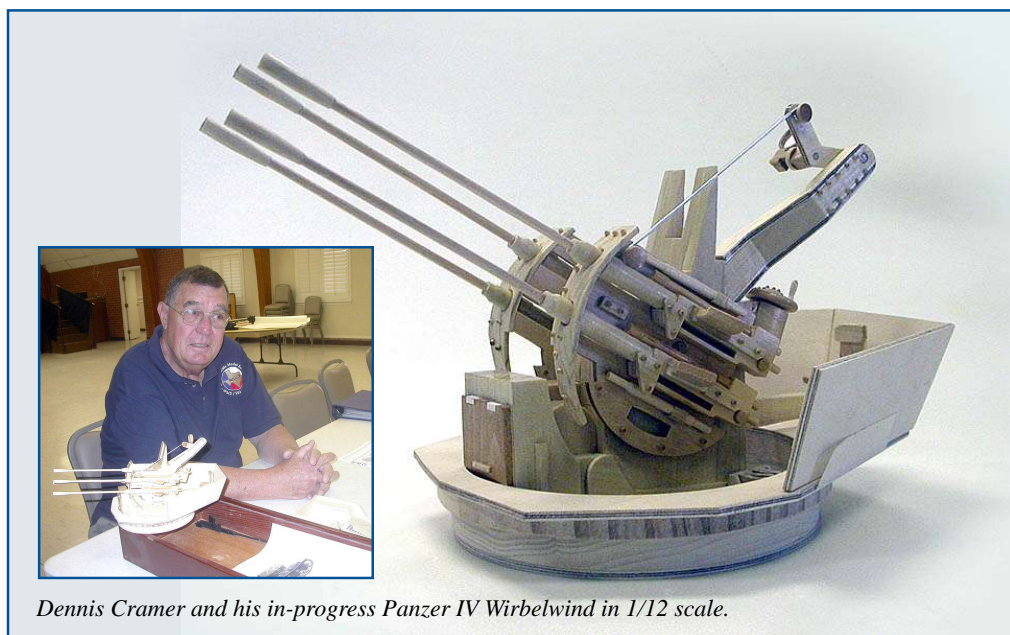


Thirty-eight modelers made it to the meeting, which was a show and tell meeting. There was no contest this month so the entire session was a discussion of new and old kits in various stages of completion.

Next month we plan to feature **Dennis Cramer**, so I will start with his Panzer IV Wirbelwind in 1/12 scale. This was a work in progress. Dennis had the turret with the quad 20mm in place. I also saw one of the 20mm guns built as a single weapon, all in wood. In the same box were some parts that should be a Jeep at some time in the future. As you will find in the article, Dennis is an interesting modeler. His workmanship shows that he is a very talented modeler, as well.



Bill Plunk's
1/35th Loki 54cm Morser Geraet 041



Dennis Cramer and his in-progress Panzer IV Wirbelwind in 1/12 scale.

Bill Plunk has returned after a short absence as his job takes him to various and sundry places. Bill had a PzKpw II, "Luchs" in 1/35 scale.

It was made from the Tusca kit. Bill also had the DML Loki 54 cm Morser, Geraet 041. This was a huge model in 1/35 scale.

The Meeting

Several members were heard to comment that this was a have to have kit. This was a very nice model.

Sticking with the armor side of the meeting, **John Estes** had thirteen various pieces in 1/72nd scale. Most were from the old ESCI series of kits and most needed decals and weathering. He said that most had been started during the last century and with a little luck he might finish some of them during the early part of this one.

Roy Lingle had an M4A1 (76mm) wet, from Operation Cobra. This was the Dragon kit and was in 1/35 scale. It was nice to see Roy back at the meeting as he had hurt his back at his job and had missed a couple of months.



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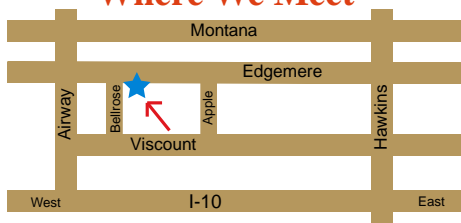
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We are a non-profit organization dedicated to promoting the art of scale modeling (regardless of construction media), and membership is open to anyone interested in scale modeling. Club membership dues are payable on an annual basis (we can accept 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			
March	5	Meeting & Contest	Sept	10	Meeting & Contest
	25	Tulsa OK		6	FAC Museum Ft. Worth, TX
April	2	Meeting	October	1	Meeting
	29	Austin, TX show		6-7	CASM Little Rock, AK
				7	DesertCon/Amigo Airshow
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

Now is the time to make plans for DesertCon on Oct. 7. Look through the flyer and decide which category or categories that you want to enter and get to work building or finishing your entries. September 1 is too late to start.

Bassett Place show number 1 is scheduled for July 16. Check your collection, clean those models that need cleaning and decide what you will bring to the show.

Space will be limited so make plans to participate.

If you are into big-time competition, the Region 10 Convention will be in Albuquerque. The Region 6 Convention will be in Dallas and the USA Nationals will be in Kansas City, all events are listed in our schedule of events on page 2 of the GLUE. Make plans and go and have fun doing the contest/convention thing.

Our meeting next month may be in the small room at the back of the church. There will be a Senior Banquet in the Fellowship Hall, so check to see where we will be meeting. If the banquet is finished, we will meet in the large room as usual. Bring a model to show and Bring a friend to the meeting.

John Estes

Show and Tell

The aircraft guys made a strong showing with several nice models to show.

Gus Gonzalez brought his finished ESCI, A7E Corsair II in 1/48th scale. Gus spent a great deal of time doing a number of needed improvements to this kit. He almost gave up a number of times but decided to, as the Brits say, Make of go of it. He cut, resized, filled and sanded, added antennas, re-did the cockpit interior and cut down the seat and added various details as needed

in that area. He added taxi and landing lights, dropped the flaps and deflected the rudder and nose wheel. In all he made a number of major modifications to achieve a more scale appearance to the model, ending with some very nice work done on a difficult kit.

Jim Davis had four really nice 1/72nd scale models to show. Today was Saber day for Jim. He had the Academy F-86E, the Fujimi F-86F and a Hasegawa F-86D.



Gus Gonzalez's A7E Corsair II in 1/48th scale



Show & Tell

Jim Davis' fourth model was the XFJ-2 modified from the Academy E kit. Jim has become one of our most prolific modelers with something new and neat every month. This was an eye-catching set of very colorful models. A Well done to Jim, as usual.

Gervasio Damboriarena was back with a number of 1/48th scale kits. He had the Monogram P-39 and the ESCI Mirage III BR and a Mil Mi 24D built from the Revell kit. In 1/72 he had a Revell Fairey Gannet.

Anna Harth had a 1/6th scale Carousel Tiger that was carved from wood. This was another of Anna's efforts that had to be seen. She does a great job of many unusual subjects and all from scratch.



Jim Davis' F-86 Sabre Quartet in 1/72nd



Gervasio Damboriarena's 1/48th Mirage III BR in Brazilian markings



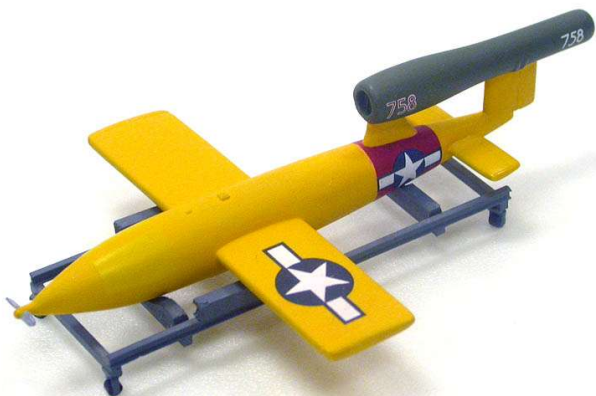
Gervasio's 1/72nd Fairey Gannet



Gervasio's 1/48th Mi-24D Hind in Peruvian markings



Gervasio Damboriarena's 1/48th P-39 Cobra



Jerry Wells' JB-2 Loon in 1/72nd scale



Jerry Wells' SH-34J HT-8 in 1/72nd scale

Show & Tell

Jerry Wells had a SH-34J HT-8 in 1/72nd scale based on the Italeri kit and Jerry used the Cobra Cockpit parts to add detail. Jerry also had a JB-2 Loon which came from the Matchbox kit, which should be ex-Frog. The official designation at one time was KUW-1, which was later changed to LTV-

N-2. Most people know this thing as a buzz bomb.

Connie Harth brought the Pioneer 2, Beech AT-11 in 1/72nd scale. He also had another of his Hit Kit efforts. This model was a Schreck FBA-17 HMT-2 in Chinese

markings. This was a 1/72nd scale kit and for those who are not familiar with the kit, it is a flying boat. An unusual model to say the least.

Joseph Roper had a neat ship model down at the front end of the meeting hall. Many



Anna Harth's
1/6 Carrousel Tiger



Connie Harth's
Schreck FBA-17 HMT-2...



...and Beech AT-11 in 1/72

Show & Tell

of the membership miss seeing Joe's work as he usually lays his display out in one of the corners, away from the main show tables. Something about he usually needs a rather large amount of space and would require one whole table for his stuff. If you miss seeing Joe's work, make an effort to check out his latest endeavor.



Bill Plunk's
PzKpw II, "Luchs" in 1/35 scale.

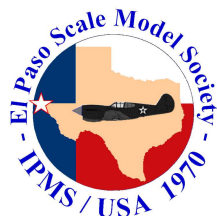


Chris Ekstrom's 1/144 FAA Wildcat...



...and FM-2 also in 1/144th scale.

Chris Ekstrom not only builds 1/87th scale armor, he is into mini-aircraft as well. Here are a couple of his 1/144 scale Grumman Wildcats. One is in Fleet Airarm markings and the FM-2 is in Airshow markings. Nice work, as usual for Chris.



Incoming Events

The Region 10 Regional Convention will be in Albuquerque, NM on May 5 and 6. John Estes reminded the membership of the event and offered to forward the latest info from Region 10 to anyone interested. We bought two trophy packages for this event and we were given two categories in the armor/artillery section of the contest.

War Eagles Air Museum will have an event on June 6, 2006 that will include

Howard Penley's L-4 and jeep. As more information is re-leased, we will include it in the GLUE. This sounds like a must do event. Clifford Bossie should have more information about the event.

The Region 6 Regional will be held in conjunction with the *SquadronFest* in Dallas in May. Make your plans for this event.

Meeting CLIPS!



Dennis Cramer tells some of the membership about his all wood Whirlwind model.



Gustav Hebrok and Gervasio Dambioarena in serious discussion.



Anna and Connie Harth in their usual corner location displaying this months handiwork.



Joe Arteaga and Juan Patino mugging for the camera during the meeting.



Some of our members from the armor corner discussing new kits along with a couple of the aircraft guys.



Jim Davis' Academy XFJ-2 in 1/72nd



1/72 Hasegawa F-86D by Jim Davis

OK, we admit it. We are looking for new members. Back on page two of this newsletter is a whole bunch of information about our club, where and how often we meet, how to contact us, even how to get a membership card. So it's only fair that we provide a plug for our national organization, which publishes a darn fine magazine 6 times a year, provides us with little things like support for regional and national conventions, and keeps us up to date with manufacturer's reports on ALL the latest kit releases. Hey! It's worth the money just to get the magazine, and there are always some neat modeling articles to check out. Give it a try, OK?

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