

# THE PATRIOT

IPMS Patriot Chapter Newsletter Pip Moss, Editor

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**Meeting Info** 

The next Patriot Chapter meeting will take place on Friday, November 6, at 7:30 p.m. at the First Parish Unitarian Church in Billerica, MA. The church is located on Concord Road, just as it meets Route 3A (Boston Road) at the Billerica Town Common. The November meeting will be a build session with a business meeting, Show-and-Tell, and a raffle.



Here's something you don't see every day. It's Ken Myers' 1:72 scale TF-86F, depicting the second of only two such planes ever built, as it appeared in 1955 in transitional markings from a demo bird to a USAF training group. Ken used three kits for the project: Airmodel Vacuform for the front fuselage and canopy, Heller for the windshield, aft fuselage and landing gear, and Hobbycraft for the wings, which feature extended tips and LE slats found only on the second plane. Cockpits are Pavla and Heller with scratchbuilt details. Ken added the ventral fin, extended rudder leading edge, position lights, beacon, canopy bracing, turtle deck, and many other small items. Paints are Alclad Aluminum, Duraluminum, Dark Aluminum, Stainless Steel and Chrome, with Model Master enamels for other colors. See Page 2 for another view of this unique model.

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#### **Minutes from the October Meeting**

CHAPTER President Dave Schmidt called the meeting to order at 7:55 p.m. About ten members were present.

Dave began the meeting with a preliminary report on Patcon. The number of models was down from last year, but the financial return was comparable to last year. This was despite about \$500 in additional expenses driven by the late change of venue. The officers and members gave high marks for the Leominster Elks facility; Dave reported that the Elks would be pleased to have us return next year. On a lighter note, he reported that some of the Elks staff were somewhat confused by the show as they had not understood that "model show" referred to scale plastic kits.

Dave noted that Patriot Chapter received a number of trophy pack sales from clubs not in our region, including IPMS New Jersey. We will be reciprocating with these clubs when they hold their shows.

There was praise for all of the volunteers who made Patcon a success. Robert Butler was singled out in particular, not only for his own hard work, but for bringing in a number of volunteers to help with judging.

Nominations were briefly opened for 2016 E-Board officers. Dave Schmidt was nominated for President, Pip Moss for 1st VP, John Touloupis for Treasurer, and Alan Beeber for Secretary. All accepted their nominations. Pip also stated that he had communicated with Bill Michaels, who is willing to continue as 2nd VP. The nominations will be reopened at the November meeting.

Treasurer John Touloupis read the treasurer's report. There was a motion to accept the report as read; the motion was seconded and passed unanimously.

Dave Schmidt spoke briefly about the possibility of using some of the chapter funds to benefit members. Two suggestions were club logo apparel, and using some of the money to offset expenses to members for club events (for example, as was done by helping to pay the admission for members who took part in the club outing to the Museum of World War 2 earlier this year).

This concluded the business portion of the meeting. There was a brief break for the sale of raffle tickets, followed by Show-and-Tell. After Show-and-Tell there was a second break for further ticket sales, followed by the raffle. After the raffle, the meeting broke up for the night.

—Rick Lippincott, Secretary

#### **Show-and-Tell**

Ken Myers	1:72 TF-86F (Aero/Heller/Hobbycraft)
	1:72 F-86F-30 (Hobby Boss)
Bart Navarro	1:48 P-36A Hawk (Esci/Ertl)
Jim Qualey	1:72 A6M2 Zero (old mold Hasegawa)
	1:72 A6M2 Zero (new mold Hasegawa)

### **Raffle Report**

#### **October Winner:**

Dave Schmidt, Airfix 1:48 English Electric Lightning.

We sold \$31 in tickets and paid \$33 for the prizes, so we lost \$2. This dropped our net profit for the year to \$93.

-Bill Michaels, Vice President



Another view of Ken Myers' TF-86F

## **Show-and-Tell Gallery**



Three views of Bart Navarro's 1:48 scale Curtiss P-46A Hawk (Esci/Ertl), built OOB and painted with Tamiya acrylics. Markings are for the 1st Flight leader of the USAAC 94th Pursuit Squadron in 1938.





### **Show-and-Tell Gallery (continued)**





Two views of Jim Qualey's 1:72 scale A6M2 Zero (Hasegawa), built OOB from the 1970s vintage kit and painted with Model Master enamels. Jim used various decals to depict a plane based on Formosa in December 1941.





Two views of Jim Qualey's 1:72 scale A6M2 Zero (Hasegawa), this one from the new tool molding (1993). Jim built it OOB and painted it with Model Master enamels. He used Aeromaster decals to depict a plane seen in the early years of the Pacific war. Jim describes the new tooling as "a big improvement over the 70s vintage kit." One obvious visual difference in the newer kit is the shorter engine cowling.



Three views of Ken Myers' 1:72 scale North American F-86F-30 (Hobby Boss). Ken added scratchbuilt details to the kit cockpit including rear view mirror, gun sight, boxes and levers. He also added tail lights, fuel dump and landing lights to the exterior. Ken used a number of Alclad shades for the NMF including Aluminum, Dark Aluminum, Duraluminum, Stainless Steel and Chrome. The tires were painted with Life-Like Tire Black, other areas with Testors Model Master enamels. The model depicts the last plane flown by Maj. James Jabara of the 334th Fighter Squadron, 4th Fighter Wing, based at Kimpo AB near Seoul, Korea, 1953.

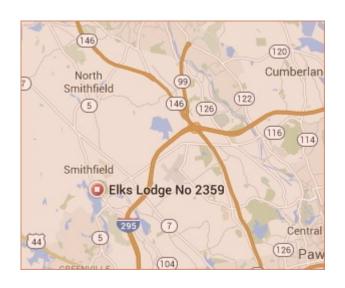




# BAYCON 2015 Model Show

Sunday, November 1st,2015 – 9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.

# NEW LOCATION!!!!!!!!!!!!!!



Elks Hall 326 Farnum Pike Smithfield, RI 02917

**ONLY 7 Miles** Away from our original location

# WE HAVE MOVED!!!!!!!!!!

SHOW INFORMATION: Robert Magina 508-695-7754 treadhead@comcast.net VENDOR INFORMATION: Paul Champigny 401-737-1053 pchampigny@cox.net

CHECK OUT OUR WEBSITE: <u>WWW.IPMSBAYCOLONY.COM</u>
FOR MORE INFO. REGISTRATION FORMS AND JUDGING INFORMATION.

#### CATEGORIES FOR BAYCON '2015'

1.01	AIRCRAFT: 1/65 and smaller, single engine prop.
1.02	AIRCRAFT: 1/65 and smaller, multi engine prop.
1.03	AIRCRAFT: 1/65 and smaller, jet and rocket powered,
1.04	AIRCRAFT: Rigged, all scales, (must have rigging).
1.05	AIRCRAFT: 1/64 to 1/40, single radial engine prop.
1.06	AIRCRAFT: 1/64 to 1/40, single inline engine prop.
1.07	AIRCRAFT: 1/64 to 1/40, Multi engine prop.
1.08	AIRCRAFT: 1/64 to 1/40, jet powered.
1.09	AIRCRAFT: 1/39 and larger, prop driven.
1.10	AIRCRAFT: Scratch built, vacuforms, and major conversions, all types and scales.
1.11	AIRCRAFT: Rotary Wing, Helicopters, etc., all scales.
1.12	AIRCRAFT: 1/39 and larger, jet powered.
2.01	MILITARY VEHICLES: 1/60 and smaller, Tanks. (Fully Tracked)
2.02	MILITARY VEHICLES: 1/60 and smaller, Softskins, Armored Cars and Artillery.
2.03	ARMOR: Pre 1946, 1/59 and larger.
2.04	ARMOR: Post 1945, 1/59 and larger.
2.05	MILITARY SOFTSKINS: 1/59 and larger.
2.06	ARMOR: Scratch built, vacuforms, and major conversions, all types and scales.
2.07	ARTILLERY: including self propelled, 1/59 and larger.
3.01	SHIPS: all types, smaller than 1/550.
3.02	SUBMARINES: all types and scales.
3.03	SHIPS: all types, 1/550 and larger.
4.01	AUTOMOTIVE; PICKUPS & LIGHT COMMERCIAL: all scales.
4.02	AUTOMOTIVE, DOMESTIC: Showroom stock to street legal, all scales.
4.03	AUTOMOTIVE, FOREIGN: Showroom stock to street legal, all scales.
4.04	AUTOMOTIVE: Rod and Custom, Pre 1949, all scales.
4.05	AUTOMOTIVE: Rod and Custom, Post 1948, all scales.
4.06	AUTOMOTIVE, COMPETITION: open wheeled, no fenders, all scales.
4.07	AUTOMOTIVE, COMPETITION: closed fenders, all scales.
4.08	MOTORCYCLES: all scales.
4.09	AUTOMOTIVE, LARGE TRUCKS & HEAVY EQUIPMENT: all scales.
5.01	DIORAMAS, VIGNETTES; open, base area 80 square inches or less, all scales.
5.02	DIORAMAS, SMALL; open, base area 80 square inches or less, all scales.
5.03	DIORAMAS, LARGE; boxed and open, base area over 80 sq. inches, all scales.
6.01	JUNIORS, up through 15 years of age, all types and scales.
6.02	JOURNEYMAN, SENIOR LEVEL, 16 years of age and up, all types and scales.
7.01	SINGLE FIGURES, 65 mm and smaller. (Includes 25mm and 54mm. )

**SCHEDULE OF EVENTS:** 

8:15 - Hall opens for vendors set up

9:00 - Entry registration and public admission open

12:00 - Entry registration closes and judging begins

3:00 - Judging ends

3:30 - Awards ceremony

4:00 - Show closes. All exhibits must be removed

Entry Fee: \$5.00 min for 1-5 Models, \$1.00 per model over 5 models to a maximum fee of \$10. All additional models over 10 free. Junior entries \$1.00 for unlimited models.

Admission: \$3.00 each, kids under 10 are free Seniors \$2.00 Vendor Tables: \$40.00 each, max 2 per vendor while available. (includes trophy package)

Trophy Sponsorships: \$32.00 per category, 1-4 Places

BEST SMALL AIR FORCE AIRCRAFT SHEA NAVAL AVIATION MUSEUM CHALLENGE – US Post 1947 Cargo AC.

MODEL & BASE, Any model w/ base, 50/50 [Base counts for 50% of the complete model.]

COLLECTIONS, 3 to 5 related items entered as one collection, (Theme is considered in judging.)

MOST HUMEROUS
BEST US NAVY or MARINE A/C
BEST US INFANTRYMAN; Rockie Blunt Memorial

MOST IMPROVED, club member
OUTSTANDING INDIVIDUAL EFFORT
OUTSTANDING CLUB CHALLENGE

SINGLE FIGURES, 66 mm and larger, pre 1861, foot or mounted.

SINGLE FIGURES, 66 mm and larger, post 1860, foot or mounted.

SCIENCE FICTION, any Science Fiction subject, any scale.

MISCELLANEOUS, any item not covered by another category.

MASTERS, any First Place or Gold Medal winners from BAYCON.

MOST IMAGINATIVE FARINA ENTERPRISES AWARD, best use of a Farina Ent. product

BEST FEMALE FIGURE CHIEF JUDGE'S SPECIAL AWARD

ACHEIVEMENTS IN SCI-FI PRESIDENTS AWARD

TERRY SUMNER CHALLENGE 1/48 Me 262 ENTRANTS FAVORITE, by ballot of all entrants.

STEVE KWASNY CHALLENGE 1/35 Main Battle Tank JUDGES CHOICE

SINGLE FIGURES, BUSTS: all scales.

FANTASY, any Fantasy subject, any scale. FLAT ART, all sizes and subjects.

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Judging criteria begins with basic construction skills, finish, detail, and accuracy. Judging guidelines for some categories are posted on our club website. <a href="www.ipmsbaycolony.com">www.ipmsbaycolony.com</a>. Awards will be given for 1st thru 4th place in each of the categories as well as some special single awards. Entries in BAYCON are subject to being photographed and Bay Colony Club may use those photographs for show publicity at it's discretion in the future. The judging staff reserve the right to add, change or delete categories. All disputes will be handled by the Chief Judge and his decision is final. Models may not be removed prior to the awards ceremony unless previously arranged with a BAYCON official.

## **Upcoming Events**

IPMS No.: Name: Address: If Renewing	First	Middle	Last	
City:				
Signature (required by P.O.)				
☐ Junior (Under 18 Years) \$17 ☐ Family, 1 Years: \$ ☐ Canada & Mexico: \$35 ☐ Other / Foreign: Payment Method: ☐ Check ☐ Money Order	: \$38 (Surface) Checks mu	st be drawn on a US bank		
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Chapter Affiliation, (if any):				
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