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**Greg Wornell and Brian Stas
Eastern Mass Invitational
June 3rd, 2017**

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CONTROL LINE PLANS: "Barry Baxter's Control Line Plans" has been purchased by Bob and Arlene Mears and they will continue to make Barry's great collection of plans available to the control line community. Many combat plans in particular were painstakingly reproduced by Barry . . . Great to know these plans are still in good hands.

*2018 Wingbuster
Spring Championship*

**Wingbuster Club Field Halifax, MA
May 6th, 2018**

Formula GX Combat

Prizes for top three

*2018
Eastern Mass Invitational*

**Wingbuster Club Field Halifax, MA
June 3rd, 2018**

**F2D Combat
Single Airplane Rules**

Prizes for top three

**First Match 10:00 am
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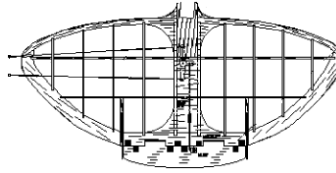
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Hi Neil,

I've got a little follow-up to my previous submission. As I mentioned, the fan in my ventilator was a bit underpowered. I replaced it with a more powerful model, which pulls around 140 cu. ft. per min. Now it works great. I also found a clear plastic dome (meant for covering food in the microwave) that provides a perfect hood. Project complete, and soldering is much more pleasant now. A photo of the final version is attached.

Best,

Mark Rudner



2017 New England Combat Season in Review

Formula GX Combat

5/7	Wingbuster Spring Championship	Matt Stas
7/8	Wingbuster Summer Championship	Neil Simpson
8/8	Central Mass Championship	Neil Simpson
10/8	Fall Finale	Joe Fustolo
10/29	Fall Fly Off	Brian Stas
11/26	Turkey Day Shootout	Brian Stas

F2D Combat

6/3	Eastern Mass Invitational	Sasha Nadein
9/17	Wingbuster Fall Challenge	Greg Wornell
10/15	Eastern Mass Championship	Greg Wornell

The popular wiiner of the 2017 Eastern Mass Invitational held June 3rd was Sasha Nadein. Her dad Andre was second and Brian Stas finished third



2017 New England Combat Season in Review



Team Stas . . . Brian and Matt at the Wingbuster Spring Championships held May 7th



Chris Sarnowski and Paul Kubek at the Wingbuster Spring Championships

2017 New England Combat Season in Review



Joe Fustolo and Paul Kubek at the Wingbuster Spring Championships held May 7th



Brian Stas and Neil Simpson at the Central Mass Championships held August 8th in East Brookfield, MA



Neil Simpson, Joe Fustolo and Brian Stas were the top three at the 2017 Wingbuster Summer Championship held July 8th

2017 New England Combat Season in Review



Rick Clark gets a fellow competitor airborne at the Fall Fly Off held. October 29th



Paul Kubek battles Brian Stas at the Fall Fly Off



Chris Sarnowski and Paul Kubek at the Fall Fly Off

Proposed 2018 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.

8-Apr
15-Apr
22-Apr
29-Apr

6-May	Wingbuster Spring Championship	GX	Halifax, MA
13-May	Mother's Day		
20-May	Gil's Meet	SL	Hershey, PA
27-May			

3-Jun	Eastern Mass Invitational	F2D	Halifax, MA
10-Jun	Brodak Week 11 th thru 16 th (Speed Limit Combat on Thursday June 14 th)		
17-Jun			
24-Jun			

1-Jul	Wingbuster Summer Championship	GX	Halifax, MA
8-Jul	Nats Week July 7 th to July 12 th		
15-Jul			
22-Jul			
29-Jul			

5-Aug	Central Mass Championships	GX	E. Brookfield, MA
12-Aug	East Coast Championships	SL	Hershey, PA
19-Aug			
26-Aug	Wingbuster GX Shootout	GX	Halifax, MA

2-Sep			
9-Sep	Lincoln Park, NJ	SL	
16-Sep	Wingbuster Fall Challenge	F2D	Halifax, MA
23-Sep	Garden State Circle Burners		
	Vintage Combat Festival		Lincoln Park, NJ
30-Sep	Fall Finale Combat Tournament	GX	Halifax, MA

7-Oct	October Air War	SL	Vincentown, NJ
14-Oct	Eastern Mass Championship	F2D	Halifax, MA
21-Oct	Philly Flyers Combat	SL	Philadelphia, PA
28-Oct	Fall Fly-Off	GX	Halifax, MA