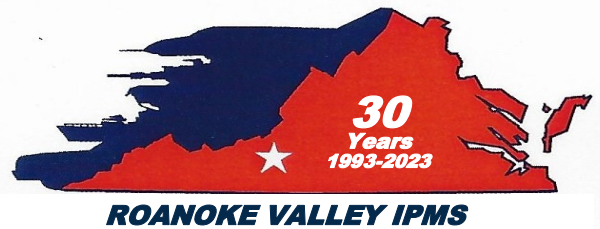


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June 2023

Keeping History Alive....One Model At A Time

Spring Cleaning Time!!

On Saturday, June 10th several members of the club met at the clubs storage building to go through the plaques, awards, and various other miscellaneous things that the club has been storing for several years now. With the cost of the storage unit going up each year the club made the decision to finally get rid of what we don't need and keep what we can use for upcoming shows and help out with MDA as well. The plaques and awards were bought back about seven or eight years ago from a awards shop that was going out of business. Through these years we have been able to use plaques and awards to do several of our shows as well as help MDA with their show plaques. But we are now getting down to odd shape plaques, broken or damaged pieces and pieces that are just way to big for what we can use for a show.



The entire storage unit was cleaned out and then members went through each box one by one and checked to see what was in each box. Numerous pieces of Lucite was found which we can use on our plaques as well as several plaques that we didn't realize we had. In all we think we may be able to possibly pull off one more show but we will have to pull them again and lay them out in a big area to take a good count of the sizes we have and need.



In all we were able to cut the contents of the storage unit down about a half and hopefully we can make use of that stuff quick so we can do away with the unit.



D-Day Memorial Demo

We will be doing our annual D-Day Memorial demo on Saturday, June 17 at the Memorial. We will be meeting at 8am at the Huddle House in Beford just passed the Memorial exit for breakfast. For those that don't want to come to breakfast we will meet at the D-Day at 9am to start setting up. We plan on being there till around 3pm. Please bring some of your models to display that day. We would like to make a good showing this year.



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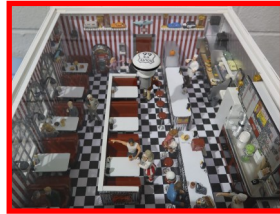
June
Business Meeting
June 22 @ 7pm

July
Build Meeting
July 13 @ 7pm

July
Business Meeting
July 27 @ 7pm

Fast Trax Spring Con

April 1st, 2023



WE NEED YOU!!

This year we are going to be working hard to recruit new members. Start thinking of ways we can reach out and bring new members to the club. We are going to see if we can do more demo's and other events to get our name out there more. We need new members!!

South Carolina Modelers Association Presents

17th Annual S.C.M.A. "Hope It Don't Snow" Show & Contest

AUTOMOTIVE *MILITARY* *SHIP*
FIGURES *PLANES* *SCIENCE FICTION*

January 20th 2024
Marriott Hotel Ballroom
299 North Church St

Vendor Information Contact - Doreen Cox
843-441-9122
843-441-9000
Tables \$10.00 each before November 30th
\$15.00 each after November 30th

REGISTRATION
\$10.00 - Home
\$15.00 for 3rd Entry - \$1.00 each additional
\$15.00 General Admission

Vendor Tables - \$10.00 per table
Vendor Admission includes one publication and staff members

ALL MODELERS! TRAVELERS! WALKERS!
AT THE ANNUAL CONVENTION

"HELP SPONSOR THE 'HOPE IT DON'T SNOW' SHOW - SEE AN S.C.M.A. MEMBER FOR DETAILS"

PAXCON 2023
Scale Model Show & Contest
Hosted by: The Southern Maryland Scale Modelers

SOMD SCALE MODELERS

Where: Hollywood Vol Fire Dept
24801 Three Notch Road
Hollywood, MD 20636

When: Saturday, 7 October 2023
Doors Open at 9:00 AM
Show Closes at 4:00 PM

To Register: paxcon2023.org
Registration Fee: \$15
Junior Entry Fee: \$10
Walk In Fee: \$10 (Family: \$15)

Sponsorship Opportunities:
<https://scomd-scalemodelers.club/shop/>
Award Packages
Vendor Tables
General Show Sponsorships

Vendors! Raffle drawings every hour! Gold, Silver, Bronze award structure! Food on site from the Ladies Auxiliary.

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May Club Contest



3D Printed Full Kit Review

By Rocky Sink

This is a kit review of the 1949 Plymouth Business Coupe. This is a complete kit which was put out by a 3D printing company called Iceman Collections. The guy that runs the business does about 1 new full kit each month along with the various engines, seats, tires, wheels and numerous other items that have been 3D printed. There is no engine due to it being a curbside kit. The tires come from Modelhaus. All the parts and body look very well done with little prep before painting. The glass pieces are vacuum formed. I did a dry fit of the pieces and they all seem to go together nicely with no fit issues noted.



Deadline for newsletter submissions is the second Wednesday of each month.

All submissions should be emailed to Rocky Sink:

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along with any photos, write up and/or kit reviews pertaining to the article you wish to submit.



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UPCOMING DATES:

June 17, 2023	D-Day Memorial Demo Bedford, VA	Dday.org
August 2-5, 2023	IPMS Nationals San Marcos, TX	Len Pilhofer Chair.nats2023@gmail.com
August 12, 2023	CKM NNL Summer Classic Clemmons, NC	Kenny Shore 336-784-6384
Sept. 16, 2023	PennCon Carlisle, PA	Dana Sadaravanda child1402@gmail.com