



# CSM Debrief

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Our **next meeting** will be on **Sunday, August 4, 2019** from 2 – 4 PM. The club meets at Eastminster Presbyterian Church, 4600 Erie Avenue, Madisonville, Ohio 45227.

## On the Modeling Bench:

- Revamp CSM website: Dave Reed is working on a new website as our old one is a bit long in the tooth.
- Annual Cincinnati Scale Modelers membership fees are \$15. You do not have to join the national organization to join our club.
- IPMS/USA national membership fees are \$30 per year and include the IPMS/USA Journal. If you are a member of the IPMS/USA you can enter models into the national contest. See [www.ipmsusa.org](http://www.ipmsusa.org) for details.
- You can pay your dues, or make other payments, such as for a vendor table at our contest. Go to the club website and select the “Shopping” tab and “Pay 2019 dues”.
- Long range: CSM Model Contest & Swap Meet – Saturday, October 19, 2019
- Please consider donating your ‘never will I built it’ kits to the club for raffles or for the VA project.

## In the Paint Booth:

- Check out the apparel page on our webpage and click on the logo to shop for CSM club apparel. It is a simple order setup, and then you are ready to order items.
- We will be building a pictorial directory of our members (Who *is* that?). Expect to have your photo taken. Those in a Witness Protection Program can opt out. 😊
- Might we have a ‘group build’ challenge from time to time? Such as a kit-bash challenge?

## Raffle

Door Prizes	Raffle Prizes	
Academy 1/48 Mig 21PF	DML 1/35 T-34/76	Tamiya 1/48 F-51D
Italeri 1/35 Autoblinda AB 40	DML 1/35 Flak 38T	Trumpeter 1/72 Wellington
Hobbyboss 1/48 UH-1C	Tamiya 1/35 M-1 Super Sherman	Hasegawa 1/48 F-104G
		Revell 1/48 F-86D

**Wants & Disposals** – If you have a want or disposal of a kit, book, or supplies, please call (513) 489-5387 or send email to: [rschorry@cinci.rr.com](mailto:rschorry@cinci.rr.com)

**VA project(s)** – The Cincinnati Scale Modelers VA Support group (CSMVASG – got a better acronym?) continues to staff model building sessions at the VA hospital in Clifton. Volunteers work with veterans on the scale modeling hobby, helping them build, share stories, etc. every Tuesday from 9 to 11:30. Call Tom Owens if you are interested in helping. (513) 351-1582

The VA Medical Center always needs kits appropriate to the skills of beginners. Just now a new bunch has started building so snap-tite or easy build kits would be a help, if you have any to donate.

**Interested in writing an article or taking photos?** The *CSM Debrief* is looking for original info on models, workbench techniques, or Roadside Relics you may see. Send them to the editor for possible publication. The “Debrief” is available by post or email (to save postage, trees, and hassle, I recommend email!). It is also posted each month on the CSM club website. We also have a Facebook page, so search for “Cincinnati Scale Modelers.”

**Upcoming events in or near “IPMS/USA Region IV”** See [www.ipmsusa.org](http://www.ipmsusa.org)

Date	What & Where	Link
8/7 - 8/10	IPMS/USA 2019 National Convention – Chattanooga, TN	<a href="http://www.ipmsnationals.com/">http://www.ipmsnationals.com/</a>
10/19	CSM Model Contest & Swap Meet - Sharonville, OH	<a href="http://cincyipms.com">http://cincyipms.com</a>



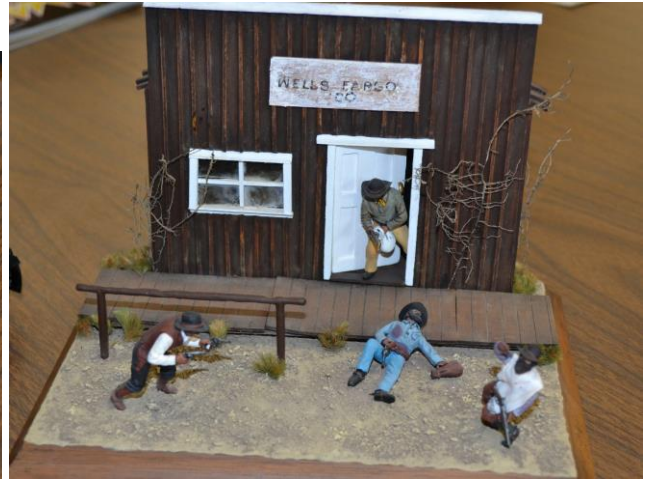
*Please try to keep your telephone and email up to date with the club. In case of severe weather or other reason, we will try to contact you if our monthly meeting is cancelled or postponed.*

*Thank you!*

## Some July meeting models











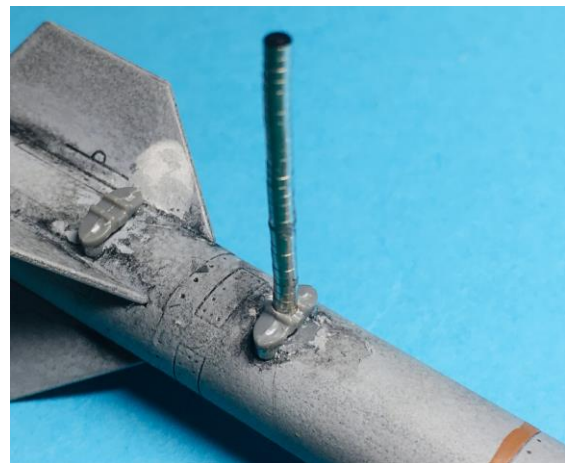
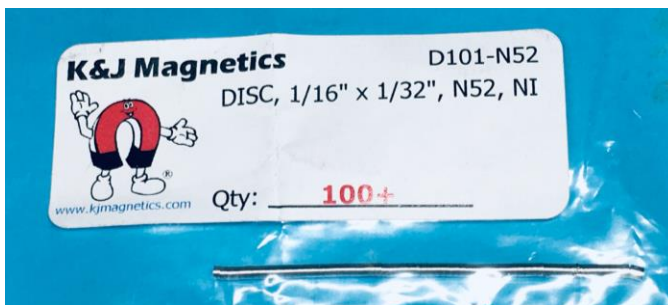




## Interchangeable Ordnance - Using Neodymium Magnets by Chris Vandegrift

One of the love - hate relationships I have in modeling jets is deciding what ordnance to put under it. I love looking for the biggest payload. I hate deciding on just one! There's so many cool combinations out there. How do you decide what to put under it? Google makes for even more hours of indecision as now you can often see unique load-outs, standard load-outs, and read anecdotes from aviation ordnance-men! On my recent F-18A build I ran across just this case. So many options and acronyms to learn – SEAD, Fast FAC, PGM missions, surface attack, who knew.

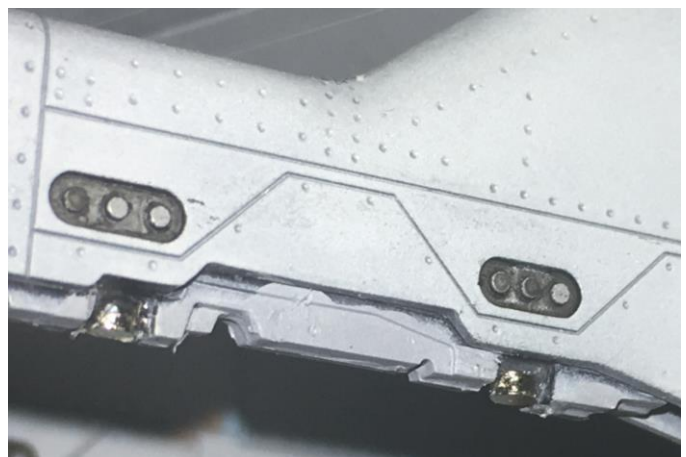
I used to work for a company that used magnets extensively. Knowing there were these extremely strong neodymium magnets out there I thought it's time to see how small they come. Turns out they have a size now that works well for 1/32 jets. And if the magnet you use won't be visible then there are all kinds of options that can turn your model into a variable showpiece, different every time you put it on display. Here's a recap of how I setup the ordnance on my F-18 and the lessons I learned. I hope you enjoy it and have enough information to try it out yourself. I'll look for applications at future meetings.



These are currently the smallest they have, 0.07 lbs force. Don't try to work with just 1 magnet. The magnet stack allows you to hold it in place for cementing. Two of these are just enough to hold a 1/32 belly tank.



The opposing magnet goes on the rail. In this case I didn't have to drill a hole to get the correct gap between the rail and the ordnance. If needed you can drill a small 1/32" diameter hole for the magnet.



Close up shot of the magnets CA'd into the slot.





Finished product! Lesson learned here too... the magnets flip easily. Double check that your poles are aligned, or you will have a jet ready to drop its ordnance instead of hold onto it if you know what I mean.

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## Join IPMS/USA!

IPMS/USA is dedicated to the hobby (and fun) of Scale Modeling. The organization was started in 1964. There are now branches of IPMS all over the world. Local Regions and Chapters sponsor Model shows and contests every year, but you needn't be a national member to visit the shows or attend the club meetings! With IPMS/USA Membership, you will receive the outstanding IPMS/USA Journal 6 times a year, including topics on all scale modeling subjects such as aircraft, armor, automotive, ships, sci-fi, and figures. You will also find listings of IPMS contests, swap meets, hints and tips, and reviews. Membership qualifies you to participate in IPMS/USA sanctioned contests, and in the National Convention, held each summer. As a member, you'll also be able to access our online Discussion Board, where a wide variety of modeling topics are discussed, and enjoy interaction with other serious modelers for help with questions about modeling techniques or the Society in general. Many Hobby Shops and Model Vendors around the USA offer discounts to IPMS/USA Members. Memberships are available in several types:

Junior: 17 years old or Younger, \$17.00 per year

Adult: 1 Year \$30.00, 2 Years \$58.00, 3 Years \$86.00

Family: Adult Membership plus \$5.00 (Additional Membership cards as requested)

Canada or Mexico: \$35.00 per Year Foreign: \$38.00 per Year (Journal via Regular Mail)

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Signature (required by P.O.) \_\_\_\_\_

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☐ Junior (Under 18 Years) \$17 ☐ Family, 1 Year: \$35 (Adult + \$5, One Set Journals) How Many Cards? \_\_\_\_\_

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Payment Method: ☐ Check ☐ Money Order ☐ Credit Card (MC/VISA/DISC)

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