

Official Newsletter of the Roanoke Valley IPMS - "Helping Keep History Alive ... One Model At A Time"

### Message From The Prez....

A couple of things to think about and discuss at this months meeting. First, a category honoring Terry Eastman at this years regional or something similar. Second, it was brought to my attention that a membership committee would be good for the club. Perhaps 2–3 volunteers who have a passion in seeing the club grow.

So... noodle these around for our next businesses meeting.

Devin

## Just A Reminder

- June build meeting will be on 6/14/18 at 7pm.
- June business meeting will be on 7/28/18 at 7 pm.
   Refreshments will be provided by Mitch Cundiff.
- July build meeting will be on 7/12/18 at 7pm.
- Reminder that club dues need to be paid to Greg.

## M.O.G.I. (Matters of Great Importance)

Kits are needed for the Shoot-Out raffle, so if you can "let go" of a kit or two to donate, it would be much appreciated.

#### Please get your club dues paid to Greg as soon as you can.

Bring cash next meeting. Terry Eastman paint stash will be up for sale. Some 100+ bottles of model paint will be sold off first come first serve. \$1.00 a bottle. Can't beat that !!

### In Club Monthly Contest Results

First Place: Rocky Sink's 1937 Ford Military Ambulance

Second Place: Bob Stull's P-39 Aircobra

Third Place: Bob Stull's F-48

#### Club Officers

President: Devin Bledsoe devo5768@gmail.com

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Treasurer: Greg Clower gclower@aol.com



In Fairfax, VA, Tim Ward presents the Mike Lyons Award to Bob Rohrback for his hard work and dedication to the

# Congrats, Bob!!!

Thanks for all you've done...

#### Another MDA In The Books (Submitted by: Rocky Sink)

Once again, the Roanoke Valley IPMS members helped out with the MDA Model Show and Contest held in conjunction with the MDA Car Show. Each year several members help with the unloading and loading of the vendors, judging and setting up of the show. With the vendors arriving early on Saturday morning it is always a early start to get their goodies for sale unloaded so another vendor can get in and unloaded. With several members working to get each vendor's stuff unloaded on carts and to their tables things usually go fairly quickly and smoothly. While the vendor set up is going on other members are at it putting up club displays, putting table cloths on the tables along with table cards and setting up the registration area. After all the vendors are in, tables are set and the registration area is up it is a wait for the doors to open for the show and the nonstop wave of contestants to come in. Usually it is a steady stream of contestants throughout the morning until registration closes and judging begins after lunch. By late afternoon and all the class judging has finished and the best of judging has concluded the awards are handed out which is always fun as the contestants wait with anticipation to see if they had placed or not. Congratulations to everyone who competed and placed. Also, thanks to all the members who helped with the various jobs of the day to get the show up and running and especially Dennis Smith for all his time in working with the MDA committee and planning the contest.









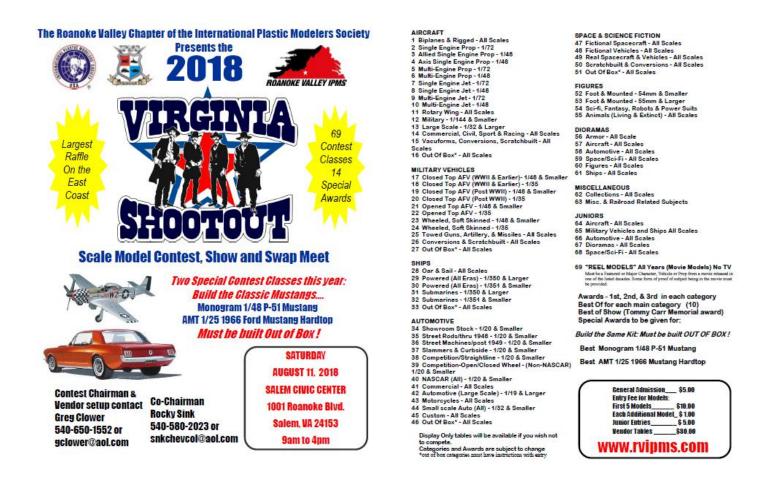












## <u>The 2018 VA Shoot –Out.... Announces two new categories.</u>

Category #71 and #72.... These are called the "Retro" categories.

The retro category is to test the modelers meddle so to speak. Only the kits designated by IPMS RV can be entered in this category.

Out of Box rules apply and will be strictly enforced.

 $1^{st}$ ,  $2^{nd}$ , and  $3^{rd}$  place will be awarded.

These categories are "stand alone" and will not be considered for any other awards. However it is points heavy towards the Shoot-Out club award. Therefore club participation will be an advantage. The two designated kits for 2018 are:

P-51 Mustang 1/48 scale Revell-Monogram

1966 Mustang 1/25 scale AMT

These 2 kits are readily available at nominal cost.

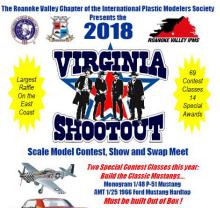
OOB rules: After market decals, scratch built seat belts, bare metal foil are allowed. NO photo etch, flocking etc. Instruction sheet must accompany the model. This category is to test the modelers skill set. Have fun.

# Upcoming Shows & Events

June 22	IPMS/Mid Carolina – Columbia, SC	Contact: Pete Maher opus575@twc.com
July 14	DownEastCon – Havelock, NC	John Ratzenberger ecpmod@yahoo.com
Aug. 1	IPMS National Convention - Phoenix, AZ	Steve Collins conventionchair@ipmsusanati onals2018.com
Aug. 11	2018 VA Shoot-Out - Salem, VA	Greg Clower glower@aol.com
Sept. 14	IPMS Region 12 Convention – Inman ,SC	Tim Kirkland kirklandmr6@aol.com
Sept. 15	PennCon 2018 - Carlise, PA	Chester Mohn magus47@aol.com
Sept. 22	2 <sup>nd</sup> Annual Plastic Model Club Show - Owenboro, KY	Jeff Lawless hotrodpapaw@twc.com







Vendor setup contact Greg Clower Rocky Sink 540-650-1552 or 540-580-2023

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Spartanburg Scale Modelers "Back To The Bijou" September 14th-15th 2018

Remember to check the websites and/or chapter contact for up to the date info and details on the contests.