

NOVEMBER MEETING

The November meeting of the Winnebago Auto Modelers will be held on Tuesday November 8th, at 7:00 PM, at Hobbytown USA in Oshkosh. Meeting agenda will include a roundtable discussion of models and other model related topics brought to the meeting. Final plans will be made for Saturday's Hobbytown Plastic Model Contest on Saturday, November 12th. We should probably talk about the Collection Raid deadline too.



Thank You!

Thanks to those who read our club newsletter each month. Thanks also to Hobbytown USA in Oshkosh for their support of our club, and the Auto Modelers Group (AMG) of Wisconsin, RI Bong Chapter IPMS, IPMS/GTR Auto Modelers and the Hoosier Model Car Association (HMCA) for their electronic newsletters.



WINNEBAGO AUTO MODELERS OCTOBER MEETING

The October meeting of the Winnebago Auto Modelers was held on Tuesday, September 13th, at Hobbytown USA in Oshkosh. Members present were Matt, Greg, D9 Dave, Don, Dave and Rob.

There were no completed models on display at the October meeting, but Rob was one drywall screw short of having his Road Runner done. There was plenty of new plastic for members to paw through. Among the kits passed around the meeting were Moebius Models new 1953 Hudson Hornet, Revell's new '48 Ford Custom Coupe, Polar Lights' 1/25th scale glue together Batmobile, AMT's re-tooled Tall T 2-in 1 kit, Monogram's Slingshot Dragster re-release and a Tamiya Porsche 735/78. D9 had some wood he was awarded at the EAA Scale Venture model contest, and rumor has it the lumber king also dragged home a bunch of wood from the Wausau Glue Crew Contest. Good Job, Dave!

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UPCOMING EVENTS

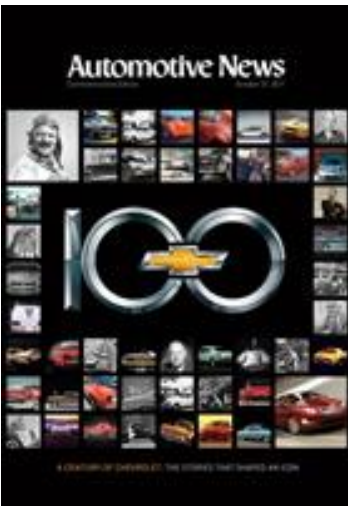
November 12th, 2011

Oshkosh Hobbytown USA Plastic Model Contest featuring the 1/4 mile Shootout! More information will be available at www.hobbytownoshkosh.com

December 11, 2011

Milwaukee Miniature Motors Winter Model Car Swap Meet and Contest Waukesha County Expo Center, Waukesha WI www.milwaukeeeminaturemotors.com

If you know of any upcoming events that you would like to see posted here, or if you would like to correct a posting already listed, please let me know, Thanks!



At the end of October, Automotive News released a special 255 page edition commemorating Chevrolet's 100th Anniversary. There are articles chronicling the history of Chevy, lots of photos, and lots of ads. The ads are not all bad in this case; many of them are congratulating Chevrolet on its milestone, and were placed by part suppliers, as well as competitors. You can view this magazine for free online for a limited time, at www.autonews.com, click on the Digital Edition link to page through the magazine, complete with the ads.

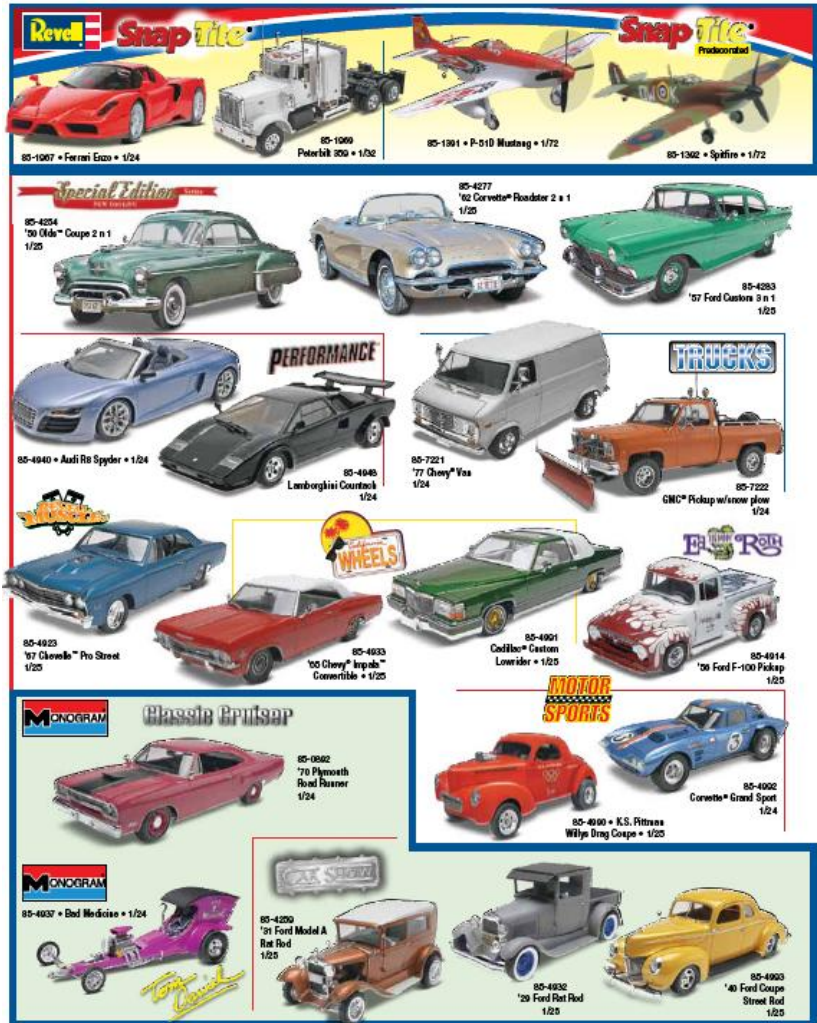


iHOBBY Show 2011

If the amount of freshly opened, newly purchased model kits on the table at our last club meeting is any indication to the current health of the model car hobby, one would suspect that things are well in the land of plastic or that our 6 club members are trying to keep it afloat on our own! The recently completed annual iHobby Trade Show typically spills the beans on what to expect from model kit companies in the near future, and this year was no exception. New tool kits announced by

Revellogram include a 1950 Oldsmobile Coupe, 1962 Corvette, 1932 Ford highboy roadster and a 1957 Ford Custom 2 door sedan. Among the reissues are Bad Medicine and Tony Nancy 22JR dragsters, 1956 Ford F-100 pickup, 1977 Chevy short wheelbase van, 1977 GMC pickup with new snow plow feature, and the remaining stock of Accurate Miniatures' Corvette Grand Sport. AMT offers up a 2010 Camaro in coupe and convertible versions, as well as a 2010 Corvette Indy Pace Car, 1976 AMC Gremlin, and reissues of the AMTronic, Ford Vantom and Chevy Vantasy vans. Moebius Models will be offering a Hudson convertible and a 1/25th scale Tumbler from the Dark Knight. This list is by no means a comprehensive list of everything we will see on the shelves in the coming year (or years), but goes to show that things are happening in the hobby, so keep your hopes up for that never produced kit to become a reality, or some long out of production kit to again see the light of day.

(Graphic from www.revell.com)



MILWAUKEE MINIATURE MOTORS

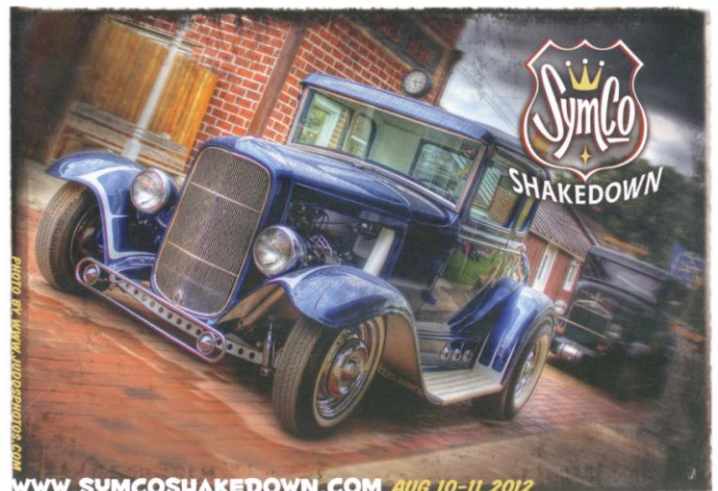
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2 GREAT SHOWS
37TH ANNUAL WINTER SHOW
Sunday, December 11, 2011, 10am - 2pm
Kits, Promos, Die Cast, Tin, All Scales
Room for 100 Tables with 6-foot wide aisles
MODEL CAR CONTEST
Special Theme - 1940's Ford Coupes

30th ANNUAL SPRING SHOW & RACING COLLECTIBLE SHOW

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This show combines the Racing Memorabilia Show with the April Toy Show.
Kits, Promos, Die Cast, Tin, All Scales
Full size race cars will be featured along with Racing Memorabilia and all our great vendors that exhibit your favorite collectibles.
\$5 at the door

All show held at:
Waukesha County Exposition Center,
1000 Northview Road - in the Arena
Exit 1-94 at Waukesha County J (exit no. 294)
1 Mile South to Northview Road - West 3 Blocks on Northview



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NOVEMBER 12th, 2011

HobbyTown USA
presents...

15th Annual

FALL MODEL CONTEST

10:30-12:00 Registration

12:30-2:00 Participant Judging

All Scales - All Model Types

Aircraft, Armor, Auto, Figures, Sci-Fi and more!

Three Age Divisions: **Youth** 10 and under **Junior** 11-17 **Adult** 18 and over

Entry Fees: Youth **FREE!** Juniors **\$3.00** Adult **\$8.00** (UNLIMITED ENTRIES)

Trophies Awarded to top 3 in each class all age divisions (entry minimums, 8 models for 3 places)



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\$5.00
entry fee

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