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# *Scale Scribblings*

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## August News

It was a dark and stormy night..... and a sparsely attended meeting. The late summer doldrums caught up with us. Those who did show up got a lot of news and nice demo.

First, a reminder about our upcoming club contests, and the fast approaching Fall contest season. You will find our club contest schedule below (page 3).

The proposed Invitational Contest took up the bulk of the discussion period. The tentative date is May 17, 2008, but this is not yet cast in stone. Finding a location is our most pressing challenge. Several ideas were offered, but we do not yet have the ideal combination. Our criteria are: enough space for models and vendors; good lighting; a cost to the club of \$500.00 or less; a convenient location; and the availability of tables on site.

Contest committee chairman Larry Davis reported that the proposed contest currently stands at 81 categories, but should probably be cut or consolidated down to 50 or so categories. Suggestions are welcome, and Larry will be glad to discuss this with anyone. The judging style is also still undetermined. To address these issues and get some direction so that advertising can begin ASAP we have scheduled another special meeting for Monday, September 17, at Cutler Realty. It is very important that you attend if at all possible. This meeting was originally scheduled for September 10, but was moved to the 17th due to room availability issues.

Do not forget that our annual club picnic is Sunday, September 16, 2007. Complete details will be found on page 3.

After the business meeting we were treated to a demo by Steve Dottavio on figure painting. See the photos at the left - Steve is our resident master at this fine art.

In news from the Nationals, Hasegawa has announced a series of 1/72 B-24's, beginning with a B-24D. Eduard showed a test shot of their forthcoming 1/48 Hellcat, and by all accounts it is a gem. Coming next year from Eduard is a Mig-21 series, and then the jaw dropper - an F-4 Phantom series beginning with the F-4B. I'm already saving up!

Next month's newsletter will (hopefully) be back to full length.

## 2007 Club Picnic

September 16, 2007

Ed Kinney Residence

## Special Contest Meeting

Monday, September 17

6:30 PM

Cutler Real Estate



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## August Models



Andy Miday

*Monogram 1/72 B-36  
Rescribed airframe, late  
version mod's, scratch built  
bomb bay  
Alclad and Model Master finish  
Super Scale decals*

*Yes, that's a 1/48  
scale P-47 behind the  
B-36 - it was a BIG  
airplane*



Mike Meredith

*Tamiya 1/48 P-47D  
Model Master paints  
Kit decals*



Larry MacMillan

*Monogram 1/48 F-86F  
Honduran Air Force*



Steve Fern

*AMT 1/25 1972 Corvette*



Gary Wolfe

*Revell 1/720 CV-11*

**IPMS FAME CITIES  
ANNUAL FAMILY PICNIC**

**SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 16, 2006  
1:00 PM**

**2011 Glenmont Drive NW  
Canton, Ohio 44708**

**Bring your spouse, significant other, children, grandchildren – this is a family event.**

**We ask that you bring a covered dish – salad, vegetable, dessert or whatever your favorite food to share might be.**

**The club will provide pulled pork sandwiches, chicken, chips, pop and plates.**

**AND DON'T FORGET – THERE WILL BE A RAFFLE – LOTS OF GOODIES !!!**

**AND THIS YEAR THERE WILL BE A CONTEST...  
TWO SOMEHOW RELATED SUBJECTS OF THE SAME SCALE  
SPONSORED BY ED KINNEY**

**THIS IS A RAIN OR SHINE DAY – WE HAVE LOTS OF ROOM !!!**

**DIRECTIONS:** Those of you from the north take I-77 south to Everhard Road/Belden Village Exit. Turn right on Everhard, go to the 1<sup>st</sup> traffic light, turn left on Dressler Rd. Follow Dressler south through 4 traffic lights. The 4<sup>th</sup> one will be at the corner of Hills and Dales Road and Dressler (Bally's is on the corner). Go through the light (the street is now called Woodlawn). You will pass the new Aultman Care Building, Woodlawn Village and the first street to the right is Lawndale (white fence at the corner). Turn right, go to stop sign, turn right, the street jogs to the left. Follow Lawndale to the stop sign. Turn left – 2011 Glenmont is the 7<sup>th</sup> house on the right.

**Those of you from Canton or south should take Hills and Dales Road from Whipple or Route 241 to the light at Bally's. Go south on Woodlawn and pick up the instructions above from this point.**

**LOST – call 330-477-6622**

**Upcoming Club Contests**

September (Picnic Contest) - Two of a Kind

October - US Marine Corps

November - Scratch Build (2 Items Minimum per Model)

December - National Guard and Reserves



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