



MONTHLY NEWSLETTER & *Current Events*

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From the President's Desk

Dear Members;

It is finally show time! We have a lot going on for the show and it promises to be a good one. All of the vendor tables are sold, the floor plan is set with the hotel, and the raffle is going to be good. So, make sure your ready and bring a model! We will be needing help with set up on Friday evening, judging, registration, raffle, door watchers and floor walkers. If you haven't volunteered yet, please see me or Hector Friday night or at the show.

At our last meeting, we had a good club auction, and raised \$85.00. This money went towards our show raffle and John Novak is picking up some stuff to supplement our donations. Thanks everyone for helping out. Also, we had nominations for elections that will be held in December. A nomination was made for the current slate of officers to be reelected. We will vote on this in December.

Unfortunately, I will not be able to accept for a third year. The circumstances around my employment and uncertainty make it so that I may be moving in the spring. I would like to thank all of the folks who have helped me along the way and made me feel comfortable when I first moved here 6 years ago. We have made good friends here and will always remember the fun we have had together. I hope that someone will step up and take over the President's job. I am willing to help out anyway that I can.

See you at the show.

Frank

Debrief

While participation in Show-and-Tell was a little sparse at this meeting, the last before the contest next month, hopefully that is a good sign, since we had a much earlier start this year. Well, we'll know for sure next month at the Holiday Inn.

Frank said that he may moving out-of-state to a new job in the New Year. Let's hope that he finds a way to stay with us.

Just a reminder: the contest is Saturday, November 10th, at the Itasca Holiday Inn.

Don

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Quick Link Newsletters

www.butchoharemodelers.com/

Drop in to the Next Meeting:

Annual Butch Ohare Model Contest

November 10, 9am — 5pm

At the Holiday Inn Itasca

860 Irving Park Rd

Itasca Ill.

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	Model Build & Bull Night	
August 10	Vietnam Remembered (any subject)	
September 14	Club Auction Night	
October 12	Build a Model With Your Eyes Closed!	
November 9	BOH Show Set Up	
November 10	Annual Show and Contest	
December 14	BOH Annual Christmas Party and Show Recap	



SIGNUP SHEET

Keith Ward — Metal Bellanca 1/144: This looked very much like the “Spirit of St. Louis” plane of Lindbergh built by Ryan Aircraft. Keith brought it in for a donation to add to left-overs from the raffle.

Jim Pine — 1/72 B-29 Superfortress

Carl Knable — 1/72 F-86A and T-6 by Heller, S-2F by Hobbycraft, and F-104B by Hasegawa

Stan Kurcz — 1/144 C-54 by Minicraft

Mike Knowski — 3 Spitfires in 1/72; Mamelukes 28mm gaming figures.

John Bishop — RPD Astray Gundam by Perfect Grade

Reed Schuchardt Y-Wing Studio model

Adler Schuchardt P-51



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Carl Knable—S2F Hobbycraft &
F104B Hasegawa 1/72





Stan Kurcz C-54 by Minicraft 1/144



John Bishop PG Redastraykai 1/60



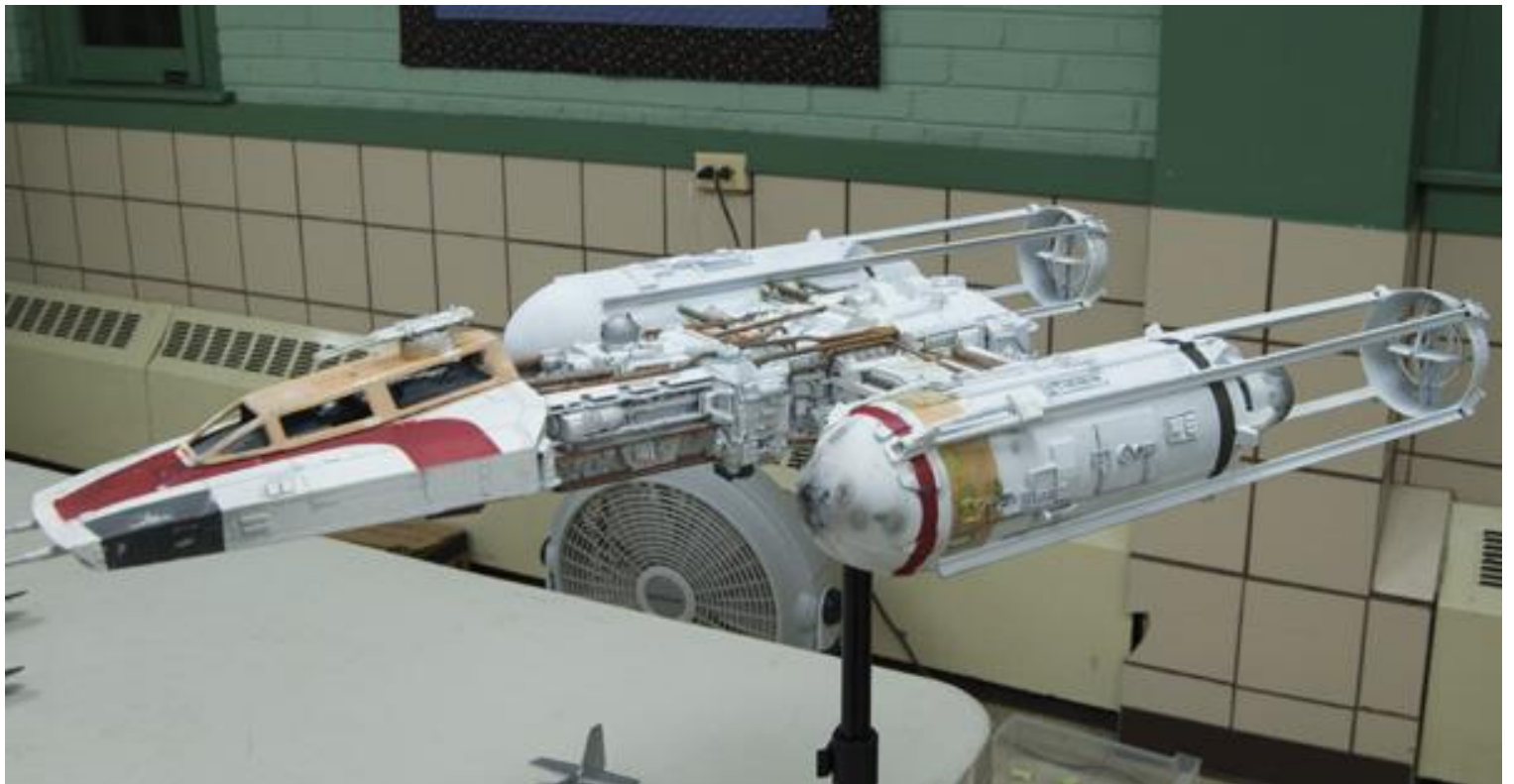


**Mike Knowski 3– 1/72 Spitfires &
28mm Mameluke game figures**





Adler Schuchardt P-51



Reed Schuchardt Star War Y wing Studio replica

Upcoming Events

11/3- Tiger Con, Columbia MO

11/10—BOH 36th Annual Contest—Make sure you see the flyer for our November contest on the next page!

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

IPMS Region 5 News

1) The annual Butch O'Hare IPMS Chapter open model contest will be held on November 10, 2018. The show will be held at the Holiday Inn, Itasca and this show is one of the Midwest's largest shows. Attracting modelers and vendors from throughout the region, the Butch O'Hare show has some of the best modelers displaying their work, and some of the best vendor tables available. We are asking for your support of our show by sponsoring a category. Attached is a form for those clubs and/or individuals wishing to sponsor a category.

That's it for now.
Happy Modeling!
Jim Coatney
IPMS/USA Region 5

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>

MAILBAG

I am looking for the following editions of the newsletters. If you have a copy please let me know by email stan.kurcz@gmail.com : send me a copy or we can arrange a dropbox site for you to use. Thanks

2011 -FEB,MAR,

2012 -April,

2013-April-

2014- Jan, MAR, Nov –

2015-FEB,-June -Aug,

2016-,May, June, Aug, Sept, Dec -

The **Butch O'Hare Chicago Chapter** of the International Plastic Modelers Society (**IPMS**) was inspired by the accomplishments and **heroism of Edward Henry "Butch" O'Hare**, the U.S. Navy's first flying ace and Medal of Honor recipient in World War II. The original members of the organization therefore decided to take his name in memoriam. We welcome all those who have any level of interest in modeling to explore our web site and visit us at our monthly meeting.



BOH Annual Membership

Regular \$20
Family \$25
Senior \$15 over 65
Junior \$15 under 18

Meeting Location

St. Paul's United
Church of Christ
5739 Dunham Road
Downers Grove, IL

Meeting Times

7 PM
2nd Friday of every month

Website

www.butchoharemodelers.com

36TH ANNUAL– IPMS BUTCH O'HARE CHAPTER OPEN MODEL CONTEST

SATURDAY – NOVEMBER 10, 2018

Holiday Inn, Itasca

860 W. Irving Park Road, Itasca, IL 60143

SCALE MODELERS – BRING OUT YOUR BEST!

COMPETE FOR SPECIAL AWARDS WITH MODELERS FROM

CHICAGOLAND AND THE ENTIRE CENTRAL REGION

FACT: ONE OF THE BEST TRADER ROOMS AT A LOCAL SHOW IN THE MIDWEST!



TIMETABLE:

7:00 AM — VENDORS SETUP

9:00 AM — DOORS OPEN TO THE PUBLIC

11:00 AM – 1ST RAFFLE

NOON — REGISTRATION CLOSES

4:00 PM – AWARDS ANNOUNCED

5:00 PM – END OF CONTEST FOR 2018

CONTEST ENTRY FEES: \$10 ADULT (over 17 YRS old) FIRST 4
MODELS, \$3 FOR EACH ADDITIONAL MODEL

Event INFORMATION:

REGISTRATION FORMS & INTEL

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RECOGNIZING YOUR MODELING
SKILLS, PLUS: SPECIAL AWARDS For
DISTINGUISHED MODELING
EXCELLENCE:

Best in Show – Best Aircraft – Best Armor – Best
Nautical – Best Auto – Best Figure – Best Sci-Fi –
Fantasy/Comic – Best Diorama – Best Junior and
Many More!!!! New Categories for Sci- Fi,
Fantasy, Gaming, and Real Space

Three new seminars to attend this year!

Check our web site for more information!

WALK THRU (SPECTATOR FEES)

\$5 ADULT (OVER 17 YRS OLD)
\$1 JUNIOR (OVER 12 to 17 YRS)
\$ **FREE** FOR KIDS UNDER 12 YRS

**EARLY BIRD ENTRANCE
TO THE VENDORS ROOM
FOR \$10
(8 AM START TIME)**

RAFFLE TICKETS DRAWN
THROUGHOUT THE DAY

\$1 each/6 for \$5

Schedule of Events

Friday 11/9/2018

Members / Show set up: 5:00 PM to 1:00 AM Atrium and Natchez Ballroom.

Holiday Inn Itasca

860 West Irving Park Road

Itasca, IL 60143

Saturday 11/10/2018

6:30 AM – Last Minute Set Up / Vendor Set Up

6:30 AM- Registration and Front Desk Set Up prep.

8:00 AM- Doors open for “Early Bird” Entries

9:00 AM – Doors Open to the Public.

9:00 AM – 12Noon – Registration

11:00 AM- First Raffle Draw

11:00 AM – Judges Meeting

11:30 AM – First Seminar – Kevin Stover Realistic Gloss Finishes

1:00 PM – Second Raffle Draw

1:30 PM – Second Seminar- Read Schuchardt – Building the Star Wars Y Wing

2:30 PM- Third Seminar – William Vinikour – Creating Prehistoric, Monsters, and Zombie Dioramas

3:00 PM- Third Raffle Draw

3:00 PM- **50/50 Draw**

4:00 PM- Awards Ceremony

5:00 PM – End of Show

BOH Special Awards (subject to change)

Best of Show
Butch O'Hare Medal - Life Time Achievement Award
Best US Armor- The Patton Award
Best German Aircraft – The Charlie Metz Award
Club Display
Century Series
Most Creative
Best Jet
Best Propeller
Best Armor
Best Nautical
Best Auto
Best Sci Fi
Best Figure
Best Fantasy
Best Gaming
Best Marine Aviation- The "Pappy Byington" Award
Best RAF Aircraft- The George Bruckert Award
Best Air Force Jet – The Silver Wings Award
Best US Navy – The Butch O'Hare Award
Best WW I Aircraft - Cross & Cockade
Best Diorama – The Shep Paine Award

Categories

Aircraft / Real Space
Armor
Auto
Nautical
Figure
Diorama
Junior
Sci/Fi Fantasy
Gaming

Medals: Gold, Silver, Bronze



2018 Auction Action





Snap shots from the meeting



In honor of Veterans Day Nov. 11th

MIA no longer: Daughter of pilot killed in Vietnam finally lays him to rest

- By Don Bolding
WACO Tribune Nov 1, 2018



Seldom has a fragment of human bone the length of a finger inspired such an outpouring of honors, pent-up grief and joy from all across the nation.

But the burial of that physical bit of Col. Roosevelt L. Hestle Jr., an Air Force pilot from Orlando, Florida, who had once been assigned to Waco and married a local woman, gave him a measure of fame beyond anything he had known in life, although by all accounts he was honored and admired during the years he was in uniform.

A fragment of femur from his leg was placed where it would have been in life inside an Air Force officer's uniform and buried in a full-size coffin in Arlington National Cemetery in April of this year, 52 years after his fighter jet crashed in the cyclone of warfare in Southeast Asia.

Flames and smoke attended his death on the other side of the world, but his daughter, who was 12 when he died, made sure he was interred amid the serenity of the annual Cherry Blossom Festival of the nation's capital.

Corda Hestle, who had followed her parents to the far corners of the globe during her father's military career, returned to her hometown of Waco several years ago to continue a career as a certified veterans service representative with the Department of Veterans Affairs.

Air Attack

Roosevelt Hestle Jr. had been promoted to major when this service photo was taken.

Information supplied by Corda, her friend Kathy Krakowian and the website Pownetwork.org recounts that Hestle, then a 38-year-old major, and crewmember Capt. Charles E. Morgan were leading a flight of four F105 Thunderchief jets on July 6, 1966, when Hestle's aircraft was hit by anti-aircraft fire about 35 miles north of Hanoi.

During evasive action, the plane apparently hit the side of a mountain. The other pilots did not see the crash and heard no emergency alerts after Hestle's initial warning of a surface-to-air attack and saw no parachutes. One saw a fireball and black smoke, but it was not proof of fatalities. Helicopters searched the area as well as they could in the presence of hostile forces, but found nothing, so both men were listed as missing in action.

Later, Hestle's wife, Constance, whom he had met while she was working as a civilian for the Air Force in Waco, thought she recognized him in a newscast that showed a group of American prisoners of war. She thought scarring from a case of chicken pox proved his identity. In a general release of prisoners in 1973, though, the Vietnamese could not account for Hestle and Morgan, although some personnel who had been thought dead were returned alive, and some thought to be alive were not returned.

Seven released POWs called Hestle's wife to say they had seen him alive, but a promised investigation by the Department of Defense produced no conclusive results.

The Air Force, after on-site investigations including interviews with residents of the battle area, declared Hestle dead on April 17, 1979. Morgan's remains were returned in 1989.

Much later, a farmer in the area of the long-ago battle contacted his government's authorities about a large number of bones he found while working the land. The Department of Defense was notified and examined the site. The thigh bone that turned out to be Hestle's was found at a fairly deep level and was identified with the aid of a DNA sample given by an uncle in 2003 in response to a Defense Department call for such help from relatives of service members missing in action.

The Air Force announced the bone was Hestle's in June 2017.

Constance Hestle, Roosevelt's wife, was one of four women who developed and distributed POW/MIA bracelets because their husbands with either prisoners of war or missing in action during the Vietnam War.

Constance Hestle hoped to attend the interment service at Arlington but died Nov. 5 of last year. Corda and 65 family members represented her as guests of the Air Force.

Following military tradition, the Air Force promoted Hestle while he was presumed missing to lieutenant colonel and then full colonel. Morgan was promoted to major. Hestle had 13 decorations, topped by the prestigious Silver Star and including the Bronze Star, the Purple Heart and the Republic of Vietnam Gallantry Cross with Palm.

The full story can be read along with additional pictures at:

https://www.wacotrib.com/waco_today_magazine/mia-no-longer-daughter-of-pilot-killed-in-vietnam-finally/article_77478616-3dcb-57ef-8eb0-3b0f2111849d.html

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/
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



That's all Folks!