

THE KETCHUP **APRIL 10TH 2015 MEETING**

Capt. James J.McKinstry Chapter IPMS/USA

Friday, April 10 – 2nd Floor, Hedricksen Room

Arlington Heights Library Meeting starts at 7:30 PM

Meeting theme for April: NUKE NITE Anything nuclear

Program: Applying lozenge decals ~ by Charles Scardon

THIS is our 44th year as an IPMS/USA Chapter

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While show n tell was fine, the theme only produced four models for NUKE NITE. They were: B-52 stratofortress, 1/72nd scale Monogram built by John Koziol; A-4E Skyhawk, 1/48th Scale, Hasegawa built by Ed Mate; F-89J Scorpion, 1/72nd scale, Academy by Dan Paulien; F2H-1 (although I believe it was the F2H-2 that was the 1st Banshee capable of carrying a nuke) Model by Carl Geiger

Continuing WW I aircraft programs, in anticipation of the May WW I theme night, Charlie Scardon presented a demo on applying lozenge decals. He had everyone's attention – especially concerning his unusual way of using Future Acrylic when applying decals.

SHOW AND TELL



F-89J by Dan Paulien 1/72, Academy built OOB, Gloss Aircraft Gray finish. Iowa ANG markings.



F-89J Scorpion all weather interceptor.
Weapons included air to air Genie missile



F2H-1 Banshee by Carl Geiger. This is the ancient 1/48th Hawk kit. Markings: NAS



Glenview training squadron.
If you are familiar with the kit, you will appreciate the work that went into it.



A-4E Skyhawk, 1/48th Hasegawa by Ed Mate
VA-106 USS Intrepid Tonkin Gulf Oct 1968



MMaster paints, Afterburner Decals, Aires ejection seat, G-Factor landing gear



TBM-1C Avenger, 1/48th scale Acccurate Miniatures. VT-18 USS Intrepid Phillipine Sea



Oct 1944 Eduard Photo Etch, Master Model guns barrels, MMaster/Aeromaster paint SuperScale Decals Model by Ed Mate



P-47D-15-RE Thunderbolt, 1/48th Scale, Tamiya, Rising Decals. MMaster and Floquil Paint



Markings are for Wicked Wabbit Lt J.C. Hare, 65thFS/57thFG 1944 Alto Corica Model by Ed Mate



Me-109G4 in Italian Markings. 1/32nd scale by Scott Olsen



B-52D 1/72nd scale Monogram by John Koziol



USS Greenville, 1/700th scale Hobby Boss.
Model master Acryl paint by Paul Gasiorowski



Some Bipes by Charlie Scardon.

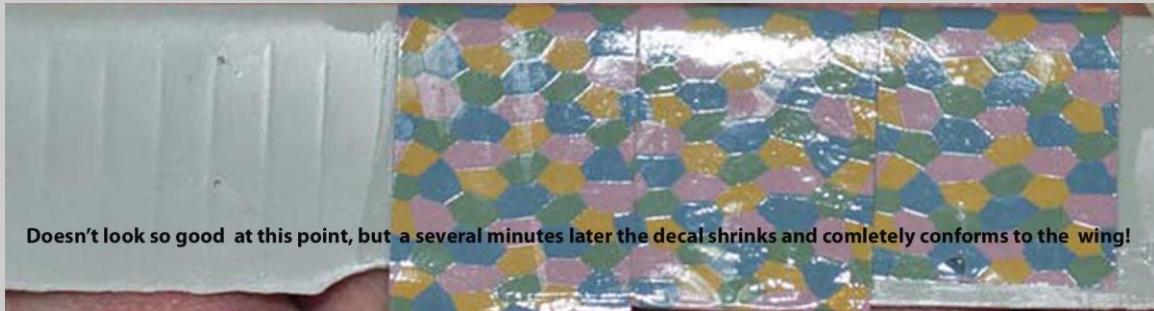


APRIL PROGRAM

If members liked the March program on building wood props by Charlie Scardon, then the group was in for a pleasant surprise when he demo'd his application technique for lozenge pattern decals. Charlie explained how and where to cut lozenge before applying to the models. There is more behind it than you would think! He also used his rather different technique for applying decals by dipping them in Future Floor Acrylic instead of the traditional method of preparing the surface with gloss, letting it dry and then applying in the standard manner using water. Two very useful programs in a row from Charlie.



Applying cut lozenge pattern and applying to bare plastic wing by dipping the decals in Future Floor Acrylic



Doesn't look so good at this point, but a several minutes later the decal shrinks and completely conforms to the wing!



Blenheim MkI nose converted to car. Model project for Lygiros??



So much for April The Tick