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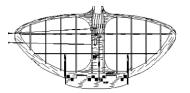
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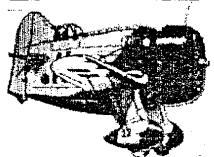
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Classic Combat Airplanes

Your editor has added a new airplane to his collection of classic combat airplanes. I also finally got some paint on one that been in my collection for quite a little while now.

They are both Larry Scarinzi designs.

The one on the top of the page is a "Blitz" (circa 1964) At the bottom of the page is Larry's "Werewolf", a 1959 design.





MACA Overall Top Twenty Combat Pilots

For 2016 Compiled by Jeff Rein

1. Chuck Rudner 983 *points

2. Bill Maywald 686

3. Don Jensen 652

4. Dave Fischer 555

5. Andy Minor 475

6. Bob Mears 458

7. Neil Simpson 428

8. Andy Mears 394

9. Cary Minor 389

10. Lee Letchworth 372

11. Alexander Prokofiev 360

12. Robert Smith 325

13. Jeff Rein 314

14. Arnie Delgado 294

15. Greg Wornell 265

16. Andrew Nadein 261

17. Jeff Hanauer 258

18. Jeff Johnson 252

19. Allen DeVeuve 224

20. Mike Alurac 221

*The overall award is determined by combining points from Speed Limit, Fast, F2d and 1/2A Combat events which are listed below.

MACA 2016 Top Twenty Speed Limit Pilots

1. Chuck Rudner 440 10. Phil Cartier 113 2. Bill Maywald 275 11. Don Jensen 113 3. Andy Minor 224 12. Lee Letchworth 95 4. Bob Mears 165 13. Paul Kubek 85 5. Neil Simpson 161 14. Mike Alurac 80 15. Jeff Hanauer 79 6. Roy Glenn 156 7. Dave Fischer 133 16. Louis Lopez 77 8. Jeff Johnson 132 17. Robert Smith 76 18. Jeff Rein 75 9. Cary Minor 114

19. Rod Christie 68

20. Steve Stewart 35

MACA 2016 Top Twenty 1/2A Pilots

Chuck Rudner 153
 Robert Smith 137
 Don Jensen 99
 Lee Letchworth 86
 Mike Hazel 75
 Andy Minor 61
 Jeff Rein 55
 Austin Minor 54
 Rod Christie 39

10. Gene Pape 38
11. John Knoppi 34
12. Cary Minor 33
13. Dave Fischer 27
14. Buzz Wilson 24
15. Bob Burch 18
16. Jeff Hanauer 18
17. Neil Simpson 18

18. Greg Machen 17

19. John Thompson 17 20. Jeff Johnson 9

MACA 2016 Top Twenty F2d Pilots

1. Alexander Prokofiev 360

2. Greg Wornell 265

3. Andrew Nadein 261

4. Arnie Delgado 253

5. Dave Fischer 232

6. Allen DeVeuve 224

7. Andy Mears 210

8. Bob Mears 188

9. Chuck Rudner 174

10. Bill Maywald 166

11. James McKinney 145

12. Don Jensen 124

13. Andy Minor 119

14. Lee Letchworth 106

15. Neil Simpson 101

16. Mark Rudner 98

17. Cary Minor 76

18. Radik Magzianov 76

19. Richard Stubblefield 76

20. Leonardo Silva 76

MACA 2016 Top Twenty Fast Combat Pilots

1. Don Jensen 316

2. Bill Maywald 245

3. Chuck Rudner 216

4. Jeff Rein 184

5. Cary Minor 166

6. Dave Fischer 163

7. Andy Mears 155

8. Neil Simpson 148

9. Robert Smith 112

10. Aimee Bagley 105

11. Bob Mears 105

12. Jeff Hanauer 103

13. Lee Letchworth 85

14. Mike Alurac 83

15. Andy Minor 71

16. Austin Minor 60

17. Greg Machen 57

18. Jeff Johnson 53

19. John Knoppi 48

20. Richard Stubblefield 41



Rumors, Facts Etc.

CONTEST FUND: This month we received a very generous donation from Mister Will Rogers . . . Will, Thank you very much.



SUPER-GLUE VICTIMS

2017 Wingbuster Spring Championship Halifax, MA

May 7th, 2017

Formula GX Combat

Prizes for top three First Match 10:00 am AMA Sanctioned

New England Contest Fund

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Date	Description	Category	Amount
BALANCE 2/29/201	6		427.00
3/1/2016	Len Thibault	Contribution	100.00
3/24/2016	Ernie Carosela	Contribution	30.00
4/10/2016	Eastern Mass Invitational	Entry Fees	60.00
4/10/2016	Eastern Mass Invitational	Trophy Expense	-6.00
4/10/2016	Eastern Mass Invitational	Permit-Sanction Expense	-25.00
5/15/2016	Wingbuster Spring Championship	Trophy Expense	-2.00
5/15/2016	Wingbuster Spring Championship	Entry Fees	40.00
5/15/2016	Wingbuster Spring Championship	Permit-Sanction Expense	-25.00
5/25/2016	Chip Giordano	Contribution	50.00
5/29/2016	Canceled Contest-Sanction Cost	Permit-Sanction Expense	-25.00
7/2/2016	Canceled Contest-Sanction Cost	Permit-Sanction Expense	-25.00
8/7/2016 8/7/2016	Wingbuster Summer Championships	Permit-Sanction Expense	-25.00 -49.00
8/7/2016 8/7/2016	Wingbuster Summer Championships Joe Fustolo	Trophy Expense Contribution	-49.00 40.00
8/14/2016	Central Mass Championships	Trophy Expense	-12.00
8/14/2016	Central Mass Championships Central Mass Championships	Permit-Sanction Expense	-55.00
8/23/2016	Tim Price	Contribution	20.00
8/28/2016	Brian Stas	Contribution	50.00
8/28/2016	GX Shootout	Trophy Expense	-6.00
8/28/2016	GX Shootout	Permit-Sanction Expense	-25.00
9/18/2016	Wingbuster Fall Challenge	Permit-Sanction Expense	-25.00
9/18/2016	Wingbuster Fall Challenge	Entry Fees	50.00
9/18/2016	Wingbuster Fall Challenge	Trophy Expense	-48.00
9/18/2016	Chris Sarnowski	Contribution	10.00
10/9/2016	Wingbuster Model Airplane Club	Donation Expense	-250.00
10/16/2016	Eastern Mass Championships	Permit-Sanction Expense	-25.00
10/16/2016	Eastern Mass Championships	Trophy Expense	-6.00
10/23/2016	Canceled Contest-Sanction Cost	Permit-Sanction Expense	-25.00
10/24/2016	Hog Heaven Hobbies (John Glennon)	Contribution	100.00
10/30/2016	Fall Fly Off	Trophy Expense	-48.00
10/30/2016	Fall Fly Off	Entry Fees	50.00
10/30/2016	Fall Fly Off	Permit-Sanction Expense	-25.00
11/2/2016	Streamer String (3 Rolls)	Streamer Expense	-9.00
11/2/2016 1/18/2017	2016 Streamers (105qty)	Streamer Expense Contribution	-20.00
3/1/2016 - 1/20/	Will Rogers 2017	Contribution	100.00 -61.00
BALANCE 1/20/201	7		366.00
		TOTAL INFLOWS	700.00
		TOTAL OUTFLOWS	-761.00
		NET TOTAL	-61.00

Proposed 2017 Schedule

This is based on last year's schedule... some assumptions may be wrong and many of the permissions are not in place, it is very tentative and there will surely be changes and adjustments. Contests highlighted in red are based on assumptions and the dates may be subject to correction.

9-Apr	Middlesex, NJ Speed Limit and single elimination 1/2A		
16-Apr 23-Apr 30-Apr	Specu Emilia and single chimilation 1/2/x		
7-May 14-May	Wingbuster Spring Championship Mother's Day	GX	Halifax, MA
21-May	Gil's Meet	SL	Hershey, PA
28-May	Eastern Mass Invitational	F2D	Halifax, MA
4-Jun			
11-Jun 18-Jun	Brodak Week 12 th thru 17th		
25-Jun	Wingbuster Summer Championship	GX	Halifax, MA
2-Jul 9-Jul 16-Jul 23-Jul	Nats Week		
30-Jul			
6-Aug	Central Mass Championships	GX	E. Brookfield, MA
13-Aug	East Coast Championships	\mathbf{SL}	Hershey, PA
20-Aug			
27-Aug	Wingbuster GX Shootout	GX	Halifax, MA
3-Sep			
10-Sep	Middlesex, NJ Speed Limit and single elimination 1/2A		
17-Sep	Wingbuster Fall Challenge	F2D	Halifax, MA
24-Sep	Garden State Circle Burners Vintage Combat Festival		
1-Oct	October Air War	SL	Vincentown, NJ
8-Oct	Fall Finale Combat Tournament	GX	Halifax, MA
15-Oct	Eastern Mass Championship	F2D	Halifax, MA
22-Oct	Philly Flyers Combat	SL	Philadelphia, PA
29-Oct	Fall Fly-Off	GX	Halifax, MA