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Pitching Screen



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I designed this pitching screen to be large (8' by 8') and durable. With four wheels, it is also mobile.

Instructions

1. Weld A to inside of the end of C at a 90 degree angle. (see Fig. 1)
2. Weld B to inside of the end (opposite A) of C at a 90 degree angle. (see Fig. 1)
3. Weld D to ends (opposite of C) of A & B at a 90 degree angle. (see Fig. 1)
4. Cut both ends of I,J,E, and L at a 45 degree angle.

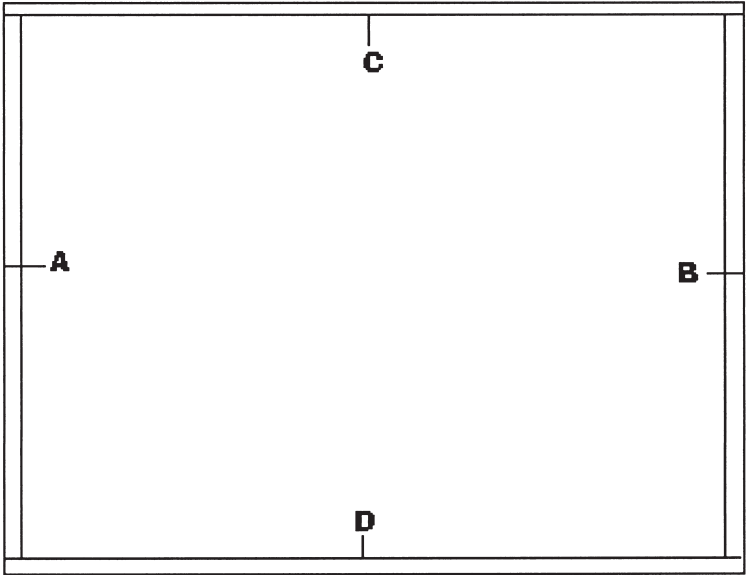


Figure 1

Bill of Materials	
Qty	Description
82'	B-line channel
12"	1/2" round stock
16"	1/4" plate steel
4	lawnmower wheels
4	cotter pins

ID	Description
A	8' B-Line
B	8' B-Line
C	8' 1-5/8" B-Line
D	8' 1-5/8" B-Line
E	6' B-Line
F	6' B-Line
G	6' B-Line
H	6' B-Line
I	30" B-Line
J	30" B-Line
K	30" B-Line
L	30" B-Line
M	4' B-Line
N	4' B-Line
O	4' B-Line
P	4' B-Line
Q	12" round stock
R	3" round stock
S	3" round stock
T	3" round stock
U	3" round stock
V	4" x 4" plate steel
W	2" x 2" plate steel
X	2" x 2" plate steel
Y	2" x 2" plate steel
Z	2" x 2" plate steel

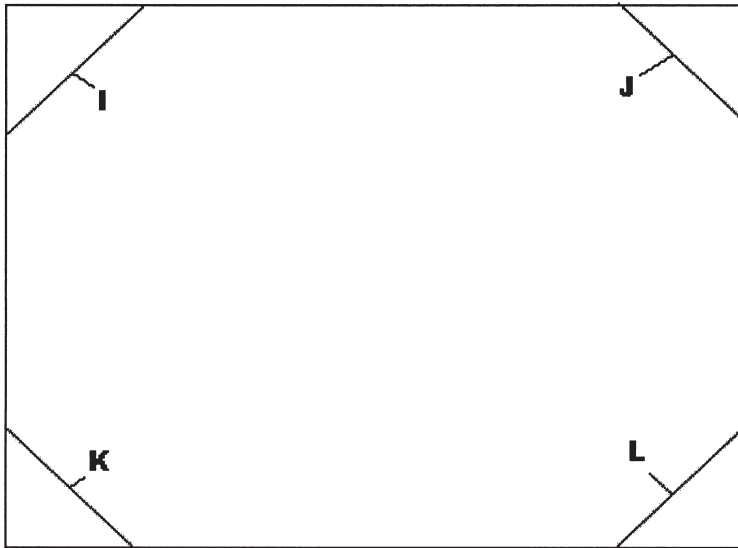


Figure 2

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| 5. Weld I to A and C. (see Fig. 2) | 12. Weld G to centers of J and L. (see Fig. 3) |
| 6. Weld J to C and B. (see Fig. 2) | 13. Weld H to centers of K and L. (see Fig. 3) |
| 7. Weld K to B and D. (see Fig. 2) | 14. This unit mentioned above is now called Frame. |
| 8. Weld L to D and A. (see Fig. 2) | 15. Drill 1/8" hole into one end of R. |
| 9. Cut both ends of E,F, G, & H at a 45 degree angle. | 16. Drill 1/8" hole into one end of S. |
| 10. Weld E to centers of I and J. (see Fig. 3) | 17. Drill 1/8" hole into one end of T. |
| 11. Weld F to centers of I and E. (see Fig. 3) | 18. Drill 1/8" hole into one end of U. |

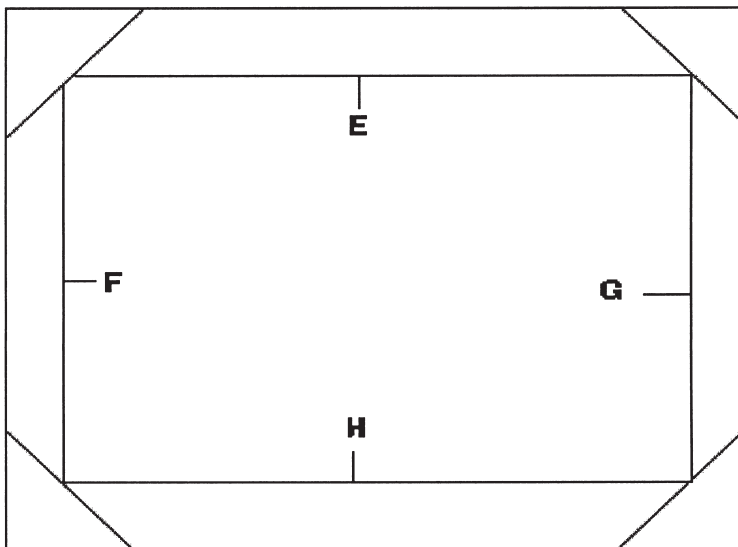


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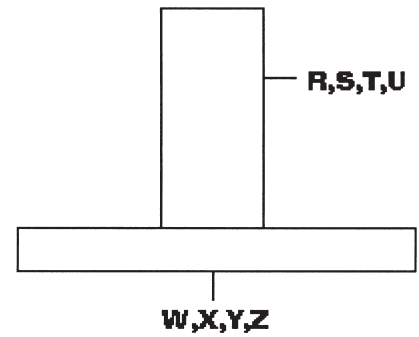


Figure 4

19. Weld R 90 degrees to center of 8'. This unit now becomes AA. (see Fig. 4)
20. Weld S 90 degrees to center of X. This unit now becomes BB. (see Fig. 4)
21. Weld T 90 degrees to center of Y. This unit now becomes CC. (see Fig. 4)
22. Weld U 90 degrees to center of Z. This unit now becomes DD. (see Fig. 4)

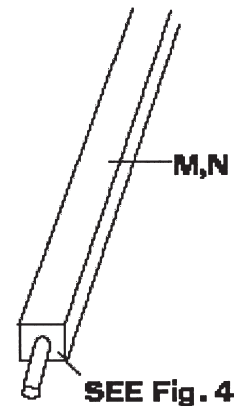


Figure 5A

23. Weld AA flat against end of M. (see Fig. 5A)
24. Weld BB flat against other end of M (see Fig. 5B)
25. Weld CC flat against end of N. (see Fig. 5A)

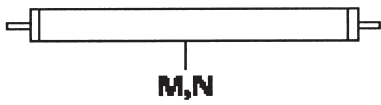


Figure 5B

26. Weld DD flat against other end of N. (see Fig. 5B)

27. Weld Frame to center of M. (see Fig. 6 and 7)

28. Weld Frame to center of N. (see Fig. 6 and 7)

29. Cut one end of O at a 60 degree angle.

30. Cut other end of O at a 30 degree angle.

31. Cut one end of P at a 60 degree angle.

32. Cut other end of P at a 30 degree angle.

33. Weld end of O that's 60 degrees to M. (see Fig. 7)

34. Weld end of O that's 30 degrees to Frame. (see Fig. 7)

35. Weld end of P that's 60 degrees to N. (see Fig. 7)

36. Weld end of P that's 30 degrees to Frame. (see Fig. 7)

37. Paint.

38. Place wheels over each axle.

39. Put cotter pins in each of the 1/8" holes in axles.

40. The pitching screen is complete.

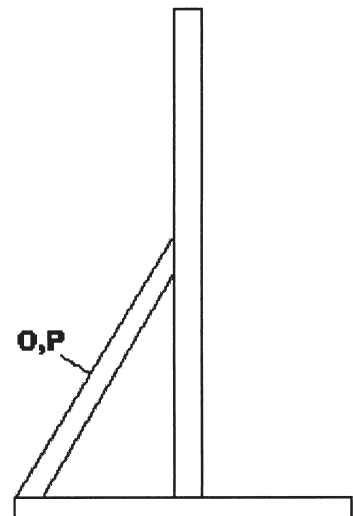


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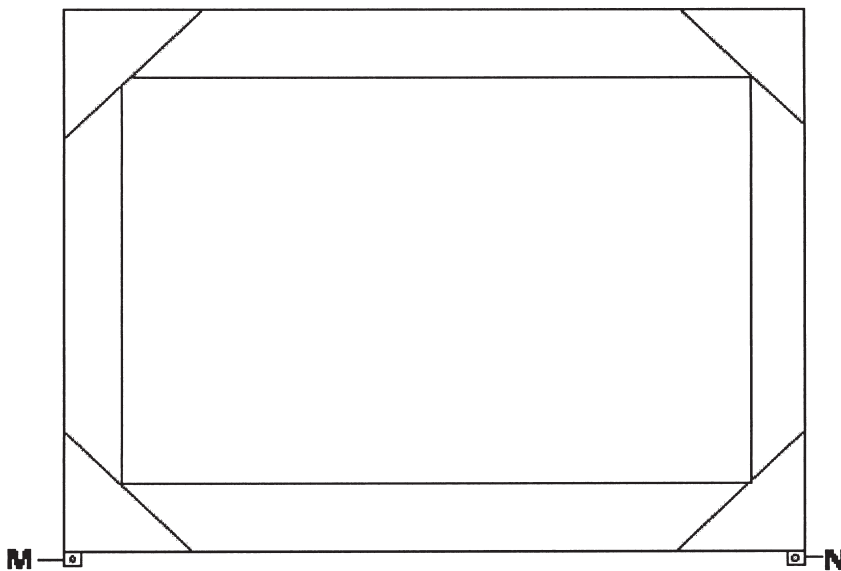


Figure 6