

August 2025



Kyle Smith's 1/144th scale Bandi Ground Gundams

Our August meeting was another interesting and informative event with many excellent models to admire and to discuss. It was great to see the thirty plus members and family that chose to attend. We meet again Sunday, September 7 at 7000 Edgemere at 2:00. Bring a Model and Bring a Friend to the meeting.

There-fourths of our modeling year will be completed at the September meeting, and some have not paid their 2025 dues yet. We rent the room from the church, have kit raffles for our members and produce a newsletter each month yet those folks get the benefits without contributing to the expenses occurred. Dues are only \$15.00.



Frank Mendoza's Me 109G-6



Michael Kennedy's Collect-Aire Douglass D1/48 scale D-558-2 Skyrocket

Michael used some Custom and stash decals on the model.



James Howard's Revell UP" Big Boy" Locomotive



Sebastian Luevano's Trumpeter 1/35th scale IT-1



Gustav Hebrok"s HM Die-Cast F-16C 49th FW 8th FS



Gustav's HM Die-Cast 1/72nd scale Tornado GAF Holloman NM



Mitzy Lira's Custom painted F-35



Rick Mena's F-14



Justin Segovia's 1/700 Ka-31 with air crew



Carlos Delgado's Tamiya 1/35th scale Tiger I



Carlos Delgado's Dragon 1/35th scale Panzer III



James Howard Revell 1/800th scale U.S.S. "Kitty Hawk"



Efrain Zamora's AMT 1/25th scale 1967 Chevelle

Efrain used after-market rims and decals.



Tony Barnard's 1966 Nova II

Tony used Createx paint, the wheels and tires from a 1955 Chevy kit and he used an aftermarket carburetor, water pup and air intake.



Tony Barnards AMT 1976 Vega

Tony painted this model to represent his Father's Pro-Stock car. Tony used after-market valve covers, carburetor and water pump.



Hector Gonzalez's AMT 1/25th scale GMC



Hector Gonzalez's Ashima 1/2e4th scale Food Truck



Hector's AMT1/25th scale 1958 Impala Gasser



Fabian Nevarez's Academy 1/48th scale AH-64A Apache Iraq 2004



Fabia's Revell 1/48thscale AH-1F Cobra Iraq 1991



Fabian's Italeri 1/48th scale Oh-58D Kiowa Iraq 2005 All built out of the box.



David Torres's Hasegawa 1/48th scale Ki-84 Hayate

David used Vallejo acrylics from IJA paint set. Chipping was done with masking fluid, sponge and brush work.



Joe Martinez's Fine Molds Type 95 Ha-Go, right face



Joe Martinez's Fine Molds Type 95 Ha-Go, left face

This model represents a Type 95 of the Light Tank Company of the 1st Infantry Division based on Peleliu, circa 1944. The Company emblem and the "Izumo" inscription on the sponson were hand painted.

Joe used Fine Molds brass gun barrel, and the photo etch set. The tracks are metal and were from Friul. The spare tracks on the left rear fender were left over pieces from the track set. Joe drilled out the openings on the jack for the jack handled. The wing nuts on the tool holders and antenna base were from Model Kasten. Joe drilled out the exhaust opening. The model was painted with Vallejo and Life color acrylics and weathered with oil paint and pastel chalk.

Thanks to Michael Kennedy for this month's photos.

Folks at the meeting:



Joe Martinez



David Torres



James Howard



Hector Gonzalez

Folks at the meeting:



Efrain Zamora



Zahir Vera



Chris Rice



Tony Barnard



Fabian Nevarez



Kyle Smith



Gustav Hebrok



Michael Kennedy



Gerasimo Grigonopaulos



Mike Drapes



Mike Garcia



Bill Coster

Folks at the meeting:



Sebastian Luevano



Carlos Delgado



Bernie McCune



Conrad Ottenhoff



Duane Velasquez



Dixi Fischer



Clif Bossie



Mitzy Lira & Rick Mena



Justin Segovia



John Estes