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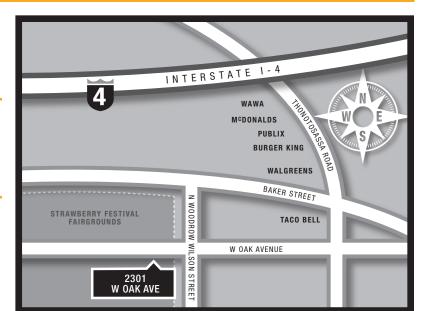
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ONE-DAY SHOW LOADED WITH CONTENT

- AWARDS PRESENTED FOR EACH CATEGORY
- CONTESTANT REGISTRATION ENDS AT NOON
- ★ LEGENDARY RAFFLE
- ONLINE REGISTRATION COMING SOON

### **PAMSCON 2023 OFFICIAL RULES & CATEGORIES**

- 1) All modeling work to have been completed by entrant, including juniors. No toys/pre-finished or R/C kits permitted.
- 2) Models may be of any material (i.e. plastic, resin, wood, or metal).
- 3) Juniors limited to participants who are 15 years or younger the day of contest. Juniors are not restricted to Junior categories they may enter any category.
- 4) Bases are allowed and encouraged in all categories, but will not be judged outside of the diorama category. Bases not in the diorama category are limited to flat surfaces (i.e tarmac, grass, concrete, etc.). No trees, rocks, or dimensional objects allowed outside of the diorama category.
- 5) Out-of-Box entries must be an un-modified commercially produced kit, and must be submitted with kit instructions. The only acceptable alterations are for antenna wire, paper/ masking tape seat belts, and alternate decals. No High-Tech /Pro-Fi Pack kits allowed.
- 6) Higher level win rule. Refer to IPMS Contest Rules / Eligibility / Section 3.
- 7) Collections are defined as 5 or more closely related subjects. Head judge reserves the right to evaluate / declare what defines a collection.
- 8) Any model that constitutes a figure will be judged in the figure category. This includes dinosaurs, robots, Terminator, etc.
- 9) Upon registration, the entrant will indicate his/her choice for category of each model. The head judge reserves the right to evaluate and if necessary move the entry to theappropriate category. If a move is necessary, the entrant will be notified.
- 10) All judges will be experienced competition judges or will be paired with an experienced judge. Entries will be judged with fairness and integrity. No judge will be permitted to judge in any category in which they are entered.
- 11) Theme Awards will be judged as their own category (i.e. models will NOT be judged in their normal category if being entered as a theme entry. Theme categories will be judged 1st, 2nd and 3rd as other categories but 1st place will receive a special award as in the past.

#### A) Juniors

- 1) Junior Aircraft
- 2) Junior Armor
- 3) Junior Automotive
- 4) Junior Open
- 5) Lego

### **B)** Dioramas

- 1) Military
- 2) Vignette
- 3) Open

## C) Ships

- 1) Powered, Larger than 1/700
- 2) Powered, 1/700 and Smaller
- 3) Submarines and Submersibles (All Scales)
- 4) Sailing (All Scales)

## D) Automotive

- 1) Curbside
- 2) Production Cars
- 3) Competition Closed Wheel
- 4) Competition Open Wheel
- 5) Street Rod
- 6) Street Machine
- 7) Custom
- 8) Drag Racer / Funny Car
- 9) Motorcycles
- 10) Commercial Vehicles
- 11) Large Scale 1/16 and Larger
- 12) Small Scale 1/43 and Smaller
- 13) Production Trucks
- 14) Emergency Vehicles

# E) Aircraft

- 1) 1/32 and Larger (*Prop/Jet/Multi-Engine*)
- 2) 1/48 Prop
  - a) Allied
  - b) Axis
- 3) 1/48 Jet
- 4) 1/48 Multi-Engine
- 5) 1/48 Prop Multi-Engine Fighter
- 6) 1/72 Prop
  - a) Allied
  - b) Axis

# E) Aircraft - continued

- 7) 1/72 Jet
- 8) 1/72 Multi-Engine
- 9) Bi-Plane and Multi Wing (All Scales)
- 10) 1/100 and Smaller (All Scales)
- 11) Civilian/Sport/Airliners (All Scales)
- 12) Rotary Wing Aircraft (All Scales)
- 13) UAV

## F) Military Vehicles

- 1) Armored Track 1/35 and Larger
- 2) Armored Half-Track/Wheeled 1/35 and Larger
- 3) Soft Skin 1/35 and Larger
- 4) Armored Track 1/48
- 5) Armored Half-Track/Wheeled 1/48
- 6) Soft Skin 1/48
- 7) Armored Track 1/72
- 8) Armored Half-Track/Wheeled 1/72
- 9) Soft Skin 1/72
- 10) Artillery / Ordinance (All Types/Scales)
- 11) Large Scale Armor 1/36 and Larger

### **G) Figures**

- 1) Historical 90mm and Smaller
- 2) Historical Larger than 90mm
- 3) Fictional 90mm and Smaller
- 4) Fictional Larger than 90mm
- 5) Busts (All Scales)

### H) Sci-Fi/Fantasy/Real Space

- 1) Real Spacecraft (All Types/Scales)
- 2) Sci-Fi Fantasy Star Trek (All Types/Scales)
- 3) Sci-Fi Fantasy Star Wars (All Types/Scales)
- 4) Gundam
- 5) Sci-Fi Other
- I) Collections (All Types /Scales) 5 or more related items

### J) Out of the Box

- \*\* Must include instructions
  - No multimedia kits/Hi-Tech
  - 1) Aircraft (All Types/Scales)
  - 2) Military Vehicles (All Type/Scales)
  - 3) Automotive (All Type/Scales)

## K) Any Other Subject (All Scales)

L) Winner's Circle - Limited to Previous Winners of Regional or National Awards

## **M) Special Awards**

- 1) President's Award
- 2) Judges Best of Show
- 3) People's Choice
- 4) Best Aircraft
- 5) Best Military Vehicle
- 6) Best Ship
- 7) Best Automotive
- 8) Best Figure
- 9) Best Space/Sci-Fi
- 10) Best Diorama
- Bob Miller Award awarded for exceptional scenery

#### N) 2023 Theme Awards

- 1) Triple B in '23
- 2) End of Vietnam Conflict

Final decision on all ALL PAMSCON 2023 awards resides solely with our event judging staff.

