



The Official Newsletter of IPMS Butch O'Hare Scale Modelers

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From the President's Desk:

Hello Fellow BOH Members. I hope that your holidays were great, and you were able to share some family time and relax from the hustle and bustle. I did, and was able to get some modeling done. As I write this newsletter, Chicagoland is in the middle of the coldest weather pattern in quite some time. This is perfect time to get some bench time in working on the new kit you received for Christmas!

I am sure by now you have realized that this newsletter is not up to the same standards as previous ones have been. I am still looking for someone to step up and help producing and publishing the newsletter. As I said at the December meeting, it is one of the best ways we have to communicate with our members along with our web site. I will do the best I can filling in until I get some help with this program. Thanks in advance for your understanding.

I hope all of you had a good time at our Christmas Party and had enough to eat. Everything was good, and I know that I walked away full. The model contest was fun and certainly everyone who participated had their challenges building something that they normally don't build. This year we should come up with a different idea for the model contest. Any ideas?

We also discussed at the meeting a possible move to a new location for the show in November. I am looking for some locations to scout out. Several of you mentioned locations, but I need to get the names, location address, and information. Please forward this to me fciccarell@aol.com ASAP. We did contact the school and they stated that they don't anticipate any issues reserving our date, but, cannot guarantee until after July 1, 2018. I want to look around and see what is out there. So, please, send me the information.

Remember- Dues are Due! See Hector at the meeting. Thanks

Next Meeting:

The next meeting will be January 12, 2018. The meeting will be held at:

St. Pails United Church of Christ

5739 Dunham Road

Downers Grove, IL

Start: 7:30 PM

Theme: An old model that was built a long time ago!



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IPMS / USA Membership qualifies you to participate in IPMS/USA sanctioned contests, particularly our world-famous National Convention, held each summer. As a member, you'll also be able to access our online discussion boards, where a wide variety of modeling topics are discussed, and enjoy interaction with other serious modelers for help with questions about modeling techniques or IPMS in general. Many hobby shops and model vendors around the country offer discounts to IPMS/USA members.

Memberships are available in several ways:

Junior- 17 years or younger, \$17 per year

Adult - \$30 for 1 year, \$58 for 2 years, \$86 for 3 years.

Family - \$35 Adult membership 1 year plus \$5 for multiple cards.

Download the application from IPMS/USA and mail today!

Upcoming Meeting Theme Schedule

January 12: An old Model

February 9: Mustang Night!

March 9: Track Night (Armor Related)

April 13: Four Wheels on the Ground

May 11: Sail away (any ship related subject)

June 8: Sci-Fi Madness / Movie /TV Characters

July 13: Club Auction Night

August 10: Vietnam Remembered (Any subject)

September 14: Model Build & Bull Night

October 12: Build a Model With Your Eyes Closed!

November 9: BOH Show Set Up

December 14: BOH Annual Christmas Party and Show Recap



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Note: Demo's will be scheduled accordingly as they become available.

Upcoming Region 5 Events

2/3/2018 – 20th Annual Hope It Don't Snow Show

Kahler Apache Hotel and Conference Center

1517 16th Street, NW

Rochester, MN

2/3/2018- Mad City Modelers Model Show

Madison Labor Temple

1602 South Park Street

Madison WI

3/10/2018 – KC CON

First Church of the Nazarene

11811 State Line Road

Kansas City, MO 64114

4/7/2018 – Surgicon 22

2540 East Euclid Ave.

Des Moines, IA

4/21/2018 – Fleacon 14

766 N. Maple Street

Monticello, IA

Please check the www.IPMS/USA.ORG web site for more information and flyers on these shows.



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Local Hobby Shops

Chicago Land Hobbies	6017 N NW Hwy, Chicago IL, 773-775-4848
Forever Timeless	4438 W. Belmont Ave, Chicago IL 773-545-6959
Des Plaines Hobbies	1524 Lee Street, Des Plains, IL 847-297-2118 www.desplaineshobbies.com/store/
Americas Best Hobby	865 Maplewood, Itasca, IL 630-467-1102 www.americasbesttrain.com/
La Grange Hobby	25 S. La Grange Road, La Grange, IL 708-354-1220
Ron's Mundeleine Hobbies	431 N. Lake Street, Mundelein, IL 847-949-8680
M&Models	9329 S. Cicero Ave, Oak Lawn, IL 708-423-7202 www.mmodelstore.com
Past Time Hobbies	9311 Ogden Ave, Brookfield, IL 708-485-4544 www.pthinc.com
Berwyn's Toys & Trains	7025 Ogden Ave, Berwyn, IL 708*484-4384 berwynstoytrains@comcast.net
Walt's Hobby & Model Shop	2207 Plainfield Road, Crest Hill, IL 60403 www.waltshobbyonline.com



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Closing:

Thanks for reading the newsletter. I hope that we can expand the content of this newsletter with more articles, interesting model builds, pictures from our meeting events and other events from around the region. Anyone who would like to contribute to the newsletter, please feel free to email me a word document. I will get it into the next newsletter.

Thanks and See you at the meeting!

Frank C.