

District III

Ohio, Pennsylvania, West Virginia

An event I participated in on August 15-16, 2020, was the eighth annual Columbus Scale Classic, hosted by the Westerville Model Aircraft Association. Contest director Mike Barbee has put together a first-rate Scale competition at the club's beautiful field.

There was a large variety of Scale aircraft including general aviation models, World War I and II aircraft, Korean warbirds, jets, and more. Despite the COVID-19 pandemic, Mike and the club hosted a safe and successful event.

This year marked the Westerville club's 52nd year of operation. Thank you, Westerville Model Aircraft Association, for promoting model aviation with the Scale Classic and the many other events you host throughout the year.



Scale aircraft on the flightline are ready to fly at the eighth annual Columbus Scale Classic.



Joe Vermillion, of Balsa USA, presents his beautiful WW I Albatross for static judging.



Perennial Scale competitor John Boyko and his beautiful T-34.



John Borton from Toledo OH and his scratch-built Pietenpol Air Camper.



Jared Granzow flew his Snowbird Canadair CT-114 Tutor turbine jet in Fun Scale.



Steve Eagle, from Indiana, flew this Curtiss Falcon A-3B built by well-known, deceased modeler Stan Clark of West Virginia.



Terry Nitsch, assisted by his wife Sheila, flew this electric powered P-51. Sheila is a District III Contest Coordinator.



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Until next month, stay safe and fly safely. 