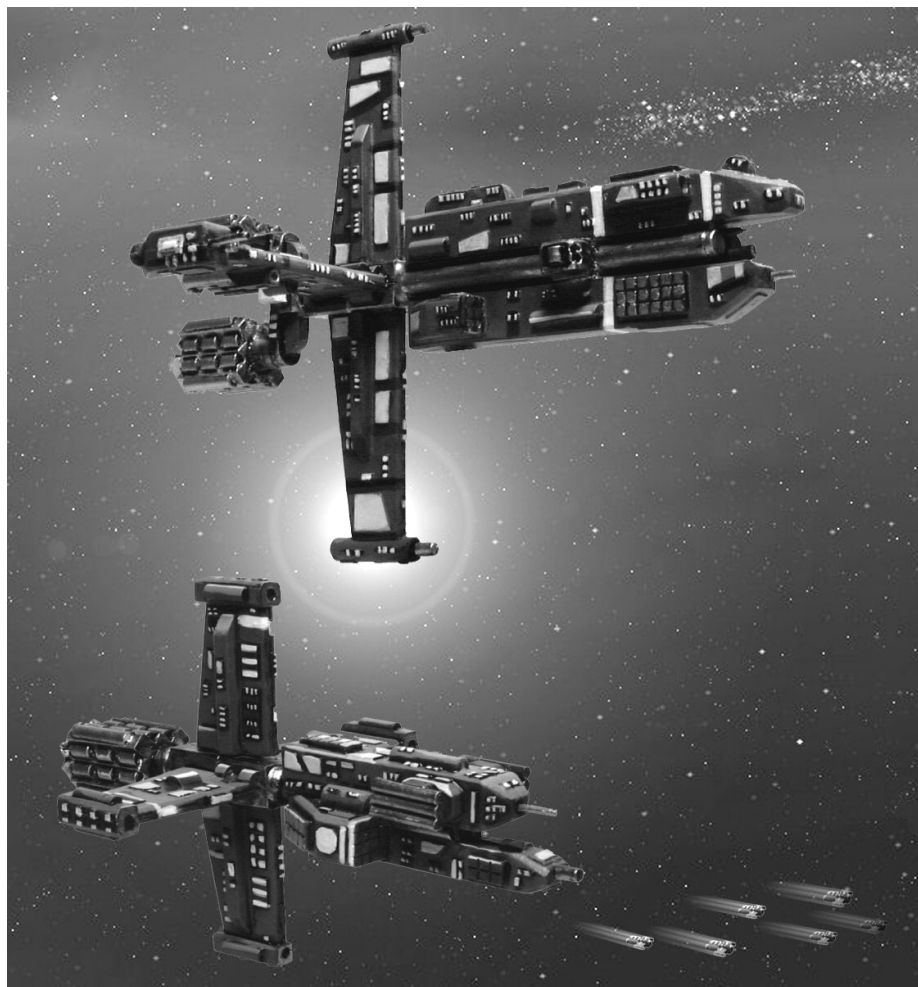


GZG 7 ECC



Convention Booklet

February 27th – 29, 2004

Lancaster PA, USA

<http://www.warpfish.com/gzgecc>

GZG-ECC 7 Information

Welcome to Lancaster, and GZG-ECC 7! This year, we're happy to welcome the man himself, Jon Tuffley, to our convention, as our Guest of Honor. Please help us welcome him to North America and to our convention! If you have any questions, please feel free to ask any of the committee members. Relax, have fun, and enjoy the games — you're among friends here.

Events: As always, the main focus of GZG-ECC are the events. Some events are filled and are no longer accepting players. Other events, however, still have some room, and can accept drop-ins. Sign up at the registration desk to reserve a spot in these events.

Vendors: Also, we're pleased to welcome our vendors to the Convention — help support them and take something nice home.

Miniatures Contest: On Saturday Afternoon, Mark Kochte runs the GZG-ECC miniatures contest. There are four categories this year (1/300, 25mm, 15mm, and starship) and each person may enter two entries per category. Entries are taken Saturday morning, and the entire convention votes on the miniatures. The prizes are awarded Saturday evening, during our awards ceremony.

Painting Workshop: Rick Rutherford is running a painting workshop on Saturday Morning. There is limited space available, so please pre-register at the registration desk.

Quote Board: It has become a tradition to write the more memorable quotes on our infamous quote board. Feel free to offer what you hear during the heated conversation of battle.

Unofficial Games: This convention is meant for games written or inspired by Jon Tuffley. However, if a table is open, you're welcome to play anything you want. Just double check with the registration desk.

Con Shirts: This year, shirts were pre-ordered during registration, though we may still have a couple left. Drop by the registration desk for more information.

Volunteers: We always need volunteers to help us run the registration desk, or to even run an event. If you have your minis with you, and feel like running an event on short notice, let us know and we'll announce your event to everybody. People who volunteer get \$5 off their Con admission.

Captain's Lounge: This is a place away from the hustle and bustle of the main convention floor. It's a place to play quieter games, eat breakfast, lunch, or dinner, or go to quietly chat while waiting for things to happen.

Swap Table: There's a swap table available for gamers wanting to trade or sell some stuff. Talk to Jerry Han if you're interested in selling something.

Badges: Everybody should have a name badge with their starship logo on it. If you don't have one, please see us at the registration desk.

Door Prizes: Every convention attendee

receives a figure or a set of figures from the door prize collection. Talk to a committee member for more details.

Food: Food is available from the Hotel restaurant, and from various restaurants located throughout downtown Lancaster. More information is located in the Lancaster information section of this booklet. You are allowed to bring food into the convention areas, but please be careful with it.

Tourism: Lancaster itself is a wonderful place to look around. Spend a couple of hours and tour historic sections of the city, or visit Pennsylvania Dutch County.

Survey: And as an assistance to us, take a look over our convention survey. Please fill it out and give it back to us. We need your ideas to make next year's event even better.

Fleet Book 3 Playtest Full Thrust Fleet Book 3 public playtest sessions will take place on some of the tables marked **Open Gaming** on Friday Evening or Sunday Morning. Feel free to watch or participate!

If you have any questions, please talk to one of the committee members (Jon, Mark or Jerry) — wearing the badges with the UNSC logo. Thanks!

HOTEL INFORMATION

Ramada Inn Brunswick
Chestnut & Queen
PO Box 749
Lancaster, PA, USA
17608
(717) 397-4801, (800) 821-9258

VENDOR LIST

Decals Express
info@wargamesexpress.com
<http://www.wargamesexpress.com/decals/index.html>
210 Vine St.
Munhall, Pennsylvania, USA
15120

Starmats Plus
CScheu@clevelandrange.com

DLD Productions
(See Below for Contact Info)

Ground Zero Games
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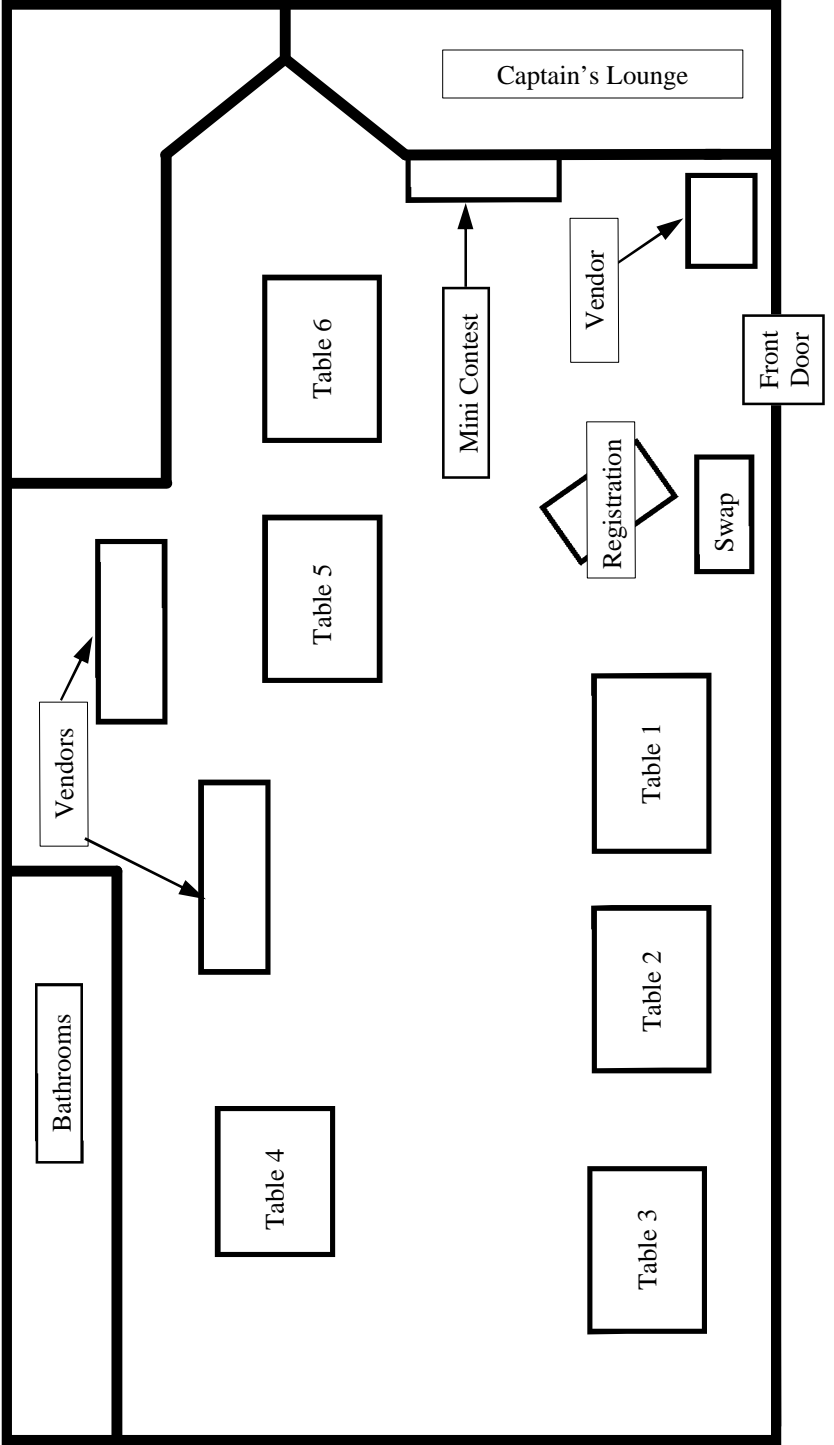
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<http://www.gtms.net/gzg/>
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ENGLAND
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Greenacres, Aylesford, Kent,
ENGLAND, ME20 7LJ

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PO Box 535
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<http://www.wargamesexpress.com/wargames/index.html>

GZG — ECC 7 Floor Layout



GZG — ECC 7 Schedule

	Friday 7 – 11pm	Saturday 9am – 1pm	Saturday 2 – 6pm	Saturday 7– 11pm	Sunday 9am – 1pm
Table #1 (FT)	Egg McGuffin Fast Take Out	Full Thrust Tournament	Riders on the Storm	Full Thrust Tournament	Ambush in the Bremen Corridor
Table #2 (FT)	Open Gaming	Full Thrust Tournament	The Corpse Scenario	Full Thrust Tournament	Last Stand of the Homonovus
Table #3 (FT)	Pod Racing	Painting Workshop	Sci-Fi Crossover: The Showdown	Too Many Sharks, Not Enough Fish	Open Gaming
Table #4 (DS2)	War of the Worlds	WWII In The Dirt	Carnage Con Queso—S.C. U.M. of the Galaxy	OGRE Bash	Battle for Durango
Table #5 (SG2/FMA)	Open Gaming	The Mysterious Island of Dr. Carter	Terminator IV: The Morning After	FMA Sheep 2: They're Baa-ck!	FMA Frag
Table #6 (SG2/FMA)	Full Metal Anorak Demo	Rescue from Facility 23	I Hope This Works!	The Old Guard	Open Gaming
Special Events			Miniatures Contest		

Schedule Explanation

Open Gaming tables are available to any convention participants to play any games on these tables, though Jon Tuffley rulesets have priority.

Each event description contains the name of the event, the GM, the system, and the number of players. Check at the registration table to see which events still have free spots.

Friday Evening Events (7 – 11 pm)

Table 1: Egg McGuffin Fast Take Out
Jerry Han, FT, 4-6 players
Complexity: Introductory

Table 2: Open Gaming

Table 3: Pod Racing
Mike Hudak, FT, 4-12 players
Complexity: Introductory

Table 4: War of the Worlds
Tim Pope, DS2, 2-4 players
Complexity: Introductory

Table 5: Open Gaming

Table 6: FMA Demo
Jon Tuffley FMA, 6-8 players
Complexity: Introductory

Saturday Morning Events (9 am – 1 pm)

Table 1: Full Thrust Tournament
Round I & 2
Jon Davis, FT, 4-8 players
Complexity: Moderate

Table 2: Full Thrust Tournament
(See Sat. Morning, Table 1)

Table 3: Painting Seminar
Rick Rutherford

Table 4: World War II in the Dirt
Dave Hornung, DS2, 4-6 players
Complexity: Moderate

Table 5: The Mysterious Island of
Dr. Carter
Stuart Murray, CineGrunt, 4-6 players
Complexity: Introductory

Table 6: Rescue from Facility 23
(Zombie Smackdown Part I)
Damond Walker, FMA, 4-6 players
Complexity: Introductory

Saturday Afternoon Events (2 – 6 pm)

Table 1: Riders of the Storm
Mike Muller, FT, 2-6 players
Complexity: Introductory

Table 2: The Corpsicle Scenario
Bob Yeager, FT, 2-4 players
Complexity: Moderate

Table 3: Sci-Fi Crossover:
The Showdown
Dean Gundberg, FT, 2-10 players
Complexity: Moderate

Table 4: Carnage Con Queso
S.C.U.M. of the Galaxy
Tony Finan, SG2, 2-8 players
Complexity: Moderate

Table 5: Terminator IV:
The Morning After
Aaron Newman, FMA, 3-6 players
Complexity: Moderate

Table 6: I Hope This Thing Works
(Zombie Smackdown Part 2)
Jerry Accord, FMA, 4-6 players
Complexity: Introductory

Don't Forget to Enter the
Miniatures Contest!

**Saturday Evening
Events (7:30 – 11:30 pm)**

Table 1: Full Thrust Tournament
Round 3 & 4
Jon Davis, FT, 4-8 players
Complexity: Moderate

Table 2: Full Thrust Tournament
(See Sat. Evening, Table 1)

Table 3: Full Thrust Pirates:
Too Many Sharks, Not Enough Fish
Scott Field, FT, 4-8 players
Complexity: Introductory

Table 4: Ogre Bash
Kochte and Lerchey, DS2, 6-8 players
Complexity: Moderate

Table 5: FMA Sheep 2
DeBoe & Anon., FMA, 2-8 players
Complexity: Introductory

Table 6: The Old Guard
Mike Miserendino, FMA/DS2,
4-6 players
Complexity: Introductory

**Sunday Morning
Events (9 am– 1 pm)**

Table 1: Ambush in the
Bremen Corridor
Dan Blezek, FT, 2-6 players
Complexity: Moderate

Table 2: The Last Stand of the
Homomovus
Aaron Newman, EFSB, 4-6 players
Complexity: Introductory

Table 3: Open Gaming

Table 4: The Battle of Durango
Mark Kochte, DS2, 2-6 players
Complexity: Introductory

Table 5: FMA Frag
Mike Hudak, FMA, 2-8 players
Complexity: Introductory

Table 6: Open Gaming

***Saturday Afternoon Miniatures
Contest Rules (Abridged)***

You may enter in four categories:

- FT/Starships
- Dirtside 2/Epic (1/300)
- Stargrunt 2 (25mm)
- Stargrunt 2 (15mm)

All entries must be painted by the person entering the miniatures. You may submit 2 entries per category, for a maximum of 8. Submissions will be taken by Mark Kochte during the Saturday morning session. SG2 Squads/DS2 Platoons will count as one entry. A squad with APC will count as two entries.

During the Saturday afternoon session, Convention attendees will vote on their favourite miniatures, 2 votes per category. Winners will be announced Saturday evening, before the start of the evening session. Entries can be reclaimed after the award ceremony.

Please talk to Mark Kochte if you have any questions.

Lancaster, Pennsylvania

During the Revolutionary War, Lancaster was the largest inland city in the Colonies. It was capital of the nation for 1 day, Sept. 27, 1777, when Congress stopped in Lancaster as it fled Philadelphia after the Battle of Brandywine. Lancaster was the state capital from 1799-1812.

The city is in the heart of Lancaster County, known for its Amish and Mennonite population, its picturesque and productive farms and its heaping platters of Pennsylvania Dutch food. The Visitor Information Center, on US 30 at the Greenfield Road exit, presents a brief orientation to the area through exhibits, a multi-image program, brochures and maps.



Pennsylvania Dutch Convention and Visitors Bureau:

501 Greenfield Rd., Lancaster, PA, 17061

(717) 299 - 8901

(800) 723 - 8824

<http://www.cityoflancasterpa.com/>

<http://www.padutchcountry.com/>

Attractions in and around Lancaster

Central Market

King St, Just west of Queen St

Central Market's distinctive towers are easy to find among other buildings at Penn Square. Inside, more than 80 friendly stand holders and a bounty of freshness combine in a historic atmosphere.

Bird-In-Hand Farmer's Market

Rt 340 & Maple Ave —

(717) 393-9674

Indoor Farmers Market featuring local vendors with a wide variety of homemade goodies. Fresh meats, cheese, fruits & vegetables, baked & canned goods, spices, and candy. Other stores on the premises: The Glass Factory, Bird-in-Hand Candle & Gifts, Farmers Market Gift Shop, Snyders Crafts, and Fashion Brand Linens & Lingerie.

Museum of Nat. History and Sci.

400 College Ave. — (717) 291-3941

The North Museum of Natural History & Science

exhibits, special events, lecture programs, live animals, field trips and the third largest planetarium in Pennsylvania make the North Museum the center for science learning adventure in the Lancaster area.

LaserDome

Exit 230 on 283 West —

(717) 492-0002

Laserdome is high tech fun! The perfect place to party. Featuring laser tag, laser shows, a state of the art arcade. Affordable. Open to the public Tues.-Thurs.-3pm-10pm, Fri. 3pm-1am, Sat. noon-1am and Sun. noon-11pm, closed Mondays.

Park City Centre Mall

Rt 30 & Harrisburg Pk —

(717) 393-9674

1.4 million square foot super regional enclosed shopping center with five department store anchors, 170 merchants, sit down dining options, food court with kids play area, carousel.

Lancaster Restaurant List

We've compiled a list of restaurants within a (roughly) 10 minute walking distance from the hotel. This list was compiled in November, 2001, from Lancaster information available from Yahoo.com. Thus, we can't really tell how accurate it is. This is provided just as a suggestion in case you want to prowl around and find something away from the hotel. This is listed in order of distance.

Maxwell Curry's (Hotel Cafe)	Inside the Hotel	(717) 397-4801
House Of Pizza	23 W Chestnut St	(717) 393-1747
Marion Court Room	7 Marion Ct	(717) 399-1970
Penn Taco Inc	241 N Prince St	(717) 392-5434
Eighty Eight Chinese Express	31 N Queen St	(717) 399-8898
Lancaster Legal Bagel Co	22 E Orange St	(717) 290-7777
Isaac's Deli Inc	44 N Queen St	(717) 394-5544
Zimmerman's Restaurant	66 N Queen St	(717) 394-6977
Meritage Restaurant	51 N Market St	(717) 396-1189
Gallo Rosso	337 N Queen St	(717) 392-5616
Onion's Cafe	340 N Queen St	(717) 396-8777
Primos Steak & Seafoodrill	335 N Queen St	(717) 394-7181
Subway Sandwiches & Salads	106 W Orange St	(717) 295-7500
Wish You Were Here	108 W Orange St	(717) 299-5157
My Place Pizza	12 N Queen St	(717) 393-6405
Carr's Restaurant	50 W Grant St	(717) 299-7090
Loft Restaurant	201 W Orange St	(717) 299-0661
Carriage House	320 N Cherry St	(717) 293-9597
Red Rose Luncheonette	101 E King St	(717) 392-8620
Thyme & Seasons Catering	111 E King St	(717) 394-5554
Rick's Deli Restaurant	50 W King St	(717) 299-7295
Pressroom	26-28 W King St	(717) 399-5400
Burger Towne	106 E King St	(717) 394-1614
Caribbean Breeze Inc	217 W King St	(717) 295-7008
Mc Fly's Pub	10 S Prince St	(717) 299-3456
Molly's Pub	253 E Chestnut St	(717) 396-0225
Mc Donald's	210 W King St	(717) 299-6699
Golden Eagle Tavern & Chinese	170 E King St	(717) 396-7987
Beverdare Inn	402 N Queen St	(717) 394-2422
Sun Restaurant	50 W James St	(717) 394-8539
Steak-Out	1 W James St	(717) 392-7900
Tops Market & Grill	28 E Vine St	(717) 399-5411
Fred & Mary's Coffee House	323 W Lemon St	(717) 397-4544
Mamma Mia Pizzeria	155 E James St	(717) 392-4892
Lombardo's Italian American	216 Harrisburg Ave	(717) 394-3749
J-M Bistro & Pub	300 W James St	(717) 392-5656
Speed's Sandwich Shop	318 E King St	(717) 392-9814
Strawberry Hill	128 W Strawberry St	(717) 299-9910
Deportivo Restaurant	407 E King St	(717) 481-5506
Griffin Larry	603 N Prince St	(717) 399-9919
Frank's Place	601 N Lime St	(717) 299-3131
La Familia Restaurant	424 S Duke St	(717) 299-9688
Portofino Italian Ristorante	254 E Frederick St	(717) 394-1635
Green Briar Cafe	47 W New St	(717) 299-5797
Dominion Pizza	308 S Queen St	(717) 393-4239
Kegel's Seafood Restaurant	551 W King St	(717) 397-2832
KFC	480 S Duke St	(717) 392-3534

The GZG-ECC 7 Committee

Jon Davis, Jerry Han, Mark Kochte

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Adrian Johnson for shirt art suggestions

All our volunteers for running their great events.

And, our Guest of Honor, Jon Tuffley of Ground Zero Games, for prizes, support, and inspiration, as always.

**FINALLY, THANK YOU FOR COMING TO
GZG-ECC 7!**

**WITHOUT YOU, THIS CONVENTION WOULD NOT
EXIST. WE HOPE TO SEE YOU NEXT YEAR!**



GZG-ECC 7 Wrap-up and GZG-ECC 8 info at:

<http://www.warpfish.com/gzgecc>

GZG-ECC 7 After Convention Survey

We're always looking for suggestions to improve things for future years. We want to continue to develop GZG-ECC as one of the best small conventions around. Please take a moment to fill this form out, detach it from the program, and leave it at the registration desk, or give it to one of the Committee, or mail it to the address below. Thanks for your time!

Jon Davis
1415 Rocco Drive
Schenectady, NY, 12303

	Rank (5=best)	Comments (Name of Event)
Registration	5 4 3 2 1	
Vendors	5 4 3 2 1	
Food and Snacks	5 4 3 2 1	
Main Room	5 4 3 2 1	
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Prizes	5 4 3 2 1	
Awards Ceremony	5 4 3 2 1	
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Saturday Morning Event	5 4 3 2 1	
Saturday Afternoon Event	5 4 3 2 1	
Saturday Evening Event	5 4 3 2 1	
Sunday Event	5 4 3 2 1	

MORE ON THE BACK...

Give us your opinion! Tell us what you liked, you didn't like, what we can improve, what you liked just fine.

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Thanks for your comments!