



# CSM Debrief

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**Our September meeting** had a pretty good turnout. We discussed our upcoming contest on October 2<sup>nd</sup> and the Make N Take which will be held at the same time. Volunteers were wrestled to the mat for help during those events! We also chatted about the Nationals with those who went to Phoenix.

Our **October meeting** will be **Sunday, Oct. 10<sup>th</sup>** from 2 – 4 pm at Eastminster Presbyterian Church, 4600 Erie Avenue, Madisonville, Ohio 45227. The CSM regularly meets on the 2nd Sunday of each month.

**Raffle & Door Prizes** – Raffle and Door Prizes will be a mystery grab bag in October. We're low on cars and armor... Maybe the contest vendors will have some good things to pick up for the club.

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

- I have a friend whose dad was a Korean War vet, flew the F-80 Shooting Star and earned a DSC. Looking for a 1/48 scale model of same, it's a Monogram/Revell model that's out of production. Anybody have one in their stash that wants to part with it? Call me at (513) 984-3194 or by e-mail at [drapesman@yahoo.com](mailto:drapesman@yahoo.com)  
Tom Bebout

- Looking for 1:72 US Marine figures Korean War – Dave Reed - [reed.dw@pg.com](mailto:reed.dw@pg.com)

- I've got 20 donated MakeNTake kits (mostly 1:72) which need new decals. The others were yellow, mildewed or both. Accuracy not important - only country and scale. 1/72 - F4U Corsair, JU88, HE111, Focke Wolfe (3 kits), C-47, P-47, Curtiss Helldiver, F4F Wildcat, P-51, P39, Ju87, F6F (2 kits), TBD Devastator; 1/48 – F16 Thanks for any help you can give. Dave Reed

## Membership Renewal & New Members

Annual Cincinnati Scale Modelers membership fees are \$15. If you are a club member and have not renewed this please see **Mike Bailey** or **Tom Bebout** and ask them if they are willing to take your money for another fun year. IPMS/USA national membership fees are \$25 a year and include the IPMS/USA Journal. See [www.ipmsusa.org](http://www.ipmsusa.org) for details.

Two “new guys” appeared! **Jim Quinn** (likes ships and wood models) and **Jim Hill** (armor). Welcome!

**Kits for Iraq and Afghanistan** We collect and donate model kits and building supplies to service members in Iraq and Afghanistan. They're not on duty 24/7 and building models gives them a little downtime. Please make kit or supply donations to Mike Bailey.

## 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. It is also posted each month on the CSM club website: [www.cincyipms.com](http://www.cincyipms.com) and the **Yahoo Group website**. If you desire to read the Debrief in glorious color, please send an email to the editor (Rob S.) to get onto the email list.

**Yahoo Group** – Cincinnati Scale Modelers has a webpage on Yahoo Groups plus our regular website [www.cincyipms.com](http://www.cincyipms.com). The group is moderated by Scott Lane ( [slane6@cinci.rr.com](mailto:slane6@cinci.rr.com) ) and co-moderated by Rob Schorry ( [rschorry@cinci.rr.com](mailto:rschorry@cinci.rr.com) ). This is a way to communicate without using your home email and might provide another channel for modeling info and tips. You have to join the group to access it. [http://groups.yahoo.com/group/Cincy\\_Scale\\_Modelers](http://groups.yahoo.com/group/Cincy_Scale_Modelers)

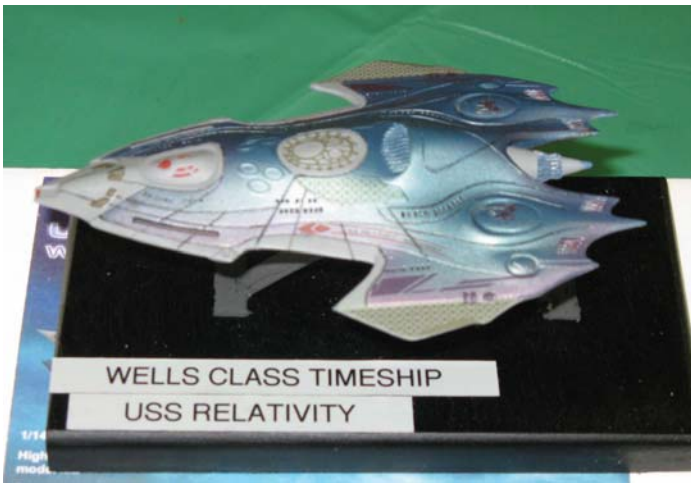


**CSM logo items** - People may want to purchase more items to wear to the contest with the CSM logo on it. The company we use is [EmbroidMe](http://www.EmbroidMe.com) and they carry hats, t-shirts, sweat shirts, jackets, tote bags etc. They are at 11033 Reed Hartman Highway, Cincinnati, Ohio, 45242 ( [www.EmbroidMe-CincinnatiNE.com](http://www.EmbroidMe-CincinnatiNE.com) ) Walk in, view items in the showroom and tell them you want the CSM logo on it - probably listed under **Tom Bebout** or **CSM**. The people in the store are very helpful! The monogrammed shirts we had printed last summer can still be made from the master plan, so go for that extra shirt, or a new one.

## Some pictures from the September meeting by Rob Schorry



Dave Morgan – 1931 Bugatti (built for a benefit raffle in St. Louis)



Chris Allman – 1/1400 scale Star Trek USS Relativity



Dave Reeves – USN LCAC Hovercraft



Chris Allman – French Navy – 'Charles de Gaulle'



Tom Bebout – 1/48 Grumman Tigercat



Mark Statt – Bu 131



Isaac Zelasny – Yak25 and Il-176

The IPMS/USA **2011 Convention** will be held in Omaha, Nebraska August 3-6. The 2012 convention will be at Walt Disney World, Orlando, Florida in August 2012. Special convention hotel room rates will apply there for a big savings.

**Steve Stohrs** of NA Hobbies has built for the club a new and improved website. We thank Steve for all the help and look forward to thanking him in person. The new website will be expanded with gallery and walk-arounds, and so forth. Stay tuned. Steve's business site: <http://www.nahobbiesestore.com>

**Louisville Contest Nov. 6** – The Military Modelers of Louisville will hold their model contest in Shepherdsville, Ky. See their website <http://www.mmcl.org/Welcome.html> for details. Event at: 395 Paraquet Springs Drive in Shepherdsville, KY 40165 Terry Hill - [thill35434@aol.com](mailto:thill35434@aol.com)

## B-36 Tales

**John O'Rourke** was in the 98<sup>th</sup> Bomb Squadron during his Air Force days in Texas. John was both an aviation mechanic and a crew chief. He told me that he was recently at a Hobbytown store and saw there a kit of a B-36 (likely 1/72 Revell or Monogram). The tail number on the box art was 1070 – an aircraft he had worked on.



US Air Force photo

# CSM 2010 Contest and Swap Meet

Saturday October 2nd is our annual Contest and Swap Meet – some of the highlights:

All modelers, models and spectators are welcome. We'll have a giant raffle, scads of vendors with more plastic, paint, and glue than you can believe, awards given using standard 1<sup>st</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup>, and 3<sup>rd</sup> place rules, a giant Make N Take for young builders, and more fun than a barrel of monkeys!

We will need your help judging, general contest help, and aid to set up and tear down so please volunteer! We will be treating all volunteer judges to a **pizza lunch** during orientation – so please help us to judge models. No experience necessary – will train on the job! ☺

<http://www.cincyipms.com/events.htm> - Spells out all sorts of info on the event, times, prices, rules, model entry forms – every thing you need to bring your models to the show, enter them into the contest and have fun!



**Great Oaks – Scarlet Oaks Campus**  
3254 East Kemper Road  
Cincinnati, OH 45241

### Contest entry fees:

Adult: \$5.00 for 3 entries  
or \$10.00 unlimited entries

Juniors: \$3.00 unlimited entries

General Admission - \$3.00  
12 and under admitted **free**



Contest judging

Make n Take



Models

Vendors



The Cincinnati Scale Modelers will also be holding a **Make N Take** for young modelers on October 2. This is a great way for young people get to get model building experience with the help of adults. Information is available on our website or contact Dave Reed - [davereed\\_314@yahoo.com](mailto:davereed_314@yahoo.com)

### All Modelers Welcome!

Door Prizes plus our Humongous Raffle

## October 2, 2010

9:00 AM – 4:30 PM

**Great Oaks / Scarlet Oaks School**  
**3254 East Kemper Rd.**  
**Sharonville, Ohio 45241**

Registration.... 9:00 AM – 12:30 PM

Judging..... 12:30 PM – 3:30 PM

Awards..... 3:30 PM

### Contest Fees

Adult: \$5.00 for 1 to 3 entries or  
\$10.00 for unlimited entries

Juniors: \$3.00 unlimited entries  
General Admission - \$3.00  
12 and under admitted free

### Contest and Vendor Contact

Donald "Crazy Don" Flynn  
60 Williamsburg Ln.  
Sharonville, OH 45241  
Email: [donaldflynn@fuse.net](mailto:donaldflynn@fuse.net)  
(513) 777 - 6618 (after 2pm leave message)

Entry and registration forms are available on-line at: [www.cincyipms.com](http://www.cincyipms.com) and below.

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**Friday Oct 1<sup>st</sup>** is the 'setup' for the contest. We'll be moving tables and setting up the contest and vendor areas from 6 – 9 PM. After the tables are set, then, and only then, will vendors be allowed to start setting up. Setup helpers will be treated to a pizza dinner (brought to us). So please come and lend a hand.

**Saturday Oct. 2<sup>nd</sup>** is the day of the contest. Registration starts at 9 AM, but we will need some volunteers to "herd the cats" before then.

**Volunteer judges** are welcome and needed, and we will treat all to a pizza lunch during the judges meeting at 12 noon. With past events as a guide, we'll start judging at 12:30 (which is when the contest room and registration closes). We hope to have the nitty-gritty stuff handled and awards presented by 3:30, if not before.

Then the **show teardown** begins and we turn the space back into a cafeteria. We know that everyone will want to head home with piles of kits that they bought or won, their oodles of trophies, and put their feet up and have a rest, if not liquid refreshment. But please stay for a tiny bit of time to help us hump about 90 tables back to their storage places – our backs and legs aren't as young as they used to be!

Also, if you have CSM gear (hat or shirt) wear it so that our guests can tell who their hosts are.

## **2010 Contest - Registration Form**

Contestant No. \_\_\_\_\_

Total No. of Entries \_\_\_\_\_

NAME: \_\_\_\_\_

ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_

CITY / STATE / ZIP \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone : \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail: \_\_\_\_\_

☺ All information will be held securely and not shared with spammers, scammers, or process servers! ☺

### **Special Awards - Please Check If You Qualify:**

\_\_\_\_\_ #1. Best Korean War Subject

\_\_\_\_\_ #2. Hooterville Real Racer Award

\_\_\_\_\_ #3 Best Out-Of -Box Aircraft

\_\_\_\_\_ #4 Best Minor Allied/Axis WWII 1/48<sup>th</sup> Scale Aircraft





## The joy of not building models (for a contest) – by Rob Schorry

A few years back I was deep into a project to scratch build a model for our fall contest. I had plenty of time, so I thought, but my elderly mom had surgery that month and then rehabilitation and there were plenty of nights spent at the hospital or a nursing home.

I flogged away on the model when I could; the sessions often ended after midnight. This is about the time my wife declared herself a “model widow.” I even took parts to work with me in a shoebox and during lunch time scraped and sanded on fiddly bits.

The final games of the World Series were on that week, and although I heard them, I didn’t watch them - having my eyes locked firmly onto the desk inches from face. I’ll bet they were great games. Sure sounded like it!

The Friday night before the contest I worked away until 1:45 AM, and declared the thing finished - well - finished enough. I rose early Saturday, tweaked the model a bit more and hauled it to the contest.

I was absolutely beaten down and tired to the bone. I’m not sure it was worth it.

I sat there in a stupor after putting the model on the contest table, and I couldn’t see straight. My older eyes had that “I don’t want to focus” feeling, my back hurt, and my neck was stiff (this bore further fruit when two months later my neck took a final licking while moving a treadmill and I suffered a herniated disc and a pinched nerve that zapped my right hand).

So this year... I’m not building a thing for the contest!

Believe me, I have thought about launching into a marathon building project, but I don’t think I need to.

Oh, I’ve fiddled around with some Plastruct stuff and know what the next model project will be; I just haven’t opened the glue yet.

Am I happy, sad, or relieved? Maybe just relaxed – really relaxed.

I hope to see you all of you at the contest on Saturday October the 2<sup>nd</sup>.

I’ll be the one without bloodshot eyes! 😊



# 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.: \_\_\_\_\_

## IPMS/USA

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