



The Glue

El Paso Scale Model Society

JUNE 2006

The Contest

Our meeting this month was a contest meeting. There were six entries in the contest.

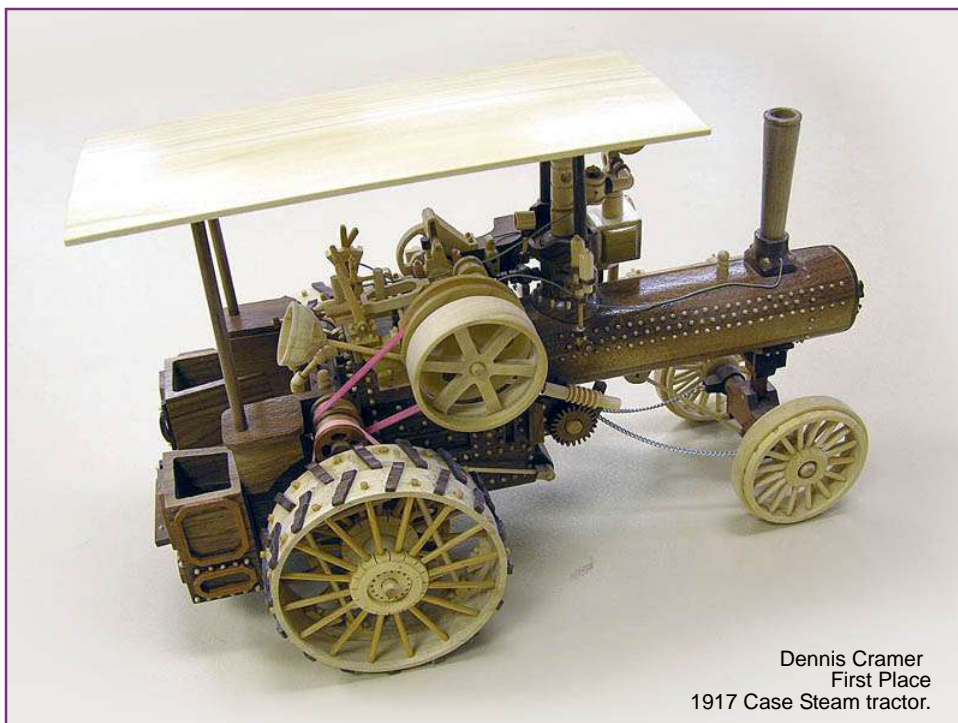
Dennis Cramer was the *First Place* winner with his all wood 1917 Case Steam tractor. Congratulations to Dennis for his fine work. *Second Place* went to **James Spence** for his Stegosaurus under attack.

Third Place went to **Billy Caviness** for his Dilophosaurus Spitter. Congratulations to all for your efforts.

The Meeting

The attendance started off a little sparse with only about 37 at the first count but before we left a bit after 4:00 PM, there had been an increase to 46 members and family at the meeting.

Joe Martinez came by after his wife **Yvonne** picked him up at the airport.



Dennis Cramer
First Place
1917 Case Steam tractor.



James Spence
Second Place
Stegosaurus under attack



Billy Caviness
Third Place
Dilophosaurus Spitter

James Spence was back after missing a couple of meetings. He had been ill but managed to make it. **Billy Caviness** brought James to the meeting and it was the first meeting for James this year as he had been in California.



"The Glue" is the official publication of the El Paso Scale Model Society. We publish on a monthly basis and try to cover just about any area of interest that club members may have.

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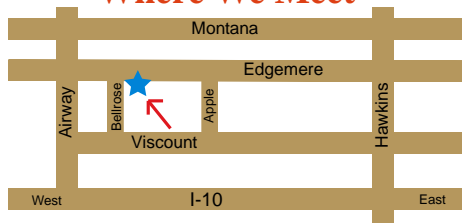
Our club is a chartered chapter of the International Plastic Model Society - U.S. Branch (the IPMS-USA). The EPSMS was first organized in 1969, received its charter in 1970, and has been continuously active since that time.

We are a non-profit organization dedicated to promoting the art of scale modeling (regardless of construction media), and membership is open to anyone interested in scale modeling. Club membership dues are payable on an annual basis (we can accept cash or personal checks). Dues are \$15.00 per year for regular members over the age of 16, and are based on a January-December club year. Junior memberships are available for those aged 16 and under, and are priced at \$5.00 per year. Family memberships are available for an extra payment of \$2.00 per year per family member. Members in good standing are entitled to vote in all club matters, run for office, enter club contests, judge in all club contests, and receive a copy of the club's monthly newsletter. Hal's Hobby Warehouse on Bessemer in East El Paso also offers club members a discount on purchases of models and modeling materials. The exact discount is set on a sliding scale. Our club meetings are generally held on the 1st or 2nd Sunday of each month at 2.00 p.m. in the Fellowship Hall of St. Paul's United Methodist Church at 7000 Edgemere Blvd (please see the map below). Schedule changes are published ahead of time in the newsletter. We normally hold either one or two model contests at each club meeting, one against a specific modeling or historical theme, and one that is an open competition for anything a modeler wishes to bring.

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Where We Meet



Schedule of Events for 2006

January	8	Meeting	July	9	Meeting
	21	IPMS Flying Tigers		16	Bassett Place Show #1
		New Orleans, LA			
	29	IPMS Swamp Lake Charles,	August	6	Meeting
				2-5	IPMS Nationals
February	5	Meeting			Kansas City MO
	18-19	ModelFiesta San Antonio	Sept	10	Meeting & Contest
				6	FAC Museum Ft. Worth, TX
March	5	Meeting & Contest			
	25	Tulsa OK	October	1	Meeting
				6-7	CASM Little Rock, AK
April	2	Meeting		7	DesertCon/Amigo Airshow
	29	Austin, TX show			
May	7	Meeting	Nov	5	Meeting
	5-6	Albuquerque Region 10 conv.		11	Bassett Veterans Day event
	20	Squadron Fest /Region 6 conv.		11	Bassett Place Show #2
June	4	Meeting & Contest	Dec	3	Meeting & Contest
					Election of new Officers

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The President's Column

Someone told me about a modeler in El Paso that has been modeling for a number of years and he didn't know that a club existed. I know that many times we are considered to be recluses, but this really surprised me. I have been involved with this club since the first meeting at my house in 1970. We have given 50 or more displays at various and sundry events in the area.

All have been advertised on TV, radio and in several newspapers. We supply the hobby shop with flyers and newsletters and all types of handouts relating to our hobby.

Yet the word does not get out to the community that we exist. This is strange.

Mike Cunningham and Chris Ekstrom have moved on to other locations. These guys will be missed. We were glad to get to know them and both have asked to be remembered with the newsletters being sent to them. We have a number of members that do not live in El Paso but have been former members of the club and wish to remain a part of our group, if only in name.

This leads me to believe that we have a great club or we would not continue to be important to the many former members that wish to be included on our membership roll.

Remember, Bring a model and Bring a Friend to the next meeting, July 9.

John Estes

Show and Tell

Dennis Cramer had two carousel horses made from wood. He brought them to show **Anna Harth** but she and **Connie** did not make the meeting this month. Dennis called these items from his toy making days.

Fabian Nevarez was absent from the meeting so **Julio Sanchez**, **Bobby Porter** and **Clifford Bossie** took pictures to use in the GLUE. Thanks guys for your efforts.



Julio Sanchez's in-progress
1/48 CH-53E Conversion

Julio Sanchez had his 1/72 scratch built C-17 to show. This is a huge model and when it came time to leave he took it apart and put in a box. It is still in progress as it needs work on the under carriage. Julio also had a 1/48th scale CH-53 conversion he had been working on for quite some time. He had also to show a Bolivian Air Force F-51D converted to the Calvalier Aircraft Company rebuild.



Julio Sanchez's in-progress
1/72 Scratchbuilt C-17

Jerry Wells had his PB4Y-2 fire fighter conversion to show. It is still in progress but is coming along pretty nicely.

Chris Ekstrom brought a Revell of Germany 1/144th scale Harrier II+ and his FM-2 Wildcat from the Sweet kit. He also had an A-4 in progress. Chris is leaving us to return as his TDY tour is up. God Speed, Chris. Keep in touch.

Dane Alley had his V-22 Osprey, still in progress and a Huey to show.

Michael Boudreaux was back from three weeks on the road and brought his Curtiss Seamew from Czech Models still in progress.

Mike Garcia brought the Trumpler HMS Hood, still in the box.

Show & Tell



Mike King's
CH-46F in 1/72nd scale



Mike King's
SH-3D in 1/72nd scale

Brandon Porter had a CH-47 in progress. He and **Mike King** compared notes as Mike had a CH-46F in Desert Storm markings built from the Hobbycraft 1/72 scale kit. Mike had added RHAW gear,

etc. to the basic kit. Mike also had a SH3D Sea King from the Fujimi kit fitted out with an interior using Airwaves Brass and some Testor's Liquid glass. These were displayed on Helo pads. Nice.

Gervasio Damboriarena was back with a couple of nice kits to show. He had an F4K Phantom built from the Hasegawa kit and a Su-22M3 built from the KP kit in Peruvian markings.



Gervasio Damboriarena's
1/48th F-4K Phantom II, Royal Navy



Gervasio Damboriarena's
1/48th Su-22M3, Peruvian Air Force



Show & Tell

Jim Davis had a nice pair of F11-C GosHawks, one in 1/48th scale made from the Lindberg kit and a Monogram one in 1/72nd scale. These were very nicely done and very colorful.

Ron Franco brought two nice Me 109's to show. One was a Bf-109E-3 built from the Tamiya 1/48th scale kit and the other was a Bf 109F-4 using the Hasegawa kit.

Don Fenton had a very nice F4U-1D built from the Tamiya kit in 1/48th scale. It was almost finished. Very well done, Don.

Alex Rodriguez, one of our Juarez, Mexico modelers had the CSS Alabama steam blockage runner in 1/96th scale. He also had a Panther 5 and a BergePanther recovery vehicle in 1/72.

Jim Davis'
F11-C GosHawks in
1/48th and 1/72nd scale



Ron Franco's
Bf109E3 in 1/48th scale



Ron Franco's
Bf109F4 in 1/48th scale



Julio Sanchez's
1/48 P-51D Mustang
in Bolivian markings



Don Fenton's
F4U-1D Corsair in 1/48th scale

HEAVY METAL!

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Gary Boggs' Tamiya Panther in 1/35th Scale

Gary Boggs has a very nice Panther in 1/35th scale using the Tamiya kit.

Alex Rodriguez had a Panther V and a BergePanther recovery vehicle, both in 1/72 scale.

Roy Lingel had a M548 Gun Truck with quad 50's, still in the box to show.



Gary Boggs' Tamiya Panther in 1/35th Scale



Alex Rodriguez's BergePanther in 1/72



Alex Rodriguez's Panther V in 1/72

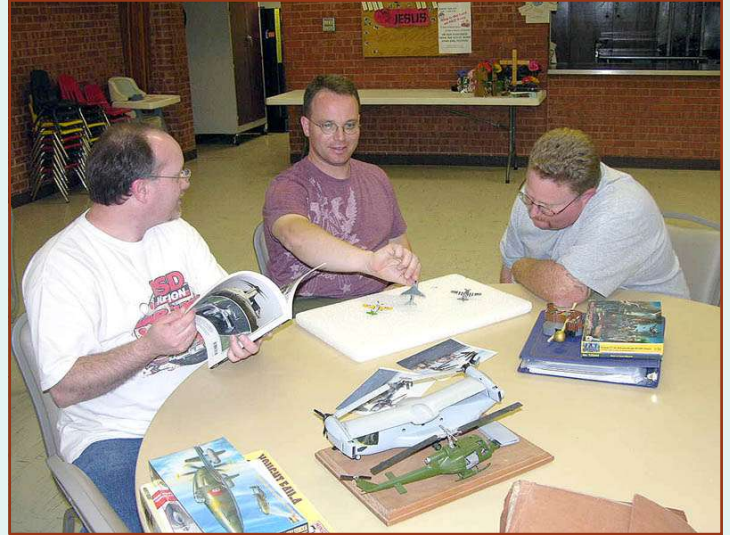


Alex Rodriguez's BergePanther in 1/72

Meeting *CLIPS!*



Mike King, Michael Drapes and Dennis Cramer look on as John Estes finishes some of the cake provided by the church.



James McCarty, Guz Gonzalez, Ron Franco and Bobby Porter looking at some of the new kits shown at the meeting.

Dan Alley and Brandon Porter looking at the 1/144 scale Harrier that was built by Chris Ekstrom.



Several of our Spanish speaking modelers looking at some of the new kits. Four of these guys are from Juarez, Mexico.

Gary Boggs(L) and Clifford Bossie(R) listen as John Paul Jones make some comments on modeling.



