

ANTENNA!

A Publication of the Regina Scale Modellers



Another group build - this time a set of 1/72 scale Hawkeye AEW aircraft. In counter clockwise order we have Gene Stacyczyn's aircraft (on the base), Dave Porter's, James Lory's and Len Schmidt's efforts.

(Al Magnus photo)

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Meetings

Time: 7:30 PM

Date: First Friday of each month.

(Meeting held on second Friday of the month if first Friday falls on a holiday long weekend. No meeting in July.)

Place: South Leisure Center, 170 Sunset Drive
(Albert Park), Regina, SK

Memberships

Regular	\$24.00/year
Junior (under 16)	\$8.00/year
**Subscription	\$14.00/year

The RSM modelling year runs from September 1 to August 31. All membership renewals are due on or before the start of the modelling year. Any new members joining after the year has started will have the first year's fees pro-rated.

** The Subscription rate is available to those living outside the City of Regina, and wishing to be a club member, but unable to attend regular meetings

Websites

RSM Website:

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“FULL METAL JACKET” Modern Armour and Armour Model Photographs

www.kithobbyist.com/AFVinteriors/fullmetaljacket/fullmet.html

“Uniforms of the German Army” Series Website

www.angelfire.com/sk2/germanuniforms/index.html

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Material for the Antenna

Kit Reviews, Articles, Modelling Hints and Tips, and other newsworthy modelling items for publication in the Antenna. Contact Al via email at magnusfamily@cableregina.com or via phone at 789-9017 evenings and weekends.

Publication of the Antenna is usually the week of scheduled general meetings. If you have time sensitive information to pass on, please try to get it to the editor at least one week before the next general meeting. Copies are emailed once the Antenna is complete. Postal mailing will be done following the general meeting.

Raffle Prizes

Kits, decals, books, etc. donated by you for the club raffle. Raffles happen at every regular meeting (dependant upon donations). Raffle tickets are \$1.00 each. Bring your donations with you. Thank you.



Glue Crazy

Well it's definitely spring now. No snow and a few showers with a promise for a good summer.

I hope a lot of you are busy building in preparation for Expo 2006. Things are moving right along and it looks to be a huge success. We have been able to bring another corporation in as an award and event sponsor so it adds another dimension to our competition. Thunder City Power and Leisure have come on board and are sponsoring two categories under Motorcycles, as well as sharing the Expo sponsorship with Capital Pontiac. Capital has stepped forward and is sponsoring both the Majestics and Expo competitions, so if you are looking for a new car, truck or motorcycle please consider giving them your business.

The auto show is over and I am hoping a lot of you got out to see the array of exotic and domestic automobiles and took lots of pictures. The car restoration was pretty unreal in that they rebuilt that beat up rust bucket Nova into a beautiful auto in 36 hours. I hope some of you were lucky enough to get Boyd Coddington's autograph as well as his wife Jo. Who will be here next year?

For all those who are participating in the Majestics Show, be it competition, show or volunteer labour, Good luck to all and a very big thank you.

Don't forget the May General Meeting is our club contest so make sure you bring out your entries. The club contest is limited to club members only. Good luck and bring lots. The Thomas Flyabout is almost completed and should be ready for the Majestics and club contests. So come on get off your duffs and finish those projects and bring them out.

On another note, the June General Meeting is elections night. It is very important for all members to attend and choose a new executive for the next term. This includes President, Vice President and Secretary-Treasurer. Please contact

the people you wish to nominate and talk to them in advance of the elections. I am stepping down this year and would like to be joe-member for awhile. I will stick around as ex-officio President to help out where I can. I have enjoyed my tenure on the executive and feel we made a lot of progress and have hopefully put the "FUN" back into plastic scale modelling.

Well that's about all for this month, good luck at the competitions and see you at the May meeting.

Curfew James.

RSM Club Calendar

2006

May 5

Club Contest
Modeller of the Year Award

June 2

Club Elections
Da Boot (Anything Italian)
Das Boot (Submarines or ASW craft)

August 11

Dioramas and Display Bases
Open Wheel Competition Auto

September 8

Rotary Wing & Weed Whackers (Ground Attack A/C)
Artillery & AA incl. Missiles & Rockets
Sports cars

October 13

Collections Nite (3 or more of any manufacturer i.e.: 3 Chevy's or 3 Corvettes, etc)

November 3-5

Expo 2006 (Note: no GM for November)

November 10

Wascana Rehab Remembrance Display

November 11

RUSI Remembrance Display

December 1

Open Cockpits
(Convertibles, Biplanes, Motorcycles, etc)

April Issue Errata

There is an error regarding the email for Garry Barling the new IPMS Canada Chapter Liaison as mentioned in the Glue Crazy. His correct email should read: gbarling@vianet.ca.

On page 5 one of the Majestics awards should read Best Rod, not Best Broad.

Finally, I missed John Seitz's items he brought to the April general meeting, so please note that John brought out a set of Revell N scale buildings.

GOMB's ModelFest 2006

This event will run from Saturday, June 10 from 10am to 5pm at the Royal Canadian Legion - Forest Lawn Branch, 755 - 40 St. SE, Calgary, Alberta.

Fees are: \$10 Adult Entry (Unlimited model entries), \$5 Junior (modelers age 17 and under). Public viewing is \$2 for persons aged 15 and older. The event is sponsored by Uncle Bill's Hobby Shop. For show or sponsorship information contact Rick Chin at (403) 277-2762 or at unclebills@shaw.ca.

April 7, 2006 General Meeting

In attendance were Sheldon Barsi, Larry Draper, Patrick Elkington, Michael Evans, Neil Hill, Curfew James, Colin Kunkel, Al Lindemann, James Lory, Chris Martin, Al Magnus, Ted McPherson, Neil Ostafie, Len Schmidt, Carter Smith, Gene Stacyszyn, Kyle Stevens, Mike Stobbs, Frank Turgeon, Richard Upcott and Darren Wielgoz, William Yee.

Themes for the night were M&M's (e.g. Mustangs & Messerschmitts), Wheeled Military Vehicles & ½ Tracks and Commercial Transport/Public Service Vehicles.

On the tables:

<u>Michael Evans:</u>	1/48 scale Italeri F-86E, 1/48 scale Fujimi Bf-110D, 1/48 scale Hasegawa Airfix Bf-109E, 1/48 scale Airfix Bf-109F, 1/35 scale Dragon SdKfz 251/1 half-track, 1/35 scale Academy M966 Hummer with TOW missile launcher, 1/35 scale Italeri Hummer Avenger AA vehicle.
<u>Neil Hill:</u>	German WWII light Recce Car, Tamiya 1/35 scale Saladin Armoured Car, 1/35 scale Heller 1/4 ton "Jeep".
<u>Curfew James:</u>	1/16 scale Bandai Thomas Flyabout (primer table), AMT 1/24 scale '60 Mercury, '65 Mustang and '62 Chevy.
<u>Colin Kunkel:</u>	Hobbycraft 1/48 scale CT-133 Silver Star, Italeri 1/48 scale CH-118 Iroquois.
<u>Al Lindemann:</u>	MPC 1/16 scale '63 'Vette.
<u>James Lory:</u>	Heller 1/72 scale Hawkeye AEW.
<u>Al Magnus:</u>	1/72 scale On Target MIM-104 Patriot, 1/72 scale AMT ASM-135 ASAT, 1/72 scale Hasegawa AGM-78 converted to a RIM-67 SM ER.
<u>Ted McPherson:</u>	Italeri 1/72 scale Caproni Ca 311 bomber and Kubelwagen.
<u>Dave Porter (in absentia):</u>	Italeri/Fujimi 1/72 scale Hawkeye AEW.
<u>Len Schmidt:</u>	Italeri/Fujimi 1/72 scale Hawkeye AEW.
<u>Gene Stacyszyn:</u>	Italeri/Fujimi 1/72 scale Hawkeye AEW.
<u>Kyle Stevens:</u>	Games Workshop 25mm Tau Crisis battle suits.



Michael Evans' Hummer with TOW missile system
(Al Magnus photo)



Ted McPherson's Caproni Ca 311
(Al Magnus photo)



Colin Kunkel's CT-133 Silver Star
(Al Magnus photo)



Al Lindemann's '63 'Vette
(Al Magnus photo)

May 5 General Meeting Agenda

1. Expo status.
2. Expo volunteers needed (signup sheet to be passed around).
3. Majestic Model Car Contest - post contest report.

Club Contest

Don't forget that the club contest is scheduled for the May general meeting. There is no fee to enter for club members, so bring out as much as you want. For those of you who have signed up for the Expo 2006 judging, it would be appreciated if you'd attend the club contest to get some judging experience under your belt.

New Executive for 2006-2007

The June elections for the club executive is rapidly approaching. Curfew has indicated that he will not remain as president, and Kevin will be stepping down as Vice-President.

We do have a couple of members willing to let their names stand for the other executive positions. Colin has indicated that he would like to try his hand as the Antenna publisher, while yours truly is willing to move from Antenna editor and give secretary treasurer a try.

Missing Plaque

The current plaque for Modeller of the Year was given to me last year. It has but three names on it and is the replacement for the old plaque which was full. If anyone has the old plaque would you please bring it to the May general meeting.

Monthly Themes

With the return of Expo to the first weekend of November there will no longer be a November general meeting due to the conflict. The cancellation means that we have fewer themes in our current two year rotation.

The executive would like to add a third year to the theme rotation. We will need enough themes to fill a third year's worth, or for another eleven months. The current November themes, Anything with 2 or more engines, Russian & French Armour, Foreign or Exotic Autos, Bratwurst & Beer (Anything German) will be moved to the new theme rotation.

So the call is out again for members to propose some new themes. And we need a volunteer to co-ordinate the new theme search. In the interim, pass on your theme suggestions to any of the executive, and if you're interested in the task of co-ordinating the new themes please don't hesitate to step forward. It would be appreciated.