



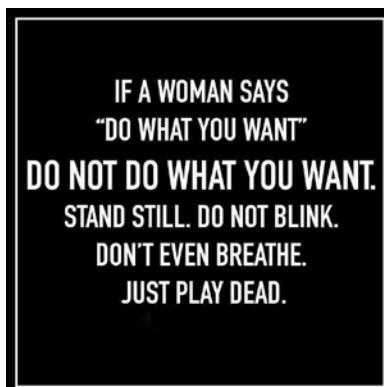
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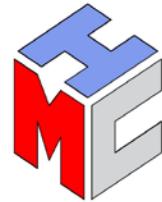
Please note that due to Easter the meeting is moving to April 24th

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Peters Pratting

AGM & April Meeting

Well I think that AGM last month went quite smoothly, certainly a lot less contentious than some years. Please see the AGM report at the end of the newsletter for the "highlights". One point we all missed was the next meeting in April would fall on the Easter Bank Holiday Monday, after a very unscientific straw poll amongst those on email and gut feel I've decided we should hold our next meeting a week later to miss this so we will next meet on **April Monday 24th**.

Many thanks for your continued support and I await the flood of articles to Sticky Fingers to replace Wrighty's References.

Southern Expo

Too late to Sticky Fingers publication deadline to actually tell you much apart from a big thanks to all those who helped out, you know who you are.

Hailsham Show

I've accepted an invitation to the Hailsham show on Saturday July 8th, as I recall a few of the club went and seemed to enjoy it. There are lots of other shows in the calendar below, are there any others you are interested in attending as part of the club? Ideally we need 2 or more people to go if only so they can safely man the stand without leaving it unattended for any length of time.

Forthcoming Shows in 2017

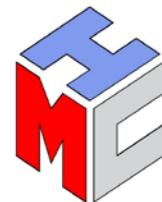
Shows with **highlight** have been booked for us to attend. If you wish to attend any of the shows with the club stand please let me know so I can attempt to book space for the club.

2017

April 2 nd (Sunday)	Shropshire show , RAF Museum Cosford, Shifnal Shropshire TF11 8UP
April 8 th (Saturday)	Dorset Show , Parkstone Grammar School, Sopers Lane Poole BH17 7EP
April 23 rd (Sunday)	ModelKraft , Stantonbury Leisure Centre, Milton Keynes , MK14 6BN
April 29 th (Sunday)	Scottish Nationals , The Dewars Centre, Glover Street, Perth , Scotland PH2 0TH
May 13 th (Saturday)	IPMS(UK) AGM , South Yorkshire Aircraft Museum, Dakota Way, Airbourne Road, Doncaster , DN4 7FB Lancing, Parish Hall , South Street, Lancing , West Sussex BN15 8AJ
May 14 th (Sunday)	IPMS Gloucester , Churchdown Community Centre, Parton Road Churchdown , Gloucestershire, GL3 2JH
May 27 th (Saturday)	IPMS Torbay & South Devon , Torquay Town Hall, Castle Circus Torquay, Devon , TQ1 3DR
June 3 rd (Saturday)	IPMS Salisbury , Wyvern College Sports Hall, Wyvern College, Church Road, Laverstock, Salisbury , SP1 1RE
June 18 th (Sunday)	MAFVA Nationals , The Burgess Hall, Burgess Hall, Westwood Rd, Saint Ives , Cambridgeshire, PE27 6WU
June 25 th (Sunday)	Ipswich Model Day , Willow Suite, Gresham Sports and Social Club 312 Tuddenham Road, Ipswich , IP4 3QJ IPMS Coventry & Warwicks Show , Midland Air Museum, Rowley Road, Coventry , CV3 4FR
July 8 th (Saturday)	Hailsham District Scale Model Club , Community Civic Hall, Vicarage lane, Hailsham, East Sussex, BN27 2AX
July 9 th (Sunday)	North Somerset , The Helicopter Museum, The Helicopter Museum, Locking Moor Road, Weston-Super-Mare , BS24 8PP
July 30 th (Sunday)	Essex Modellers Show , Hannakins, Billericay, Essex



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August 6 th (Sunday)	Boscombe Down Aviation Collection , Old Sarum Airfield, Salisbury
August 13 th (Sunday)	IPMS Avon Show , Thornbury Leisure Centre, Alveston Hill, Thornbury , BS35 3BJ
August 26 th (Saturday)	Scale Scotland , Hilton Edinburgh Airport, Edinburgh International Airport Edinburgh EH28 8LL
September 16 th (Saturday)	IPMS Farnborough , Kings International College, Watchetts Drive, Camberley , GU15 2PQ
September 17 th (Sunday)	IPMS Fenland & Spalding , University Academy Holbeach, Park Road Holbeach , Lincs, PE12 7PU
September 23 rd (Saturday)	Aberdeen Modellers , Hilton Aberdeen Treetops, 161 Springfield Rd, Aberdeen , AB15 7AQ
September 24 th (Sunday)	IPMS Brampton , The Burgess Hall, Burgess Hall, Westwood Rd, Saint Ives , Cambridgeshire, PE27 6WU
October 7 th (Saturday)	Tank Museum Tank Mod , The Tank Museum, Bovington Wool , Dorset, BH20 6JG
October 21 st (Glasgow Modelfest , Bellahouston Leisure Centre, Bellahouston Leisure Centre, Bellahouston Drive, Glasgow , G52 1HH
November 11 th & 12 th (Saturday & Sunday)	Scale ModelWorld 2017 , Telford International Centre, Telford, Shropshire, TF3 4JH

Peter

Competition Results for Theme Build 2017

Wally Arrowsmith Trophy (Aircraft)

1/72nd Scale or Less

Position	Entrant	Model	Votes
1 st	Paul Bennett	P-39 Aircobra	55
2 nd	Peter Bagshaw	Grumman Panther	46
3 rd	Bob Lawrence	Griffen Mustang	39
4 th	Paul Bird	Albatross DVa	38
5 th	Paul Bennett	Grumman Bearcat	34

1/72nd Scale or less

Paul Bennett P-39 Aircobra



Peter Bagshaw Grumman Panther



Bob Lawrence Griffen Mustang



Paul Bird Albatross DVa



Paul Bennett Grumman Bearcat



Greater than 1/72nd Scale

Position	Entrant	Model	Votes
1 st =	Steve Crust	IAI Kfir AH-64 D Saraf	41
2 nd	Steve Crust	AH-64 Peten	35
3 rd	Allen Roffey	Bachem Natter	31
4 th =	Steve Crust Bob Lawrence	A-4 Skyhawk F-18A Hornet	26
5 th	John Huston	Cessna Skyhawk	19

Greater than 1/72nd Scale

Steve Crust

IAI Kfir



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AH-64 Peten



Allen Roffey

Bachem Natter



Steve Crust

A-4 Skyhawk



Bob Lawrence

F-18A Hornet



John Huston

Cessna Skyhawk



Final Positions

Position	Entrant	Points
1 st	Paul Bennett	182
2 nd	Ian Brown	113
3 rd	Bob Lawrence	110
4 th	Peter Bagshaw	105
5 th	Paul Bird	103
	Steve Crust	98
	Alan Wright	88
	David Morse	73
	Allen Roffey	44
	John Bennett	41

* Steve Crust voluntarily withdrew the aircraft he's previously entered to the normal club competitions so please note final scores are based on this.

IPMS Hornchurch Trophy (Miscellaneous)

Military Vehicles

Position	Entrant	Model	Votes
1 st	Peter Bagshaw	Matilda Hedgehog	67
2 nd	Peter Bagshaw	Buffalo LVT-4	59

Miscellaneous - Armour

Peter Bagshaw

Matilda Hedgehog



Peter Bagshaw

Buffalo LVT-4



Miscellaneous

Position	Entrant	Model	Votes
1 st	Bob Lawrence	Batmobile	68
2 nd	John Huston	Honda Super Blackbird	63

Miscellaneous

Bob Lawrence Batmobile



John Huston

Honda Super Blackbird



Final Positions

Position	Entrant	Points
1 st	Peter Bagshaw	153
2 nd	Bob Smith	96
3 rd	Kevin Curley	84
4 th	Bob Lawrence	73
5 th	Ian Brown	50
	John Huston	23
	Alan Wright	21



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IPMS Hornchurch AGM 2017 Report

Committee Reports

Branch Secretary Report 2017

Club attendance at shows has been very good; the IPMS(UK) ScaleModelWorld and recent Model Engineering Show were both really good examples of enough people volunteering and ensuring there were enough attending on each day to put on a really great display. As per last year we were given a £65 donation as a thank you from the Engineering Show Organisers, but not something to rely on for club finances as I suspect it depends on how well their show goes, welcome none the less.

Treasurer Report 2017

Taking over from Bob was difficult, not a gentle handle over but eventually managed to sort out what was what. There was a stab at what the club was owed out of Bob's estate as he didn't always bank the takings from the evening. In the end with help from Wally we arrived at a figure but final analysis indicates we paid in £66 extra so this will be sent to St Francis Hospice. The club has a surplus of £65.

Competition Secretary Report 2017

Usual quality increase in competition entries, the models we produce are as good, if not better, than many we see on club tables, keep up the good work. Modelling evening is always a good evening, and can be used as a learning point for the members to pick up new ideas or techniques.

Election of Officers

The current officers were re-elected unopposed.

- i) Secretary – Peter Bagshaw
- ii) Assistant & Competition Secretary – Robin Bellamy
- iii) Treasurer – Ralph Hebron

Club Finances

As per quick discussion after Ralph presented his report we decided to keep the monthly attendance fee @ £4.00 per evening as this has given us sufficient funds to cover our running costs.

The club balance sheet for 2016/17 is presented below.



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Balance b/fwd from 2016	£429.69		
Income	Expend Hall	Expend Misc	
Feb-16 £72.00	£40.00		
Mar-16 £72.00	£40.00	£59.50 Name it medals	
Apr-16 £68.00	£40.00	£59.50 Trophyland	
May-16 £52.00	£40.00		
Jun-16 £72.00	£40.00		
Jul-16 £60.00	£40.00		
Aug-16 £60.00	£40.00		
Sep-16 £145.00	£41.50		
Oct-16 £64.00	£41.50	£50.00 Jan Jarzemowski talk	
Nov-16 £68.00	£41.50		
Dec-16 £0.00	£41.50		
Jan-17 £137.00	£41.50	£84.00 Judges Gifts, 2016 Prizes and Refreshments	
	£870.00	£487.50	£253.00
Plus Balance	£429.69		
	£1,299.69		
Less expenses	£740.50		
Grand total	£559.19		
Balance at Bank	£559.84		
Cash in Hand	£65.00		
Total Funds	£624.84		
Excess Bob Plumridge	£65.65		

Club Competitions

- a) Wally Arrowsmith Trophy (Aircraft) – **Paul Bennet**
- b) IPMS Hornchurch Trophy (Miscellaneous) – **Peter Bagshaw**
- c) Modeller of the Year 2016 as judged by IPMS South East Essex (Southend) – **Bob Smith**
- d) A new trophy has been introduced, The Bob Plumridge Trophy, for conspicuous non-modelling (the winner is a randomly selected club member who has attended any of the competition evenings but not entered a model!) – winner was – **Wally Arrowsmith**
- e) Alan Wright Trophy – for Naval subjects. A new trophy to be awarded to any subject which is associated with a Naval theme.

The format of the competitions was then discussed; it was felt that the general club competitions were OK as they were so no changes were made. We then moved on to some proposed theme build topics for the club display next year at Southern Expo 2018. In the end we decided on a theme based around "**The number 2**", i.e. anything which has any form of association with 2, e.g. 2 engines, 2 wheels, 2 seats etc.

Any other Business?

- a. Wally raised a vote of thanks to the committee for their continued efforts, which was taken up by the rest of the club
- b. An observation was raised that with the sad loss of Alan Wright we would lose a reasonable section of the newsletter. I stated that this would now be down to club members producing articles for the newsletter. If anything is written and sent in to me it will go in the newsletter, it's now down to the members to "step up". The newsletter will be smaller unless others can or will write anything.

Club Competition Rules

- The competitions are split into 2, the Wally Arrowsmith Trophy for Aircraft subjects and the IPMS Hornchurch Trophy for Miscellaneous subjects.
- Each competition will be run over rounds determined at the AGM (normally 4).
- The schedule and any “Themes” for the competitions are decided at the AGM.
- All models must have been completed for that competition year.
- Each competition has been split into 2 categories.

	Category 1	Category 2
Aircraft	1/72 nd scale or less	Greater than 1/72 nd scale
Miscellaneous	Military vehicles any scale	Anything else, i.e. not an aircraft or military vehicle subject.

- Registration of models must be made before 20:15 to allow voting to start at this time.
- Members vote for the winning models in order of preference from 1st to 5th places in each category and competition.
- For each competition round a competitor may enter a maximum of 2 models per category, i.e. For the Wally Arrowsmith competition (Aircraft) 2 models in Category 1 and 2 models in Category 2 are the maximum allowed per round.
- Modellers may enter models in either or both competitions and categories, Aircraft and Miscellaneous.
- A model may only be entered into any competition once.
- Dioramas count as 1 model.
- Two models on one base, but not a diorama, count as 2 models.
- Modellers are not expected to vote for their own entries.
- The person with the highest overall number of points in each competition (Aircraft or Miscellaneous) after the last round will be the club champion.
- In the event of a tie on points the number of 1st and 2nd places etc. will be the deciding factor.
- All models entered into any of the rounds are eligible for entry into the “Modeller of the Year” competition.
- **In the event of a dispute the Competition Secretary’s decision is final.**

Scoring

Every model entered in each competition scores 5 points.

The following points will be awarded for the 1st five places in each competition category.

1 st place	20 points
2 nd place	18 points
3 rd place	16 points
4 th place	14 points
5 th place	12 points

i.e. a person entering 1 model who comes 3rd will score 5 points for entry plus 16 points for 3rd place, giving a total of 21 points.

Modeller of the Year Competition

Rules

- Judging for the competition will be performed by external judges with no association with any of the entered models.
- Any models which have been entered into the IPMS Hornchurch competition over the year are eligible for entry.
- First, second and third places are to be awarded with the following prizes.

Winner (1 st place)	£20
Runner up (2 nd place)	£10
3 rd place	£5

- **In the event of a dispute the judge’s decision is final.**



March 20 th	Modelling evening
April 24 th NOTE – New date moved due to Easter	Competition Night
May 15 th	Talk about your favourite
June 19 th	Competition Night
July 17 th	Video evening
August 21 st	Modelling evening
September 18 th	Competition Night
October 16 th	Modelling evening / guest speaker
November 20 th	Competition Night
December 18 th	Quiz and nibbles Might move forward a week
January 15 th	Competition: Modeller of the Year
February 19 th	AGM + Theme Build Competition