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**38TH ANNUAL BUTCH O'HARE CHAPTER OPEN MODEL CONTEST
SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 7TH, 2020**



**THEME: CELEBRATING THE 75TH ANNIVERSARY OF
THE BATTLE FOR IWO JIMA!**

Holiday Inn Itasca, 860 Irving Park Road, Itasca, IL 60143

Fees:

Contest Entry Fee: \$10 Adult (over 17) for First 4 Models; \$2 for each Additional Model

Spectator Fee: \$5 Adult (over 17); \$1 Junior (12 to 16); Under 12 FREE!

EARLY BIRD ENTRANCE TO VENDORS TABLES: \$10, 8:00 AM Start Time!

RAFFLE TICKETS: \$1 Each, 6 for \$5. Drawn throughout the Day.

**FEATURING
50+
VENDOR
TABLES!!!**

EVENT INFORMATION:

Registration Forms and Info:
Please download our NEWLY
UPDATED FORM available at:
www.butchoharemodels.com

or Contact:
Hector Colon
hcolon@yahoo.com

Vendor Table Reservations:
Please Contact Hector Colon
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630-809-9072

CONTEST JUDGED BY CHICAGO RULES:

Unlimited Class Awards in **GOLD**,
SILVER & **Bronze** Medallions!

Recognizing your modeling skill!

SPECIAL AWARDS for distinguished
modeling excellence given to:

Best Aircraft, Best Armor, Best Nautical,
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Last seen November 2019 in Itasca, Illinois.

**If you have any information about this disappearance please call your
local police department.**

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2020 Club Officers

President: John Novak
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Treasurer: Hector Colon
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Club Store:
<https://butchohare.qbstores.com/>

Club Web Site
www.butchoharemodelers.com

Quick Link Newsletters
www.butchoharemodelers.com/latest-newsletter.php

Date	Theme	Demo/Guest
January 10	Annual Membership	tbd
February 14	On the Bench/Unfinished	Rust (Steve Day) Masking Canopies (Ihor)
March 13	Anything with Figures	Figure Judging
April 10	Sci-Fi	Sci-fi/Fantasy/Real Space Judging
May 8 - Tentative	Anything 1950s-20's Related	Fighting Models (Bob Frysztak)
June 12	NATC	Bay of Pigs (George Garcia)
July 10	North Africa WWII	Scenery Techniques (Bill Vinikour)
August 14	Anything 1950s Related	TBD
September 11	Middle East	Aircraft Judging
October 9	WW II Pacific Island	Armor Judging
November 13	38 th Annual Show	Annual Show
December 11	What you got last Christmas/Hanukkah and BOH Annual Christmas Party and Show Recap	White Elephant Gift Exchange

Drop into the Next Meeting: ZOOM Meeting – starts at 7:00 PM; see Page 5

All in-person currently cancelled and will resume at a later date.

St. Paul's United Church of Christ
 5739 Dunham Road
 Downers Grove, IL
 Zoom Start: 7:00 PM



COME JOIN OUR NEXT COVID-19 ZOOM CLUB MEETING

Topic: Butch O'Hare Model Club Monthly

Time: Friday, November 13, 2020 7:00 PM Central Time (US and Canada)

Our next Zoom club meeting will be Friday, November 13, at 7:00 PM (not our usual 7:30 start time).

Join the Zoom meeting on line, using the following link:

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/84945433476?pwd=RFpvaVQ3UXQ5NnB6UWo3OHRFclBlZz09>

Meeting ID: 849 4543 3476

Passcode: 240770

Send your Show-and-Tell items to Hector before the meeting. If you have any tech questions about how to log into Zoom, please contact either Hector at hdcolon@yahoo.com or 630-809-9072, or our VP Bob at rfryszak@luc.edu or 630-234-5684. Please do not hesitate to contact either Hector or Bob with any questions for getting into the Zoom meeting.

Officer Elections

December 2020

As you all know, we hold officer elections every December to determine who will (mis)lead us the following new year. Our current crop of officers are as follows:

President:	John Novak
Vice President:	Bob Frysztak
Treasurer:	Hector Colon
Secretary:	Bill Vinikour

This current batch has indicated they would be willing to continue in their roles in 2021 if no others are interested. If any active club members are interested in one of these positions, please let Bill V. know as soon as possible (wvinikour@comcast.net).

We will send out an email before the December Zoom meeting to all active club members with a list of candidates, requesting each member to vote for the candidate of their choice. If only the current officers are running, we'll still ask for a vote of approval.

October 2020 ZOOM Meeting Recap and Other News

President John Novak brought the meeting to order. Twelve members attended the meeting. A discussion was held on whether we should hold an in-person holiday meeting in December. The overall consensus was in favor of not holding such a meeting. Mike Ferguson then talked about a few kits that he recently obtained. John mentioned that we should try to have more “normalized” monthly Zoom meetings with set topics like we had before the lockdown. Bob Frysztak gave an update on new items on our website. This was followed by a discussion of the upcoming garage sale that was mentioned in the September issue of the Newsletter. Ihor gave props to Stan Kurcz for his recent Newsletter covers. Hector received an email regarding next year’s IPMS National Show to be held in Las Vegas, and a discussion on whether BOH should sponsor a model trophy at that show. It was decided that we should go for best aircraft carrier. Hector then stated that our club funds are in good shape. The only expenses coming up are for National memberships that are provided for Board members. Club members then discussed the model photos they provided for Show-and-Tell.





NEWSLETTER SUBMITTALS

In place of our normal monthly meeting, we would like everyone to submit pics of your latest builds (completed and in-progress), kit reviews, book reviews, techniques, or interesting websites that we can put into our next newsletter:

- **Take 1-3 pictures of a current model project, book, or kit, whatever state it's in;**
- **Write a short description;**
- **And TELL US HOW YOU ARE DOING**

Email your submittals by November 30th to 'ismpdf@gmail.com' and we will include it in the November newsletter.

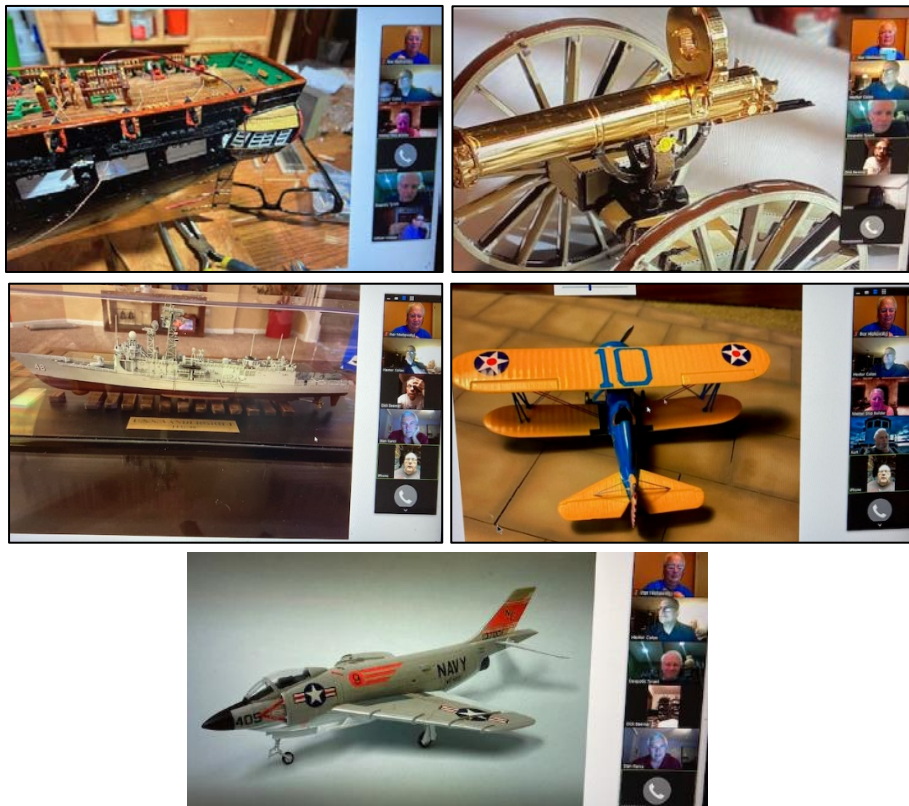
Show-and-Tell

October Zoom and Newsletter Submittals

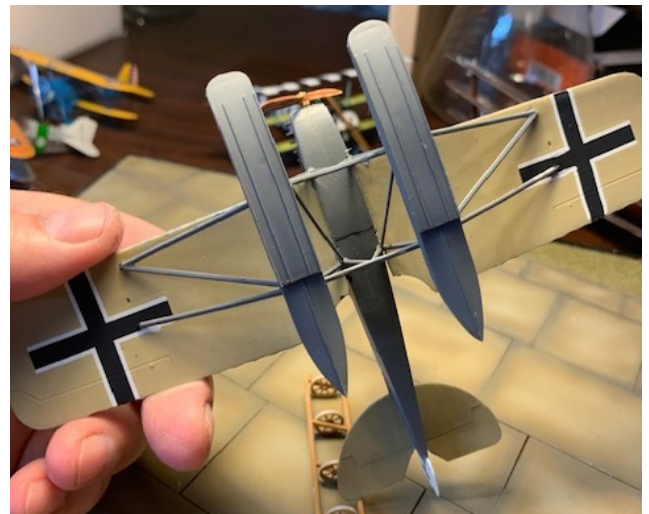
Staying Home Builds - Continued

Mike Knowski	Zoom Submittal	1/72 scale Handsa-Brandenburg W29, Roden, and a P-12 from Matchbox; 1/48 scale Albatross DV, Eduard, and a Tamiya Spitfire Mk I; 1/350 th U.S.S. Vandergrift from Academy
Dick Beemer	Zoom Submittal	1/48 XP56, Czech Model
Bob Frysztak	Zoom Submittal	Further adventures of the USS Constitution
Stan Kurcz	Newsletter Submittal	1/72 Emahr F3H Demon
Carl Knable	Newsletter Submittal	Airfix 1/72nd F2H Banshee; Minicraft 1/144th C-47 U.S. Army circa 1968
Bill Vinikour	Newsletter Submittal	Templar's Reign, 1/6-scale from Quarantine Studio

If you have any comments or questions about any of these “Show-and-Tell “ entries, please email them to ismpdf@gmail.com and we will forward them to the appropriate builder.



Mike Knowski: First is my 1/72 scale Handsa-Brandenburg W29 from Roden. I swapped the decals from a similar Pegasus kit. Next, a 1/48 scale Albatross DV from Eduard. I used the kit decals except for the lozenge on the wings which is from Aviatric. Rigging is EZ line. Third is a 1/48 scale Spitfire Mk 1 from Tamiya. This is the older version, but it was a great kit to build OOB. Fourth is a 1/72 P-12 from Matchbox, OOB except decals from Starfighter. I also used their photo etched rigging set. I'm not happy with the fit or how they look, preferring wire or EZ line. The final build is a 1/350th U.S.S. Vandergrift from Academy.





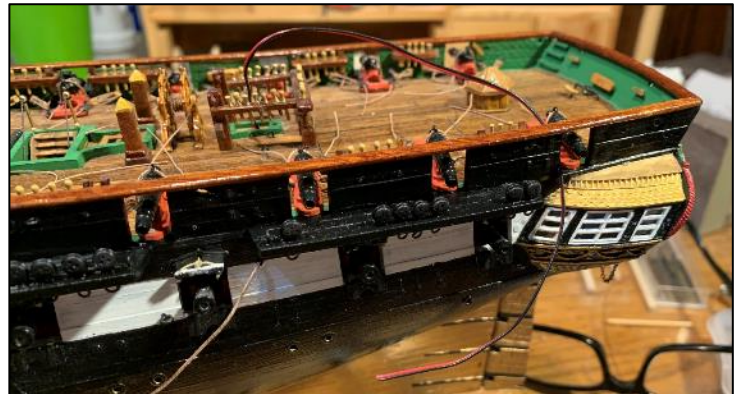
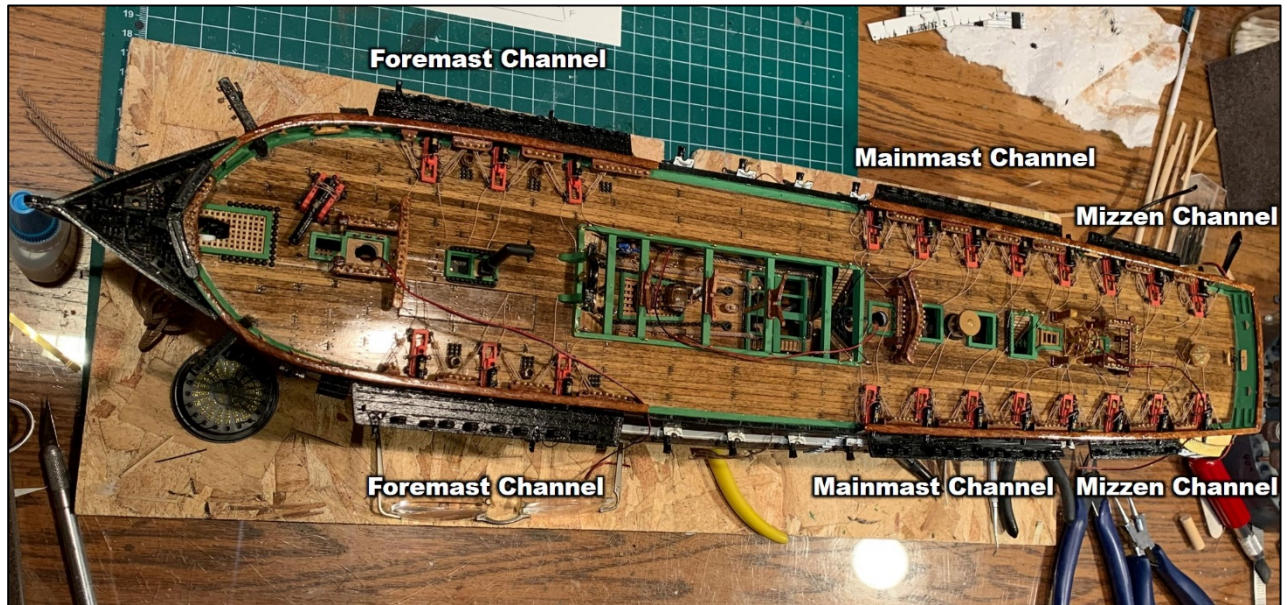




Dick Beemer: This is an XP56. It had the nick name "black bullet". This 1/48 scale kit is from Czech Model. As with the other models from this company, it was a challenge to build. The other build is a Civil War period Gatling Gun. The kit is by Metal Earth. Of the dozen or so kits from these guys that I have built, this was the most difficult.



Bob Frysztak: the continuing saga of the USS Constitution.



Stan Kurcz – A 1/72 McDonnell F3H Demon by Emahr.



Carl Knable- First, an Airfix 1/72nd F2H Banshee: Not a bad little kit for one that was produced nearly 40 years ago, and with a little bit of extra work (re-scribed, vac canopy, and resin seat), I think it turned out pretty well. As such, I have started the photo-recon version, and also plan to do the Hobby Craft F2H-4 in Canadian markings. That will clear all the Banshee's from my stash. Next, a Minicraft 1/144th C-47 U.S. Army circa 1968 : One more C-47 for the collection. This is a model of an aircraft I photographed while still in the Air Force in 1968 (see picture). A few modifications to the Minicraft kit including resin cowls, new "thicker" wheels, and scratch-built props. Decals from the spares box.





Bill Vinikour – On the Workbench: Templar's Reign

Among the kits I am currently working on is Templar's Reign, a 1/6-scale model from Quarantine Studio. This limited edition resin kit stands 22" tall from the bottom of the base to the tip of the sword. In addition to the "zombie" head, the kit includes optional helmeted head and unhelmeted heads– these will be added as victims. I plan to incorporate the stone base into a somewhat larger base that will include, at least, a headstone indicating that the knight has risen from the grave. Templar knights' outfits tend to be white and red. However, I've seen some models that featured other medieval knights that had black and white or black, red and white outfits. So, if you can believe that a Templar knight can come back from the dead for revenge, allow me to believe he can change the color of his spots err outfit! The base photo shows work in progress on adding moss and lichen; more vegetation, debris, and weathering will be added.



F-5 Triple Tiger Part 2 – Completing the CF-5A

Carl Knable

Photo 12 – Decals for the CF-5A were printed using a laser printer. Various original Canadian markings were taken from a 1/48th Belcher bits helicopter decal sheet, while the “433 Squadron” tail marking (moose in circle) was developed using Photoshop Elements. The master sheet for the markings is shown on the left. This was reduced 50% and laser printed on an 8.5 x 11 clear decal sheet (left side of photo). Note that the 50% reduction allowed printing four copies of the original on a single clear decal sheet (plenty of spare decals in case of problems).



Photo 12

The printed sheet was then airbrushed with a light coat of clear lacquer to seal the decals. After the fact discovery: you can save yourself all this trouble by getting the “Belcher Bits” CF-5A decal sheet in 1/72nd scale which includes the markings for this aircraft (stock number BD15).

Photos 13 and 14 – Decaling begins. Note that the yellow bordered red “05” was made using Woodland Scenics rub-on red numbers. The numbers were rubbed on yellow decal sheet and then carefully cut out using a scalpel. Photo 14 shows the “false” canopy decal, which was just cut out of a solid black decal film sheet.



Photo 13



Photo 14

Photos 15 and 16 - Instrument panels and side consoles are “generic” resin castings. First photo shows the panels painted black (water-based acrylic) and dry brushed with white acrylic paint. Second photo shows completed panels with red, green, and yellow colors added.

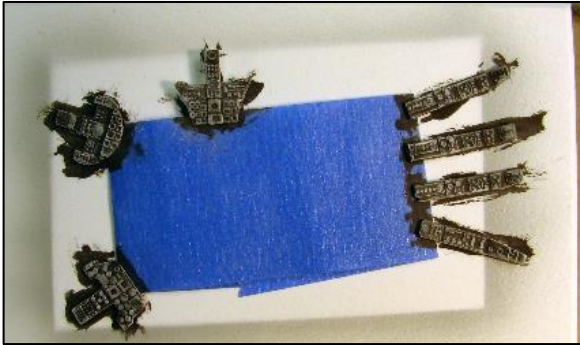


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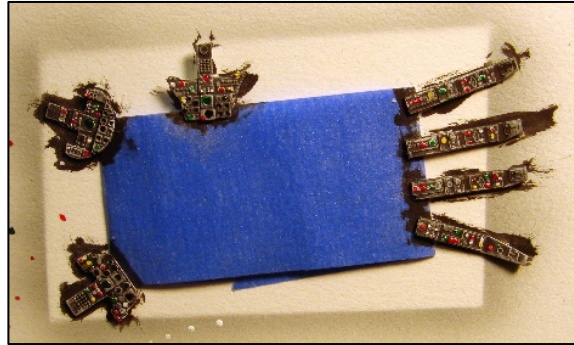


Photo 16

Photos 17 and 18 – Resin copy of the True Details F-5 seat – unpainted and painted.



Photo 17

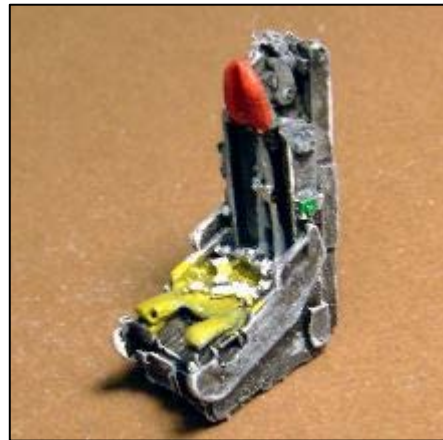


Photo 18

Photos 19 and 20 – Next step: completed cockpit with instrument panel, side consoles, and seat in place.



Photo 19



Photo 20

Photo 21 – More fiddly bits wing tanks, dive brakes, and tail hook attached with Elmer’ white glue.



Photo 21

Photo 22 – Canopy vacuum-formed over kit canopy (sanded and polished). Photo shows the vac canopy trimmed to fit kit and tacked to the kit canopy (for support) prior to painting. Narrow strips of 3M electrical tape are used to delineate the canopy frame, and the clear areas masked with rubber cement. After airbrushing and removing the mask/tape, the canopy was attached using Elmer’s (joint lines cleaned up with a wet Q-tip).

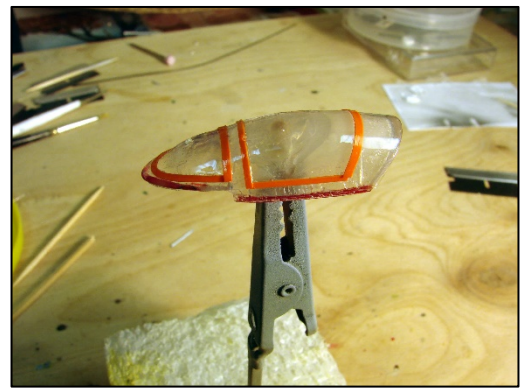


Photo 22

Photos 23 and 24 - CF-5A completed and on stand.

Photo 23



Photo 24



Next up – Part 3, Completing the F-5E!

Upcoming Events: **November - December 2020**

November 1: Cleveland Model Show 24, Kirtland, OH. **CANCELLED**

November 7: TigerCon 2020- 10th Annual, Columbia, MO. **CANCELLED**

November 13-14: WrightCon 2020 IPMS Region IV Convention. Contest is Nov 13-14, but registration deadline is 11:59 PM, Nov 7. Dayton Ohio. IPMS/Wright Field Scale Modelers. **ON-LINE ONLY EVENT.** http://wrightcon.com/next_show

November 14: IPMS Middle Tennessee Contest and Show, Murfreesboro, TN. IPMS Middle Tennessee. <http://www.ipmsmiddletennessee.com/>

Festival of Modelling – Although this occurred last weekend, videos of the event are available online at: <https://www.facebook.com/pg/interestingmodellingco/videos/>



NO IPMS EVENTS SCHEDULED FOR DECEMBER

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>



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WrightCon 2020

IPMS Region IV Convention

November 13-14, 2020

Virtual Edition

The entire show will be held online only.

Contest Registration:

- **Deadline to register is Saturday, November 7, 2020 at 11:59 pm Eastern Time**
- \$15 to be eligible for actual awards, mailed to the winners (plus access to virtual vendor room and virtual display room)
- \$10 to be eligible for virtual awards only (plus access to virtual vendor room and virtual display room)
- \$5 General Admission (access only to virtual vendor room and virtual display room)

Registration

Registering for virtual WrightCon

General Admission: \$5 will give you access to the virtual vendor room and the virtual contest room. Select option 3 at the PayPal button at the bottom of this page.

Model Contest Registration

Contest with actual awards: \$15 registration will make you eligible for our usual challenge coin awards for 1st, 2nd, or 3rd place. Open to US residents only.

Contest with online only recognition: \$10 will register you for the contest, but you will not receive actual awards; you will only receive online recognition.

Registering for WrightCon 2020 is a little different this year, given that the show will be entirely virtual. Here are the rules:

- There is a limit of **10 models per person**
- Registering your models will be handles the same way as prior contest, except that you must upload of your models
- There is a minimum of 6 photos per model, maximum 9
- Images must include views from the following angles:

1. Oblique
2. Left side
3. Right side
4. Front (head-on)
5. Rear
6. Top

- You may include of to three extra photos with your choice of angle (e.g. detail view, bottom view, etc.).
- Images must be in jpg or png format, no bigger than **6 MB**
- Images have a minimum size of **640 x 480 pixels**
- Images have a maximum size of **3024 x 2268 pixels**

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.

Meeting Location

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5739 Dunham Road
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Meeting Times

7:30 PM, 2nd Friday of every month

During COVID-19 – 7PM Zoom meetings, 2nd Friday of each month.
See page 5 of this newsletter for information on joining the meeting.

Website

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

BOH Annual Membership

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

	Adults	Seniors (Over 65) and Juniors (under 18)
Jan-Mar	\$20	\$15
Apr-Jun	\$17	\$10
Jul-Sept	\$14	\$7
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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 Plaines, IL 847-297-2118 www.desplaineshobbies.com/store/
Timberline Train Shop	5228 Main Street, Downers Grove, IL, 630-324-6136 www.timberlinetrainshop.com
Games Workshop	947 Burlington Ave., Downers Grove, IL, 630-515-1428
Americas Best Hobby	865 Maplewood, Itasca, IL 630-467-1102 www.americasbesttrain.com/
Ron's Mundelein Hobbies	431 N. Lake Street, Mundelein, IL 847-949-8680
M&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

