

Welcome to the Tulsa Modelers' Forum 2022 Contest and Show!



There is something for every modeler with our 2022 theme: **Made in Japan**. If it originated* in Japan or depicts Japanese life, history or culture, it qualifies. Samurai, Russo-Japanese war, WWI and WWII, autos, gundam, sci-fi, manga - get creative!

The registration instructions are on the Contest Entry Form, and if you follow them fully and complete them in advance, the registration process will go much faster for everyone! If you download the PDFs of the forms in advance, you can fill them out online before you print (and it's much easier to read than your handwriting!)

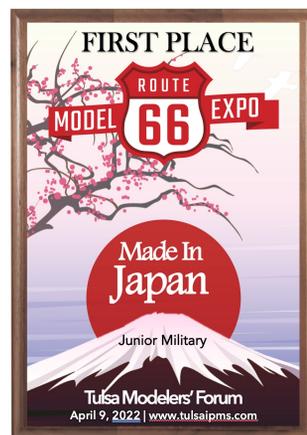
Please feel free to download the **Judging Criteria** we use (see the Contest Page on our site). We use a different judging method than most contests, in that we use a numerical scoring system, so that each entry is judged according to the criteria and the points scale. It takes more effort to judge this way, but we believe it produces a fair outcome. And because we post the scoring results online, you can see how the judges rated you in the three areas of criteria. The same panel of judges score all entries in each category (Aircraft, Auto, etc.) so that the scoring scale remains consistent within each category.

Several days after the contest, you can go to the contest page on our website and review the results and the scores of every entry.

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Schedule for the event:

- **8:00:** Doors open for **vendors** (earlier if we can get set up).
- **9:00:** Doors open to the **public** and for **modeler registration**
- **10:30 – 2:30: Raffle**
- **11:00:** Judging begins
- **12 Noon:** Registration **closes**.
- **3:00: Award ceremony** (or as close as possible!)



Our goal is to encourage as many modelers to participate as possible, to celebrate your work, and to spend an enjoyable day together among fellow hobbyists. To that end, if you see any room for improvement, please feel free to find anyone in a Tulsa Modelers' Forum shirt and share your idea, or use the feedback form that is part of the Contest Entry Form. You can also contact me directly at greg.kittinger@gmail.com, or call or text me at **918-260-8349**

* refers to the subject, not the country in which the model kit was manufactured.

TULSA MODELERS FORUM 2022 - CONTEST CATEGORIES

JUNIOR

- 1000 Junior Military
- 1100 Junior Non-Military

AIRCRAFT

- 1200 Pre-1927 Aircraft All Scales
- 1300 1927-45 & Prop to 1954: Sing. Engine 1/48
- 1400 1927-45 & Prop to 1954: Sing. Engine 1/72 & smaller
- 1500 1927-45 & Prop to 1954: Multi. Engine 1/48
- 1600 1927-45 & Prop to 1954: Mult. Engine 1/72 & smaller
- 1700 Post-1945: 1 & 2 engines 1/48
- 1800 Post-1945: 1 & 2 engines 1/72 & smaller
- 1900 Post-1945: 3+ engines All Scales
- 2000 Large Scale Aircraft : Post-1927 1/35 & larger
- 2100 Tilt/Rotary Wing All Scales

AUTOMOTIVE

- 2200 Box Stock
- 2300 Factory Stock
- 2400 Slammers & Curbsides
- 2500 Street Rod Pre-1949
- 2600 Street Machine 1949 & newer
- 2700 Pickups/Vans/SUVs
- 2800 Light Commercial (marked) 1-ton or less
- 2900 Heavy Commercial Over 1-ton
- 3000 Custom
- 3100 Foreign/Exotic/Tuners
- 3200 Competition: Open Wheel
- 3300 Competition: Closed Wheel
- 3400 Large Scale Auto 1/18 or Larger
- 3500 Motorcycles

DIORAMA

- 6200 Military Diorama
- 6300 Non-Military Diorama

MASTER AWARDS

- Best Aircraft
- Best Military Vehicle
- Best Figure
- Best Ship
- Best Space & Sci-Fi
- Best Diorama & Miscellaneous
- Best WWII
- Best Auto
- Best Foreign Auto
- Best Auto Paint & Finish
- Best Auto Interior
- Best Auto Engine & Compartment
- Best General Motors Auto
- Best Classic Update

MASTER AWARDS (CONT)

- Theme Award: Made In Japan
- Mystery Award
- Judges Choice
- Modelers Choice
- Junior Best of Show
- Veteran Best of Show
- Best of Show

MILITARY VEHICLE (see notes below)

- 3600 Closed Top Tracked Armor: Pre-1946 Axis 1/35 & larger
- 3700 Closed Top Tracked Armor: Pre-1946 Axis 1/48 & smaller
- 3800 Closed Top Tracked Armor: Pre-1946 Allies 1/35 & larger
- 3900 Closed Top Tracked Armor: Pre-1946 Allies 1/48 & smaller
- 4000 Closed Top Tracked Armor: 1946-Present 1/35 & larger
- 4100 Closed Top Tracked Armor: 1946-Present 1/48 & smaller
- 4200 Open Top/Open hatch, including half-tracks 1/35 & larger
- 4300 Open Top/Open hatch, including half-tracks 1/48 & smaller
- 4400 Wheeled Vehicles and Armored Cars 1/35 & larger
- 4500 Wheeled Vehicles and Armored Cars 1/48 & smaller
- 4600 Ordnance, deployed or in travel with or w/o prime move 1/35 & larger
- 4700 Ordnance, deployed or in travel with or w/o prime move 1/48 & smaller

SHIPS

- 4800 Sailing & Non powered 1/350 & larger
- 4900 Sailing & Non powered 1/351 & smaller
- 5000 Powered 1/350 & larger
- 5100 Powered 1/351 & smaller
- 5200 Submarine All Scales
- 5300 Wood Ships All Scales

FIGURES

- 5400 Military Figures
- 5500 Non-Military Figures
- 5600 Fantasy-Supernatural
- 5700 All Flats

SPACE & SCI-FI

- 5800 Robots, Gundams, Fighting Suits
- 5900 Space Vehicles (Real)
- 6000 Space Vehicles (Fantasy)
- 6100 Misc Space / Sci-Fi / Fantasy

MISCELLANEOUS

- 6400 Military Misc.
- 6500 Non-Military Misc.
- 6600 Humor
- 6700 Non-Traditional Materials (paper, photo-etch, etc.)

Military Vehicle Notes:

- *Any vehicle with an open hatch and without a figure in the hatch will be considered as an "open-top/open-hatch" vehicle
- **Self-propelled artillery pieces should be entered in Categories 3000-3700, depending on time period and whether they are open- or closed-top

Categories can be split at the discretion of the Judging Committee according to our split criteria.

Automobile Categories Details

Box Stock: The model must be built from parts supplied in the kit and each part must be used in the way the kit manufacturer intended. Design flaws may not be corrected. Removal of parting lines or injection points, filling of sink holes, rechroming of flawed chrome, use of replacement parts from an identical kits and paint, foil, flocking or decals from any source will be allowed. Instructions must accompany the model.

Factory Stock: Any vehicle built as it came from the factory.

Slammers & Curbsides: Slammers - Windows must be opaque, visible blowers, carbs or injectors will be allowed, no other engine parts may be visible. No open doors, hoods or trunk lids. Curbsides – same as Slammers, but can have clear windows and visible interior. Chassis will not be judged on either.

Street Rod: Pre-1949 street-legal vehicles that have been primarily mechanically modified for increased performance.

Street Machine: Same as Street Rod, except 1949 and newer.

Pickups/Vans/SUVs: Just what it says, unless it qualifies as a Tuner.

Light Commercial: Cars, pickups, SUV's, vans, sedan and panel deliveries and vehicles based on them that are used for business purposes with 1-ton or less capacity. Shall have appropriate markings and ready for work. Includes small emergency vehicles (i.e. police car).

Heavy Commercial: Service vehicles such as tractor-trailers, large straight trucks, busses, construction, fire & rescue & others with over 1-ton capacity. Shall have appropriate markings. Includes large emergency vehicles (i.e. fire truck or police armored car).

Custom: Any car, SUV, pickup, sedan or panel delivery etc., that has major body modifications so that it is no longer stock in appearance. Vehicle does not have to be street legal. Factory concept or experimental cars will be included in this class.

Foreign/Exotic/Tuners: Any import, exotic or factory/dealer hot rod (factory) OR any import or domestic compact car or truck equipped with engine mods, wheels, interior components, suspension and ground effects not originally installed at the factory.

Open Wheel Competition: Any closed-course competition vehicle with exposed wheels (no fenders) designed and built to compete on a paved or dirt track or off-road. (Indy, CART, Formula 1, sprint cars, etc.).

Closed Wheel Competition: Any closed-course competition vehicle with covered wheels (inside fenders) designed and built to compete on a paved or dirt track or off-road (NASCAR, IMSA, Can Am, Trans Am, etc.).

Large Scale Auto: All auto entries 1/18 or larger.

Motorcycles: Civilian/racing only.

Classic Update Award

This is the “silk purse from a sow's ear” award! Kit must be an older kit – manufactured from molds prior to about 1980. If you're not sure of the date of the molds, use www.scalemates.com to research. Keep in mind that many brands re-box older kits using the original molds, so more kits than you might imagine could qualify.

The judging for this is subjective. It's not just about how much scratch building, PE or aftermarket parts, or super-detailing you do. It's also about what you started with, and what the finished product looks like – how attractive and creative it is.

Many modern cottage industry or short-run kits are less quality than major brand kits, but that isn't quite what we are looking for. Think old Airfix, Frog, Monogram/Revell, Aurora, etc. Even older Hasegawa and Fujimi kits could qualify if the molds are old enough.

Contest Entry Form

To make registration smooth and fast, please read carefully and complete your model entry forms and registration process properly.

1. Complete the **Contest Entry Sheet** (this page) including check box for junior if applicable.
2. Complete a **Model Entry Form** (both Display Section & Judging Form) for each model
3. Check applicable boxes on the **Entry Form** for **Junior, Theme, WWII** or **Veteran** entries
4. Bring the completed forms to **Cashier** to pay for registration and receive PAID stamp.
5. Bring the STAMPED forms to the **Registration** table.
6. Take both sections of the **Model Entry Form** and your model, and place on the table in the appropriate section – category numbers and descriptions are on the table tents.
7. Place the model entry forms **BESIDE** the model, **NOT UNDER IT.**

Name: _____ Cell: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____ IPMS#: _____

Junior – under 18

Please add me to your mailing list. You can unsubscribe at any time. If you are already on the list, only add if your email has changed.

One entry **Two** entries **Unlimited** entries **Paid** _____

Email: _____

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Please use this feedback form to let us know how we can make the Route 66 Model Expo better next year.

What I liked best about the event:

What you could do to improve the event:

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Modeler's
Choice
Ballot

Entry #:

Subject:



Model Entry Form

Instructions:

1. This PDF is an online-fillable form.
2. **Download the form** to your computer and open it to use this feature. All you need to complete is the top section – the bottom section will be filled in automatically.
3. For multiple entries, complete the form, print it out, then close the PDF and **DON'T SAVE IT**. Then reopen it again. Do the same for each of your entries. **You must start with a blank form for the bottom section to populate automatically.**
4. If you print out a blank form to fill out manually, make sure to **fill in both sections.**
5. **Cell number** is needed in case judges have questions, or model needs to be moved.

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DISPLAY SECTION Junior Veteran Theme WWII Classic Update

Scale _____ Class _____ Description _____

Kit Brand _____ Kit Manufacture Year _____ (to qualify for Best Classic Update)

Cell # _____

DO NOT FILL

Entry #

Modeler #

Details:

Check if more details are listed on back

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JUDGING FORM Junior Veteran Theme WWII Classic Update

Scale _____ Class _____

Kit Brand _____

Description _____

Entry # _____

Modeler # _____

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	Presentation & Creativity	Workmanship	Painting & Finish
max points	30	40	30
Judge A Initials:			
Judge B Initials:			