



# The GLUE

of the El Paso Scale Model Society  
August 2011

Well, the Nationals have some and gone, as far as I know only Jerry Wells attended from El Paso. I saw one of his entries on a web site but no winners had been posted as the judging had not been held at that time.

Our August meeting was well attended with some 33 members and guest who braved our dry heat of 103 degrees in order to attend.

An El Paso gentleman, Ray Neal donated a number of models to our club and these were passed on to the Wounded Warriors Program at William Beaumont Hospital. Carl Webster, our liaison took the models and will deliver them for the Club.

Mr. Neal told me that he has a family member serving in one of the war zones and he was excited about his contribution going to the Wounded Warriors Program. Mr. Neal, Thank you

We hope to add a new section to our web-site. Fabian Nevarez has sent some photos of his latest build and will let us add those to the web site. If you have pictures or build articles that you would like to submit, let me know and I will notify our web person.

Sunday, August 14 is our annual Bassett Place Mall Show. Several members signed up for the event and with a little luck, we will have some pictures to add to this issue of the GLUE as I don't think I will have it out before next Sunday. As you can see, I did not get it out before the Bassett Place event.



Dennis Cramer filling out paper work for his Lattice boom Crane.



## On the Tables:

The membership did not bring as much as usual to the meeting, but there were some very nice models to look over.

Modeler	Model	kit	scale	Progress
Dennis Cramer	Lattice Boom Crane	scratch	1/16th	finished
	1934 Chevy Coupe	scratch	1/12th	W.I.P.
Jim Davis	SNJ-6	Revel/Monogram	1/48th	finished
	SNJ-6	Academy	1/72nd	finished
Roy Lingle	Russian 85 S.P. Gun	Trumpeter	1/35th	W.I.P.
	Conversion for M578	Verlinden	1/35th	In box
Joe Schoen	MiG-21 MF	Academy	1/48th	finished
Jose C. Diaz	Bus models	paper/scratch	1/32nd	W.I.P.
Carlos Mendoza	Leopard	??	1/35th	finished

Thanks to Keith Rutherford, professional photographer extra-ordinaire, for taking the photos this month as Mike Boudreaux and his new bride were in Austin. Another Thanks goes to Michael Kennedy for bringing his camera as a back-up. Some of last month's pictures were made with my Samsung S500 which was our back up unit for the July meeting.

Below is one of the pictures that Fabian Nevarez sent of his latest creation, a 1/48<sup>th</sup> Scale UVA MQ-9 Reaper.





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Art Martinez brought several boxes of kits to sell and most of the afternoon was spent looking through some old and not so old kits. He did quite well with his sale and the club benefited from a percentage of his sales, which we immediately spent buying some 1/48<sup>th</sup> scale aircraft to use for our door prize stash. He may return for our September meeting, so you might want to bring some cash, just in case.

John Estes plans to give a decaling seminar at the meeting in September which will be on September 11, the second Sunday because of the Labor Day Weekend being the first Sunday of the month. .

Our next meeting will be a contest meeting. The usual rules apply. We will split the models based on the number of entries in each category. You need to judge all the models entered, except for your own. Your dues must be paid to enter. The September meeting is after all the Ninth meeting of the year. Dues were due in January.

John Estes gave out a printed financial Report that was up to date for the year 2011.



Underneath Fabian's Reaper.



Joseph Schoen's MiG 21.

Joe Schoen, our current active duty guy that is still in the states brought an Academy MiG 21MF in 1/48<sup>th</sup> scale. Joe builds a little bit of everything but usually is considered a tread head as that is his job. Joe will be moving on to Ft. Knox in a month or two. Nice Work.

Dennis Cramer brought his finished Lattice Boom Crane to show. Wow, what a large piece of work. Outstanding work in wood, the usual medium for Dennis. The model is show on page One. Another project that Dennis is working on is a 1934 Chevrolet Coupe in 1/12<sup>th</sup> scale. This model should be finished next month.

Treadhead Head, Roy Lingle brought a 1/35<sup>th</sup> scale Trumpeter kit of the Russian ASU-85 Airborne S.P. Gun as a work in progress. He also had the Verlinden 1/35<sup>th</sup> scale M-578 VTR resin conversion.

Jose C. Diaz had a couple of his paper bus models as works in progress.

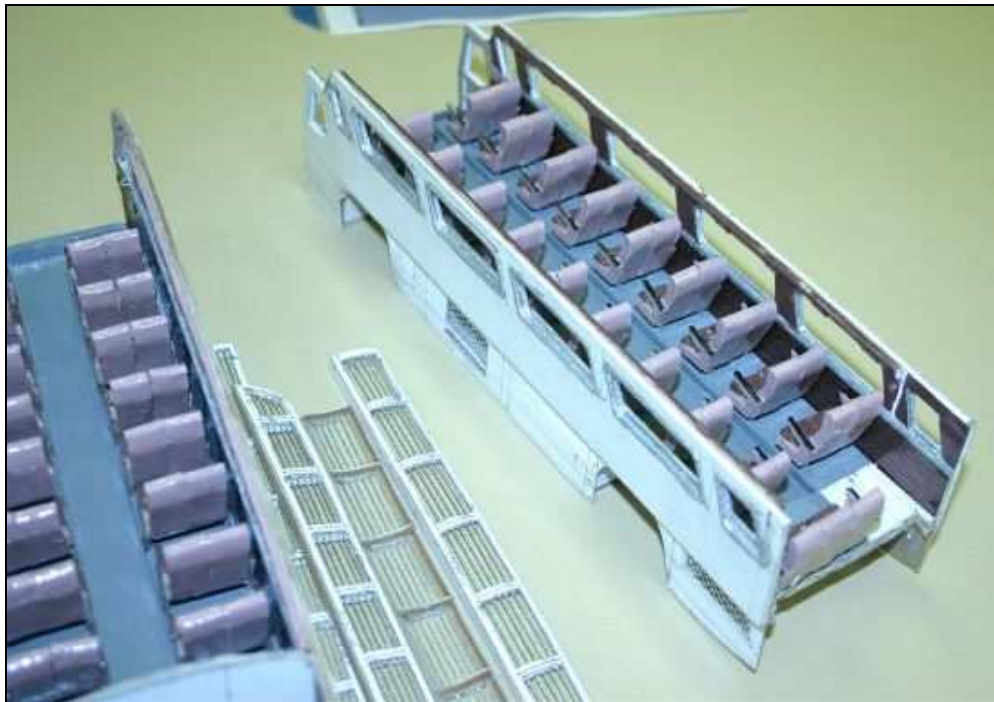
Carlos Mendoza had a nice looking Leopard tank in 1/35<sup>th</sup> scale, but I did not find any info his work thus I can't offer any other details on the model.

Once more, I have not written a My Column for this issue of the GLUE. I can still use some articles, either kit reviews or build articles with pictures for the, not sure what to use here, the rag, the mag or just the newsletter.

As some of you may not know I have written most or all of the text since Gene Forsythe moved from Las Cruces to Wichita Falls several years ago. Gene printed the copies for us when he was here and I have been printing them since he left. All mistakes, written, syntax, etc. are all mine. john estes



Carlos Mendoza's Leopard tank in 1/35<sup>th</sup> scale.



Jose C. Diaz paper buses as works in progress.

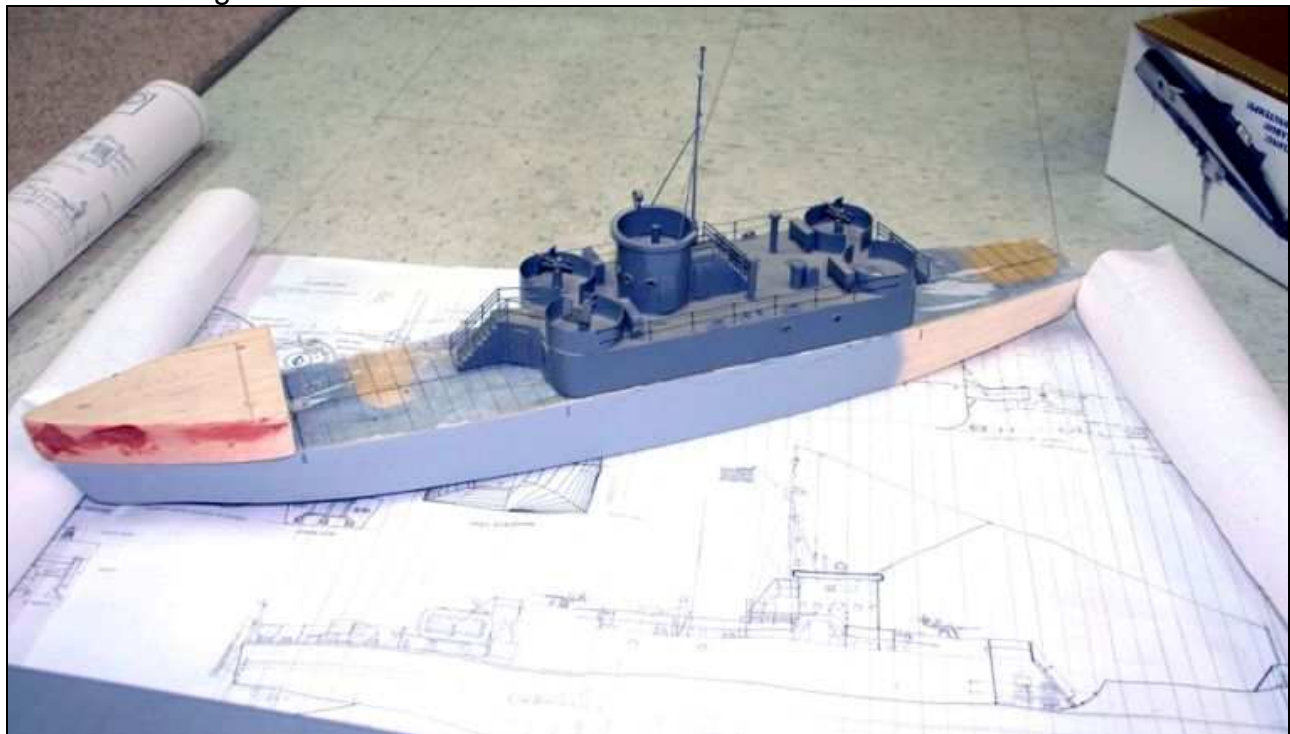
I will tell you more about his work and how it was received at the Bassett Place Mall Show. Remember that these models do not exist in kit form, to the best of my knowledge. He draws up his plans, builds up the model from paper and hand paints the interiors and company logos on the model. The doors work, the hoods can be opened and there are seats inside the bus. His finished busses were some that created the most interest at the Bassett Place Mall show which by the way, was his first time to exhibit there.



Carl Webster's Merkava IV in 1/35<sup>th</sup> scale.

Carl did not fill out the paper work, but this the Academy kit in 1/35<sup>th</sup> scale.

Joseph Roper's ship as a Work in Progress. Joe never fills out any paper work for the pictures. This was shot on the stage area of the Church. Joe also had a couple of 1/72<sup>nd</sup> scale subs to show at the meeting.





Jim Davis had two more of his two of the same. This time, SNJ-6 models from VMT-2, the instrument Training School at El Toro, circa 1955. The 1/48<sup>th</sup> scale model was the Revel release of the Monogram kit and the 1/72<sup>nd</sup> model was built from the Academy kit. Nice work, once more from Jim.



The Monogram kit in 1/48<sup>th</sup> scale



Both kits in one photo.



Steve Herren brought a Revell A6 in 1/48<sup>th</sup> scale. Steve was not particularly happy with the decals in the kit as these were the old really thick ones that would not respond to his efforts to place them on the model. This photo was taken on one of the tables, instead of the photo set up. It was a nice looking model.



Joseph Roper's Gato Class Sub







Treadheads



Planning for the Bassett Show?? Shooting the Bull?



Joe Schoen's MiG 21.



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Schedule

September 11 Third Contest meeting

October 2 meeting

November 6 meeting

November 13 Bassett Place Mall # 2

December Contest meeting

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