



# The Arch Scaler News

Newsletter of the Gateway Chapter of  
the International Plastic Modelers' Society

<https://sites.google.com/view/ipmsgatewaychapter/home>

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## April Meeting

Tuesday, 16 April 2019, 7:30 pm  
Calvary Presbyterian Church  
3400 Lemay Ferry Road, Mehlville, Mo.

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## This Month's Meeting:

- Jim Triola Enlightens Us on Lighting Up Models
- Show & Tell: Bring In Your Latest Work
- Club Polo Shirts Are In!



Jim Triola delivers his demo on making water for ship bases at the club's General Meeting on 19 March 2019. (Photo by Bob Delaney)

### Arch Scaler News Deadline Dates

Anyone wishing to submit articles, notices of upcoming events, wants and disposals, etc. for publication in this newsletter, please get it to the editor (314.835.7480 or [rsdelaney@sbcglobal.net](mailto:rsdelaney@sbcglobal.net)) at least 2 weeks before the next general meeting. Any and all material cheerfully accepted, but copy written in Microsoft Word or similar application is even more cheerfully accepted.

## 19 March 2019 General Meeting Minutes

President Rick Keasey called the meeting to order at 7:30 pm. There were 28 attendees, including one guests: Kent Menning, who found out about us from Schaefer's Hobby Shop. Lawrence Sigel joined us at this meeting.

Treasurer Jim Victor said we had received 30 orders for club polo shirts, with two of them to be paid for. He would accept more orders that night, then place them for delivery by next month's meeting.

Keasey mentioned that memberships were now on a calendar year basis, promoted our contest in September (trophy sponsorships are needed), and acknowledged John Bione as our first member to have joined online. Secretary Bob Delaney called the roll.

John Mueller said that Wingnut Wings—best known for its World War I aircraft kits—would come out with a 1:32 scale Lancaster Mk. III Dambuster later this year.

In Show and Tell: Marion Morris with HK Models' 1:32 B-17F Flying Fortress Work in Progress (WIP), which he's doing as *Memphis Belle*; Larry Alexander with his completed Tamiya 1:35 Pz.Kpfw IV Ausf. D.; Don Will with his finished Warhammer 28mm fantasy figure; Mike McShea with his completed Great Wall 1:48 P-61B Black Widow, AFV Club 1:35 M60A3, and Airfix 1:48 P-51D Mustang; Randy Kleeschulte had Eduard's 1:48 F6F-5 Hellcat WIP; Jim Jurgensmeyer brought in his Airfix 1:48 P-40B WIP; Dave Roeder showed off three awards he won at the Cedarville (Illinois) Toy Show and Model Car Contest on 10 March 2019, along with a scratch built 1:25 sports car and a 1:25 White cab over engine truck; Victor with Trumpeter's 1:200 HMS Nelson 1944 kit; Albert White spoke of Dennis Bowman's Trumpeter 1:32 TBF Avenger; and Keasey showed off RT Dioramas' 1:35 church WIP, and five models and the awards they won at the IPMS/Roscoe Turner Contest and Swap Meet in Indianapolis on 9 March.

Jim Triola presented his demo on making ocean water for ship model bases. He brought in Trumpeter's 1:200 USS Hornet (CV-8) WIP, which he's doing for the Battle of Midway. The water base is made from Celluclay paper mache and painted using Krylon Navy Blue spray paint, Floquil CSX Blue (out of production), zinc chromate green, light gray, and white. Triola also uses Woodland Scenics realistic water for details.

Marion Morris drew raffle tickets for those who brought in Show and Tell items. Winners were: Jim Jurgensmeyer, picking Eduard's 1:48 F6F-3 Hellcat; and, Don Will, selecting Meng's 1:35 Jagdpanther Ausf G1.

Keasey announced that there will be a business meeting one week from this night (26 March) at Bill Wagner's house. All club members are welcome to attend our business meetings.

Meeting was adjourned at 8:52 pm.

Submitted by: Bob Delaney, Secretary

## 26 March 2019 Business Meeting Minutes

President Rick Keasey called the meeting to order at 7:35 pm at Bill Wagner's house. Five members were in attendance.

The April and May General Meetings were planned. Jim Triola will present a demo on lighting for models in April. May's meeting, besides the Modeler of the Year contest, will include a model photography demo. Keasey will bring the background, while Bob Delaney will supply a tripod and his camera. Other members with cameras will be asked to bring theirs in.

Keasey said that this summer's IPMS National Convention in Chattanooga is encouraging club displays, and he would like all of us going to bring as many models as possible for such a display. This point will be emphasized by Keasey at upcoming meetings and in the newsletter. Approximately 12 members at the general meeting expressed interest in going to Chattanooga. Keasey said we should have a club banner for this display and will ask Marion Morris to look into this.

An idea Keasey brought up was to have a secret word included in the newsletter, to see how many members read *The Arch Scaler News*. This would be a nonsense word included in the narrative. Bill Wagner suggested that member write down the secret word and put it in a box to be drawn. The winner would receive a \$5 hobby shop gift certificate. Delaney will develop a trial newsletter section for the e-board to review in April.

Morris was unable to attend this meeting, but had messaged the e-board in advance to discuss our hosting the 2020 Region 5 Contest. Board members thought this was possible, and will study this further. This would take the place of our annual contest for next year. Wagner suggested a school building in Affton as a possible show venue should the Holiday Inn—Route 66 not be suitable. The e-board will contact Chris Merseal before going further into this matter.

Keasey is looking into Wounded Warrior Project as our charity for 2019 (Invitational raffle, 50/50 raffles). His suggestion about doing a model building session at a Veterans Affairs hospital was set aside until next year.

Wagner suggested that the membership vote on staying with Toys for Tots or going with another charity.

The club placed orders for 32 polo shirts with 4imprint on 20 March. They should be delivered to the club by 1 April. Jim Victor said this is a great financial deal for us. Shirts will be distributed to members who ordered it at the April General Meeting.

Meeting room arrangements at the March General Meeting were discussed. Wagner said feedback from members was good, though the tables should be farther apart for more seating room. The e-board agreed that Show and Tell took up more time than at previous meetings.

Keasey wants to ask the club who wants to do demos at meetings. One doesn't have to be an authority on the subject to do a demo.

Delaney mentioned that we can get a free ¼ page ad for our Invitational in the *IPMS/USA Journal*. He said we would have until 15 June to reserve space and 25 June to submit the ad to go into the July/August issue. Keasey to do a prototype ad, based on the show flyer.

The meeting was adjourned at 8:43 pm.

Submitted by: Bob Delaney, Secretary

## President's Blurb

Spring is here and so are the shirts. They arrived at my house last week and I will be bringing them to April's General meeting. I was pleasantly surprised by the quality of the shirt and the **embroidered** logo.

Speaking of the meeting, I had nothing but positive feedback for the way our Show & Tell went. I, too, thought it went very well and was very pleased with the amount of participation. I very much look forward to April's Show & Tell. Please bring in a couple of your completed models, WIPs, unique tools, new kits, etc. All Show & Tell participants will receive a chance to win a new model kit in the genre of his choosing.

Next month, we will be demonstrating model photography using old techniques and exploring new ones. Come to this month's meeting to find out more.

Rick Keasey

## Content Needed

Have any articles or ideas for articles for *The Arch Scaler News*? I can use them. Please let me know. Thanks in advance.

Bob Delaney, Editor

## Editor's Notebook

Happy Spring in earnest! Love this weather now. I hope that doesn't stop your model building output, with several contests (including ours in September) coming up.

I was so happy with the Show & Tell presentations at last month's meeting. Let's keep it up! Nothing beats being able to show off your work and even ask for help on your latest projects.

Earlier this month, I was invited by the Missouri Aviation Historical Society to exhibit at a STEM (Science, Technology, Engineering, and Mathematics) fair at Pattonville High School in Maryland Heights, Missouri. Yours truly brought several models and club literature to our table. Most fair attendees had left by the time I arrived in early afternoon, but a few visitors came by to admire the models and to ask about our hobby and club. One of the fair's organizers talked with me for a bit, and I gave her one of our flyers. I believe that any such opportunities for promote our hobby and club—be it STEM fairs or with other educational and historical organizations—should be pursued. You never know where we might get new members, and any awareness of scale modeling and of IPMS/Gateway is most welcome.

Don't be shy about talking us up. Feel free to mention IPMS/Gateway and scale modeling on social media. If you haven't already, please follow us on Facebook and like us on Twitter and Instagram. Social media addresses are on the back page of the newsletter.

Take care and see you at the meeting! Happy modeling!

Bob Delaney



**Bob Delaney poses at IPMS/Gateway's table at the STEM fair at Pattonville High School on 6 April 2019. (Photo by Joe Gurney)**



## Modeler of the Year 2019 Points and Standings

At the first Modeler of the Year (MOY) Contest last month, there were 38 entries. Even with the weather, we had a great turn out for the first MOY Contest of the year. The standings show that there is no clear front runner.

The next MOY Contest is May. **Special Category: Six is a Serious Number.**

Name	Feb 2019	Total 2019
Marion Morris	16	16
Dave Roeder	13	13
Mike Kuchar	10	10
Bob Delaney	9	9
Randy Kleeschulte	9	9
Scott Allen	4	4
Caleb Duttlinger (Jr.)	5	5

Any questions/comments: Please direct them to the Contest Chairman, Marion Morris.

### Notes from the Contest Chairman:

**Modeler of the Year May 2019 Contest:** Check for the February Modeler of the Year results, given above. The next Modeler of the Year (MOY) contest is May 2019. The special category for the MOY in May is: **Six is a Serious Number.** If the subject of the model of an aircraft, ship, car, etc. has a title, name, or nickname including the word or number Six, e.g. F-16, F-86, A6M Zero, or a six as a part of the advertisement on an automobile, etc., so you're your imagination. Remember that you will get two extra points for just entering the Special Category. If you have a question on your entry, please contact me (my contact information is on the back of the newsletter).

Contest Chairman: Marion Morris

### 2019 Modeler of the Year Contests

~~19 February. Special Category: Out of the Box (ALL ENTRIES)~~

21 May. Special Category: 6 is a Serious Number (6/Six in the subject's name or designation)

17 September. Special Category: Let's Go Topless (Open cockpit aircraft, convertible cars, open-topped armored vehicles, etc.)

19 November. Special Category: Italiano (Italian subjects)

Each contest has these regular categories: Aircraft, Armor, Automotive, Ships, Space/Sci-Fi, Dioramas, Figures, Miscellaneous, and Juniors.

You receive one point for entering each model in the contest, and an additional point for entering in the Special Category. Category winners receive three points, second place earns two points, and third place gets one point. We operate with "no sweeps" rules, so you can only earn one prize per category, no matter how many entries you have in that category.

## Support Your Local Hobby Shops

### Checkered Flag Hobby Country

3847 Lemay Ferry Rd.  
St. Louis, MO 63125  
314.714.9237 or 314.843.7800  
<https://checkeredflaghobby.com/>

### Mark Twain Hobby Center

2793 W. Clay St.  
St. Charles, MO 63301  
636.946.2816  
<https://www.hobby1.com/>

### Schaefer's Hobby Shop

11659 Gravois Rd.  
St. Louis, MO 63126  
314.729.7077  
<http://schaeferhobby.com/>

## Show Time!

### 14<sup>th</sup> Annual IPMS/Gateway Invitational Model Contest & Swap Meet

Special Category: "1969—Hippies and Heroes"

Saturday, 14 September 2019

Holiday Inn St. Louis SW—Route 66, 10705 Watson Road, St. Louis, MO 63127

<https://sites.google.com/view/ipmsgatewaychapter/contest>

We are seeking trophy sponsorships. Ask around people and organizations that you know and deal with to see if they can help. Sponsorship forms are on the contest website. Kit raffle donations are also needed.

## March Meeting Photos (by Bob Delaney)



Marion Morris brought in his HK Models 1:32 scale B-17F Flying Fortress Work in Progress (WIP).



Larry Alexander had completed this Tamiya 1:35 Pz.Kpfw IV Ausf. D.



Mike McShea brought in his AFV Club 1:35 M60A3.



Also from McShea was this Airfix 1:48 P-51D Mustang.



A third McShea completed model was this Great War 1:48 P-61B Black Widow.

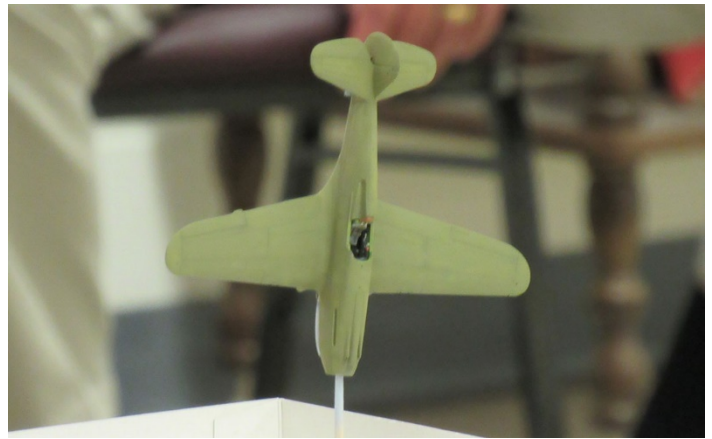


This WIP Randy Kleeschulte brought in was an Eduard 1:48 F6F-5 Hellcat.





Rick Keasey displayed his five award-winning models from the IPMS/Roscoe Turner contest in Indianapolis on 9 March.



This Airfix 1:72 P-40B WIP was brought in by Jim Jurgensmeyer.



Don Will displayed this Warhammer 28mm figure.



Jim Victor brought in Trumpeter's 1:200 HMS Nelson 1944 kit.



Dennis Bowman brought in this Trumpeter 1:32 TBF Avenger diorama.



This Rick Keasey WIP is the RT Dioramas' 1:35 church.





Dave Roeder brought in his scratch built 1:25 sports car, which was made mostly from wood.



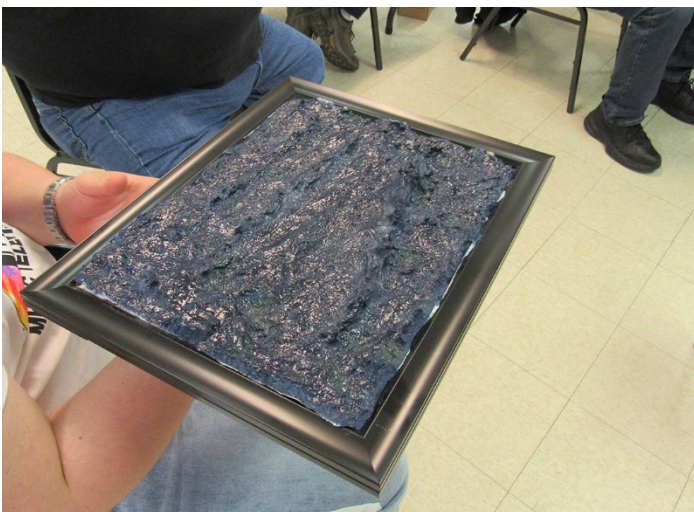
Roeder also brought in this 1:25 White cab over engine truck.



Members sat beside tables where some Show and Tell items were placed.



Roeder displayed these three trophies won by his models at the Cedarville (Illinois) Toy Show and Model Car Contest on 10 March.



Jim Triola showed off a completed ocean base to those who watched his demo.



For his demo, Triola formed Celluclay paper mache around the hull of his Trumpeter 1:200 USS Hornet (CV-8) WIP.





# IPMS Gateway Chapter Model Show, Contest & Swap Meet September 14, 2019



## Hippies

# 1969

## and



## Heroes

Holiday Inn- Route 66  
10709 Watson Rd  
St Louis, Mo

Show Admission: \$3.00 + \$7.00 for Unlimited Contest Entries!  
Doors open 9:00, Judging at 12:00  
<https://sites.google.com/view/ipmsgatewaychapter/contest>  
Contact Chris Merseal at: (314) 832-4840 or [crm@inlink.com](mailto:crm@inlink.com)

### Member Spotlight Biographies Needed

We don't have a Member Spotlight this month. Let's have one in next month's newsletter (and on our website)! Please contact Rick Keasey, Bob Delaney, or Dave Roeder for assistance.

**NOTE: Those who wish to register for the IPMS/USA National Convention this August in Chattanooga, Tennessee MUST be IPMS/USA members.**

Join IPMS/USA  
Today!  
[ipmsusa.org](http://ipmsusa.org)



## IPMS/USA MEMBERSHIP FORM

IPMS No.: \_\_\_\_\_ Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_ If Renewing \_\_\_\_\_ First \_\_\_\_\_ Middle \_\_\_\_\_ Last \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ E-mail: \_\_\_\_\_

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

Type of Membership  Adult, 1 Year: \$30  Adult, 2 Years: \$58  Adult, 3 Years: \$86

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

Canada & Mexico: \$35  Other / Foreign: \$38 (Surface) Checks must be drawn on a US bank or international money order

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

Credit Card No: \_\_\_\_\_ Expiration Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Chapter Affiliation, (if any): \_\_\_\_\_

If Recommended by an IPMS Member, Please List His / Her Name and Member Number:

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ IPMS No.: \_\_\_\_\_

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St. Petersburg, FL 33732-6023



## Upcoming Modeling Dates

### April 2019

16 **IPMS/Gateway General Meeting**

Jim Triola Model Lights Demo  
Calvary Presbyterian Church

27 **Fleacon 15**

IPMS/Alexander Lippisch  
Monticello Berndes Center  
Monticello, IA

<http://www.lippischmodelclub.org/>

### May 2019

4 **Spring in the Pines Model Contest & Swap Meet**

IPMS/North Woods Scale Model Phanatics  
Eagle River Masonic Lodge  
Eagle River, WI

<http://nsmmpmodelclub.org/>

5 **Spring Swap Meet**

Midwest Model Vehicle Association—St. Louis  
Kirkwood Community Center  
Kirkwood, MO

<https://sites.google.com/view/ipmsgatewaychapter/mmva-page>

18 **MMCL Invitational**

IPMS/Military Modelers Club of Louisville  
KYANA Antique Car Collectors Club  
Louisville, KY

<http://www.mmcl.org/>

21 **IPMS/Gateway General Meeting**

Modeler of the Year Contest: 6 is a Serious Number; Model Photography Session  
Calvary Presbyterian Church

### June 2019

8 **SoonerCon 2019**

IPMS/Metro Oklahoma City  
Council Road Baptist Church “The Cube”  
Bethany, OK

<http://www.ipmsmetrookc.com/>

8 **Heartland Model Cars Nationals 28**

IPMS/KC Slammers  
Overland Park Convention Center  
Overland Park, KS

<https://kcslammers.com/>

18 **IPMS/Gateway General Meeting**

Program TBD  
Calvary Presbyterian Church

22 **NIMCON 8**

IPMS/Lakes Region Scale Modelers  
McHenry County College  
Crystal Lake, IL

<http://lakesregionmodelers.com/>

### July 2019

23 **IPMS/Gateway General Meeting  
Slam Fest (7:00 PM START TIME)**

Calvary Presbyterian Church

### August 2019

7-10 **IPMS/USA National Convention**

IPMS/Chattanooga Scale Modelers  
Chattanooga Convention Center  
Chattanooga, TN

<http://www.ipmsusanationals.com/>

20 **IPMS/Gateway General Meeting**

Contest Judging Seminar  
Calvary Presbyterian Church

### September 2019

14 **IPMS/Gateway Invitational**

Holiday Inn St. Louis SW—Route 66  
St. Louis, MO

<https://sites.google.com/view/ipmsgatewaychapter/contest>

15 **IPMS/Gateway Picnic**

Deer Creek Park  
Maplewood, MO

17 **IPMS/Gateway General Meeting**

Modeler of the Year Contest: Let's Go Topless  
Calvary Presbyterian Church

21 **12<sup>th</sup> Annual Model Show**

IPMS/Prison City Modelers  
The Heritage Center  
Leavenworth, KS

<http://leavenworthmodelersclub.org/>

28 **2019 Sprue Doo**

IPMS/Lt.J.G. Nathan Gordon-Central Arkansas  
Scale Modelers  
Arkansas Innovation Hub  
North Little Rock, AR

<http://www.casmodels.org/>

# 2019 Gateway Chapter IPMS Officers

## —Elected Positions of the Executive Board (E-Board)—

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IPMS/Gateway Website: <https://sites.google.com/view/ipmsgatewaychapter/home>

IPMS/Gateway Social Media Pages:

[www.facebook.com/ipmsgateway](http://www.facebook.com/ipmsgateway) • Twitter @IPMSGateway • Instagram @ipmsgateway

Suggested Social Media Hashtag: #IPMSGateway

IPMS/USA Chapter of the Year: 1982-83 • 1991-92

IPMS/USA Region 5 Chapter of the Year: 1982-83 • 1989-90 • 1990-91 • 1991-92 • 1998-99



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