



#### **Albuquerque Scale Modelers**

#### **ASM's Model Displays at the**

#### **Folds of Honor Patriots Gala**

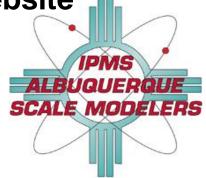


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### **ASM Model Displays**

- Goals:
  - Promote the hobby of scale modeling
  - Make an outreach for new members
  - Community service supporting civic events
- Participation in all ASM model displays is voluntary
- Model-build needs for the ASM displays is detailed on slides 18 and 19
- Additional info on ASM Displays on ASM Website at "Community" tab and IPMS/USA Journal article: "Support Your Community with Model Displays" also

on the website





### What is FoH?

- Founded in 2007 by Lieutenant Colonel Dan Rooney,
   F-16 pilot in the USAF Oklahoma Air National Guard
- FoH provides scholarships for the children and spouses of America's fallen and disabled Service members
  - Helping those families who paid the ultimate sacrifice or disabling injury
  - Opened in 2023 to also include First Responders
- FoH New Mexico has awarded 228 scholarships in NM since its inception – 55 in 2023-24 academic yr (\$265K)
- Patriot Dinner is one of their primary fund-raising events

   Donated articles are auctioned off in a silent auction and
   old-fashioned verbal auction during dinner
- Also have a golf tournament each year
- ASM has built models to be in the auction
- Info on FoH displays on ASM Website/Community tab<sub>3</sub>

### **ASM** Participation

- Initial contact by ASM in 2017 offering a model display
- Have conducted 4 model displays so far:
  - 2017, 2018, 2022, and 2023; invited to 2024
  - No displays in 2019 (small venue); 2020 and 2021 (Covid)
- Display theme:
  - "Models of Aircraft, Ships and Military Vehicles Used by the U.S. Services"
  - Includes aircraft, helicopters, armor, vehicles, missiles, figures, ships, subs, dioramas - any scale welcome
  - We are always short in modern armor and ships
  - Originally only post-911, then Korean War through present
  - Model build needs detailed on slides 18 and 19
- Venues have varied as FoH sought better locations and prices

### **ASM Auction Models**

- Have provided 4 models for auctions all in 1/48 scale
  - 2018: Two F-16Cs by Patrick Dick and Chris Kurtze in markings of NM National Guard 154th Fighter Squadron "Tacos" – sold for \$475 total
  - 2019: A-10 model by Mike Blohm \$150
  - 2022: F-35A model by Scott Jaworski \$40
- Pictures on next slide



#### **Auction Models**







#### Sep 23, 2017 Sandia Resort and Casino









Sep 23, 2017 Sandia Resort and Casino 40 Models "People's Choice" Contest

Oct 20, 2018 Santa Ana Star Hotel Casino













Sep 23, 2019 Tanoan Country Club No ASM Display ASM Donated 1/48 Scale A-10 Thunderbolt II Model for Auction Built by Mike Blohm Kit donated by Brian Peck







#### Aug 20, 2022 Embassy Suites











#### Sep 8, 2023 Isleta Casino & Convention Center







Sep 8, 2023 Isleta Casino & **Convention Center 70 Models** 



### 2024 FoH Model Display

- Date: Friday, Sep 6 at the Isleta Convention Center
- Reception at 6:00 PM, dinner at 7:00 PM
- Model set-up at 4:30 PM



- Normally have 3 to 4 ASM members participating, dress is coat and tie, dinner is included
- **Display: Models from all U.S. Services Korean War to Present** 
  - Aircraft, helicopters, armor, vehicles, missiles, figures, ships, subs, dioramas any scale
  - Can be representative of time period if color schemes are compatible
  - Set-up will likely be same as in 2023 3 tables fitting about 75 models
  - Bring models to Hobby Proz the week of Sep 6th, NLT COB Sep 5th
  - Please let me know what models you can contribute
  - Bring in tub with your name on it and include a list of your models
  - Provide info on your models ahead of time type, unit, date, etc.
  - Further Info will be provided via E-mails to club membership

#### PATRIOT GALA - 2024

**The Folds of Honor New Mexico** 

&

**Rotary Club of Albuquerque Del Norte** 

Invite you to the

9<sup>th</sup> Annual Patriot Dinner



#### **Isleta Convention Center**

Friday, September 6, 2024

6:00pm Cocktails • 7:00pm Dinner

**Live & Silent Auction** 

### Model Build Needs - 1

- A few points and clarifications on the displays and requests for new builds:
- These model builds are owned by the builders, and would just be loaned out for the club displays when they occur, if you choose to do so
- We typically re-use the same models for the displays each year, if the loaners are OK with that
- The models do not have to be built at contest-winning standards.
   Just good enough for a display and what represents ASM well
- Our two yearly displays are:
  - Folds of Honor theme "all U.S. Services subjects from the Korean War through the Present."
  - Air Force Anniversary Ball theme "all USAF subjects from 1947 through the Present." Sometimes have an event theme (like "Evolution of Flight") and we include models for that.
  - USAF subjects are a player in both displays

#### **Model Build Needs - 2**

Here is a list of models builds/needs that we would like to use in our ASM model displays

If you have an already-built kit of these and would like to loan it, please let me know

For US Army/USMC armor/military vehicles (1/35 or 1/48):

 Humvee, M109 Paladin & M110 self-propelled howitzers, M270 Multiple Launch Rocket System, AN/TWQ Avenger Air Defense System, MIM-104 Patriot, AAV7 Amphibious Assault Vehicle

For aircraft:

- USAF: In 1/144: C-17 Globemaster III, B-52D in SEA scheme/black bottom, KC-135, B-36, C-32 (presidential transport Boeing 757). In 1/72: CH-53, AC-47, and A-37 Dragonfly (all SEA), T-6 Texan II
- US Navy/USMC: In 1/72: AD-4 Skyraider (Korea), F4U {Korea), F7U Cutlass, A5 Vigilante, S-3 Viking, A-3 Skywarrior, T-45 Goshawk, F-35B, F-35C Lightning II In 1/144: P-3 Orion, P-8 Poseidon

For US Navy ships (1/700 or 1/350): subs, carriers, cruisers, destroyers <sup>19</sup>



# **Questions**?

