

## December 2023



Clif Bailey's Italeri 1/35th scale 234/1 Armored Car

We had twenty-eight members and family and guest at the December meeting. After a bit of a problem, we were able to get into our meeting room and we had an interesting and informative meeting with some favorable reaction among the members and guest.



Zahir Vera's 1/35th scale T-34/85

There were four visitors and I did not get any information from two them, but at least one was a former customer at Toy's by Roy (mid1960's/early 1970"s) and a student where I taught. I think his name was Frank Mendoza. We talked for a good bit and he was into armor some fifty years ago. We had two guest that joined our membership Louis Lopez Jr. and Louis Lopez III. Welcome.

We did not hold an election during the meeting as it has been pretty much the same folks running things for about the last twenty years. No one wants to edit and print the newsletter, so it seems. The membership may not be happy with the way things are done but no one wants to take on any particular job so they agreed to let me continue to do whatever it is I do.



Hector Gonzalez's AMT 1959 Chrysler Imperial 1/25th scale

Back in June 1970, Homer Shanks produced the first issue of the GLUE. He selected the name "THE GLUE" hoping that it would hold this group together. It was printed on a duplicating machine and did not include pictures.

The logo was a hand drawn tube of model cement with the cement running out of the nozzle.



Carlos Delgado's Su 27 in 1/48th scale. Kit: Zhengdefu

We meet on Sunday, at 7000 Edgemere, at 2:00 P.M.

I hope those that wanted modeling items for Christmas got a ton of stuff. I started this issue well before Christmas but now I am trying to get it finished before we meet.



Tommy Delgado's Tamiya Russian, 1.5 ton Cargo truck in 1/35th scale



Arthur Berdick's Takom 1/35th scale Soviet Heavy tank SMK 1939



Clif Bailey's Italeri 1/72nd scale -45 Goshawk



Zahir Vera's 1/72<sup>nd</sup> Hobby Boss Mil M-4

## Happy New Year to all!



Hector Gonzalez's AMT1/25th 1964 Ford Falcon Dragster



Carlos Delgado's HobbyBoss P-40 in 1/48th scale



Hector Gonzalez's 1/25th scale AMT 1935 Modified Chevy Coupe

## Folks at the meeting: 7 Tommy Delgado Clif Bailey James Howard Bernie McCune Louis Lopez III Louis Lopez, Jr Michael Drapes Gustav Hebrok Dixi Ficher Zahir Vera Joseph Roper Conrad Ottenhoff

Carlos Delgado



Ron Franco

William Coster







Clifford Bossie

**Duane Velasquez** 

**Hector Gonzalez** 

John Estes



A modeling effort by Joseph Roper: Lindberg Blue Devil Destroyer - (USS Melvin DD680 Fletcher Class)