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International Plastic Modelers' Society/USA Membership Application / Renewal Form

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Applications should be printed and mailed to: IPMS/USA, P.O. Box 56023, St Petersburg, FL 33732-6023

Hello Swamp Foxes, Welcome to the May 2019 Newsletter.

Hopefully we have all had some time at the benches, I look forward to seeing some of your work at the next meeting Wednesday 15th May 18.00 – 20.00 at Lexington Main Library.

April's meeting saw 22 members attend, The President opened the meeting and went through the agenda and any other business. After which Ralf gave a presentation on the many different types of Glues, Cements and other Adhesives available to the modeler.....

Then it was onto the show and tell of Members models and we had a nice diverse selection to enjoy, some really great builds and in progress work as always.....

From the Front Office...

Howdy, all. Here's what's going on...

1. JUNE SHOW: We're on track for the June show. We're going to need everyone to pitch in where they can to help:

a. Set-up: We will need people to help set the venue up on Friday between 2PM and 6PM. I'll nail down the actual time before next meeting.

b. Registration Desk: We will need people to staff the registration table from the time we open the doors until registration closes at Noon.

c. Raffle: Donnie will need a few people to assist at the vendor table.

d. Judging: We will always need judging help. If you are not otherwise employed, please volunteer to judge. If you can build a model, you can judge.

e. Tear-down: More hands make this happen quickly. Tear down starts as soon as the last plaque is awarded. Last year, we were out of the venue by 5:30, which is what we're shooting for again this year.

2. RAFFLE: If you would like to donate anything to the raffle, you are welcome to do so.

3. PROGRAM: Tonight's program is open. It might be a good time to ask those last questions you might have on contests and judging.

After the June show, Mike Roof will present a series on painting figures. Thanks to Rick Broome for the suggestion.

4. MODEL INFORMATION SHEET: Don't forget to fill out John's model list. We decided to do this instead of the separate forms.

5. UPCOMING EVENTS:

IPMS/USA National Convention: The 2019 IPMS/USA National Convention will be held in Chattanooga, at the Chattanooga Convention Center. Dates are 7-10 August 2019. Details on their website: <http://www.ipmsnationals.com/>

IPMS/USA Region 12 Convention: The IPMS Region 12 Regional Show will be held in Simpsonville, hosted by IPMS/Piedmont Scale Modelers. It will be at the Simpsonville Parks and Rec Center. Date is 14 September. Additional information can be found at <https://psmregion122019.wixsite.com/mysite>

6. CLUB SHIRTS: We should be receiving our shirts shortly—I'm actually hoping they are ready by meeting time. All members in good standing will receive one T-shirt at no charge. If you ordered additional t-shirts or polo shirts, please be prepared to pay for your shirts when you pick them up.

7. AREA CLUBS: Don't forget the other modeling organizations area:

- a. SCMA, First Monday of the month, 7PM, Genova Karate, 169-B Hwy 378 West, Lexington.
- b. AMPS Central South Carolina, 6:00 PM, Second Thursday of the month, Richland Library, 763 Fashion Drive, Columbia.



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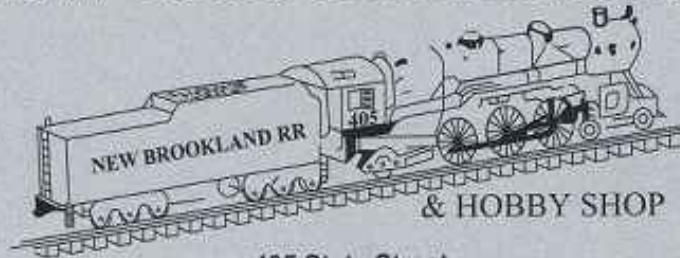


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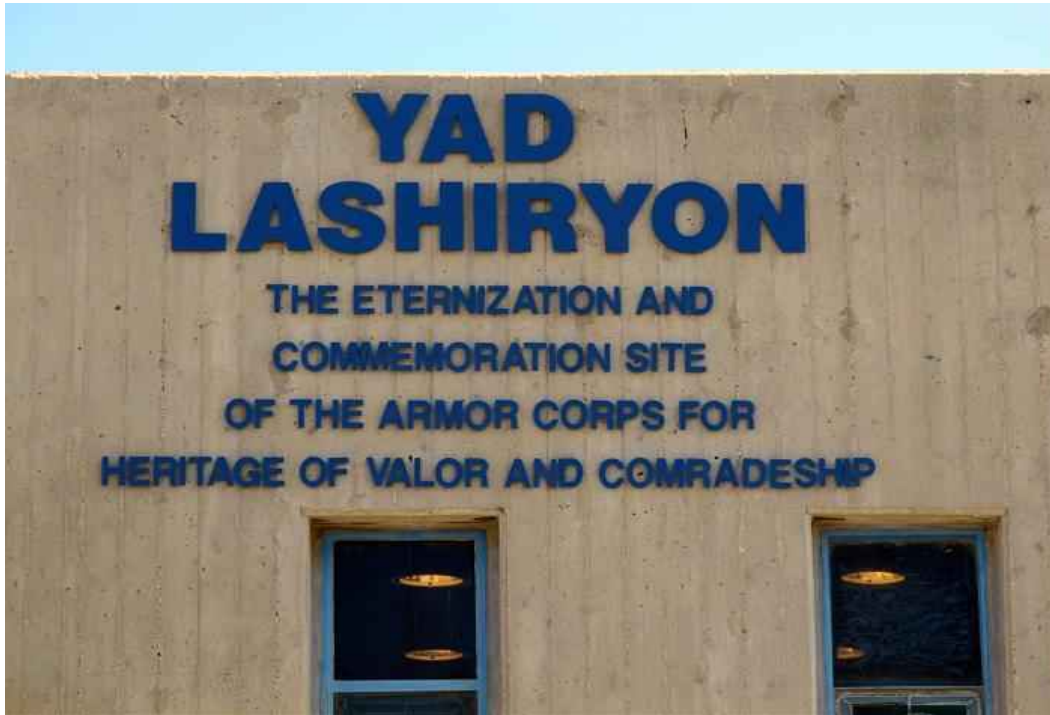
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Andy Townsend Our Intrepid Explorer

Andy has been on another adventure, this time to Yad Lashiryon (The Armored Corps Memorial) Latrun, Israel.



The main memorial building, a Mandate era British Teggart fortress



Merkava Mk.II



IS-3



Renault R35 captured from Syrian forces during the war for independence



Sherman M-51 with a French 105mm gun from the AMX-30. Note the muzzle brake



Centurion Shot-Cal A. This tank fought in the Golan Heights "Valley of Tears" in 1973 part of a massively outnumbered Israeli force that repelled a Syrian invasion



M60A1E2 Magach 6B Gal



M60A1 Magach 6A



M60 Magach 7C



Alvis Saladin captured from Jordan in 1967

T-62



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M60A1 Magach 6A



M4A4 Sherman with an AMX 13 Turret captured from Egypt



M48A3 Magach 3



ISU-152



Merkava Mk.II from the rear. Note the distinctive "Ball and Chain" protecting the shot trap in the rear of the turret from RPGs.



ZSU-23-4



Namer APC developed from obsolete Merkava tank hulls



T-54 Tiran 4. So many Soviet tanks were captured from the Egyptians and Syrians in the Six Day War that they were reworked by the Israelis and put into IDF service



Panzer IV captured from Syria in 1967



Centurion



PT-76 amphibious light tank



AMX-13



M3 Lee



M4A3 Sherman Dozer



ZSU-57-2



Merkava Mk.IV



Panhard AML 90 captured from Jordan in the Six Day War



T-34 85 with a burst barrel



Churchill Mk.VII



BMP-1



Sherman M4A3



T-100. This was a t-34 with a 100mm gun



M47 Patton Tank captured from Jordan in 1967



StuG III captured from Syria



M48A3 Magach 3



Su-100



Sherman Crab Mk.2



BRDM-2



Sherman M-50, a Sherman tank upgraded with a French 75mm gun from their AMX-13



Pics from last months meeting



Rick Broome – Lindberg – 1/25 scale Custom clay to creation.



John Melton – Eduard – 1/48 scale FW-190D.



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Eric Schrowang – Airfix – 1/72 scale Fuel truck, Work in progress.



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Norman Foote – Revell – 1/35 scale LCM-3 Landing craft with Jeep and trailer, work in progress.

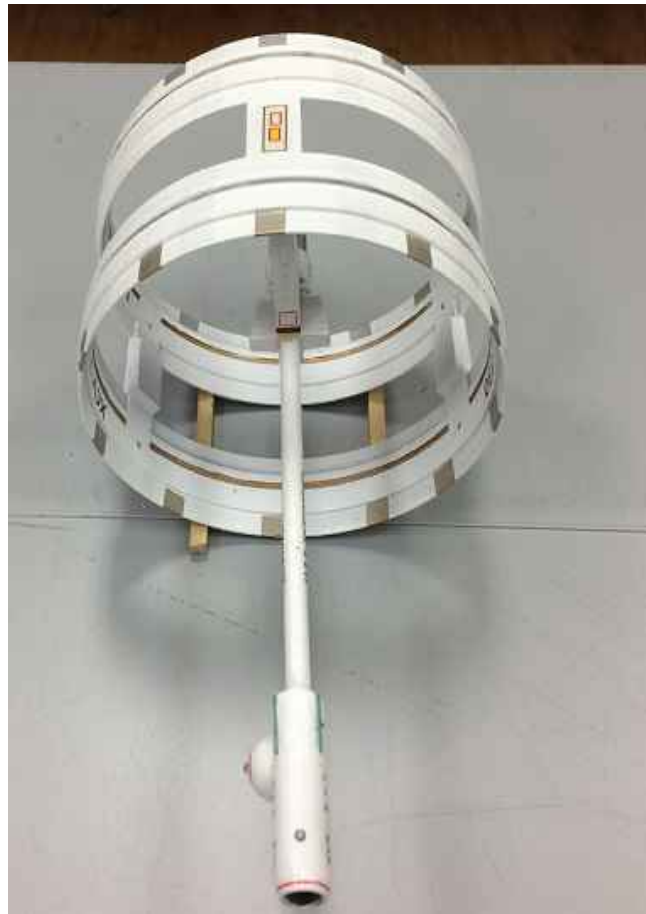


Hub Plott – Eduard – 1/144 scale Ju-52.



Hub Plott – Historic Plastic – 1/48 scale FW-56 Bulgarian markings.





Hub Plott – 3D Printed – 1/1400 scale USS Enterprise XCV-338,
Declaration class



Donnie Greenway – AMT – 1/25 scale 1950 Chevy Pick up.



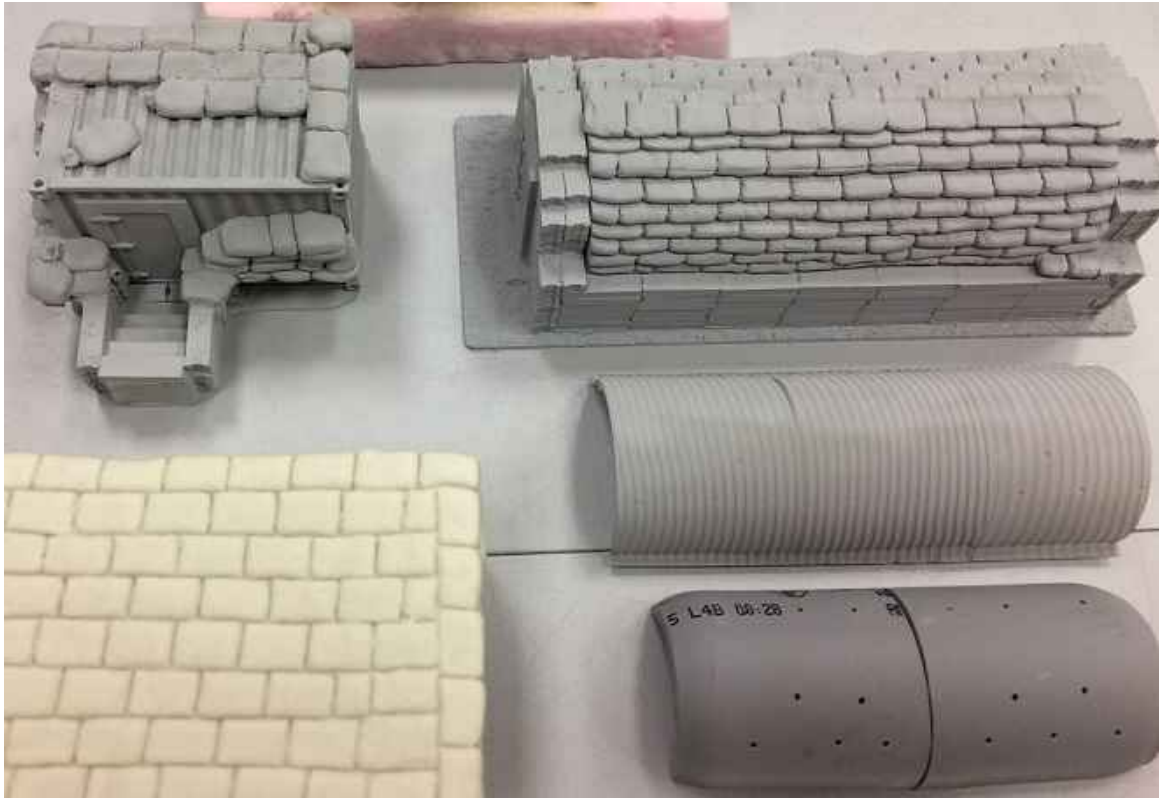
Tom Wingate – Revell – 1/32 scale Mig-21PF Polish markings.



Matthew Goodman – Academy – 1/72 scale F-8E Crusader.

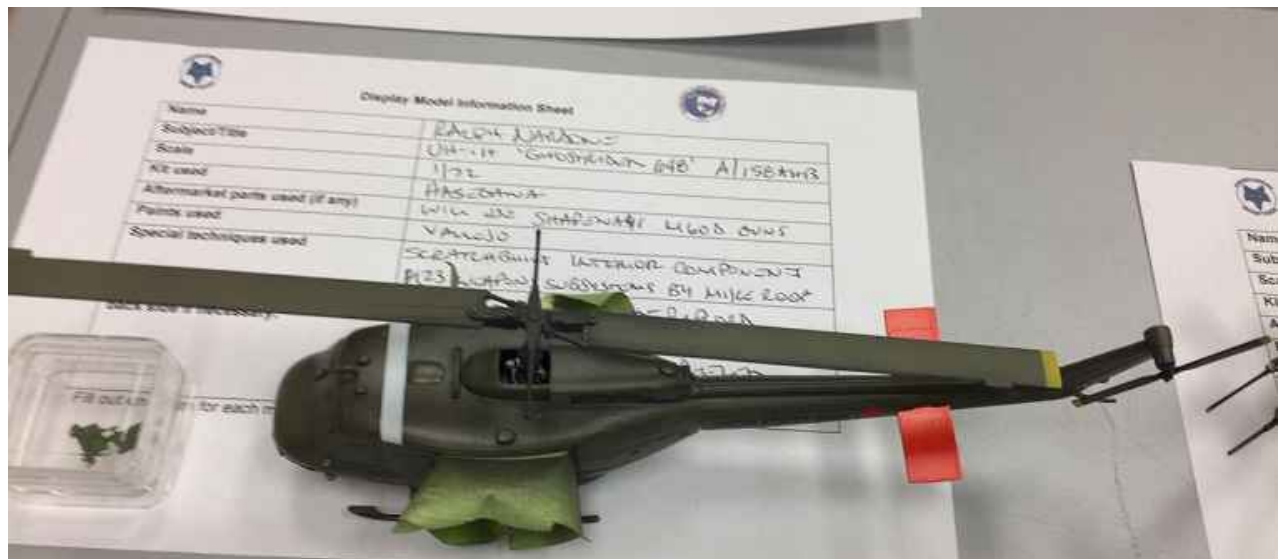


Matthew Goodman – Academy – 1/72 scale F-4J Phantom

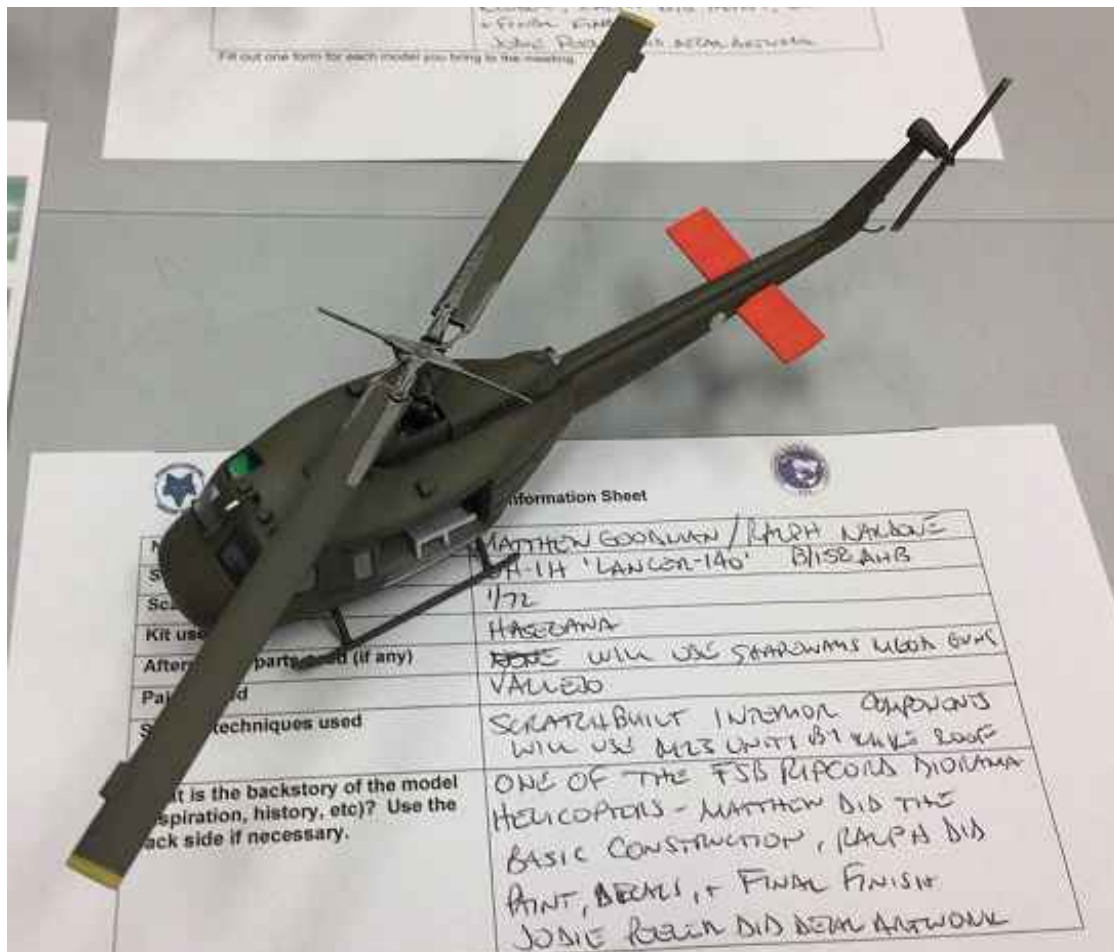




Mike roof – Scratch-Built – 1/72 scale Vietnam Fire Support Base masters.



Ralph Nardone – Hasegawa – 1/72 scale UH-1H “Ghostrider 648”



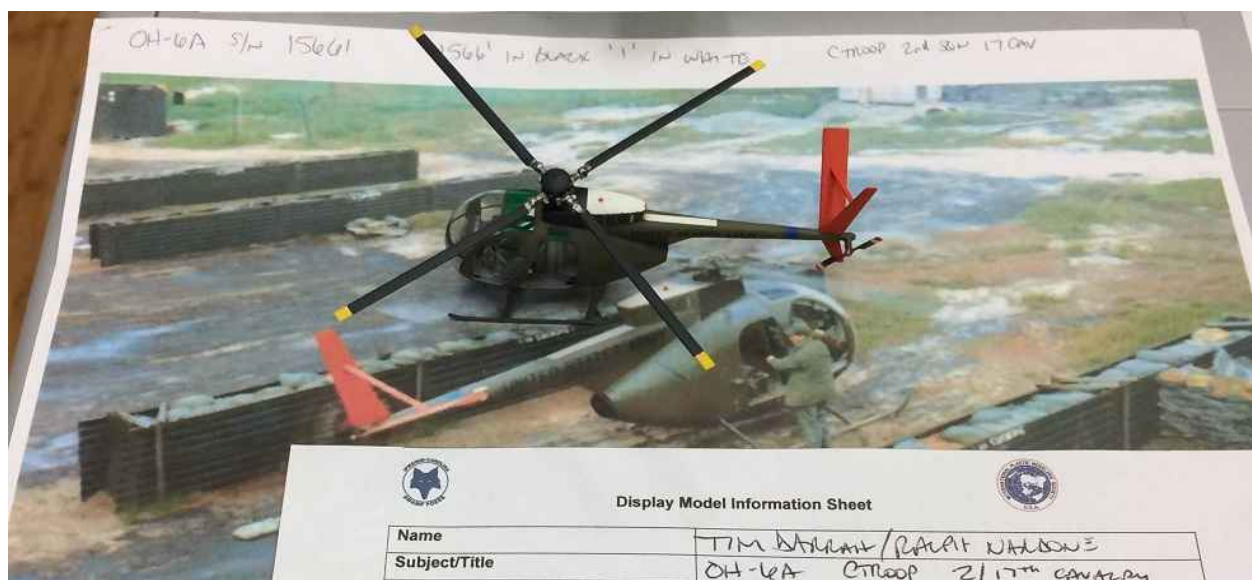
Matthew Goodman/Ralph Nardone – Hasegawa – 1/72 scale UH-1H “Lancer 140”



Keith Frappe/Ralph Nardone – Hasegawa – 1/72 scale UH-1H “Eagle Dustoff 305”



Trevor Edwards/Ralph Nardone – Hasegawa – 1/72 scale UH-1H “Lancer 658”



Tim Darrah/Ralph Nardone – Italeri – 1/72 scale OH-6A C Troop 2/17th Cav



Ralph Nardone – Italeri – 1/72 scale CH-47C “Pachyderm 810”

Greetings To All Chapter Contacts and Friends from Chattanooga!

Things are happening! We've already got a record setting number of vendor tables spoken for and new vendors are continuing to sign up. Registrations are coming in steadily. The anticipation is building. The early numbers are exciting!

A few more notes to please pass to your membership:

1. Reminder - 1 free raffle ticket for each display only model (limit of 10).
2. Registration is continuing.
3. Model Registration Forms are on line.
4. Another new block of hotel rooms is available!
5. Trophy Sponsorships
6. Eduard
7. Last BUT NOT LEAST – Volunteers

1. We posted this last month and the response has been positive, So here's more shameless begging for display only models!

We're serious about packing the Model Room with Models!

Be sure to remember - 1 free raffle ticket for each display only model.

For more information and details check the convention web page.

2. Registration is continuing.

The Journal ad has kicked in. Registration is picking up and so are the Tee-shirt sales! The best way to make sure you get a Tee-shirt in your size is to preorder now!

Also here's a reminder that convention registration price increase takes effect on June 15th.

<http://www.ipmsusanationals.com/Registration.aspx>

3. Model Registration Forms

The forms are available for download from the convention webpage! We know some of you want to get a head start on the paperwork. Now you can! <http://www.ipmsusanationals.com/Model-Registration.aspx>

4. Another Block of Hotel Rooms

We are now working on filling our 5th hotel! We have another hotel on line. This time it's the Chattanooga, which is two blocks away, directly behind the Convention Center. A link to on-line reservations is on the website: <http://ipmsusanationals.com/Chattanooga/Accommodations.aspx>

Or you can call the hotel at (800)-619-0018 between 7am and 11pm Eastern Time. Be sure to mention the IPMS National Convention when making your reservation.

5. Trophy sponsorships

We are very appreciative of those who have sponsored trophy packages to date. You can visit the link at the convention webpage to see who has sponsored what and also what categories remain to be sponsored. Plenty of categories remain to be sponsored. If your group has not yet sponsored a package please consider doing so! <http://www.ipmsusanationals.com/Contest/Trophy-Sponsorship.aspx>

A trophy sponsorship form is attached for your consideration.

6. Eduard

We're sworn to secrecy..... But read the fine print at: <https://imodeler.com/2019/04/eduard-1-48-north-american-p-51d-mustang-kit-preview-moson/>

7. Volunteers Needed

Tennessee is the Volunteer State. Putting on an IPMS Nationals is a big job and we're going to need help. Many people wait till they arrive at the convention to volunteer and that is fine. If you help for at least two 2-hour shifts you'll qualify for our free awesome T-Shirt. Letting us know ahead of time insures getting a shirt in your size! Please visit this link to volunteer early.

<http://www.ipmsusanationals.com/Help/Volunteer.aspx>

Thanks,

Lynn Petty

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Well thats all folks

See you at the next meeting Wednesday 15th May

John