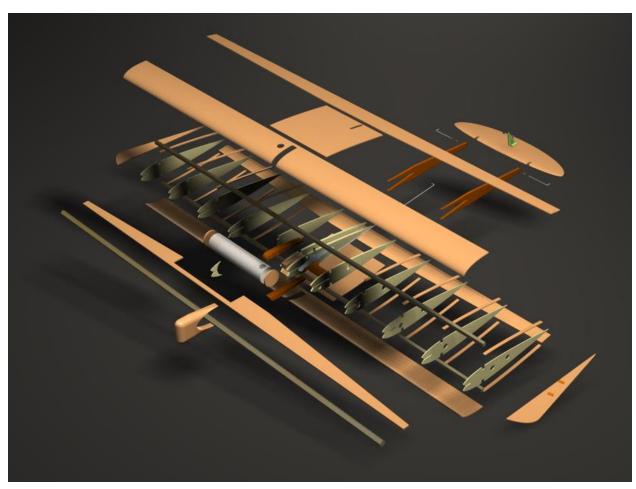
<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> Speed Limit – AMA 329, 75mph speed limit, no airframe restrictions

<sup>4 1/2</sup>A - AMA 330 on 42' lines

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>5</sup>Fast – AMA 328 "big block" fast combat

## Nemesis II





### **Shootout Rules-Kill Version**

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 3 minute match period. The match will be scored with 1 point for the first cut, 2 points for the second cut and 3 points for each additional cut. A kill wins the match if the pilot executing the kill completes the three minute match period. In the event 1 airplane crashes, or lands for any other reason before the end of the 3 minute period, the other will win the match. If both pilots land before the end of the 3 minute period both forfeit the round. Ties will be re-flown. Can be flown single, double or triple elimination



Speaking of Gene Pape here is his beautiful Sneeker (Riley Wooten Design)



#### **Dear Control-Line Fliers:**

Pacific Northwest control-line model aviation clubs would like to invite you to attend the 49th Northwest Control-Line Regionals on Memorial Day Weekend, May 22-23-24.

The Regionals this year offers 46 separate competition events.

The contest will be held at Roseburg Regional Airport in Roseburg, Oregon. Limited RV space is available on site. Motels, restaurants and camping are within a short driving distance. The nearby Hampton Inn will be the Regionals host hotel.

This AMA AA-sanctioned contest features four PAMPA classes of Precision Aerobatics, Old-Time Stunt, Classic/Nostalgia 30 Stunt, sportsman and expert classes of Profile Stunt; AMA Fast, High-Performance 1/2-A, 80-mph, Vintage and 15 Fast Combat; Profile, Class I, Class II, .15, Sport 40 and Nostalgia (profile and Class I/II) Navy Carrier; Mouse I, Northwest Sport, Northwest Super Sport, and Northwest Flying Clown Racing, Sportsman Flying Clown Racing; Authentic, Sport, Profile, 1/2-A and Fun Scale; and 1/2-A, 1/2-A Proto, A, B, C, D, FAI, Jet, Sport .21, .21 Proto, Northwest B Proto, Formula 40, F2D Proto and Northwest Sport Jet Speed.

Information about the contest and copies of the contest flyer and advance entry forms can be downloaded from the flyinglines.org website. Rules for Northwest competition events also are at flyinglines.org.

Further information on the Regionals can be obtained from John Thompson, 2456 Quince St., Eugene, OR 97404, e-mail JohnT4051@aol.com, or phone (541) 689-5553.

### Sincerely,

John Thompson, Assistant Contest Director

## New England Contest Fund 1/1/2019 through 3/19/2020

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1/26/2019	Will Rogers	Contribution Contribution	100.00
4/20/2019	Bill & Cody Bishop		20.00
5/19/2019	107th RC Flyers Spring Champ		60.00
5/19/2019	107th RC Fyers Spring Champi	-	-25.00
5/19/2019	107th RC Flyers Spring Champ		-12.00
5/19/2019	107th RC Flyers Donation	Donation Expense	-50.00
5/19/2019	Joe Fustolo	Contribution	50.00
5/19/2019	Brian Stas	Contribution	50.00
6/12/2019	Len Thibault	Contribution	50.00
6/22/2019	107th GX Shootout	Permit-Sanction Expense	-25.00
6/22/2019	107th GX Shootout	Trophy Expense	-12.00
6/22/2019	107th GX Shootout	Entry Fees	50.00
8/11/2019	Central Mass Championships	Trophy Expense	-46.00
8/11/2019	Central Mass Championships	Permit-Sanction Expense	-55.00
8/11/2019	Central Mass Championships	Entry Fees	60.00
8/25/2019	Silver Lake Shootout	Permit-Sanction Expense	-55.00
8/25/2019	Silver Lake Shootout	Trophy Expense	-46.00
8/25/2019	Silver Lake Shootout	Entry Fees	60.00
9/28/2019	Fall Finale	Entry Fees	70.00
9/28/2019	Fall Finale	Trophy Expense	-46.00
9/28/2019	Fall Finale	Permit-Sanction Expense	-25.00
10/12/2019	Eastern Mass Invitational	Entry Fees	40.00
10/12/2019	Eastern Mass Invitational	Trophy Expense	-6.00
10/12/2019	Eastern Mass Invitational	Permit-Sanction Expense	-25.00
10/27/2019	Brian Stas	Contribution	100.00
10/27/2019	Fall Fly Off	Trophy Expense	-46.00
10/27/2019	Fall Fly Off	Permit-Sanction Expense	-25.00
10/27/2019	Fall Fly Off	Entry Fees	60.00
11/17/2019	Turkey Day Shootout	Entry Fees	50.00
11/19/2019	Turkey Day Shootout	Trophy Expense	-4.00
11/19/2019	Turkey Day Shootout	Permit-Sanction Expense	-25.00
1/20/2020	Will Rogers	Contribution	100.00
1/1/2019 - 3/19			392.00
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		TOTAL INFLOWS	920.00
		TOTAL OUTFLOWS	-528.00
		NET TOTAL	392.00