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And now a message from our Pres...

Well here we are with another month down in the year and just a month away from being a quarter way through the year. Of course by the time you are reading this we are getting ready to hear to Richmond for the first show of the year for most of us. Richmond has always been a great show and a great way to start the year off. Hopefully a lot of our members will be going down to support their show. If you can please sign up to help judge down there. I received an email from them requesting help for judging. I know Penny had a request in the last newsletter for help in the classes she will be heading up. Speaking of shows I have to announce that we will not be doing our

Shoot Out Show this year. We voted last month to go ahead with the date of September 24, but a couple days after our meeting we found out that their will now be a conflict with another show the following weekend. The show being held in Tidewater the following weekend will be a Regional and we feel that our show could take a hit vendor and attendance wise with a Regional being held just a few days later. Also after reading the contract from the Civic Center we have had some news things added on us that we need to look before doing out next show. We will be looking into possibly finding a new place to hold our show if we can find the right location. If anyone

knows of a possible place please let one of the officers know or bring it up at a meeting. One last thing I would like to mention is from now on the back door of the Museum will have to be locked at all times. We will have someone at the door until the meeting starts to let members in but you will have to ring the buzzer after that if you arrive later. I will also see about putting a note on the door on meeting nights with a cell phone number on it to call as well so we can let you in.
Happy Modeling!!

Rocky

Special points of interest:

- Feb. business meeting 2/25/2016 Arthur Harris will provide the refreshments for the meeting.
- March build meeting is on 3/10/2016
- March business meeting 3/24/2016

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I thought that some of you guys would like this picture. I have always liked the "Tribble" episode.

I found this online a few years ago and just thought that I would share.

Restoration Pictures of Glacier Girl (P-38F)



Editor's Corner

Greetings fellow modelers. I do apologize for this months newsletter being a little short on content, but I am kind of limited on my internet access. Never the less....

I am really bummed out that the Shoot out will not be this year, but on the bright side, it does leave me with more times to try and get some new things built for other shows. I'm sure that some of you will be in Richmond on Saturday and it will be good to see you again. If you anticipate on being bored, please help out by judging. The judges meeting will be at 11:20am at the front of the contest hall. I have quite a few categories to judge and could use all the help I can get!! Please be safe coming up for the show as well as the trip back to Roanoke.

Penny

Upcoming Shows and Events

March 13, 2016 Allison Park, Pennsylvania Three Rivers Annual Tricon
Beattie Career Center Scott Scariot 412-492-8378

March 19, 2016 North Charleston, South Carolina Region 12 Convention
Stall High School Dave Corvino 843-330-2764

March 19, 2016 Marietta, Georgia Atlanta Con 2016 Lockheed Martin
Local 709 Lodge Bill Johnston 678-308-7308

April 2, 2016 Wayne, New Jersey MosquitoCon 25 Wayne PAL Bill
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RVIPMS meetings are held at the Virginia Museum of Transportation.

How to get there;

From Salem Ave. turn onto 1 1/2 St. Drive the very short distance to Norfolk Ave. SW and turn left. Follow under the 2nd st. over-pass to the back of the museum. The fenced parking lot is behind the building as indicated in the picture. Enter through the rear door, (the main entrance will be locked) walk down the hallway and turn right. Meeting room is in right corner.

When to get there;

The club has two meetings per month, with a couple exceptions. Build meetings are the second Thursday each month. Business meetings are the fourth Thursday each month. All meetings start at 7 p.m. For further details visit our website. www.rvipms.com



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