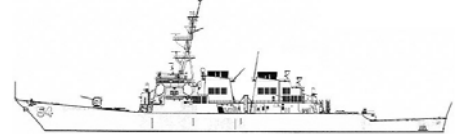
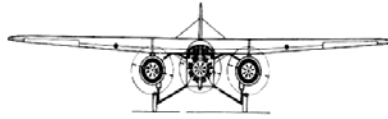
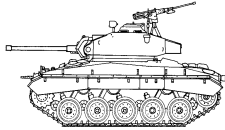


# Ajax 28 2008

## 28th Annual Plastic Model Contest

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Supported by the members of IPMS Toronto, IPMS DeHavilland, & Peel Scale Modellers

**Date:** ***Saturday, October 25, 2008***

**Place:** Cafeteria - J. Clarke Richardson Collegiate  
1355 Harwood Ave. N.  
Ajax ON, L1T 4G8

**Themes:**

Aircraft:	Israeli Defence Forces – 1948-2008
Armour:	Israeli Defence Forces – 1948-2008
Automotive:	Alphabetical Vehicles
Science Fiction:	Aliens, Robots, Droids & Gundam
Figures:	World War II
Space & Experimental Aircraft:	America into Space – 1958-1967

**Cost:** \$2.00 general admission for non-contestants  
(Richardson Students with SAC Card enter free).  
\$2.00 per model for contest entry to \$10.00 maximum (no limit on models)  
\$25.00 per vendor's table (6 ft. long)

**Prizes:**

- **1st, 2nd, 3rd Place Awards; (Traditional IPMS 1st/2nd/3rd format)**
- Plaques and Trophies for Special Awards
- Junior, Intermediate & Advanced Levels of Competition

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**Agenda:**

10:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m.	● <b>Registration</b>
	● <b>Vendors' sales begin</b>
	● <b>Viewing</b>
	● <b>Snack Bar Open</b>
12:00 noon to 2:00 p.m.	● <b>Hot and Cold Buffet:</b>
	<b>Cost: \$9.00 per person.</b>
1:00 p.m. to 2:30 p.m.	● <b>Judging</b>
3:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m.	● <b>Awards &amp; Prizes</b>

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**Registration Forms Available on-line from Oct. 1, 2008 – Go to [www.ipmstoronto.com](http://www.ipmstoronto.com) for details & forms !**

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**SPECIAL AWARDS**

**THEME AWARDS:**

**Aircraft:** Israeli Defence Forces – 1948-2008  
**Armour:** Israeli Defence Forces – 1948-2008  
**Cars:** Alphabetical Vehicles  
**Science Fiction:** Aliens, Robots, Droids & Gundam  
**Figures:** World War II  
**Spacecraft & Exp. A/C** America into Space – 1958-67

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Hornet Hobbies  
IPMS Sir Isaac Brock

**Special Awards**

Best Junior Aircraft  
Best Junior Car  
Best Junior Armour  
Best Junior Model

**SPONSORED BY:**

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Keith's Hobbies  
Hornet Hobbies  
Pickering Hobbies

Best Canadian Armour (Tom Harron Memorial Award)  
Best Airliner (Wally Gardner Memorial Award)  
Best 1/48 Aircraft (Wyman Clarke Memorial Award)  
Best Made-in-Canada Subject  
Best Ship (J.F. Daluz Memorial Award)  
Best Figure  
Best Automotive (Grant Murray Memorial Award)  
Best Armour (Nat Haspel Memorial Award)  
Best Aircraft of Show

Peel Scale Modelers  
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IPMS deHavilland  
Wheels & Wings  
Ontario Model Soldiers Society (OMSS)  
Peel Scale Modelers  
Tamiya  
Aviation World

Best of Show - People's Choice  
Best of Show - Judges' Choice - **Ron Lowry Memorial Award**

Peel Scale Modellers  
Keith's Hobbies

**NOTE:**

Models which have won First Prize(s), and/or "Best of .." awards at previous U.S. or Canadian competitions prior to October 28, 2007, are not eligible for entry in the competition.

**CONTEST CATEGORIES**  
**ADVANCED LEVEL CATEGORIES**

**AEROSPACE**

- A1) Biplanes and other rigged types - WWI & Classic Era - 1/72
- A2) Biplanes and other rigged types - WWI & Classic Era - 1/48 and larger
- A3) Single Engine - 1/72
- A4) Twin & Multi-Engine - 1/72
- A5) Single Engine - 1/48 and 1/50 - Allied (WW2)
- A6) Single Engine - 1/48 and 1/50 - Axis (WW2)
- A7) Single Engine - 1/48 and 1/50 - Other
- A8) Multi Engine - 1/48 and 1/50
- A9) Single Engine and Multi-Engine - 1/32 and larger
- A10) Jets - 1/72
- A11) Jets - 1/48
- A12) Jets - 1/32 and larger
- A13) Aircraft 1/100 and smaller - all types and eras
- A14) Rotary Wing Aircraft - 1/51 and smaller
- A15) Rotary Wing Aircraft - 1/50 and larger
- A16) Civil, Sport, and Racing Aircraft - all scales and eras
- A17) Civil Airliners - all scales and eras
- A18) Experimental & Research Aircraft - all scales and eras
- A19) Spacecraft - all scales and eras
- A20) Vacuforms, & Conversions - all scales and eras
- A21) Scratchbuilt - all scales and eras
- A22) Dioramas\* - all scales and eras

**OUT OF BOX- Aircraft**

- A23) 1/100 and smaller
- A24) 1/72
- A25) 1/48
- A26) 1/32 and larger

NOTES: \* In Aircraft Dioramas, aircraft, rather than figures, will be given first priority by judges.

**MILITARY VEHICLES**

**1/30 - 1/35**

- V1) Open Top - fully tracked AFV's
- V2) Closed Top - fully tracked AFV's - pre-1945 – Allied & neutrals
- V3) Closed Top - fully tracked AFV's - pre-1945 – Axis
- V4) Closed Top - fully tracked AFV's - post-1945
- V5) Armoured Cars and Halftracks
- V6) Softskins - includes motorcycles and kettenkrads
- V7) Ordnance - includes towed guns with or without prime mover, portees, rocket launchers, missiles, etc.
- V8) Out of Box - 1/35 and larger; all types, all eras

1/40 - 1/48

V9) AFV's and Other Vehicles, all types and eras

1/72 and smaller

V10) Tanks and other AFV's

V11) Armoured Personnel Carriers (APC)s - Open & Closed Top

V12) Softskins - as defined above

V13) Ordinance - as defined above

V14) Out of Box - Smaller than 1/35; all types, all eras

ALL SCALES

V15) Scratchbuilt & Major Conversions - all scales and eras

V16) Dioramas - all scales and eras

NOTE: AFV means an "armoured fighting vehicle", wheeled or tracked, with armour plate to protect its crew.

**SHIPS**

S1) Warships - Powered - 1/500 and smaller

S2) Warships - Powered - larger than 1/500

S3) Sailing ships and Sailboats - all scales and eras

S4) Motor Torpedo Boats, Small Patrol Boats, and Submarines - all scales and eras

S5) Miscellaneous - includes passenger liners, tug boats, & fishing boats

S6) Scratchbuilt and Major Conversions - all scales and eras

S7) Dioramas - defined as two or more ships, or one ship and associated equipment, i.e. drydock, jetty, etc.

S8) Out of Box -- all scales, all types, all eras.

**FIGURES**

F1) Foot - all scales and eras

F2) Mounted - all scales and eras

F3) Dioramas - defined as 6 or more single figures which form a complete design.

F4) Vignette - defined as between 2 to 5 single figures and no more than two pieces of equipment which form a complete design.

NOTE: In Figure Dioramas, figures, rather than accessories will be given first priority by judges.

**AUTOMOTIVE**

**CARS – 1/24 - 1/25 scale**

- C1) Factory Stock - Domestic (North American design)
- C2) Factory Stock - Foreign (Non North American design)
- C3) Competition - Closed Wheel
- C4) Competition - Open Wheel
- C5) Competition - Straight Line (anything built for straight-line racing, i.e. drag, Bonneville, Puller, Mud Bog, etc.)
- C6) Street Rod - Pre 1949
- C7) Custom - Post 1948
- C8) Street Beast & Import Tuners (includes Pro Street, trick street machines, beastie muscle cars, etc., both import & domestic. Vehicle must be street legal (i.e. treaded tires, wipers, etc., otherwise it is considered a competition vehicle).
- C9) Pick-up, Van & Sport Utility

**CARS – Other Scales**

- C10) 1/43 - all types
- C11) Large Scale - all types

**CARS – All Scales**

- C12) Light Commercial (includes police cars, tow trucks, & light-duty commercial vehicles, panel vans, etc.)
- C13) Heavy Commercial (includes large fire & service vehicles, construction equipment, transports, etc.)
- C14) Motorcycles
- C15) Diorama
- C16) Custom Die-Cast – all types, all scales (any die-cast cars/vehicles that are customized with added detail, revised paint schemes, modifications, etc.)
- C17) Miscellaneous – all types, all scales (Batmobiles, snowmobiles, anything not fitting into the above classes)
- C18) Scratchbuilt - all scales, all eras, all types
- C19) Out of Box - Competition - all types, all scales
- C20) Out of Box - Non-Competition - all types, all scales

**MISCELLANEOUS**

- M1) What-if / Hypothetical Subjects
- M2) Sci Fi Vehicles
- M3) Fantasy
- M4) Collections - all types, all eras, all scales -
  - defined as five or more models with a single theme
  - a single previous winner may be included in a collection.
- M5) Metal Models (diecast kits) - all types, all eras, all scales

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**INTERMEDIATE LEVEL CATEGORIES**

**AIRCRAFT**

INT-A1) Aircraft – All types / scales / eras

**MILITARY VEHICLES**

INT-V1) Military Vehicles – All types / scales / eras

**SHIPS**

INT-S1) Ships -- All types / scales / eras

**AUTOMOTIVE**

INT-C1) Cars -- All scales, types & eras

**FIGURES**

INT-F1) Figures -- All scales & eras

**MISCELLANEOUS**

INT-M1) Miscellaneous -- All scales, types & eras

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**JUNIOR CATEGORIES**

Open to any person 16 years of age and under.

- J1) Aircraft
- J2) Military Vehicles
- J3) Figures
- J4) Ships
- J5) Cars, Vans & Trucks
- J6) Space Vehicles
- J7) Collections
- J8) Miscellaneous & Fantasy

**"OUT OF BOX" CONTEST RULES**

- 1) Use any commercially available kit.
- 2) Finish is open to all methods, i.e. airbrush, spray can, hand painting, or natural plastic.
- 3) CONSTRUCTION:

- YOU MAY:
- a) fill seams and gaps
  - b) sand off rivets
  - c) drill guns and exhausts
  - d) thin down trailing edges, flaps, and doors if desired
  - e) hand paint instrument panels and consoles in lieu of decals.
  - f) rescribe panel lines if desired.

- YOU MAY NOT:
- a) vacuform, manufacture or replace kit parts with one not supplied in the kit
  - b) cut or separate canopies, control surfaces, hatches, or doors. No surgery allowed!
  - c) add anything to cockpit or interior unless specified in instructions. Only kit supplied seat belts and shoulder harness may be used.
  - d) apply rigging, masts or antennas to model unless depicted in instructions or box art.

- 4) Instruction sheet(s) must be displayed with the Out-of-Box entry

NOTE: Models entered in this category must be identified at the time of entry.

### THEME DEFINITIONS

- 1) **AIRCRAFT: Israeli Defence Forces – 1948-2008**  
Any model depicting an aircraft operated by the Israeli Defence Forces from 1948 to present day.
- 2) **ARMOUR: Israeli Defence Forces – 1948-2008**  
Any model depicting any vehicle (armoured or softskinned) operated by the Israeli Defence Forces from 1948 to present day.
- 3) **CARS: Alphabetical Vehicles**  
Any model depicting a civilian vehicle that had its model name or designation associated with letter(s) of the alphabet. Examples would be: Z28, Model "T", K car, Ford F150, Kawasaki Ninja ZX14, Case D tractor, Caterpillar D9 bulldozer, etc. -- a Mazda 323 does not have a letter involved, and hence would not be eligible)
- 4) **SCIENCE FICTION: Aliens, Robots, Droids, & Gundam**  
Any alien life-form, or any robot, droid, Gundam etc.
- 5) **FIGURES: World War II**  
Any figure depicting a World War II subject.
- 6) **SPACECRAFT & EXPERIMENTAL AIRCRAFT: America into Space – 1958-1967**  
Any model depicting vehicle(s) associated with the US space program from 1958 thru 1967.

### CATEGORY DEFINITIONS

- 1) **Category A18: Experimental & Research Aircraft:**  
Aircraft used for experimental and research purposes, that achieved first flight (not necessarily successfully). Examples might be the X-1; DH-108 Swallow; Langley Aerodrome; Wright Flyer; etc.
  - 2) **Category M1: What-if / Hypothetical**  
Any model depicting a vehicle that was either on the drawing board, or progressed beyond drawing board stage, including mockups, development models (wind tunnel, structural, etc.), and prototype (prior to first activation or launch or flight);
- or any model depicting a vehicle that may have been possibly developed from existing vehicles -- examples might be a T-34 tank with a Panther turret and gun; a Merlin powered B-17; the IJN Akagi with an angled flight deck; etc.

## CONTEST RULES

1. The contest is open to all registrants. IPMS membership is not required.
2. Models must be entered under the name of the builder. Any person who knowingly enters models built by another person in his own name will be disqualified from all competition.
3. Models which have won first prizes in prior Canadian or U.S. competitions prior to October 28, 2007 are not eligible for entry in competition.
4. At least 75% of the material used in the model must be plastic. Excluded from this rule are figures, diorama, display bases, diorama details, metal diecast, and epoxy or resin kits.
5. The number of models entered by a builder in each category is unlimited.
6. Reference material or documentation will be allowed on the contest tables on a space-permitting basis, but may be asked to be removed from table(s) if space is limited.
7. Gold, silver, and bronze medallions will be awarded in each category. Honourable mention ribbons will be awarded at the judges' discretion.
8. Judges' decisions are final in all matters.
9. Intermediate Level: This category is open to those who are new to competition, recently out of the junior ranks or just getting into modelling and have not placed first in conventional competitions. The purpose of this category is to encourage new modellers who are not ready to engage in the field with experienced modellers and should be considered a stepping stone to further competition. A modeller is not allowed to enter in both the Intermediate and Advanced Levels in one subject area (e.g. Aerospace) , but would be allowed to enter at different levels in different subject areas (e.g. enter in Intermediate Level for Aerospace, but enter in the Advanced Level in Armour)
10. A model may only be entered in **one** regular category. The model would remain eligible for the applicable special awards and theme awards. For example, a model entered in a regular aircraft category would not be eligible for entry as part of an entry in the "Collections" category.

## **JUDGING CRITERIA**

**WORKMANSHIP:** Evaluation of how well a model is assembled and finished. Assembly criteria includes: parts fit, seam and joint treatment, parts alignment, removal of flash and rough finish, decal application, uniformity of gloss/matte finishes, unpainted parts, application of metalskin or metallic finishes, etc.

**AUTHENTICITY & ACCURACY:** Evaluation of the structure outlines and contours of a model, the colours, textures and patterns of its finish, and the correctness of the model's markings. Kit corrections and "accurizing" are evaluated as part of this criterion.

**DETAILING:** Evaluation of both internal and external details created by the builder. The incorporation and treatment of kit furnished details is evaluated with the "workmanship" criterion.

**COMPLEXITY:** Consideration for the inherent difficulty of assembly or finish determined by the intricacy of the subject being modelled, or the difficulty factor of the kit used.

**SCOPE OF EFFORT:** Consideration for the total amount of work required, e.g. a major conversion would "score" higher than a minor conversion.

**CONSTRUCTION TECHNIQUES:** Consideration for the modelling methods used to create an authentic and/or realistic subject. This criterion is particularly applicable to conversions and scratchbuilt models and in diorama constructions. Credit for hand lettering and custom marking effort is considered a construction technique.

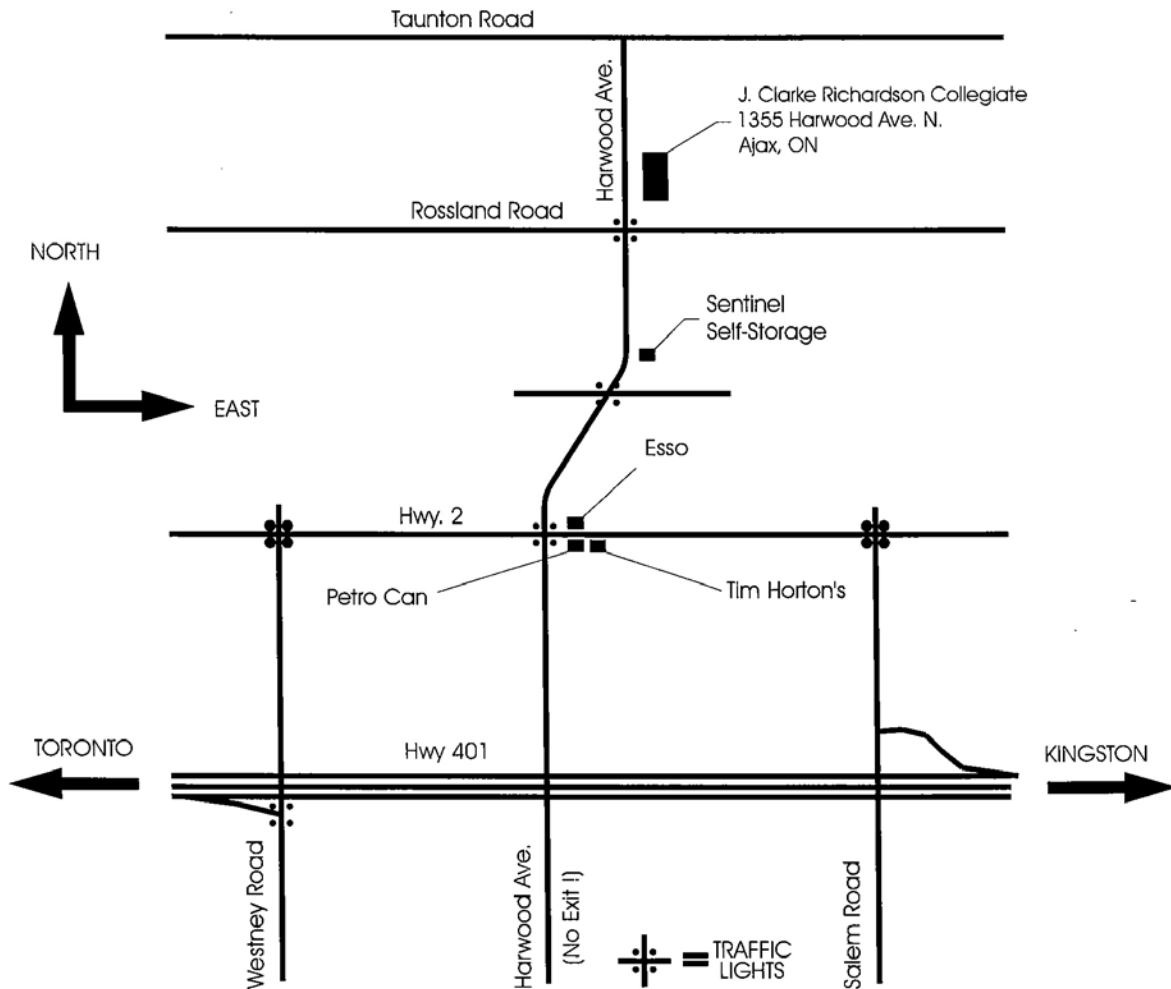
**THEME:** An objective evaluation of the story, plot or situation being portrayed. Considerations are: human interest and historical accuracy. This criterion is especially applicable in the case of vignettes and dioramas.

**REALISM:** An evaluation of how realistic a diorama appears. Considerations are: unity, colour and shading; scale and perspective, texture and animation.

**PRESENTATION:** An objective evaluation of the techniques used in displaying a model collection or dioramas. Considerations are: bases and/or backgrounds, titles and labelling, etc.

**OPEN JUDGING FORMAT:** For the Junior Categories, open judging format will be used where a model will be judged, and awards granted, on the merits of the model, based on the criteria given above.

## Harwood exit from 401 is now closed !!



From the West: (Toronto & points west)

Come along Hwy 401 East to Westney. (Exit 403). Drive NORTH on Westney Road to Kingston Road and turn right (East). Drive to Harwood Ave. and turn NORTH (left). Proceed north on Harwood past Rosland Road. The school is on the right side (east side) shortly past Rosland Road.

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