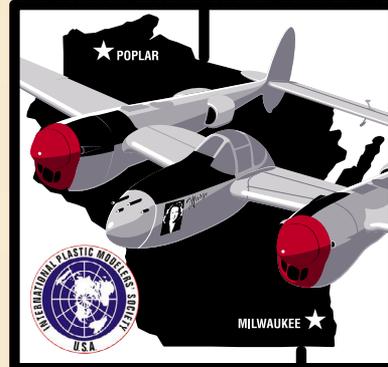


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Deadline for submissions is 10 days
prior to the next "General meeting".

General Meeting Friday, November 9 Water Stone Bank 6560 S. 27th Street
Doors open at 7:00 p.m. Meeting starts at 7:30 p.m.

Business Meeting Wednesday, November 14 at Baker's Square 4900 S. 76th St.,
Meeting begins at 5:30 p.m. • All members are welcome!

Challenge!

If one of the driving forces in your hobby is competition, then our Annual Contest at the November 9th meeting should be the ticket! Contest director, John Werwie, and his crew of volunteers have the whole thing organized, but the success of the event is in your hands. First, you gotta show up! Second, you should enter your models! Doesn't matter if we've seen them at the meetings beforehand (we always enjoying seeing them again), but if they have won prizes in our annual contests before, then please don't enter them again. And third, and most important, participate in the judging of all the models. We don't have judging teams - each attendee is invited to judge on their own using a form that will be handed to you at the meeting.

The number of models you should vote for will be announced just before the judging period begins. The number of models entered into a certain category will determine how many votes you can make in that category. For example, you may be asked to vote for three, or five, or eight models in certain categories. When there are few models in a category, you may be asked to vote for just one, the one you think is best. You don't have to think about 1st, 2nd, or 3rd place - no ranking needed. Prizes will be determined by the number of votes a model receives. And please make up your own mind, don't be influenced by what others may think. Once all the ballots are in, John's crew will crunch the numbers and the awardees will be announced at the December holiday party meeting.

Speaking of the Holiday meeting, circle December 14 on your calendar!

Once again, I forgot to solicit nominations for club officers, so we will have nominations (if any) and election (if needed) at the beginning of the November meeting. So, see you at the meeting!

— Paul Boyer

Upcoming Events Compiled by Jim Erfert

November 3 • Oshkosh, WI

21st Annual Winnebago Area Model Classic & Swap Meet. Oshkosh Hilton Garden Inn, Exit 116 East from Interstate 41.
For More Information Call Don Molitor 920-420-1430
email WAMClassic@gmail.com
Website WAMClassic.wix.com/wamc

Nov 3 • Wauwatosa, WI

The Milwaukee RC Association, Wauwatosa Public Library, 9:00 AM to Noon. 7635 W North Ave. Wauwatosa, WI

November 10-11 • West Allis, WI

Trainfest! State Fair Park, 9am-5pm

November 10 • Itasca, IL

36th Annual Butch O'Hare Open Model Contest
Holiday Inn Itasca, 860 West Irving Park Road, Itasca, IL, 60143. For details: Hector Colon, 630-809-9072, hdcolon@yahoo.com

November 17-18 • Rosemont, IL

Muscle Car & Corvette Nationals
Donald E. Stephans Convention Center,
Rosemont, IL
WWW.MCACN.COM

November 25 • West Allis, WI

Milwaukee Slot Car Show, 9:00 AM to 1:00 PM,
Hampton Inn and Suites, 8201 W Greenfield Ave, West Allis, WI 53214

December 1 • Johnstown, WI

6th Annual SNO-BALL BASH toy, model show and swap. Johnstown Community Center, 9937 E. County RD A, Johnstown, WI. Rick Allen, 262-745-5500, rickierods53@charter.net

December 2 • Milwaukee, WI

Classic Plastic 3rd Annual Scale Auto Swap Meet
On the Edge, 68th street & Edgerton (N/E corner)
Ron Keller 414-769-0586, Daryl Geske 414-573-6604

December 16 • Waukesha, WI

Milwaukee Miniature Motors, Annual Holiday Show Waukesha County Expo, 1000 Northview Road, Waukesha, WI 53188
Jim Welytok 262-366-1314, unievents1@aol.com

January 19, 2019 • Darien, IL

Planes, Trains and Automobiles Plastic Model Kit & Model Railroad Swap Meet and Show
Saint John Lutheran Church, 7214 Cass Ave. Darien, IL, 60561. 9 am to 3 pm, Approximately 6 blocks S. Of I-55 and Cass exit.

Flyers w/maps for these events are sometimes available at the general meetings or by calling me. Please take copies only if you plan to attend. The IPMS/USA website has info on most of these events. Check it out.

Jones' Thoughts by Al Jones

Sunday, 28 October, 2018. It is RAINING . . . AGAIN!!! I hauled the remainder of my Corvette model kit collection over to Model Empire yesterday. I had fully intended to build every one of those kits when they were purchased over the years. But, with over 2,000 unbuilt kits remaining on the basement shelves, and my rapidly advancing years, it is now obvious that it could never happen.

With some good fortune, I should be able to report in the December WINGMAN on the WAM Model Contest in Oshkosh scheduled for next Saturday, 3 November 2018.

Work on the 1/32nd scale Revell Level 5 Early Version P-51D Mustang kit no. 03944 continues on a day to day schedule. The many problems I am and have been experiencing are mostly my own fault. An important model building lesson is being thrown in my face every day . . . Arrrrgh, Raaaatz, Ugg-ahhh! At least on the exterior of a model, PAINT AFTER ASSEMBLY!!! The parts fit is exceptionally good. There's very little flash to be cleaned up. The wing leading edges containing the gun ports require that the interior parts

that make up the spar and the landing gear wells be assembled perfectly. The problem is that the model builder cannot tell if this work is perfect until the leading edges are installed. And then, it is too late to work in any adjustments to the fit.

I decided to use the markings for P-51-5-NA no. 44-13859 flown by Lt. Walter H. "Moon" Mullins of the 55th FS, 20th FG that was stationed at Kings Cliffe, Northamptonshire, UK, in the Spring of 1944, the decal markings for which come from PYN-up (PYND32003). The main sheet of these decals is perfectly printed and color correct. However, the nose art images are printed separately and are extremely delicate. The two images provided for the nose of "Moon" Mullin's Mustang shattered upon removal from the backing paper. I have another of this sheet ordered thru E-bay. If it comes, I will be sure to coat the nose art image with Micro Scale's Decal Film. So late, we get smart!!!!

—Al



The Trilogy Connection October Update

Not much to report on our Trilogy this month, so I thought I would post a few pictures I took at the Aviation Funfest in Racine, on 10/13. Hosted by EAA Chapter 838 at the Batten International Airport, we were invited to come down and put out a display of models and information about IPMS.

I took a bunch of information about IPMS along with some IPMS Journals and copies of our Wingman newsletter (provided by Jeff Neal who also made a neat IPMS/RI Bong sign). I also took a few types of built up models and some documentation books. Paul Boyer brought his impressive Navy jet collection and Dennis Tennant brought a few tanks to represent you armor guys. We all brought an unbuilt kit so people could get an idea of how things started. Jeff Lamott loaned us all the figures he had brought to the meeting the night before (thanks Jeff!) to help round things out.

So it was an interesting experience and there were a few people who seemed very interested and went away with a copy of our Wingman newsletter and a copy of the IPMS Journal. Maybe we'll see them at one of our meeting's, who knows? Take care, Jim



Secretary's Notes by John Plzak

Eight members were at the October business meeting. I was not able to attend so my notes are thanks to Paul for filling in. Paul forgot to take nominations for officers at the last meeting but there will be a chance for nominations at the November meeting for the election if necessary. Of course the main event for November will be the Annual club contest. John Werwie seems to have everything well organized and everything should go smoothly. Thanks go to John and his staff of helpers that make this so successful. Let's fill up those tables again this year.

December will feature our Christmas party and feast. Wayne Muller will procure the main course (hot ham, beef, and turkey) while the rest of the goodies are provided by the members. We will also give out the awards for the winners of the November contest and have our usual Christmas grab bag.

Right now we have no theme or event planned for January of February next year. Dave Schemel and Tom Foti have decided not to hold their shoot-out contest next February. I'm saddened to see this go. While I only entered a couple of them, I started a model for just about all of them. Paul Boyer is thinking about possibly holding a

theme contest that month in its place. Watch the Wingman for further developments. In March we will have our usual club auction and the Al Jones' Fujimi kit contest. Yes Al finally remembered to bring his kits to the meeting last month, so the race is on to get them done for the March meeting.

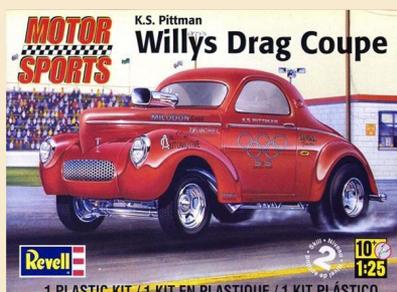
Everyone have a good time at the meeting. I won't be able to be there as we are taking inventory at work that Friday. See you in December.

— JP

2018 Meeting Schedule

Nov	Annual Contest
Dec	Christmas Party, Awards Presentation
Jan	TBA
Feb	TBA
Mar	Auction, Al's Fujimi contest

Ed's Car Corner by Ed Doering



Kit Number-85-4990 • Revell "Motor Sports" K.S. Pittman Willys Drag Coupe • Scale -1/25
Skill Level - 2

In the 1960s, drag racing had what is still known as the "Gasser Wars". The gasser class was ruled by the Willys coupe, either the 1933 car, or the popular 1941. Drag racers such as K.S. Pittman was one of the first drag racers to earn a living in "Match Races" from coast to coast. With victories in the prestigious U.S. Nationals, one of the most impor-

tant drag races of its time, Pittman set records for gas powered drag coupes. He established a record of under 8 seconds for the quarter mile.

The typical gasser of the 1960s was the Willys, powered by a huge, supercharged, fuel-injected Chrysler Hemi motor.

This Revell release captures all the features of a pure Willys gasser. Let's take a look at the kit.

The instruction sheet is pretty straight forward, and comprises seven assembly blocks, with the final page being a decal placement guide.

All the paint colors needed to complete this model are listed on page two, and the paints are readily available. Don't forget to pick up Metalizers as well. Also, you can "go wild" in building this kit. You don't have to build it as the Pittman vehicle. You can use your vivid imagination in choosing a color for your car, via readily available metallic, pearl and candy colors to really show off your car. Likewise, if you

don't like the Pittman car, Revell has released this same kit with "Big John" Mazmanian decals, as well as Stone, Woods & Cooke livery, as well as a "Street Rod" Willys kit. So it's "wide open" as to how you can build this kit.

While on the subject of decals, the kit's sheet has three different versions of the Pittman car. The decals I think were done by Slix for Revell, and are of superior quality.

As for wheels, the kit features the "big and small" looks of the 1960s gasser, complete with slicks. Don't forget too, AMT has tire and wheel packs with tampo printed slicks that can really enhance the look at the rear of the car. They're available at Model Empire.

The kit comes with a chrome-plated tree, for some of the motor parts. To me, the chrome plating, while used on many gassers, looks too "toyish". I prefer stripping most of the chrome parts in bleach, as many gassers also had regular metal surfaces, and it brings out more detail hidden under chrome. For example, I removed the chrome from the Hemi valve covers, and found the valve covers have a nice finned appearance, that I easily dry-brushed to bring out the fins. I kept the four oil breathers chrome, as I wanted just the bare minimum of chrome on the car.

My "idea" in building this car was to imagine a group of former Vietnam Vets forming a Car Club, and building a gasser together. Oftentimes, most gassers had a creative name lettered on the car, and I found the perfect name for my imaginary gasser - "Agent Orange." My car is painted in an eye-catching "Poppy Red-Orange".

I also de-chromed the blower parts, electing to use various Metalizer shades, and then dry-brushing additional tones onto these parts, to enhance detail.

In assembly block one, we start with construction of the Chrysler Hemi motor. First, the two halves of the motor and B&M Hydro transmission are glued up. Don't forget to sand away the seam from gluing the two halves together. That done, the heads are attached to the block, as well as the front water pump/cover on the front of the motor. Be sure to take your time in adding the heads, so that the notches for the exhaust headers will align with the side of the block. The starter, oil pan, hydro pan, and blower manifold are all added as well.

I elected to drill out the indentations for plug holes on the valve covers, so I could wire the motor with a Preston pre-wired distributor. Thus, I had to also drill out the hole at the back of the blower manifold, to have a place to put the ignition. Wiring the Hemi really dresses up the motor, the more detail the better.

With assembly block one completed, we move to number two, wherein the four oil breathers are

added. Take note that there is a very small gluing surface on the bottom of each breather. You want these breathers to stay glued in place well. So, be sure to scrape off the chrome on the bottom of each breather, and the points on the valve covers where they set in place. This will insure they stay well glued while you wire the plug holes. You will also need to devise a way to route your plug wires around the four breathers. It's not difficult, just take your time.

In step two, the instructions state to attach the exhaust headers and the final collector tips on the headers. I would not attach them at this point, electing to wait until you have the frame assembled, and then set the motor in place in the frame, and attach your headers.

The blower parts have to be assembled in a precise manner. The front part, where the blower drive belt and pulleys attach, has a sort of square, keyed tab that must attach well to the blower piece, and the same is true concerning the back plate on the rear of the blower body. If you don't get these parts on right, the blower will not mate with your pulleys and drive belt. By the way, I de-chromed the belt and pulley assembly, and painted the belt flat black, then picked out the pulleys with Metalizer colors. It makes a huge difference. If you're not going to wire your motor, you can add the kit distributor and coil at this point.

The coil is a very tiny piece, so I had to place a drop of glue on the place the coil sits, let the glue tack up a bit, and with a tweezers, attempt to stand the coil up straight and level. When finally in place, and after waiting a day for the glue to dry, I took the last wire from the pre-wired distributor, and ran the wire to the coil.

In step three, we build the interior. I note Revell may have made a mistake. They include door handles for the outside of the doors, but neglect to give door handles for the interior side of the doors. One can perhaps find some door handles in their parts box to remedy this mistake. The gas pedal, brake pedal and steering column are set in place on the frame pan. Then, the seat gets seat belt decals and is glued in place along with the shifter lever, and the trunk separation plate. Finally, it's suggested to cut out the decal having the gauges on it, and using white glue, attach it to the rear side of the dash panel. When dry, the roll bar (don't forget to accent the padding) steering wheel, and interior side panels are glued to the frame pan.

Step four is critical. I'd only do one assembly in step four at a time, and let it dry a day before proceeding on. First, the rear end gets the front pumpkin attached to it, and the rear shocks and brackets added. Be certain you get the shocks into their openings on the rear end, so they set straight and even, as this can throw off your wheel/tire assembly

later on, and your car might not sit on its tires good and flat. So, do this assembly, critically exam your work, and set this step aside to dry a day.

When that assembly is totally dry and hard, the completed rear end is placed onto the frame rails. There are two precise areas where the rear end attaches to the frame. Let this assembly also dry a day, and again check to assure you have the rear end on straight and level. When it's totally dry, the drag ladders for the rear end are attached to the rear end, with the front of the drag ladder also setting in a precise block on the frame. These too have to sit straight and level, so take care in attaching them. Let this assembly also dry a day.

Next, comes the addition of the front and rear springs, and rear disc brakes. There again are precise areas on the frame rails where the front and rear springs go, and you'll again need to get them on straight and level. Part 66, the rear end stiffener, is a bit tricky to get on. Follow the "shown in place" drawing for assistance here.

Additionally, we also attach the front shocks, front axle, front disc brakes, and tie rod. I'd add one part at a time to the front axle, allowing for plenty of dry time before adding the additional parts.

Block five has us place the wheels into the tires, and set them onto the axle stubs both front and rear. You can elect to not glue them on, so the car will roll, but I usually glue them in place. Here in block five, you get your choice of adding the rear push bar to the back of the car. Some gassers had them, others did not – your choice!

With the rolling chassis now complete, it's now time to add your Hemi motor, and at this point attach the headers and drive shaft. At this point, be sure everything you've so far constructed, is firm in place.

In block six, the Moon gas tank halves are glued up, and set in place on the front of the frame. That done, the radiator sets into a rectangular slot, and the upper and lower radiator hoses are added. The instructions (as usual) are not very clear as to where the hoses attach, so you'll need to hunt for the points to attach them.

In the next portion of block six, your painted body is now turned upside down, to allow for your completed interior assembly to be inserted into the body. But first, the front and rear glass has to go in, and it'll be a bit tricky. Be sure to test fit the glass often to see where the best gluing surfaces lie before adding any glue. And don't forget to use glue for clear parts. My kit came with red tinted glass, as well as clear, so the choice is yours.

Here again comes a tricky part – attaching the body to the frame. The frame rails at the rear follow the inner curve of the rear of the body, but the

frame rails don't go far into the body. To remedy this, I suggest clamping the frame in place within the body, and then slowly glue along the frame rails where it meets the body. Plenty of patience and drying time is required here.

A pattern is also given to cut out side windows from a piece of included acetate plastic. This is a very clumsy operation. No matter how closely you outline the pattern for the windows on the piece of plastic, cutting them out will pose major problems, and no matter how carefully you glue the plastic in place, you will see the edges of the plastic and glue when you look thru the windows. My advice? Forget the side windows!

Finally, we come to block seven. Here, the door handles are added to the doors, the tail lights (after using transparent red) are added if you want. Again, some had them, others did not.

According to National Hot Rod Association (NHRA) rules, any vehicle capable of hitting 150mph, had to use a mandatory drag chute. One is included, and there is an edge on the trunk lid where you can place it. But be VERY careful not to get glue on the trunk when attaching it.

Special instructions are also given on how to cut the photo-etch grill from the included fret, and how to attach it to the grille opening. Study these instructions well, go slow, test fit often, and you should do well.

Finally too, the head light buckets are installed in the front fenders, and the clear lens added.

This completes the model.

Step eight has the decal placement guide. If you don't trust the Revell decals, Slix has Pittman decals available, as well as "Mini-Sheets" with gasser names, logos etc. available. Just go to SLIXX website, and choose GASSERS, and a wide variety of decals appear for gassers.

Plan your own individual gasser well. For inspiration and reference on 1960s drag gassers, I direct you to the following excellent book – GASSER WARS- Drag Racing's Street Classes: 1955-1968, by Larry Davis. You might find cheap, used copies of this book available on Amazon.com. I did!

I can well remember when the Stone, Woods, & Cooke 1941 Willys kit was released in the mid-1960s, and how I and my high school building buddies – John and Paul, used to dream up our "dream cars" and gather together in John's basement. We all had Willys kits, and we let ourselves "go wild" in building them. I hope you do the same.

This is a relatively simple kit. There's nothing really overly complicated at Skill Level 2. If you still remember drag racing in the 1960s, especially the gasser class, this is a no-brainer. GET ONE and HAVE FUN! —ED

WWII U.S. Aircraft collection arrives at EAA

It has long been my dream to produce a complete history of U.S. military aircraft in 1/72 scale model form. Of course, no other scale can provide the wide variety of a century of American air power in kit form. Despite this “small” scale, to put together a display as I’ve dreamed it would require a lot of display space. I’ve been blessed with a lot of square-footage in my home, but as time goes on and the models accumulate, it became clear that I needed more display area. So in 2015 I arranged with the Experimental Aircraft Association to donate my entire collection for display at the EAA Aviation Museum in Oshkosh, Wisconsin. I also realized that to fulfill my dream of a “complete” history in model form, that I had a lot of modeling to do within an indeterminate, yet ever shrinking, period of time.

Since the Museum just can’t take hundreds of models at once, we set up plans for thematic displays to be set up in stages. The first display was my 30-model “U.S. Air Force Jet Fighters” which went up to the Museum in 2016. As time passed, I realized that I don’t have enough of it to finish the hundreds of kits to complete all the models needed, so I formed a team of modelers to help accomplish the full history. Most of the team are members of the Bong Chapter and familiar

faces to all. The team consists of Chris Cortez, Chuck Davis, Joe Hegedus (in Maryland), Paul Johnston, Andy Keyes, Mike Klessig, Jeff Neal, Aaron Skinner, and Matt Walker. This team produced about half of the 100-model U.S. Aircraft of World War II display that was on display at the July 2018 meeting, and all within a two-year period. Needless to say, the display would have been incomplete without their time and talents.

The World War II collection, all 100 models, was installed in custom display cases at the Museum on October 21st. Team members Chris, Chuck, Paul, Andy, and Aaron helped me position the models, along with the help of Museum Director Bob Campbell and Curator of Displays Zack Baughman. The Museum staff created seven bi-level cases and labels for each model. The cases are placed around the periphery of the Museum’s Eagle Hangar, alongside such full-scale classics as the P-38, F4U-4 Corsair, J2F Duck, and Mosquito.

Since the completion of the WWII collection, former FineScale Modeler editor Matt Usher, and former Wisconsinite David Anderson have promised to pitch in to future thematic displays.

So, when (not if) you visit the EAA Aviation Museum, but sure to check out the model displays!



There were 26 model Information cards filled out. Please make sure you fill out the Model Information cards. **Please fill them out clearly.** I enter what I can read and my eyes aren't what they used to be. **Also please leave them on the display table.** The format of this list is: Modelers name, Item being displayed, Kit Manufacturer and Scale.

*Editors Note: In an effort to show more club models I have added more pages of finished models.
If you do not see your model it is because I could not see the name card associated with the model in the photo.*

Doug Chaltry F4F Wildcat Hasegawa 1/72, Ki-84 Hayate ARII/Otaki 1/48

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John Plzak M54A2C 5 ton truck AFV Club 1/35

Al Jones 1956 Chevy Nomad Revell 1/25, Nakajima Ki-27b-Kai Hasegawa 1/48, Nakajima B6N2 "Jill" Type 12 Hasegawa 1/48

Bill Cook Orange Crate Revell 1/25

Paul Boyer P-40N Special Hobby 1/72

Paul Johnston 1971 Nissan Skyline GT-4 Fijimi 1/24

Pat Hahn Bismark Revell 1/570, Flying Circus ESCI Revell Airfix 1/76

Matt Krinke Gloster Meteor AMT 1/48

Dennis Tennant Armord Fighting Suit S.A.F.S. Nitto 1/16, IJN Ka-Mi Amphibious Tank Dragon 1/72, Churchill Mk.III Dragon 1/72

Jay Wichmann Diorama "Terotzuki Torpedoed" Aoshima 1/2000

Vic Rood 1963 Catalina NASCAR MCW Resin 1/25

Ed Doering 1940 Ford Daytona Modified AMT 1/25

Jeff Neal Hansa Brandenburg D.1 Flashback 1/48

Greg Waldo 1910 Bleriot Monoplane Lindberg 1/48

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2018 Annual Club Contest by John Werwie

Friday, November 9, 2018 is this year's annual club contest. All registered members are invited to enter a model(s). Entering a model unequivocally shows your commitment and support to the R.I Bong Chapter club.

Model Categories

- Juniors (under 17 years of age)
- Ships (all scales)
- Dioramas/Vignettes (all scales)
- Figures (all scales)
- Open (what does not fit into the other listed categories is entered in the "Open category)
- Car, Truck, and Cycle - Competition
- Car, Truck, and Cycle – Non-Competition
- Military Vehicles – Fully-tracked
- Military Other - Partially tracked, wheeled, artillery and other (all scales)
- Aircraft –Props (1/72, 1/100, 1/144, 1/200, etc.)
- Aircraft –Jets (1/72, 1/100, 1/144, 1/200, etc.)
- Aircraft –Props (1/24, 1/48, 1/32)
- Aircraft – Jets (1/24, 1/48, 1/32)
- Best of Show (one model)

Fee:

- None

Model eligibility:

- Any model built by the entrant is eligible for entry. The only restriction is that the built model must not have been entered in any previous R.I. Bong Chapter annual contest.

Awards:

- *This year more Gold, Silver and Bronze recognitions will be awarded*

Judging:

- Club members present at the annual contest evening are eligible to judge.

Best of Year

- The Best of Show is selected by voting club members in attendance. This model receives only this award, allowing other models an opportunity in the entered category to receive an award.

Annual Recognition Ceremony

- Awards shall be presented during the Annual Holiday Celebration/Gift exchange at the club's December.

Inclement Weather:

- Due to inclement weather causing low attendance at the November annual club contest, members present would vote on whether to hold the contest or postpone the contest to the December meeting. Awards then would be presented during the January meeting.

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Mike Mattheiss

AUGUST
7-10

BOMBED PEARL HARBOR?

NOOGA NATS



2019 NATIONAL CONVENTION

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6th Annual

K.A.R.S. PRODUCTIONS
SATURDAY DEC 1st 2018
 10am - 3pm Awards to Follow

JOHNSTOWN COMMUNITY CENTER
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ALL TOY & MODEL VENDORS WELCOME
 Good Food and Snacks Available!

General Admission \$5 Early Floor Rights \$20

ALSO HAPPENING

ATTACK OF THE PLASTIC Model Contest



Unlimited Model Entry + Admission \$10

- **RAT RODS**...Rough & Rusty
- **SMALL TRUCK**...Pick Ups & Vans
- **COMMERCIAL TRUCK**...Above 1 Ton
- **CUSTOM**...Lead Sleds & Low Riders
- **HOT RODS**...Modified Antique or Classic Up To 1948
- **DIORAMA**...Models Must Be On Base W/Scene Approx 2'X2'
- **SLAMMER**...No Engine, Hood Doesn'T Open, Interior Ok
- **BOX STOCK**... No Mods...Painting/Chrome Foil Ok, Bring Instructions
- **FACTORY STOCK**...No Mag Wheels, Blowers, Etc.
- **STREET MACHINE**...1948 to Present
- **FACTORY MUSCLE**...No Mag Wheels, Blowers, Etc.
- **IMPORT**...We Know Some Are Made Here, But...
- **STRAIGHT LINE RACE**...Drag/Land Speed
- **RACE**...Oval or Road Course
- **MISC**...Military, Roth Monsters, Figures, Etc

MODEL CLASSIFICATION DETERMINED AT TIME OF ENTRY

Awards in All Classes..... No Sweep

EVERY POSSIBLE PRECAUTION WILL BE TAKEN TO INSURE THE SAFE HANDLING AND GUARDING OF CONTEST ENTRIES AND ITEMS FOR SALE HOWEVER NEITHER K.A.R.S. PRODUCTIONS OR JOHNSTOWN COMMUNITY CENTER WILL BE RESPONSIBLE FOR DAMAGE OR THEFT OF PROPERTY. MODELS MUST BE LEFT ON DISPLAY UNTIL 3PM. NO EARLY PACKING BY VENDORS OR CONTEST ENTRIES! MODELERS AND VENDORS MUST AGREE TO THESE AND OTHER RULES THAT MAY BE ESTABLISHED!

SHOW INFORMATION - RICK ALLEN 262.745.5500 or rickierods53@charter.net

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Show starts at 9 am & ends at 1 pm - \$5 admission

Kids under 16 FREE - Early Admission \$15 (7-9 am)

call (414) 573-8903 For information and day of show

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P.O. Box 13301 Wauwatosa, WI 53213

Signature _____ Date _____

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Vendors must have 75% slot car items

WAMC

UPDATE

FACEBOOK

I will be posting to WAMC Facebook. Keep Checking as I will announce & share sponsors, trophy designs, vendors and more. Also if any of you have photos you want shared put them on the page or send them to me and I will take care of it for you.

WEBSITE

I will have the Web Site updated and completed by August 14th. Then will keep adding information as it becomes available.

SPONSORS

I have sent out many sponsor packets and even hand delivered some. As sponsors get back to us we will be posting their names on facebook, on the web page and in our newsletter.

VENDORS

Ralphs Models will be in attendance again! Ralph brings over 1000 kits!

Susan will also be back, with her vintage aircraft models.

Thanks to both for early confirmation!

Winnebago Area Model Classic
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Automotive Challenge Class- Revell Bronco /66 Chevy Suburban
Aircraft Challenge -VietNam: F4 Phantom/Skyraider/Huey
Visit our website for complete rules and category listings
BUILD SOMETHING!!!!
Last Years Event had more than 400 models entered!!!

Contest Theme: 1968 the times they are a changin.

Entries will have their own table and this is open to all genres. Aircraft, Armor, Figures, Autos, Sci-Fi and what ever else you can think to build. There will be a special Award for the Theme Award. Your model must relate to 1968 in some manner. Manufactured, major event, decommissioned what ever you can think of that relates will be eligible.

Ford Bronco vs Chevy Suburban Shootout

Select the 66 Chevy Suburban or the First Gen Revell Bronco Build it any way you want! Street Custom, Drag, Rock Crawler, 4x4, Rust Bucket or what ever you can think of. This will be an additional \$5 entry but the winner takes the money home and award. Also last years winner may have a special something to pass along! You must start with one of these kits. Creativity & craftsmanship will be rewarded!



Viet Nam Air Power Challenge Class

Select the Phantom F4, Skyraider or Huey, build it as it was flown over Viet Nam during the war years and compete for Cash prize and Award. Also last years winner may add some-thing to sweeten the pot! This class will have an additional \$5 entry fee and once again all money goes to the Winner! The kits can be any scale. But they must be one of the three listed subjects!



Family Fun!
Planes, Trains, and Automobiles
Plastic Model Kit
and
Model Railroad Swap Meet and
Show

Saturday, January 19, 2019
9AM to 3PM

St. John Lutheran Church
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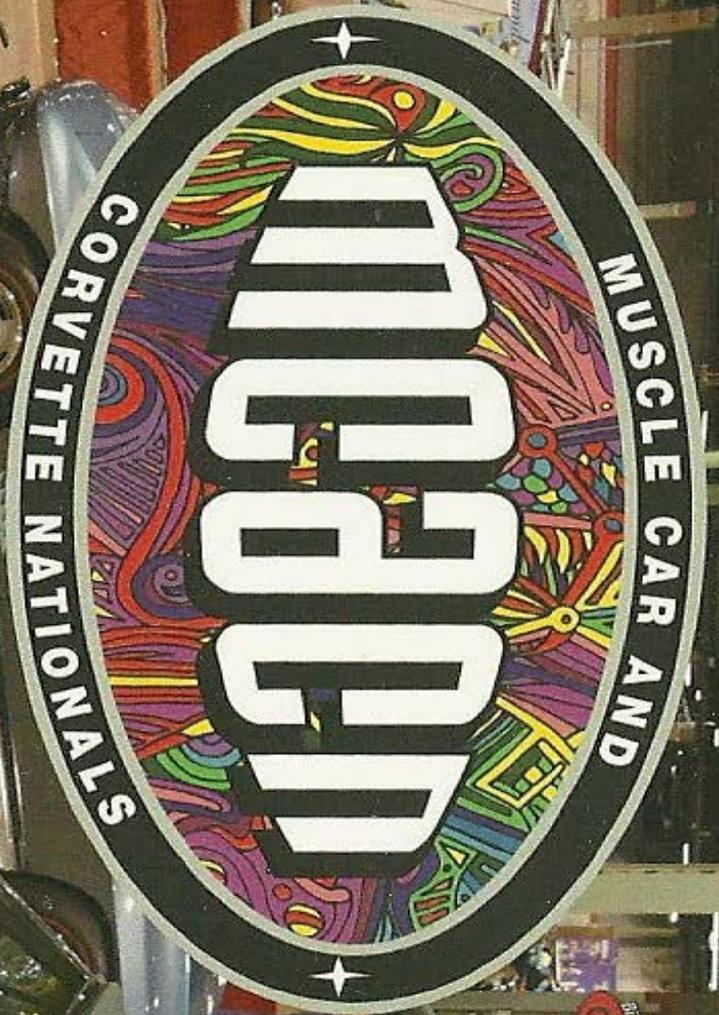
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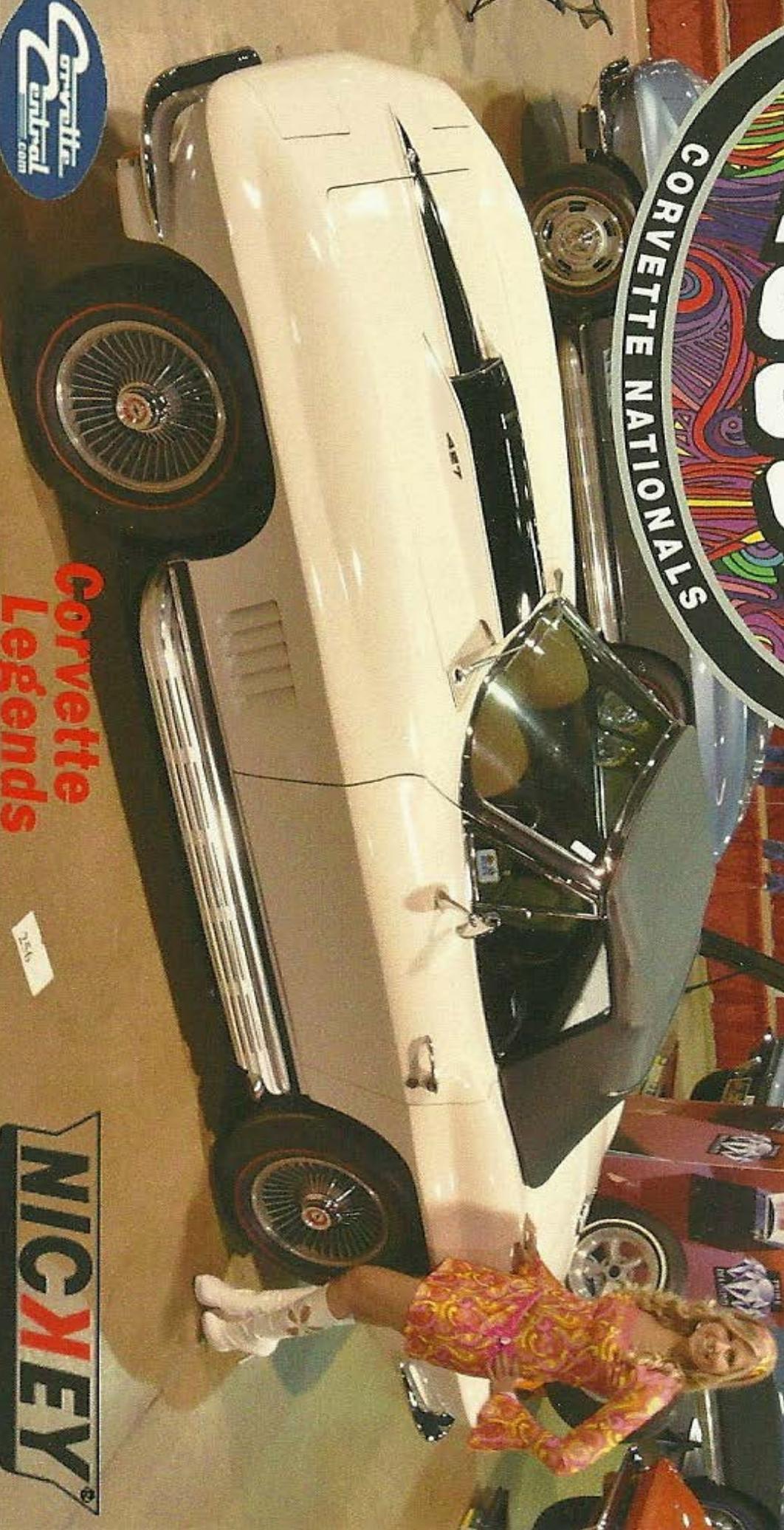
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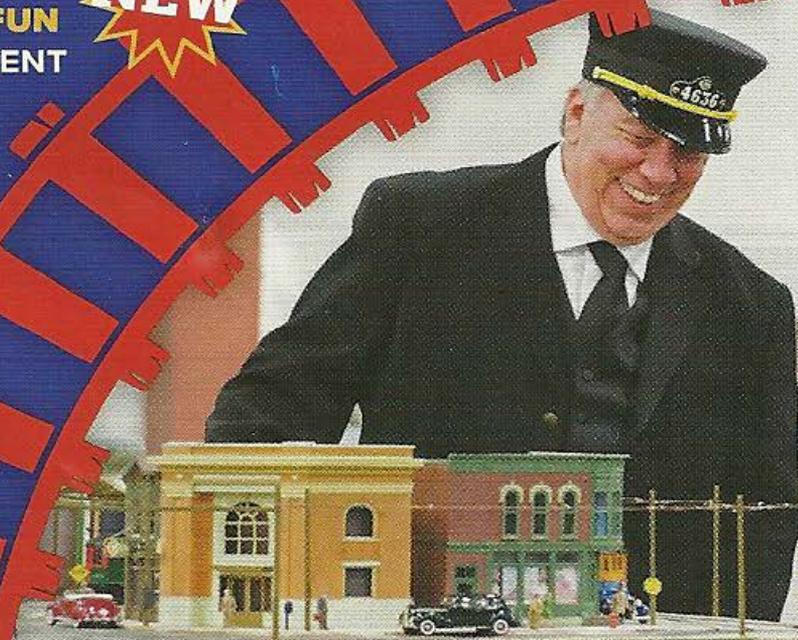
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Engine starts, & bike runs & drives a-ok.

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It ONLY HAS 30 MILES on it. Not even broken in yet.

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