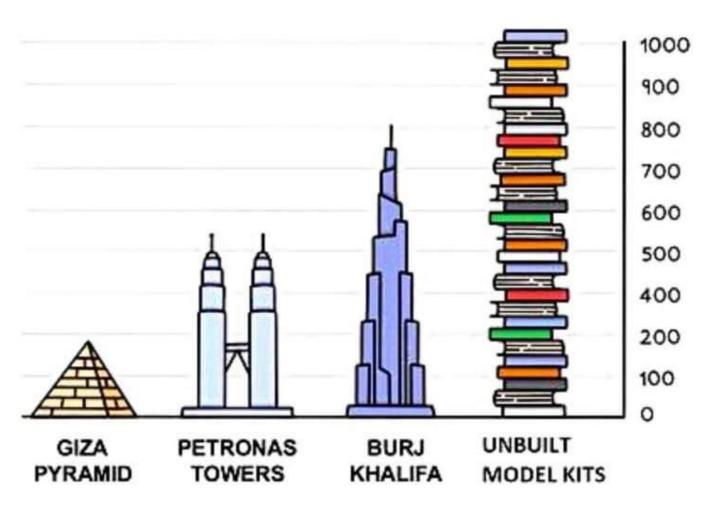


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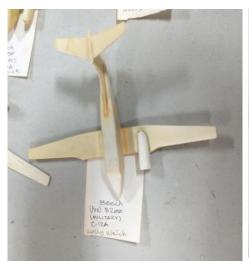
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February Display Pictures















February Display Pictures









February Competition Any plane with 3 colors in top surface camo scheme



















February Competition Any plane with 3 colors in top surface camo scheme











February Competition Any plane with 3 colors in top surface camo scheme







February Competition Winner



Irv Singer Trumpeter 1/32 scale F-100

February Raffle Winners









February Raffle Winners







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I started this Model on 4 June, 2022, the 80th anniversary of the battle of Midway. The <u>Trumpeter</u> kit offers two sets of markings, one for a pre-war <u>SBD</u>-1 of VMB-2 (Marine Bombing 2) and SBD-2 of VMSB-241. (Marine Scout Bombing 241).

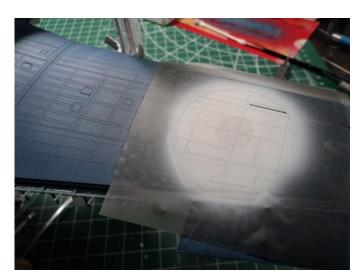






The engine is bone stock save for brass wire used for the spark plug leads. I painted the cylinders Alclad Aluminum and then highlighted with Tamiya Black Panel Line Paint.

Paints on the aircraft are Mr. Hobby Intermediate blue using Mr. Hobby leveling thinner and a mix of Tamiya grey and white for the underside Light Grey. After the initial coat of intermediate blue was painted, I tried to "evenly" paint white in between the panels, but I couldn't seem to keep a steady finger pressure on the airbrush trigger, coupled with a very humid summer to date, I encountered a lot of water spritzing, so I gave up and went over it with a mist of Intermediate blue to tone it down. The cowling turned out the best, but there isn't a lot of area to paint either. For the chipping I used a brush and good old Testors Silver enamel. It's nice because I had a Q-tip handy that had been dipped in terpenoid to correct any areas or remove the paint from areas I didn't like. The interior is Interior Green and the instrument panel and boxes are Tamiya NATO Black.





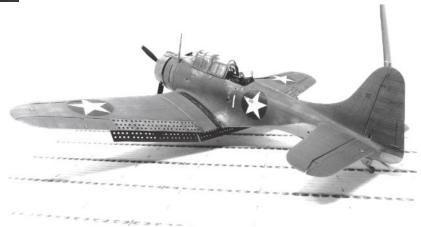


The rubber tires are the kits. I went over them with a 600-grit sanding stick laden with a lot of sanding dust and weathered the tires accordingly. Overall, I like the way it turned out. For my first foray into weathering and shading, I am fairly pleased with the way it all turned out and will certainly employ and expand these techniques on my next model.











The kit decals are nice and thin and the ones I used went on nicely and responded well to Solvaset and settled into the rivet pattern nicely.

Overall, I would highly recommend this kit. The fit was excellent, hardly any flash, clear parts are clear and crisply molded. The instructions are in a logical sequential order and easy to follow. I didn't do any measurements to see how the kit compared to the actual aircraft, but it sure looks like an SBD to me. I know there are aftermarket goodies for this kit, but I didn't use any of them: I used the kits PE Brass where it called for in the instructions, seat belts, gun sight, etc. I did add some wiring to the side control boxes, but with the canopy where it is, they are almost invisible. The only flaw is the fit of the canopies if you want them all in the open position. I would give it a 4 out of a 5 star rating for that reason only.

As a caveat, I was "severely" chastised for having the dive flaps in the open position, a modeler advised me that the upper dive flaps are in the lowered position when the aircraft is landed and only opened in the dive. I adjusted accordingly.

I gotta tell ya, I'm really enjoying these 1/32nd war birds.



2023 Club Contest Themes

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January: Any Model Star Wars, Star Trek or Battlestar Galactica

related

February: Any aircraft (of any country) that has three(3) or more

colors (topside only) in its camouflage scheme

March: Any auto or truck model from 1950-1975(any make or

model)

April: Any WW2 era(1939-1945) vehicle or armor model (from any

country, in any paint scheme)

May: Any naval ship (from any country) from 1975 to present

June: Any 3D-printed model or figure, stand alone or part of a

diorama

July: Any non-US aircraft or helicopter from 1949 to present

August: Any diorama with at least two (2) different types of model

September: Any real spacecraft(from any country)1950 to present.Can

be stand alone or part of a diorama

October: Any naval ship prior to 1949, from any country (can be

wooden or ironclad)

November: Any US civil war to end of WW2 diorama or scene

December: "White Elephant"

Note there will be no competition due to the White Elephant but

displays are welcome



EDITORS CORNER BY LYN GORTON

I am going to start publishing newletter pages from the very beginning of our club as a series along the lines of "Where we were"

The first page is from the very first newsletter which was called "Dirty Plastic" as we go through the years the newsletters will get bigger so I will be selecting suitable interesting articles. Please let me know what you think and of course keep sending your own articles.

At time of writing emails had been sent to all members who are in danger of becoming no longer in good standing as Dues have not been paid. The March meeting is the last meeting that you can pay in person to Bill Dunkle (treasurer). If you are not going to be at the meeting you have been sent an email with Bills email address on so you can get in touch with him and arrange to pay dues using other arrangements.

The roster will be adjusted before the April meeting and will only reflect those in good standing.

In case you were not at the last meeting Tim Bongard duly resigned as member at large due to his imminent departure to pastures new. Bryan Guggemos will take over his duties until such time as a permanent Member at large is duly elected.

Thanks to Mark for a good article on a 1/32 scale Dauntless. I have made the same one in 1/48 scale which can be seen on board the Midway in San Diego and the Dive brakes are down, so as always it is modelers choice

The seminar at the March meeting will be from Mike McFadden on the subject of Dioramas.If you are not familiar with Mikes work just for information he has won top prizes at nationals for his dioramas so should be a good presentation.

EDITORS CORNER

"WHERE WE WERE"



THE VOICE OF IPMS*

VOLUME 1, NO. 1, MAY 1971

* IPMS (Infernal Phoenician & Maricopa Society of Girl Watchers, Plane Climbers, Slide Viewers, and Plastic Butchers)!

On Wednesday, April 7, 1971, we met at Bryan Baker's house, even conducting a little business, at least when somebody could shout over the conversation. We didn't really conduct much business, I got some name cards which gives us a kind of rooster, but otherwise so far no name for the outfit (so what), no officers (who needs them), and no discussions about dues (to pay for stamps, and graft for the officers, if we ever get any).

The second Wednesday of the month will be our standard meeting night. This month's meeting will be on Wednesday, Mary 12, 1971, held at Ray Sweet's patio, the address is 6609 W. Missouri Avenue in Glendale, (934-1447). We're going to try to make this an air brush meeting, Ray has a fairly good touch with an air brush and if he can define what he does, he'll try to pass it on to us and I'm sure a few other members have their own specific techniques, I know I have a few little bits and pieces of my own to impart, so if anyone has any particular model they would like to try some air brushing on, bring it along, along with the paint you'd like to spray, preferably either Floquil or Imrie Risley. These are the two Ray uses and if we stay with fairly similar paint types, there won't be the delay in switching from one type of paint to the other. So bring whatever information you have, and maybe we can all gain a few bits of information on the air brush.

I'd like to use this newsletter as a vehicle for member requests for information and usage. Preparation will usually be about the first day of the month, so if anyone wants to place any requests in it, please contact me by that time.

- Frank Hunter desires photographs or information on the back side of the LeRhone motor from World War I. (Have you seen the February 1971 issue of the English Scale Modeler?)
- Dick Caviness is looking for information on the BF109E flown by Gunter Scholz of: JG5 Eismeer. Dick is particularly interested in underside photographs.

See everybody Wednesday, May 12th, Frank Hunter's house at 7:30 p.m., if you know of anyone else interested, please bring them. Since we will be holding this on Ray's patio, if the weather is bad (rain or high wind), the meeting will be post-poned to Wednesday, May 19th.

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EDITORS CORNER PICNIC

Good News/Bad News Regarding the Picnic

What: 2nd Annual IPMS-Craig Hewitt Chapter Picnic

Where: McCormick-Stillman Railroad Park

When: Saturday, April 29, 2023 11:00 - ?

<u>Good News</u>: The IPMS-CHC Social Committee is happy to announce that we were able to reserve the very last ramada on the very last available date in April. This means we won't have to wait until May like last year. Whew!

<u>Bad News</u>: Unfortunately, it is the ramada farthest from the parking lot. In fact, the ramada is the exact same one as we had last year (also the only option at that time). We'll need to start planning earlier next year.

<u>Good News</u>: There is plenty of space so all members (in good standing) and their families can come. Members will need to sign up with a head count as well as to contribute a side dish. We are currently working on creatine an online sign-up sheet as well as a paper copy which will be available at the February meeting.

<u>More Good News</u>: John Carroll has agreed to be Burgermeister this year, so there will be no problem with the delivery of the main dish like last year. Yay!

You must be a member in good standing to attend this event. Sign up using the link below

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So Make sure to see Treasurer, "Bill Dunkle", at the club meeting to sign up for membership

2023CLUB MEETONG CALENDAR

All meetings held at American Legion Post #1, 364 N. 7th Ave., Phoenix, AZ 85003

JANUARY 2023

Tuesday 3rd 7pm Seminar/Speaker:

JULY 2023

Tuesday 11th,7pm Seminar/Speaker:

FEBRUARY 2023

Tuesday 7th 7pm Seminar/Speaker:

AUGUST 2023

Tuesday 1st 7pm
Event : Club Swapmeet

MARCH 2023

Tuesday 7th, 7pm

Seminar/Speaker: Dioramas

Mike McFadden

SEPTEMBER 2023

Tuesday 5th, 7pm Seminar/Speaker:

APRIL 2023

Tuesday 4th 7pm Seminar/Speaker:

OCTOBER 2023

Tuesday 3rd, 7pm Seminar/Speaker:

MAY 2023

Tuesday 2nd, 7pm Seminar/Speaker:

NOVEMBER 2023

Tuesday 7th 7pm Seminar/Speaker:

JUNE 2023

Tuesday 6th 7pm Seminar/Speaker:

DECEMBER 2023

Tuesday 5th, 7pm

Event: White Elephant



March Raffle

Tickets are \$1 or six for \$5.

Item A: DML Dragon 1/48 Fokker Dr. 1 LTN. Josef Jacobs, Jasta 7, 1918 Item B: Monogram 1/32 Sherman M4 with Hedgerow Cutter Hedge Hog

Item C: MPC 1/25 '34 Slammer Modified

Item D: Polar Lights Godzilla King of the Monsters

Item E: Revell (Germany) 1/72 Sd. Kfz. 9 "Famo" Schwerer Zugkraftwagen 18t

Item F: Trumpeter 1/72 RA-5C Vigilante
Item G: Revell 1/542 U.S.S. Forrestal CV-59

UPCOMDNG EVENTS

March 11th—Plastic Model Flea Market (See flyer on back page for details)

April 15th—Desert Scale Classic(Flyer on last page)

April 29th—club picnic .See details in Editors comments.

November 4th—Modelzona

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The club meets at 7pm on the first Tuesday of each month at the American Legion Post #1 in Phoenix. Check the club website at www.ipms-phoenix.com for more meeting info.

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Bjorn Jacobsen—Aircraft Dioramas

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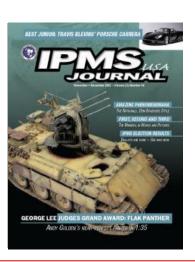
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- Kit reviews/In-box reviews
- Website links
- Modeling related articles
- · Commentary and featured columns
- Neat, strange or otherwise shareable pictures
- Book reviews
- Trip and vacation write-ups

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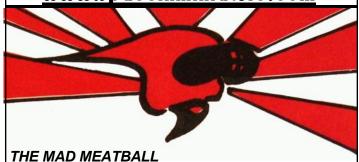
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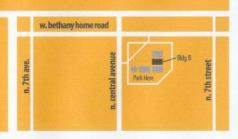
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