



CSM Debrief

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Our **next meeting** will be **Sunday, Oct. 1, 2017**, from 2 – 4 PM. The club normally meets at Eastminster Presbyterian Church, 4600 Erie Avenue, Madisonville, Ohio 45227 on the 1st Sunday of each month. The September meeting will be on Sep. 10, so as not to overlap with Labor Day weekend.

Annual Cincinnati Scale Modelers membership fees are \$15. You do not have to join the national organization to join our club. If you do NOT renew by April we will purge (or try to) your name from our rolls and you will not get the newsletter by mail or e-mail. Please renew. Thank you.

IPMS/USA national membership fees are \$25 a year and include the IPMS/USA Journal. If you are a member of the IPMS/USA you can enter models into the national contest. See www.ipmsusa.org for details.

Finances – Club finances are sound. Our Treasurer Tom Owens has a detailed statement available if you wish to examine it.

Raffle & Door Prizes – Prize tickets are available for sale (\$1 each), which supports ongoing raffles and having fun! Our raffle policy, confirmed by a formal proposal of these rules and a vote by the members present on March 9, 2014: “Everyone who is a *current* member gets ONE door prize ticket for attending the meeting. Members get a 2nd door prize ticket if they bring a model. First-time visitors get one free door prize ticket for being with us.”

If you win something in the raffle and don’t want it please consider offering it at auction before donating it to the VA. You can earmark the funds from any auctions to buy kits more suited to the VA’s needs, or keep the money for yourself. The skill level of some of our prizes is high. Those kits may be frustrating for someone getting into the hobby as therapy. We can find deals on those simpler kits and don’t mind scrounging for them for the VA.

Door Prizes	Raffle Prizes	
Lindberg 1/48 th Gladiator Mk II	1/48 Eduard Fokker D.VII	Airfix 1/72 nd Mig 15 & F-86
Zvezda 1/48 th Yak 3	Tamiya 1/48 th Spitfire Mk 1	DML 1/35 th Sherman IIIDV
Hobbyboss 1/72 nd HH-60H	Revell 1/32 nd He 162	Tamiya 1/35 th Stug IIIB
		DML 1/35 th Panther A

Show and Tell – One of the reasons to be in a model club is to build models. Bring in a model you are working on or just got done and be prepared (if you wish) to tell your fellow modelers what you are doing, the challenges you have overcome or are trying to work out. Show off your skills, share your knowledge and gain some besides. ☺

Possible demo of the “Quick Wheels” armor tool at the September meeting by Ted Doctor?

VA project(s) – The Cincinnati Scale Modelers VA Support group (CSMVASG – got a better acronym?) continues to staff model building sessions at the VA hospital in Clifton. Volunteers work with veterans on the scale modeling hobby, helping them build, share stories, etc every Tuesday from 9 – 11:30. Call Tom Owens if you are interested in helping. (513) 351-1582 The VA Medical Center always needs kits appropriate to the skills of the patients. Just now a new bunch has started starting so snap-tite kits would be a help, if you have any to donate.

Interested in writing an article or taking photos? The *CSM Debrief* is looking for original info on models, workbench techniques, or Roadside Relics you may see. Send them to the editor for possible publication. The “Debrief” is available by post or email (to save postage, trees, and hassle, I recommend email!). It is also posted each month on the CSM club website. We also have a Facebook page so search for “Cincinnati Scale Modelers”

Wants & Disposals - If you have a want or a disposal, please call (513) 489-5387 or send email to: rschorry@cinci.rr.com

Upcoming events in or near “IPMS/USA Region IV” See www.ipmsusa.org

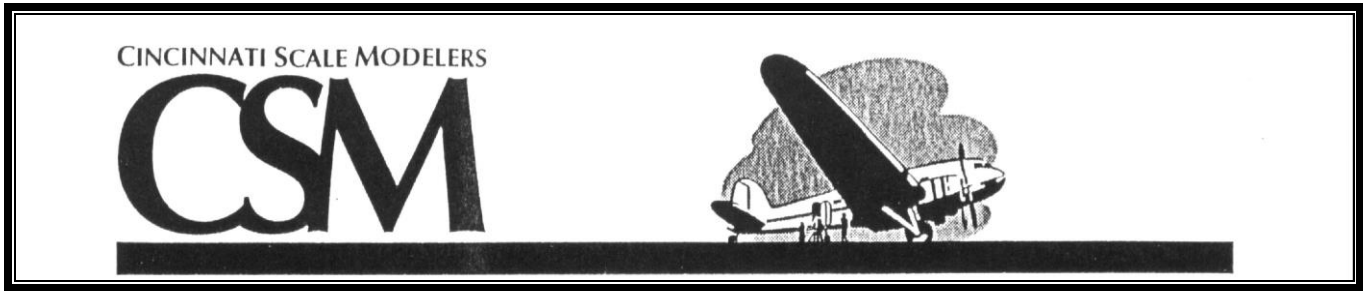
Date	Chapter	City/Area
Oct 21	Cincinnati Scale Modelers Annual Contest/Swapmeet Donald Flynn – donaldflynn@fuse.net	Sharonville, OH

Please consider volunteering to help run our contest, raffle, and vendor fest. Contest entry, vendor assistance, judging, and setup/teardown are spots where we will need you to help.



Please try to keep your telephone and email up to date with the club. In case of severe weather or other reason, we will try to contact you if our monthly meeting is cancelled or postponed.

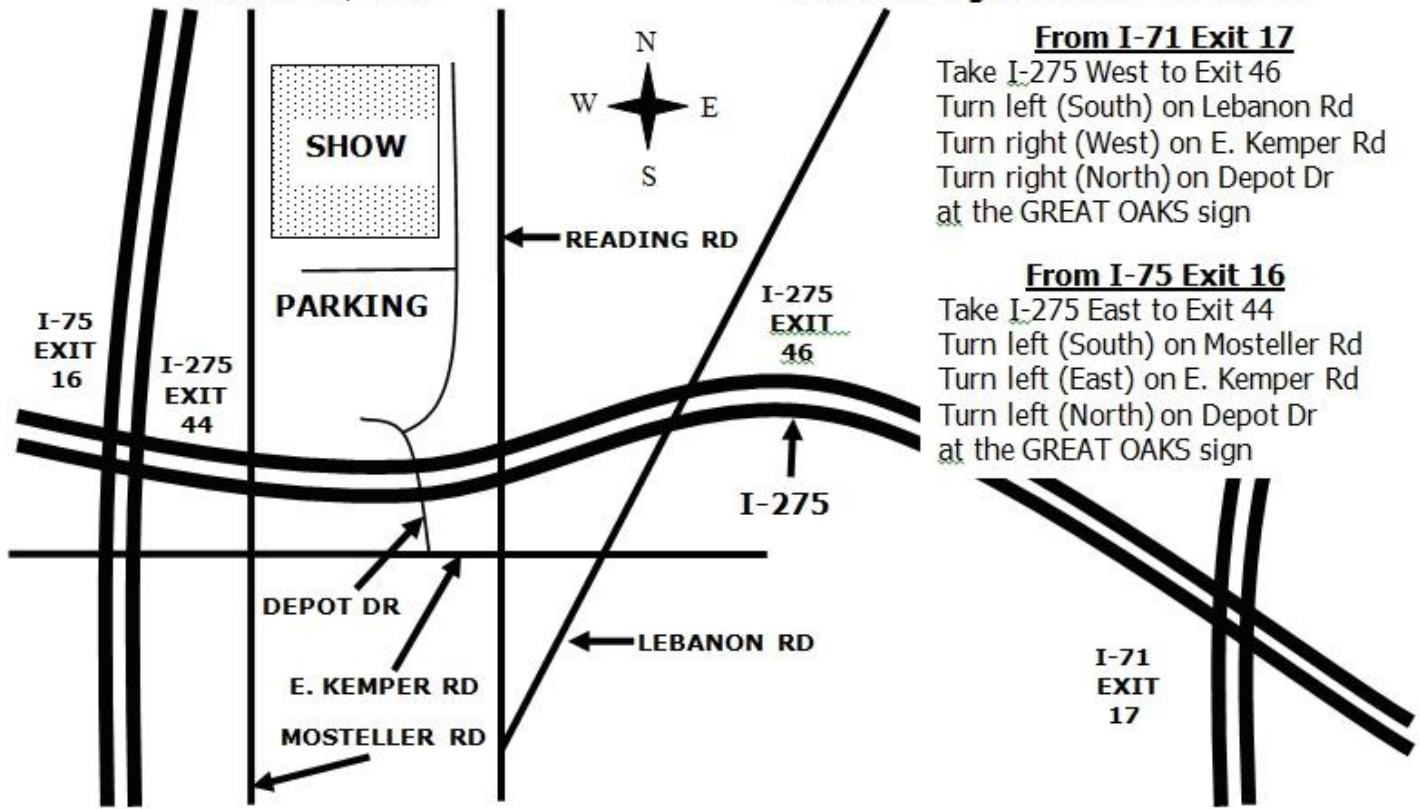
Thank you!



2017 Contest and Swap Meet - All Modelers Welcome
Door Prize a \$75.00 Vendor Merchandise Certificate
Cincinnati's Famous Humongous Raffle

October 21st, 2017
 9:00 AM – 4:30 PM
 Scarlet Oaks Vocational School
 Sharonville, Ohio

Registration. 9:00 AM – 12:30 PM
 Judging.....12:30 PM – 3:30 PM
 Awards.....3:30 PM
 Show Ending at.....4:30 PM



From I-71 Exit 17
 Take I-275 West to Exit 46
 Turn left (South) on Lebanon Rd
 Turn right (West) on E. Kemper Rd
 Turn right (North) on Depot Dr
 at the GREAT OAKS sign

From I-75 Exit 16
 Take I-275 East to Exit 44
 Turn left (South) on Mosteller Rd
 Turn left (East) on E. Kemper Rd
 Turn left (North) on Depot Dr
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Contest Entry Fees

Adult: \$5.00 for 1-3 entries
 \$1.00 for each additional entry
 Juniors: \$3.00 unlimited entries
 General Admission - \$5.00
 12 and under admitted free ☺
 Vendor tables 6' \$30.00 per table

Contest and Vendor Contact

Don Flynn
 60 Williamsburg Ln Sharonville, OH 45241
 Email: donaldflynn@fuse.net
 513-777-6618 (12pm- 2 pm, after 2pm
 Please leave message Monday-Friday)
<http://www.cincyipms.com>

2017 CSM Contest Rules

1. Models that have won or placed at IPMS Nationals, Regional's or past CSM events may not be entered, but may be displayed at no cost
2. Pre-assembled or partially-assembled scale replicas and die-cast models are eligible for competition only if, in the opinion of the judges, they contain significant changes in structure, paint scheme and markings so as to represent the handiwork and skills of the modeler, *not the manufacturer*
3. Entries will be judged using the following criteria: Basic construction, overall finish, additional detailing, authenticity, and degree of difficulty. Scratch built detail will be favored over commercially manufactured detail if quality is comparable. Extra detail will not make up for a poorly constructed model. IPMS National Rules shall be considered as guidelines.
4. Contest registrars shall determine the classification of each entry. In the event of questions regarding placement, the Head Judge will have the final decision. The following guidelines will be observed:
 - a. Markings will determine service, nationality and civil vs. military usage.
 - b. Jet includes rocket-powered craft.
 - c. Military missiles are considered artillery.
 - d. Emergency vehicles (police/Fire etc.) will be considered commercial vehicles.
 - e. Hypothetical models will be entered into the most appropriate Category / scale.
 - f. Vacuumformed models will be considered scratch built / conversions.
5. Bases WILL NOT be considered in the judging of models entered in non-diorama Categories. However, entries where the base is deemed by the judges to be a predominant feature of the model or those depicting a scene MAY BE MOVED at the judges discretion to the appropriate Diorama Category. All dust covers must be removed prior to judging.
6. Scratchbuilt, Conversion, & Major Modifications Category:
 - 6A. A "Conversion" entry must contain significant structural changes involving extensive changes in contour or configuration. Entries using aftermarket parts or kits to effect the conversion will be included in this classification.
 - 6B. "Scratchbuilt" entries may use parts from existing kits but their use should be unrelated to their original purpose, with the exception of guns, wheels, tracks, etc...
7. An individual entrant may not win more than TWO awards per Category or split category. No sweeps.
8. Cincinnati Scale Modelers club members will be eligible for only one award in a Category or split category.
9. Judges' decisions are final. Interference with the judges can result in an entry's disqualification.
10. A Category must have at least 3 separate contestants to be judged. In the interest of competition, at the judges' discretion, entries in an under-represented category may be combined into another similar Category. Also, at the judge's discretion, a category may not be judged and awarded if the models represented in the category can't be realistically judged because the model types are considered too dissimilar in type.
11. Cincinnati Scale Modelers/IPMS Cincinnati, its members, agents, or officers assume no liability or responsibility in the case of accidents involving attendees, equipment, merchandise, models, displays nor for property lost, stolen or damaged.

DEFINITIONS

For a listing of contest categories please visit our club website at <http://www.cincyipms.com/>

Contest categories

Cat #	Type	Scale	Description	Note
1	Aircraft	1/72 & smaller	Smaller Single Prop	Splits: See Note A
2	Aircraft	1/72 & smaller	Multi-Engine Prop	Splits: See Note A
3	Aircraft	1/72 & smaller	Single & Multi-Engine Jet/Rocket	
4	Aircraft	1/48	Single-Engine Prop	Splits: See Note A
5	Aircraft	1/48	Multi-Engine Prop	Splits: See Note A
6	Aircraft	1/48	Single & Multi-Engine Jet/Rocket	
7	Aircraft	1/32 & larger	Large Scales	Splits: See Note B
8	Aircraft	All scales	Airliners	
9	Aircraft	All scales	Civil Aircraft	Splits: See Note C
10	Aircraft	All scales	Helicopters	
11	Aircraft	All scales	Multi-Wing	
12	Aircraft	All scales	Scratchbuilt, Major Mods, & Conversions	
13	Aircraft	All scales	Dioramas	
14	Aircraft	All scales	Out of the Box Aircraft All Scales	See note D
15	Armor	1/35	Closed Top	Splits: See Note A
16	Armor	1/35	Open Top	Splits: See Note A
17	Armor	1/35	Soft-skinned	Splits: See Note A
18	Armor	1/35	Armored Cars & Half-tracks	Splits: See Note A
19	Armor	All scales	Artillery & Towed	
20	Armor	1/48 & smaller	Tracked & Wheeled	See Note E
21	Armor	1/31 & larger	All Types	
22	Armor	All scales	Scratchbuilt, Major Mods & Conversions	
23	Armor	All scales	Dioramas	
24	Automotive		Replica Stock	
25	Automotive		Street Rods all eras	
26	Automotive		Street Machines	
27	Automotive		Competition - Straight Line	
28	Automotive		Competition - Circle Track	
29	Automotive		Custom	
30	Automotive		Commercial	
31	Automotive		Curbside/Slammer	
32	Automotive		Motorcycles	
33	Automotive		Dioramas	
34	Automotive		Out of the Box	See note D
35	Figures	All scales	Dismounted	
36	Figures	All scales	Mounted	
37	Figures	All scales	Conversions & Scratch built	
38	Figures	All scales	Dioramas & Vignettes	
39	Figures	All scales	Fantasy & Sci-Fi	
40	Ships	All scales	Busts	
41	Ships	1/451 & smaller	Powered	
42	Ships	1/350 - 450	Powered	
43	Ships	1/349 & larger	Powered	
44	Ships	All scales	Sail	
45	Ships	All scales	Submarines	
46	Ships	All scales	Scratch built, Major Mods, & Conversions	
47	Ships	All scales	Dioramas	
48	Sci-Fi & Misc	All scales	Space: Fictional	
49	Sci-Fi & Misc	All scales	Space: Historical	
50	Sci-Fi & Misc	All scales	Critters	

51	Sci-Fi & Misc	All scales	Sci-Fi Mechanical
52	Sci-Fi & Misc		Humor / Miscellaneous
53	Sci-Fi & Misc		Collections
54	Juniors		Aircraft
55	Juniors		Armor
56	Juniors		Automotive
57	Juniors		Ships
58	Juniors		Figures
59	Juniors		Sci-Fi / Misc

Notes

A. Categories may be split as follows:

1. Allied Forces

2. Axis / Enemy / Neutral Forces

If needed, they will be further split into Atlantic and Pacific Theatres. There will be a maximum of 4 divisions of each category if necessary.

B. Category 7. may be split between props and jets if necessary.

C. Category 9 may be split according to scale

D. Out of the Box (OOB) entries are to be constructed solely from the contents of the kit box, with the following exceptions

Finishes: any paint scheme may be used (including weathering)

Decals: Aftermarket decals may be used

A copy of the kit instructions must accompany the entry

E. Category 20 will be split if needed



CSM Contest Model Entry Form

Contest Category: _____

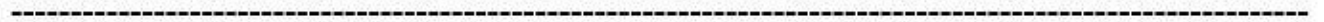
Special Award Category: _____

Subject: _____

Kit(s) Used: _____ Scale _____

Comments / Special Notes:

Please fill out information below and FOLD UNDER



NAME _____ **Contestant No.** _____

Cell Phone Number, in case moving of models is needed by CSM Staff so Contestant can be contacted. Will not be shared by CSM Staff



IPMS/USA MEMBERSHIP FORM

IPMS No.: _____ Name _____
First Middle Last

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Phone: _____ E-mail: _____

Signature (required by P.O.) _____

Type of Membership Adult, 1 Year: \$25 Adult, 2 Years: \$49 Adult, 3 Years: \$73

Junior (Under 18 Years) \$12 Family, 1 Year: \$30 (Adult + \$5, One Set Journals) How Many Cards? _____

Canada & Mexico: \$30 Other / Foreign: \$32 (Surface) Other / Foreign: \$55 (Air)

Payment Method: Check Money Order Credit Card (MC/ VISA only)

Credit Card No: _____ Expiration Date: _____

If Recommended by an IPMS Member, Please List His / Her Name and Member Number:

Name: _____ IPMS No.: _____

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