



The Plastic Whittler



Our Next Meeting:

Our next meeting will be on **Monday, November 20, 6:30 pm**, at HobbyTown USA! Agenda—Various slide shows from various members. First off the bat will be some photos from Emanuel. His roving lens just got back from the annual airshow at Moddy AFB. We may also have a few slides from yours truly and a few from David Blackwell!

Note - As per custom we're going to wrap up at 8

UPCOMING EVENTS	DATE
IPMS/Middle TN	11/18/2017
Next Meeting	11/20/2017
Christmas Party	12/16/2017
PreShow Work Meeting	1/2/2018
Chattanooga ModelCon	1/5&6/2018
Atlanta Military Figure Society & Atlanta AMPS Show	2/16,17 & 18/2018
IPMS/Atlanta	2/10/2018
IPMS/Birmingham @ Anniston	4/7/2018
WrightCon	4/7/2018
IPMS/Northern Virginia	4/21/2018
AMPS International Dayton, OH	5/3-5/2018
IPMS/Knoxville	5/12/2018
ScottCon	6/9/2018
IPMS NATIONALS Phoenix, AZ	8/1-4/2018

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Ben Gibby —Webmaster

PM and go to dinner. By popular request we'll take a vote on where to go for dinner after the meeting.

Last Newsletter until after the Christmas break and after our show in January. That's right! It's that time of year. The next newsletter you'll receive from me will be up in January. But don't fear there is lot in this issue! Most importantly though we need everyone to put on their working clothes and get ready for the show. Lots to do. We'll talk more at the meeting.

Program Last Month A few words of thanks for the program last month. See Page 3.

Free Time's Fall Festival: See Page 4

Wee Bits Of News That Wouldn't Fit Elsewhere: See Page 7

Meeting Photos from Last Month: See Page 8

Build Day(s): We had two since the last meeting. See Page 13

Atlanta Warbird Weekend: A couple of views about the recent ATL Warbird Weekend See Page 17

Show Flyers and the like in the rest of this Issue

It's ShowTime

Time is flying! Just after the holidays we'll have our annual show. It will be here before you know it! I hope everyone is putting the final touches on what they are planning to bring to the tables!

I am always thankful for the folks that pitch in and make the show a success!! Things don't just happen by accident! There are usually folks that sacrifice a bit of their own time and expend their energy to keep things flowing at the show. This year is no different. Some folks behind the scenes have already pitched a few things in for the raffle, made a few contacts to get the word out about the show, or pressed a few hands to ask for judging help!! (I really appreciate that one!!!)

Our club doesn't really charge dues. We just ask that folks lend a hand and help the show in some way!

We are very blessed in that the Convention Center now has enough of the tables for our show that we don't have to wrestle those setting up before and especially taking them down after the show. At the conclusion of the show last year on Saturday night we simply broke down the "Office Area" and went to dinner. That Dinner was a blast. We were all relaxed, the day was done, and we were hungry. I hope more of us will consider attending that dinner.

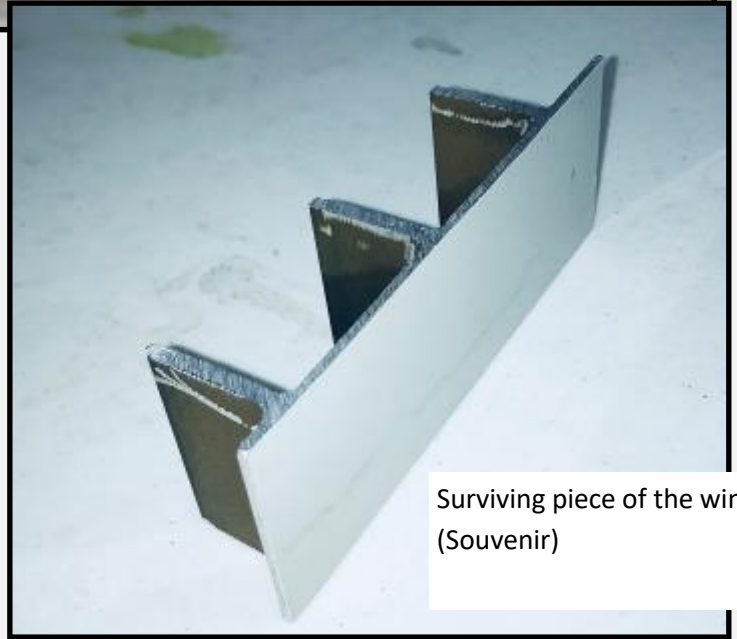
Special Thanks to John and Nora Figueroa and also to the Northern Virginia Modelers! They are sponsoring a few of our special awards trophies at ModelCon 2018 !!!



THANKS FOR A GREAT PROGRAM LAST MONTH!

We had a special treat at our last meeting. We were introduced to Brad Stoddard. Brad had a unique history with P-3 Orion's. First serving on them in the Navy, mostly with the electrical components but learning all he could about the mechanical systems. Later he worked at Lockheed on the final ones assembled at Marietta for South Korea. There he learned more about how they ticked. Later when Shane Osborne's aircraft had to make the emergency landing a Hainan Island, and the Chinese would not allow the aircraft to fly out on it's own power, he was a natural to work with disassembly and transportation of the aircraft back to Georgia for rebuilding.

He came fully prepared with a slide show of photographs, a video of the moments before the collision, and even a piece of the wing kept as a memento. We learned a lot of the back story of the incident and lots of the human story of those involved.



Surviving piece of the wing
(Souvenir)



Brad Stoddard

Free Time Fall Festival

Following on the ATL Warbird Weekend several members of our illustrious group made the trip over to Blue Ridge Georgia and participated in Brandon's once a year fling. There's a little bit of everything in this hobby shop's weekend. An IPMS style contest, a military vehicle display, hot rod and automotive (real cars) contest outside, a reasonably good food vendor with fancy type hot dogs, and of course the



hobby shop itself. It's an easy drive over the mountain along the Ocoee River. Actually quite scenic. A lot of nice models were on the tables. You should keep this in mind for this time next year! Enjoy the photos.







Judging from the number of photos I took this was my favorite model entered at Free Time. This excellent diorama of the USS Franklin complete with crew. Very well done!!!!



Arma Hobby

This In from Bob Colbert

The following notice is on Hannants' home page:

We have just been told that Arma Hobby has stopped production of all resin products and will be concentrating on producing new injection molded kits. We recommend you buy any Attack Squadron, Arma Hobby and Adalbertus products now!

I don't know if you're familiar with these guys, but I have bought several 1/72 Attack Squadron items from Hannants and I thought they were real nice; quality resin. You at least need to peruse their product line to see what they have to offer before it gets gone. I may order their C-130 engines and dropped flaps.

Just proves the adage "Better get it while you can, because tomorrow it may be gone!"

Later

Bob

CONGRATULATIONS

Jeff and Mike Mattheiss's nephew, Jonah Roach, has occasionally been to club and has shown some stuff in the past he's been working on. He's just finished Army Basic Training at Ft. Leonard Wood and is getting started in his Advanced Individual Training.



Dave Blackwell	1/48 Hasegawa AH-64D Apache W.I.P.
Ben BonVillain	1/32 Tamiya P-51D Mustang
John Brooks	
Bob Colbert	
Qorozco Cuahute-moc (aka Q)	1/35 Dragon M4A3E8 kit bash W.I.P.
George Fugett	
Tom Gaston	
Ben Gibby	
Don Hixson	
Jeff Mattheiss	
Mike Moore	
Lynn Petty	
Emanuel Roland	Photos
Dave Scott	
Brad Stoddard	Newbie: Demo/Lecture on P-3 Recovery from China including numerous photos
Ed Sunder	
Ron Thorne (yes, all the way from Chicago)	1/35 Takom M3 Lee, Early (in box) and 1/35 Takom M3 Grant (in box)

Photos from the last meeting





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OCTOBER BUILD DAY

John Brooks – Discussion of Kagero book “finds” at McKay’s/Knoxville

Tom Gaston – 1/24 Airfix Typhoon Mk.IB Car door W.I.P. and 1/35 ICM Model T 1917 LCP WWI Australian Army Car W.I.P.

Ben Gibby

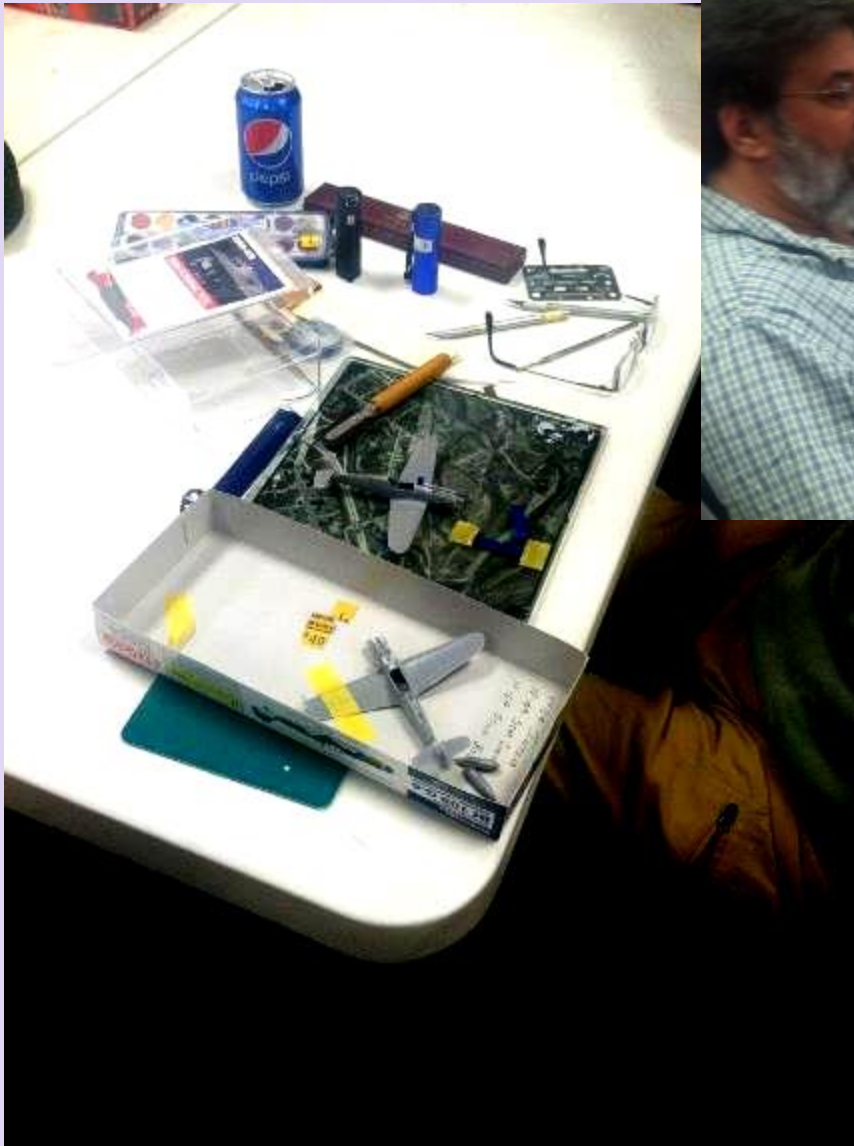
Jeff Mattheiss

Mike Moore – 1/72 ICM MiG 25PD W.I.P.

Lynn Petty – 1/72 FineMolds Messerschmitt Bf109G-6 (x2) W.I.P.

Paul West – Special Visit (OK so he just came to buy some chrome paint from HobbyTown)





NOVEMBER BUILD DAY

Ben BonVillain – 1/32 Tamiya F4U-1 Corsair W.I.P.; 1/32 Trumpeter F6F-3N Hellcat (In Box)

John Brooks

Tom Gaston – 1/35 ICM Model T 1917 LCP WWI Australian Army Car W.I.P.

Jeff Mattheiss – 1/72 Dragon Pz III Ausf J W.I.P.; 1/72 Dragon Jagdpanzer IV L/70 Early (In Box)

Mike Moore – 1/350 Blue Ridge Models USS Nautilus W.I.P.

Lynn Petty – 1/72 Roseplane Barrage Balloon W.I.P.; 1/72 Finemolds Bf109G-6 x 2 W.I.P.

Ed Sunder – 1/32 Testors Jet Ranger W.I.P.; 1/72 Platz X-47B (In Box); 1/72 Avis EADS Barracuda (In Box); 1/72 Attack Squadron RQ-7B Shadow UAV (In Box)

Roger Trochleman – 1/51 Constructo 1799 USS Enterprise W.I.P.



NOVEMBER BUILD DAY



A GOOD TIME SPENT

Jeff Mattheiss's view of the ATL Warbird Weekend

My brother and I decided to take our Dad out for a little fun time here recently and made the choice to go to the Commemorative Air Force weekend show this past October 14th. It was a good decision!

I'm not overly sure of what I was expecting but that's probably a good thing as I was very enthused by what I did see. I wasn't expecting the crowd that was there but it wasn't too heavy and actually helped to provide a better atmosphere.

On the walk up to the entrance there were vendors posted

along the way and the local IPMS guys were there with some of their kits under a canopy advertising IPMS. Nice set up and a good way to show off IPMS!

Besides some old WWII aircraft the show highlighted the Tuskegee Airmen and quite a few of them (with their families) were there. It was very interesting to hear a one on one discussion with one of them doing Q&A with a moderator. Good stuff!

Another aspect of the show was some period vehicles there as well as some folks walking around in clothing of the '40's. All of that fit in quite well. I befriended a gentleman that had a trailer made from the main body of a Waco glider. The cockpit opened up just like



Part of the IPMS Display 1/32 SCRATCHBUILT Albatross. Each panel is separately made and the wings are fabric



it was supposed to and we pushed out a BMW with side car. Sweet! He even had an MG42 set up to "fire" with oxygen and LP gas. That was the best! Of course the show sponsors had him quit before someone got too scared of a gun being "fired".

We were treated in the after-



noon to watching the B-17, B-25, P-51D, and some other trainer types fly around the airfield and off in the distance. The B-25 impressed me as it was louder than the B-17, kind of like two hot rods getting ready to race down the strip.

There were all kinds of vendors including food types so there was everything there to tempt the expenditure of funds. Oh, the weather? It was overcast and at times threatening to rain but quite nice with almost no heavy sun plus a light breeze that made things seem quite Fall-like in atmosphere.

We thoroughly enjoyed our day and look forward to going again next year. Maybe they'll have the Tuskegee Airmen there again but, either way, we'll set aside more TIME to spend there. That is; make sure we're there when it opens and leave when they throw us out!

Thanks! Jeff



This was taken just outside the gate, standing on a set of brick "bleachers", looking back over the crowd towards the B-17





ATL Warbird Weekend

Lynn's View

This year, the theme of the 4th Annual Atlanta Warbird Weekend, Oct. 7-8, 2017, was to honor and salute the Tuskegee Airmen. Naturally a couple of appropriately marked P-51s were there. This was my third time to visit this show. Mike Moore, David Blackwell and myself drove down for the day visit. Not to be confused with a real flying Air Show this is really a warbird fly-in. But interspersed thru the day



a few planes take off and do circuits around the place. B-17 rides were available as were rides in a B-25 and others I am sure. Even a Piper Cub "WarBug" took place. The weather was a very big factor this year. In my previous visits there was a lot more warbirds on display and more flying. The pending tropical storm this year put a damper on things. Fortunately for us the clouds parted around noon for a couple of hours and gave the guys time to put a few planes in the air! But on the

ground there was plenty to see and do.

On arrival we found that IPMS Marietta and IPMS Atlanta co sponsored a tent and display area. It was a very well done little area considering the climate and crowd control issues at hand. We spent a lot of time



rubbing elbows with the usual crowd of modelers from the Hotlanta area. Not a bad job with the tents or with the Vistaprint Vinyl Signs. They even had an area where a "little build day" was going on with at least one gentleman.

There were more of our friends than just these at the show. The Mattheiss family was there with

Mike and Jeff bringing along their father for the day.

The Military Vehicles Preservation Association was there with of all things the nose of a WACO glid-



er and this motorcycle done up as a captured BMW taken over by the SAS. The MG 42 had a system of propene that made noise when "fired"

After leaving we took the time to stop at HobbyTown in Kennesaw. What better way to cap off the day. We wandered around and soon ran into a familiar face. Dave Wells, (we still consider him one of our bunch but he has moved away) was there. He had planned to go the ATL Warbird Weekend but found an Airliner show was in town on the same day. He sounded good and had news to tell us. He is expecting his first child in a bit!

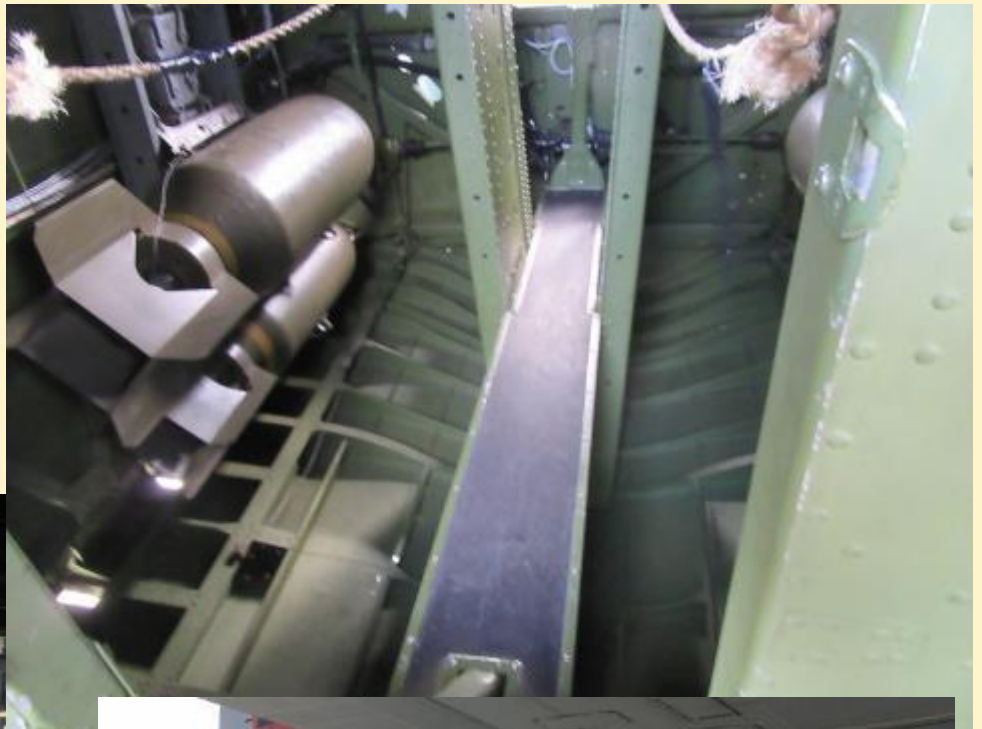


The ATL Warbird Weekend comes at a time of the year when it is pleasant to walk around outside in the otherwise Atlanta heat. You should keep it in mind next fall as an event to consider!

Tom's Ride

Our own Tom Gaston took a ride on the B-17. He says he can mark that one off his bucket list! Mike Moore and David Beckman were there to see him off!





Dave's Ride

Not to be totally out done Dave Beckman went across town the same day and took a ride in the Ford Tri-Motor!





The Phantom Spook Says It's Christmas Party Time!

Pot Luck—Finger Foods --
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Lynn Petty:

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Time: 6:00 PM (Or
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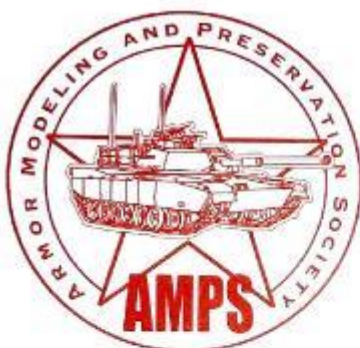
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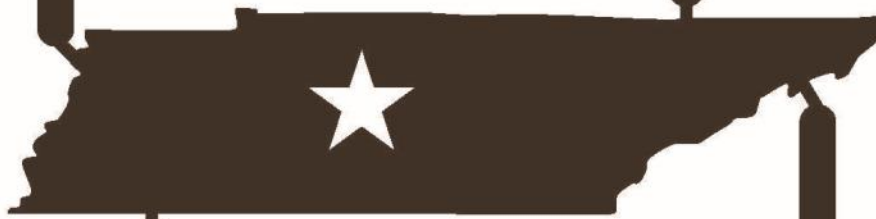
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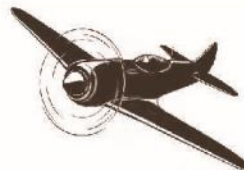
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NOVEMBER 18, 2017

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S.C.M.A. Judges.

Top 15 Awards are given along with
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Contact—Chuck Cox

(864) 541-9080

E-Mail - HobbyFun@yahoo.com

Vendor Tables - \$20.00 ea.

On or Before November 30th

\$25.00 after November 30th

Registration

9:00am - Noon

\$5.00 First entry - \$1.00 Each

additional entry

General Admission - \$5.00

2018

S.C.M.A. "HOPE IT DON'T SNOW" SHOW



WrightCon 2018

SCALE MODEL SHOW



Model Contest

Vendors

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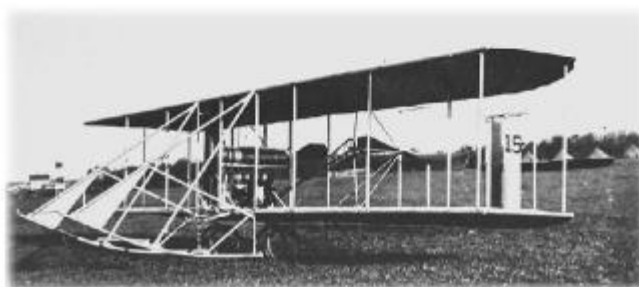
Hope Hotel and Conference Center
1023 Chidlaw Rd
Dayton, Ohio 45433
Just outside Wright-Patterson Air Force Base
9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. (or until awards ceremony over)

Vendor Contact: Anthony 937.938.9243
vendors@ipmsdayton.com

WrightCon 2018



Presented by Wright Field Scale Modelers



Model Registration

IPMS Members: \$8 (First 2 Entries)

Non-Members: \$10 (First 2 Entries)

Additional Entries: \$1

Juniors and Youth (through age 17): \$5
(Unlimited Entries)

General Admission

Adults: \$5

Children under 18: \$1

Uniformed Military: Free

Saturday April 7, 2018

Dayton, Ohio

www.wrightcon.com

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February 16, 17, 18, 2018
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TENTATIVE SCHEDULE

6:30 P.M. Registration opens for those Pre-Registered
Display Room opens for Pre-Registers
7:00 P.M. Registration, General Admission, Display, and Vendor Rooms open
9:00 P.M. Show Closes for the night
ALL rooms Closed

Saturday, February 17th

TENTATIVE SCHEDULE

9:00 A.M. Registration, General Admission, Display and Vendor Rooms open.
11:00 A.M. Registration Closes
5:00 - 6:00 P.M. Silent Auction Ends
7:00 P.M. Show Closes for the night.
ALL rooms Closed
Silent Auction Begins

Sunday, February 18th

TENTATIVE SCHEDULE

9:00 A.M. General Admission, Display and Vendor Rooms open.
11:00 A.M. Armor Awards
12:00 A.M. AMFS Awards
SHOW ENDS

HOTEL INFORMATION

Atlanta Marriott Century Center
2000 Century Blvd N.E. Atlanta, GA 30345

As in past years, we will be offering a special room night rate for all who are guests of the hotel during the Show. The special rate for 2018 is \$96 a night. Reservations may be made by contacting the hotel via phone at 800.228.9290 (be sure and mention the AMFS Show) *Information subject to change*



AMPS Atlanta 2018

“REFORGER”



February 16—18, 2018



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Atlanta Chapter of the International Plastic Modeler's Society



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Saturday, February 10, 2018

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2018

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May 12, 2018 at the
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Contest information:

Judging will be done by IPMS standards - 1st, 2nd
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Entry forms can be downloaded from our website,
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General contact: Matt Keller

at kampfer1945.mk@gmail.com

Vendor information:

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Vendor contact: Johnny Galza

at 262galza@gmail.com

Directions:

From the west: take I-40 East towards
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Avenue, which becomes Knoxville Zoo Drive.
Go ½ mile to lights, cross over and turn right in
front of the Chilhowee Park sign. Go through
gate and take the first left towards the lake. The
Jacob Building is the large building beside lake.

From the north & south via I-75: take I-40 East
towards Asheville, then follow the directions
above.

From the east: take I-40 West to Exit 392A
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overpass to 1st light. Turn right onto Timothy
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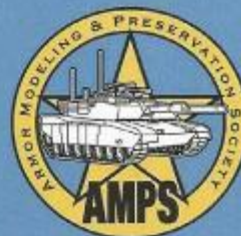
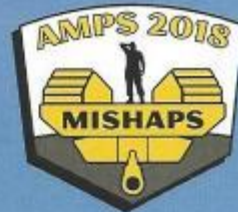
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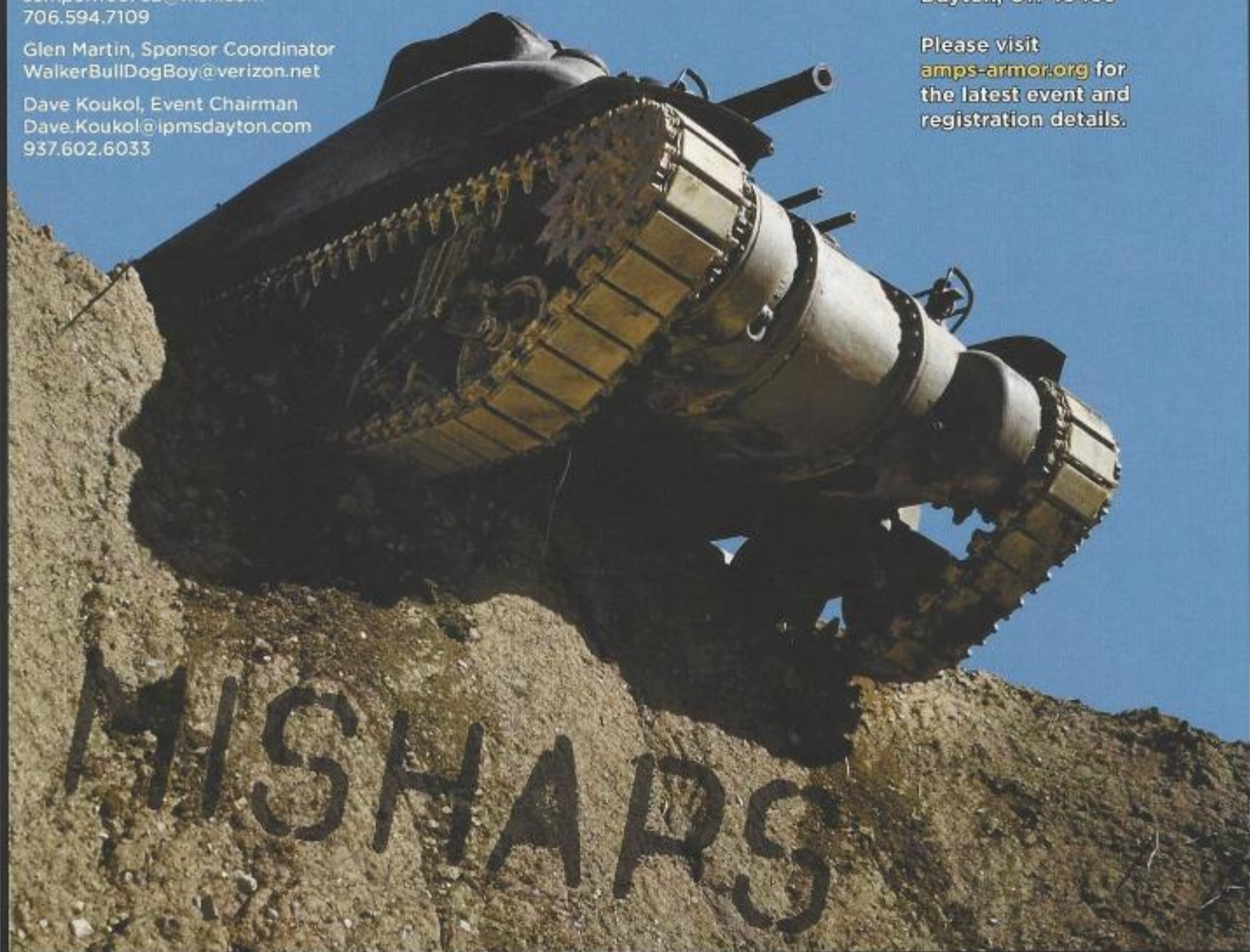
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