



IPMS Lincoln - Scott Summison Chapter

Next Meeting December 14, 2017 6:30pm

*ATTN: DECEMBER MEETING LOCATION is GERE LIBRARY 56th &
Normal*

As you can see from above our December meeting is at Gere Library and we are scheduled there through May 2018. So we won't need to be bouncing around the library system for a few months

The December meeting could turn out to be busy with several things going on. It is the beginning of the year for our new Member of the Year program and an opportunity to begin accumulating points toward that recognition. We will also have the annual Christmas kit exchange. So bring in a kit wrapped but otherwise unmarked for that. Suggested value is \$25 and the kit should be something that you personally would like to have. It's easiest to explain the rules in person than on paper.

On top of that we also have the December contest in which any - AN4 - model which you completed in 2017 is eligible. Looking back to December 2016 we gave reduced dues to everyone who brought a model so we'll adapt that concept. Since dues are waived for 2018, we'll offer a comparable award of \$20-\$15-\$10 to the top three

winning models and \$5 to any who brings a model but doesn't make the top 3.

The next contest is scheduled for March and being called Classic Plastic. Any kit that had an original release date BEFORE 1980 is eligible. If you're unsure if a given kit qualifies ask one of us who'll be able to help decide. Reissues are eligible, so don't necessarily use the date on the kit box as reference.

There will be no raffle this month as the kit exchange replaces it.

Now I'll close with some photos of a model room I saw posted on the IPMS/UK USAF SIG Facebook page. The modeler stated he used 5 weeks to remodel the room and it's beautiful. But I couldn't help but ask myself how I'd ever function in that room. Note all the bottles of paint taking up an entire wall but only 1 bottle deep. Hobby Town in Lincoln doesn't have that much model paint! There is a nice spray booth at the end, so take a look.







Remember all in attendance are invited to meet with us at a Village Inn just down the street after the meeting. We are averaging 4 members for this after-meeting evening meal, and Wednesday's are free pie day at VI when you purchase a meal or drink.

Hope to see many of you on December 14th at Gere Library.

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