



MONTHLY NEWSLETTER & *Current Events*

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From the President's Desk

Dear Butch O'Hare members. Hope your month has been going well and your getting some modeling done. We have finalized the location for your show in November. The Holiday Inn in Itasca is our choice and I am looking forward to a great show. We still have some planning to consider such as table layout, registration location, etc. One benefit that the hotel is added will be a block of rooms with a discounted room rate for those folks that will be in from out of town, or if you want to book a room yourselves. More information at the next meeting.

We had some great models on the table last month. This month's theme is "Sail Away" ! Hopefully we can see some great looking ships of all kinds, not just sailing ships. Also, don't forget to pay your dues! They are due and we want to get you on the roster for the newsletter and other important notices. See you next month at the meeting, May 11, 2018 at 7:30 PM.

Frank C.

DEBRIEF FOR CLUB MEETING ON 4-13-18

Frank mentioned that the services for George Bruckert were to be held on Saturday, April 14 at the Compass Church in Naperville at 11:00 AM.

Frank thanked Stan and Ihor for getting the last newsletter out and that it looked really good.

As Frank has a 1/18 scale Corvette that is wearing out from a lot of racing, he was looking for a replacement. In calling around, he tried Timeless Hobbies on Belmont Ave. in Chicago and when he told the lady that answered, she said that they had 4 or 5. While he thought that maybe she thought he had said "Corvair", instead of Corvette, he decided to take a chance, so he and his wife went up to check it out. When they got there, Frank was really surprised when he saw that they had 1/18 scale cars from floor to ceiling, with at least a dozen or so Corvettes! In talking with the woman, who was the owner, he learned that she hadn't heard of the BOH club and also hadn't heard of IPMS either! So, he explained who we are, as well as what IPMS is, and she appeared to want to come to our show and get a table or two, if she could get someone to keep her store open on that Saturday. George knows who they are, so I hope that is a good recommendation!

Speaking of our show, it looks like Frank had found a worthy replacement site. He talked to the Holiday Inn in Itasca and they are eager to have us return and the price is very decent. We held the show there previously, in fact, the first BOH show I went to, was the last time we were there in Itasca, a little over 20 years ago. We will have a contract which specifies our dates, so we'll be able to get our fliers out right away as Frank wanted, and their people will supply almost all the tables, as well as doing the setup. As we've been there before, the change looks very positive and we'll putting down a deposit on the venue.

Hector returned and read out the account figures and they look very good , and Kevin mentioned that our webs tore is still open.

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Quick Link Newsletters

www.butchoharemodelers.com/

Date	Theme	Demo/Guest
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	
September 14	Model Build & Bull Night	
October 12	Build a Model With	
November 9	BOH Show Set Up	
December 14	BOH Annual Christmas Party and	

IPMS / USA

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!

<http://www.shopipmsusa.org/category-s/100.htm>

April SHOW AND TELL

Bill V. – T-Rex, aka Zombie with painting technique. Used regular toilet paper strips for special effects.

Keith W. – Fantastic, scratch-built, Offie-type car using both copper and brass paneling. Features such as steering actually work. Unreal!

James P. – showed combination of simple, motorized chassis as one piece and model car as other piece, of a cheap racer. And thanks for helping me get my stuff back.

Stan K. – Stug III, Stan found pictures of old rusty hulks to be more interesting than standard camo. However, 1/48th scale was harder to deal with, to which Frank was in complete agreement.

Don S. 3 cars: Monogram - Scarab sports car, Hawk - Lancia Ferrari, and Aurora – Chevy Monza GT. They really need some work to show them better. Sorry about that.

Carl K. – 4 Lockheed planes: C-130, Constellation, WV-2, and an Electra airliner.

Dick B. – D7 dozer w/sheepfoot roller. Roller design based on using sheep in Roman era to flatten out the ground during road construction, or so they say.

Joe K. – It is a work in progress, Tamiya's Dragon Wagon, which is a tractor for towing heavy tanks & equipment.

George M. —brought in a 48th scale Osprey in lo-viz color scheme.

Steve D. – Tie fighter from Star Fighter, highly detailed. Also, a model building of the original, home-office building of the Pennsylvania railroad.

Don G. – The closest he could come to a 4-wheel vehicle was a mobile cannon from one of his oldtime ships. But, at least he tried! Don also brought in a PB4y2 and a B-24.

Kevin S. – Ordinance for his 1/32nd scale F-16 and boy, do they look nice.

Reed S.—Large scale replica of Star Wars studio model built in same manner as the models used on-camera while shooting the film. The replica has over 850 pieces from 165 different kits, and still not complete! This has been a real big project!



Bill V's Zombie T-rex (Dungeons & Dragons)





Keith W 1/6 Sprint Car



James P Slot Cars

Stan K Stug III



Don S Lancia Ferrari & Monza Scarab



C-121



Carl K's Lockheeds



Electra



WV-2



C-130



Dick B D7 dozer & Sheepfoot Roller



Joe K M26 Dragon Wagon



Geo M V22 Osprey





Steve D—RR Office Bldg & Tie Fighter

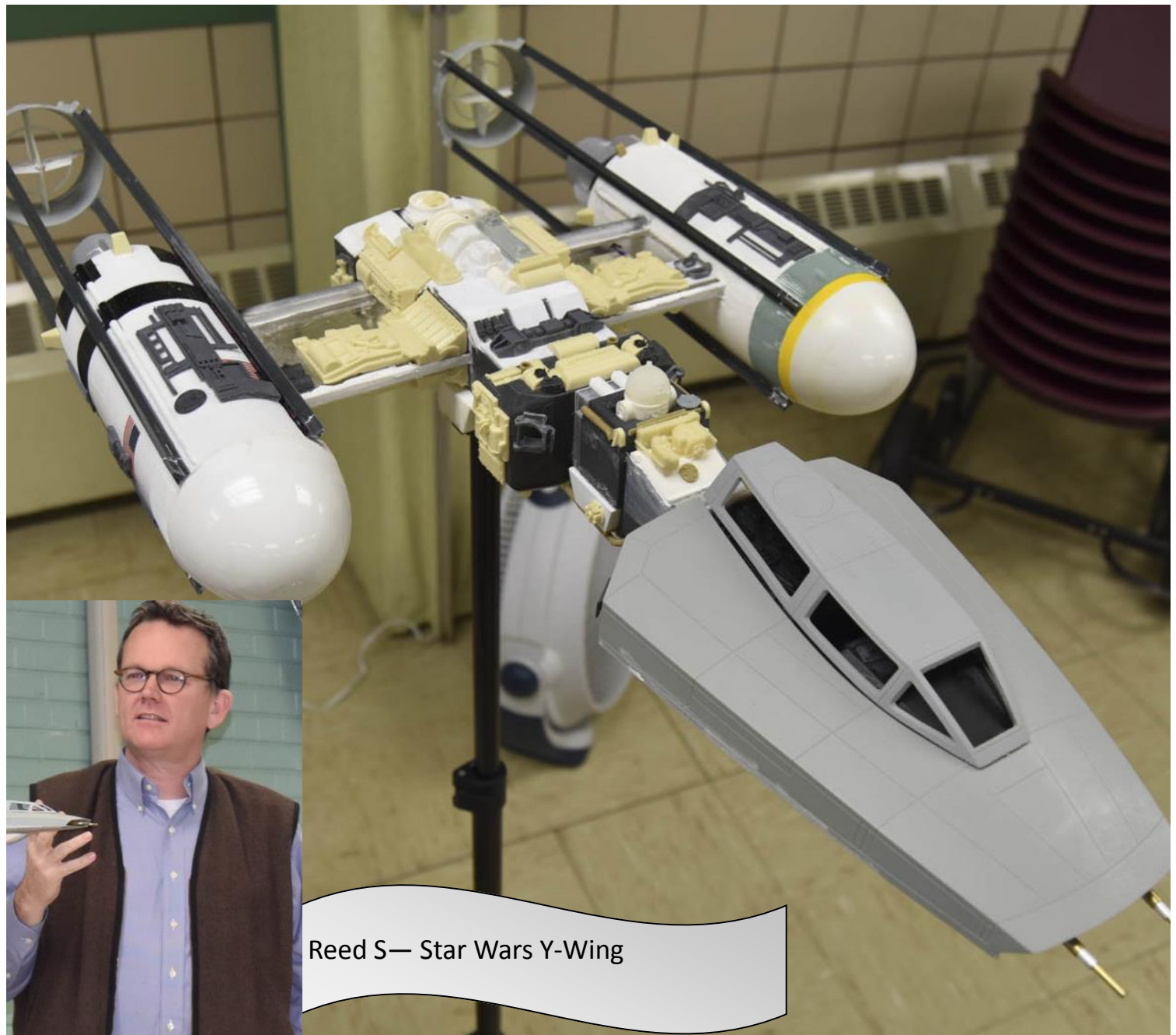


Don G—4-Wheeled" Cannons,
PB4Y-2, and B-24

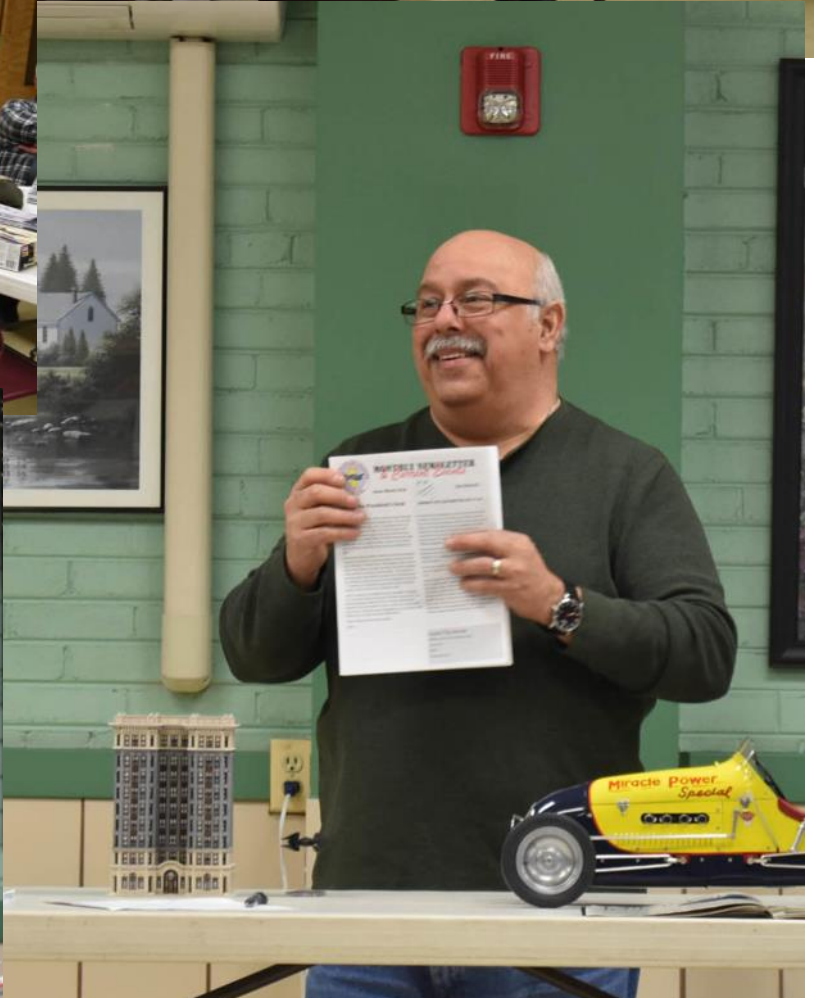




Kevin S — F-16 Ordnance



Reed S — Star Wars Y-Wing



Upcoming Events

5/3/2018 – AMPS International Show

Dayton OH

5/19/2018 — Military Modelers Club Of Louisville

Louisville, KY Contact: Dr. Terry C. Hill - thill35434@aol.com(link sends e-mail)

5/19/2018 — Region 5 Contest: MOSS CON 2018

Contact: Nate Jones - ipmsmoss@hotmail.com(link sends e-mail)

IPMS Calendar <https://calendar.ipmsusa3.org/all-events>

IPMS Region 5 News

Spring has kind of sprung...or un-sprung in some places, and we are now getting into the heart of the model contest season!

1) And speaking of contests, the 2018 Region 5 Contest is just a few weeks away, on May 19, in Branson, MO. So far, it looks to be a great show at a great venue. The club website ([IPMS M.O.S.S. Missouri Ozarks Scale Specialists](#)) has everything needed about the show.

2) The 2019 regional will be in Madison, WI, on March 2. Stay tuned for more details as we get closer in.

3) Speaking of Regional Contests, for each of the past two years, only one club has submitted a bid for the regional contest. That's pretty sad. Please bring up hosting a Regional at your upcoming club meetings. They are a great way to increase contest sizes, vendor interest and club membership.

4) The US Nationals are coming up in August in Phoenix. There are still trophy sponsorship packages available. ([Forms Directory](#))

<http://www.ipmsusanationals2018.org/sponsor-trophies.html>

That's it for now. I'm headed to Dallas tomorrow for a long-awaited vacation, some warm weather, and some great Mexican food.

Happy Modeling!

Jim Coatney

IPMS/USA Region 5



This month here are several new sites I found;

A nice site on the B-36

<http://www.air-and-space.com/peacemkr.htm>

The Freeman recovery page is all about salvaging historic aircraft. You need to be a Facebook user but if you are not you are missing a great deal more than this. The link goes to a photo album of WW2 aircraft. The contents will break your heart.

<https://www.facebook.com/Freeman-Field-Recovery-Team-100776559984890/>

Scrapped Aircraft album

<https://www.facebook.com/media/set/?set=a.107130526016160.10977.100776559984890&type=1&l=1a62b4d81c>

For Phantom lovers

<https://www.facebook.com/pg/F4Phorever/videos/>

To open

Hold the shift key while clicking the link or Right click on the link and select "open in browser"

Make sure to drop me a line about any new sites you find!

As of April 2018

German investor as new Revell owner

The new sole shareholder of Revell GmbH will be a company from the international investment group Quantum Capital Partners (QCP) in Munich. The operating business will not at all be impaired by this.

The sale also includes key assets for the North America business, such as trademarks as well as the extensive tool bank being so important for the plastic model building segment. With the change of ownership Revell experiences a strengthening, as this involves an extension of the sales market and an even wider range of products.

Worldwide business operated from Bünde: The previous management in Bünde under the control of Stefan Krings will in future operate the worldwide business including North America.

Lets hope they can do as well as Airfix with their new kits!

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

BOH subscription Rates

Regular \$20

Family \$25

Senior \$15 over 65

Junior \$15 under 18

Next Meeting:

May 11, 2018 at:

St. Paul's United Church of Christ

5739 Dunham Road

Downers Grove, IL



That's all Folks!