

IPMS Prison City Modelers

Leavenworth, Kansas

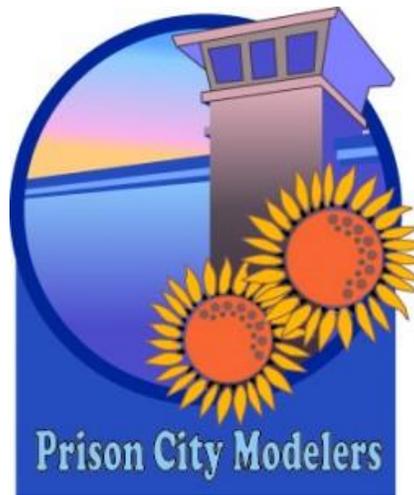
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SCUTTLEBUTT FROM THE PRESIDENT:

Greetings to all! I hope you have had a productive month. We are in the home stretch for our annual Fall Classic model contest-- hopefully your projects are coming together for that event!

A BIG congratulations to club member Ed Burgess, who won a **SECOND PLACE** award at the IPMS Nationals this past weekend!!! I think this makes three years in a row that IPMS-Prison City Modelers has had someone on the medal stand at Nationals. Not bad when you consider that they haven't exactly been in our back yard! (Okay, three years ago it was in Omaha, which is practically in our back yard (at least as far as Nationals go.)) We look forward to hearing your stories, Ed.

Club secretary Mark Gerges and I had an opportunity to attend the August meeting of IPMS-KC Slammers earlier this month. We had a really good time--great bunch of folks down there doing a lot of things right. Some of their members have volunteered to come up to our meeting this month to talk to us about judging car models, helping fill in a "gap" in our club's collective knowledge.



Speaking of learning about judging, we will have our annual judging clinic this month at our meeting. Designated members will go over each class of models, discussing the Basics, Details, and Painting and Finishing of each class using IPMS standards. By the way, please consider helping out with the judging at our contest in September. Even if you haven't judged before, it always helps having another set of eyes looking at the models. Additionally, you will probably accidentally learn something that will make you yourself a better modeler in the process!

Hope to see you all at our meeting this Wednesday at the Leavenworth Public Library!!

Shane Curtis



PHOTO FROM OUR TRIP TO KC SLAMMERS MEETING IN AUGUST.



Ed Burgess sent along this photo of his Autogyro and the second place trophy for Rotary Wing 1/32nd scale from Nationals. Great work Ed!

HELP US GET THE WORD OUT—this is the flyer that will run in the IPMS Journal in July-August issue. You can download copies and print them out at our website:

<http://leavenworthmodelersclub.org/2011-contest/registration-and-entry-forms/download-our-contest-flyer/>

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4th ANNUAL

FALL CLASSIC MODEL CONTEST

Saturday Sept. 21, 2013
Heritage Center
109 Delaware Street
Leavenworth, Kansas

Contest theme

FIFTIES

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For more details visit our website
www.leavenworthmodelersclub.org

We are starting to get requests for tables for the contest, so the vending room is filling fast. If you know someone, or would like tables yourself, please contact Mark Gerges, mgerges@kc.rr.com