

# MODEL EXPO

# 25<sup>th</sup>

## ANNIVERSARY 1983-2008

## MODEL EXPO 2008 ENTRANTS COMPLIMENTARY COMPETITION RESULTS





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## MODEL EXPO 2008

### EDITORIAL

Dear Model Expo competition entrant and fellow modeller,

Thank you for making Model Expo 2008 such a wonderful success. This year's event attracted a good number of entries and more visitors than at any time throughout its 26 year history.

Model Expo is a joint initiative of model clubs across Australia. It provides a unique opportunity for modellers and enthusiasts of all interests and skill levels to share their ideas, knowledge and enjoyment of plastic and scale modelling. The Australian Open Plastic and Scale Modelling Championships provide a wonderful spectacle for the wider community to learn more about the art of modelling and how they can participate in this most interesting hobby.

Model Expo 2009 is fast approaching and should be the events biggest and brightest yet. Following on from the success of this year, Model Expo 2009 will benefit greatly from increased participation of clubs, the model industry and sponsors.

The vision and mission provides a framework, that will ensure the ongoing success of Model Expo and the Australian Open Plastic and Scale Modelling Championships for many years to come.

*The vision:* To promote the art of plastic and scale modelling

*The mission:* Model Expo's mission is to create a greater awareness among the wider and modelling community of the benefits and opportunities provided by plastic and scale modelling.

*through a major national event that:*

- provides a greater recognition of the opportunities (professional and recreational) provided by plastic and scale modelling
- provides a competition for the widest variety of plastic and scale model categories
- provides recognition of the skills and talents of individual modellers and clubs by the modelling and wider community
- Provides the opportunity for plastic and scale modelling to be recognised as part of the wider arts community, and
- provides the opportunity for participation and enjoyment by model club members, individuals and visitors

Model Expo 2009 will be held at the Sandown Exhibition Centre, June 28-29, (so bring your friends and join us in making Model Expo 2009 a great success for modellers, clubs, sponsors and visitors alike.

Model Expo organising committee

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*front cover:* In the foreground, Alan Chung's magnificent 1/700 IJN *Yamato* (Best of Show) is shown with other equally impressive models from Model Expo 2008.

## MODEL EXPO 2008 AUSTRALIAN OPEN PLASTIC & SCALE MODEL CHAMPIONSHIPS RESULTS

### DIRECTORS MESSAGE



The lead up to Model Expo 2008 was showing we would indeed be in for a memorable event.

2008 was to be my last year as Director after 8 years in the role. Additionally, 2008 was the year Model Expo was celebrating its 25th anniversary. To add to the memory credits, Model Expo 2008 had a forced change of dates due to the running of

the V8 Supercars at Sandown Raceway, on what have been traditionally the Model Expo dates of the Queen's Birthday long weekend. The shift in date by several weeks meant that the 2008 event would be run over 2 days instead of the usual 3 – a grand challenge for all!

A large amount of activities needed to be reorganised by the committee. Unfortunately due to the reduced days, certain events needed to be curtailed. The 25th anniversary was however made memorable by the special commissioning of a Model Expo 25th Anniversary pin. This was issued to competitors, traders, sponsors and committee members. To also mark this year as a special year, unique trophies were created that also signified the 25th anniversary event.

These trophies were well deserved by the place-getters as the general standard of modelling across all categories was extremely high. Achieving a commended is a significant accomplishment as these models had progressed to the final stages of judging that would then determine the final places.

The standard of Club displays was exceptional, as were the modelling demonstrations. Traders abounded at the 2008 Model Expo with perhaps the biggest and most varied range of products available to modellers that Model Expo has hosted to date.

As we hectically drew towards the end of the event I took pause to reflect on my eight years and remembered my first and only Expo as Director at the old Arts and Crafts Pavilion at the Royal Melbourne Show Grounds. I looked to where Model Expo had progressed to and was proud to have been a major part of that change. The changes at times were controversial and there always seemed to be the knockers of Model Expo, no matter what was done or how well the various events ran. I am proud of the committee members who I have worked with, who braved the criticisms and worked with the tough decisions that ensured the continuity of Model Expo and decisions that have contributed to the growth and strength of Model Expo today.

My intentions in becoming Director in 2000 were for two reasons. It was a job that needed to be done and most importantly, I wanted to put something back into the hobby that has given me so much in terms of enjoyment and close friends. I believe that this was accomplished but not just by me alone. Much of the credit goes to the Expo committee members who perform a myriad of thankless tasks. Their passion, dedication and the willingness to give up their personal time and to work towards the agreed strategies is what has made Model Expo the event it is today.

It is now time for me to step aside and hand over full control to Rene de Koning as the new Model Expo Director. He has been a part of the committee for many years and with the other members has created the legacy of Model Expo in its current form.

It has been my proud honour to have served them and the Australian modelling community as the Director of Model Expo.

Laurence Farrugia  
 Director Model Expo 2000 - 2008.

**AIRCRAFT – LARGE**

(1/35 and larger) OPEN

Sponsored by Axis Eagles



1st	Lukasz Kedzierski	Yak-18
2nd	Bradley Gaff	Fw 190D-9
3rd	Brett Johnson	Ki-61 Hein
Com	Adam Dormer	Pitts Special S-2B

**AIRCRAFT – MEDIUM**

(1/36 to 1/71) ENHANCED

Sponsored by CollectAir



1st	Paul Gillan	M8 129B-1
2nd	Bradley Gaff	Ki 84 Frank
3rd	Jamie Davies	Fw 190 D-11
Com	Steven Banham	Thunderbolt ▶▶

**AIRCRAFT – MEDIUM – PROPELLER DRIVEN**

(1/36 to 1/71) MODIFIED

Sponsored by Aeroworks



1st	Jamie Davies	Fait G.50
2nd	Stephen Protelli	Junkers 88 a-4
3rd	Jamie Davies	Brewster Model 239
Com	Stephen Protelli	Douglas Invader A-26C ▶▶

**AIRCRAFT – MEDIUM**

(1/36 to 1/71) OUT-OF-BOX

Sponsored by Angels Twenty



1st	Rene de Koning	F9F-5 Panther
2nd	Jamie Davies	Fokker 21
3rd	Richard Hourigan	Bell X-1
Com	Peter Kealey	Aichi M6A1 Seiran ▶▶

**AIRCRAFT – MEDIUM – JET PROPELLED**

(1/36 to 1/71) MODIFIED

Sponsored by Flying Aces



1st	Andrew Perren	Lockheed Martin F-16B
2nd	Jamie Davies	Me262 U186
3rd	Jeremy Lewis	ES-3 Shadow Viking
Com	Michel Givord	Su-27 Flanker ▶▶

**AIRCRAFT – SMALL**

(1/72 to 1/79) OUT-OF-BOX

Sponsored by Model Aeronautical Association of Australia



1st	Wayne Little	Kugisho P1Y1 Ginga
2nd	John Booth	B25J Mitchell
3rd	John Booth	Mosquito
Com	John Booth	BF109G-10 ▶▶

**AIRCRAFT – SMALL**

(1/72 to 1/79) ENHANCED

Sponsored by John Baxter Publications



1st	Wayne Little	Messerschmitt Me262A-1
2nd	Ian Vale	Spitfire Prototype
3rd	Geoff Jenkins	Nakajima Ki-44 Tojo
Com	William Moore	V-1 Reichenberg

**AIRCRAFT – SMALLER**

(1/80 & smaller) OPEN

Sponsored by John Xigalatas



1st	Christopher Cooper	F-8D Crusader
2nd	Wayne Little	Mitsubishi A6M2 Zero
3rd	Christopher Cooper	F/A-18A Hornet
Com	Christopher Cooper	F-14A Tomcat

**AIRCRAFT – CIVIL AIRLINERS**

(all scales) OPEN

Sponsored by Australian Aviation Enthusiast Group



1st	Alex Rogers	Boeing 707-138
2nd	Tony Paton	Caribbean Airlines Boeing 737-800
3rd	Tony Paton	Virgin Blue 737-700
Com	Tony Paton	Tiger Airways Airbus A320

**AIRCRAFT – SMALL**

(1/72 to 1/79) MODIFIED

Sponsored by Sky Guardians



1st	Paul Gloster	Supermarine Speed Spitfire
2nd	David Constable	Piper J-3 Cub
3rd	Junyan Zhon	CA-13 Boomerang
Com	Michael Louey	Focke Wulf 190D-9 ▶▶

**AIRCRAFT – VACUFORM**

(all scales) OPEN

Sponsored by John Baxter Publications



1st	Jon Bunce	Pheonix DI
2nd	Craig Murray	Meteor Mk 8
3rd	Craig Murray	Sea Fang
Com	Brian Thewlis	Whitley Mk II ▶▶

**AIRCRAFT – ROTARY WING – INCLUDES HELICOPTERS**

(all scales) OPEN

Sponsored by Models & Hobbies 4U



1st	Andrew Perren	Sikorsky S-70B Seahawk
2nd	Andrew Perren	Boeing AH/64D
3rd	Troy Fosbender	CH-53E Super Stallion
Com	Simon Breust	Huey Bushranger

**MOTORCYCLES – CIVIL & MILITARY**

(all scales) OPEN

Sponsored by Early Model Kits



1st	John Rogers	GO!!!! Yamaha 500cc
2nd	Junyan Zhon	Yamaha YZR 500 '99
3rd	Andy Woodhouse	KTM 250 Cross
Com	Paul McLennan	Mr Bad (Chopper) ▶▶

**CIVIL VEHICLES – SMALL – NON-COMPETITION**

(1/20 to 1/31) OUT-OF-BOX

Sponsored by Early Model Kits



1st	Simon Breust	1962 Chevrolet Belair
2nd	Steve Hansford	Mercedes Benz McLaren SLR
3rd	Alan Jackson	32 Ford Phantom Vickie

**CIVIL VEHICLES – SMALL – NON-COMPETITION**

(1/20 to 1/31) MODIFIED

Sponsored by Waverley Scale Modellers Club



1st	Bryce Michelmore	32 Ford Coupe
2nd	Bryce Michelmore	Datsun Fairlady Z 432R
3rd	Andy Woodhouse	1949 Mercury Coupe
Com	Paul McLennan	32 Ford Sedan ▶▶

**CIVIL VEHICLES – LARGE**

(1/19 & larger) OPEN

Sponsored by Australian Model Car Club



1st	Leighton Pratt	Renault F1 2004
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**CIVIL VEHICLES – SMALL – NON-COMPETITION**

(1/20 to 1/31) ENHANCED

Sponsored by Northern Area Modellers



1st	Steve Hansford	Ferrari Enzo
2nd	Bryce Michelmore	Jaguar Mk II Saloon
3rd	Paul McLennan	97 'Vette
Com	Alan Jackson	Malibu SS Pro-Street

**CIVIL VEHICLES – SMALL – COMPETITION**

(1/20 to 1/31) OPEN

Sponsored by Duotek



1st	Shayne Nyholm-Hunter	K-Mart Thunderbird
2nd	Steve Hansford	Subaru Impreza WRC 2004
3rd	Barry Atkins	Ferrari F189
Com	Bryce Michelmore	Pontiac Nascar ▶▶

**CIVIL VEHICLES – SMALL – KERBSIDE (NO ENGINE DETAIL)**

(1/20 to 1/31) OPEN

Sponsored by Aeroworks



1st	Steve Hansford	Ferrari F430
2nd	Paul McLennan	60 Plymouth Wagon
3rd	Andy Woodhouse	Aluma Coupe Salty
Com	Steve Hansford	Aston Martin DBR9 LM

**LIGHT COMMERCIALS AND PICKUPS – UNDER 3 TONNES**

(all scales) OPEN

Sponsored by Hearn's Hobbies



1st	Paul McLennan	60 Chev Pickup
2nd	Alan Jackson	55 Chev Cameo Pickup
3rd	Robin Low	Chevrolet Sportside Pickup
Com	Don Williams	Ford '61 Ranchero

**MILITARY AFVS LARGE**

(1/35 & larger) OUT-OF-BOX

Sponsored by Hobby HQ



1st	Brian Thewlis	Sherman Firefly
2nd	Alex Curlis	Panzer IA
3rd	Dale Marston	Panther G

**CIVIL VEHICLES SMALLER**

(1/32 & smaller) OPEN

Sponsored by All Car Autoglass



1st	Roy Hakim	Maserati 450S
2nd	Michael Kelly	Ferrari F92
3rd	Michael Kelly	Ferrari F93
Com	Michael Kelly	Ferrari 641/2 ▶▶

**TRUCKS AND HEAVY VEHICLES – OVER 3 TONNES**

(all scales) OPEN

Sponsored by Northern Area Modellers



1st	Frank Birthiser	International Transtar/Tri Tipper
2nd	Evan Richards	Volvo N-1064 Flatbed
3rd	Frank Birthiser	Mark R600/Tri Axle Jinker
Com	Frank Birthiser	Mark R600/Bogie Jinker ▶▶

**MILITARY AFVS LARGE**

(1/35 & larger) ENHANCED

Sponsored by Victorian Hobby Centre



1st	Anthony Sheedy	Staghound AC
2nd	Jamie Degenhardt	SDKFZ 140/1 Aufklarungpanzer
3rd	Jamie Degenhardt	SDKFZ 251/22 AUSFD
Com	Michael Tabone	PzKfz 1 Ausf A ▶▶

**MILITARY AFVS – LARGE – POST 1950**

(1/35 & larger) MODIFIED

Sponsored by Albury Hobby Centre



1st	Colin Breen	M60
2nd	Nino Ferrari	Aust Mk 5 Centurion
3rd	Glen Hambleton	Leopard 2/A6

**MILITARY VEHICLES AND EQUIPMENT – LARGE**

(1/35 & larger) OUT-OF-BOX/ENHANCED

Sponsored by Platypus Publications



1st	Ewan Forbes	M1126 Stryker
2nd	Jamie Degenhardt	SDKF2 251/1 AUSFC
3rd	Michael Bradshaw	M4A1 Halftrack

**MILITARY AFVS, VEHICLES AND EQUIPMENT – MEDIUM**

(1/36 to 1/71) OPEN

Sponsored by Hobby HQ



1st	Ewan Forbes	M8 Greyhound
2nd	Craig Stratton	Stug III Early
3rd	Glen Hambleton	Crusader MkII
Com	Ewan Forbes	US 2 1/2 ton 6x6 Crago Truck

**MILITARY AFVS – LARGE – PRE 1950**

(1/35 & larger) MODIFIED

Sponsored by South East Hobbies



1st	Anthony Sheedy	African Tiger
2nd	Sam Dwyer	Panther A 412
3rd	Stephen	Ballantyne Grille
Com	Ian McPherson	T-34-85 ▶▶

**MILITARY VEHICLES AND EQUIPMENT – LARGE**

(1/35 & larger) MODIFIED

Sponsored by Hyperscale



1st	Sam Dwyer	Stryker
2nd	Chris Leeman Feverleit	Panzer Fahrzeug Sdkfz 27/3
3rd	Nino Ferrari	SAS Pink Panther
Com	Nino Ferrari	SAS Jeep ▶▶

**MILITARY AFVS, VEHICLES AND EQUIPMENT – SMALL**

(1/72 & smaller) OUT-OF-BOX/ENHANCED

Sponsored by Hyland's Bookshop



1st	Chris Leeman	T35/85
2nd	Chris Leeman	Firefly VC
3rd	Jason Boulter	T34-85
Com	John Booth	Opel Fuel Truck ▶▶

**MILITARY AFVS, VEHICLES AND EQUIPMENT – SMALL**

(1/72 & smaller) MODIFIED

Sponsored by Snowy Mountains Models



1st	Jason Boulter	Hetzer
2nd	Brad Littleboy	E-100 '101'
3rd	Jason Boulter	Sd Kfz 234/4

**CIVIL DIORAMAS**

(all scales) OPEN

Sponsored by ModelArt Australia



1st	Damain Park	'Enemy of my Enemy'
2nd	Andy Woodhouse	'1929 Ford Model A Roadster'
3rd	Patrick Navascues	'Prototype Expo Stand'

**MILITARY DIORAMAS**

(all scales) OPEN

Sponsored by Platypus Publications

1st	Alan Chung	'Yukikaze'
2nd	Terry Ellison	'More for the Gulag'
3rd	Terry Ellison	'Operation Nicolas'
Com	Robert Wellington	'Texas Brigade' ▶▶



**SINGLE MODEL DIORAMAS**

(all scales) OPEN

Sponsored by Hyland's Bookshop



1st	Matt Beattie	Stug III AUSF-G
2nd	Jamie Davies	Fw190 A-8
3rd	Brad Cocks	Normandy Recon
Com	Terry Ellison	Achtung Jabo ▶▶

**VIGNETTES**

(all scales) OPEN

Sponsored by Firestorm Hobbies



1st	Robert Wellington	'Watching The Southern Passes'
2nd	Robert Wellington	'Odin Viking Raiders'
3rd	Robert Wellington	'Brothers in Arms'
Com	Scott Taylor	'Target Secure' ▶▶

**FIGURES – LARGE**

(65mm & larger) OPEN

Sponsored by Empire Hobbies



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|-----|---------------|---------------------|
| 1st | Dickson Oh    | Defender of Antioch |
| 2nd | Brad Cocks    | GD Panzer Officer   |
| 3rd | Terry Ellison | Digger              |
| Com | Rory Doherty  | Zulu ▶▶             |

**FIGURES – SMALL**

(64mm & smaller) OPEN

Sponsored by Firestorm Hobbies



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|-----|----------------|-------------------------------|
| 1st | Dickson Oh     | Chinese General               |
| 2nd | Marc Lee       | US Special Forces 'A Stan Oz' |
| 3rd | Michael Stynes | 146th New York Volunteer      |

**FIGURES – BUSTS**

(all scales) OPEN

Sponsored by Adelaide Moulding & Casting



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|-----|----------------|---------------|
| 1st | Michael Stynes | Blood Warrior |
| 2nd | Michael Stynes | Pawnee Brave  |
| 3rd | Michael Stynes | Mandan Chief  |
| Com | Ian Vale       | Mamluk ▶▶     |

**FIGURES – WARGAMES ARMY**

(all scales) OPEN

Sponsored by Runway 13



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|-----|---------------|---------------------------|
| 1st | Shaun Tiernan | War Mumak                 |
| 2nd | Jon Bunce     | Tuareg DBA Army           |
| 3rd | Shaun Tiernan | Boxer Rebellion Chinese   |
| Com | Paul Williams | British Parachute Company |

**SCI-FI, MOVIE AND FANTASY SINGLE FIGURES –LARGE**

(201mm & larger) OPEN

Sponsored by Empire Hobbies



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|-----|----------------|-------------------|
| 1st | Mick O'Neill   | The Mummy         |
| 2nd | Donald Jenkins | Mirei-San         |
| 3rd | Brian Thewlis  | Der VampyrJager   |
| Com | Donald Jenkins | MIIKU Kugumiya ▶▶ |

**SCI-FI, MOVIE AND FANTASY SINGLE FIGURES – MEDIUM**

(200mm to 51mm) OPEN

Sponsored by Victorian Hobby Centre



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|-----|-------------------|---------------|
| 1st | Robert Wellington | Orogs Warlord |
| 2nd | Paul Powzyk       | Armitage III  |
| 3rd | Mick O'Neill      | Dracula       |

**SCI-FI, MOVIE AND FANTASY SINGLE FIGURES – SMALL**

(50mm & smaller) OPEN

Sponsored by Snowy Mountain Hobbies

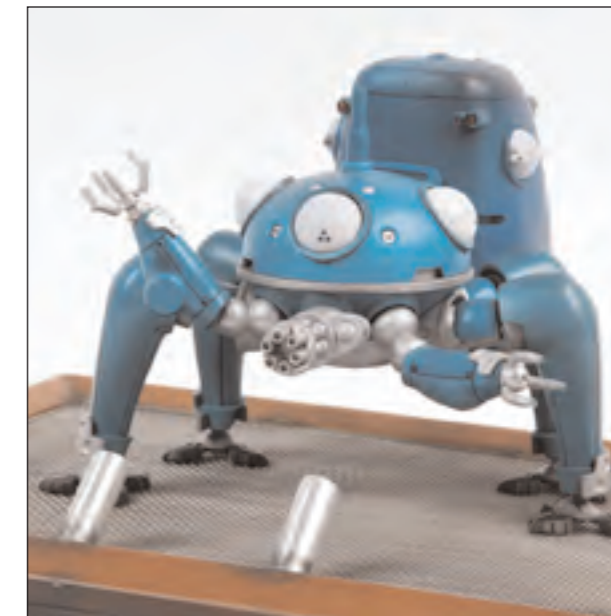


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| 1st | Brendan Day | Death Jack                    |
| 2nd | Marc Lee    | 'Even in Death I Still Serve' |
| 3rd | Marc Lee    | Emperors Chosen               |
| Com | Brendan Day | Captain Rengrave ▶▶           |

**SCI-FI, MOVIE AND FANTASY VEHICLES AND EQUIPMENT**

(all scales) OPEN

Sponsored by Whittlesea Area Plastic Modellers



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|-----|------------------|------------------------------------|
| 1st | Scott Taylor     | Tachikoma                          |
| 2nd | Paul Illingworth | Starwars Buzz Droid                |
| 3rd | Scott Taylor     | Gundam Mk II (Titans Prototype)    |
| Com | Scott Taylor     | Game Over – Guncannon Vs Zukull ▶▶ |

**MODEL EXPO 2008 AUSTRALIAN OPEN PLASTIC & SCALE MODEL CHAMPIONSHIPS RESULTS**  
**SENIOR**



**SHIPS POWERED LARGE**

(1/500 & larger) OPEN

Sponsored by Fleetline & Starline Models

1st	David Dalton	S100 Schnellboote
2nd	Min-Hin Chong	USS Fletcher
3rd	Leighton Pratt	US BB-62 Battleship New Jersey
Com	Stephen Fernandez	S100 Schnellboote

**SHIPS - SAILING**

(all scales) OPEN

Sponsored by DUOTEK P/L

No entries



**SHIPS POWERED SMALL**

(1/501 & smaller) OPEN

Sponsored by Hearn's Hobbies

1st	Alan Chung	IJN Yamato
2nd	Min-Hin Chong	IJN Tony
3rd	Glen Hambleton	HMS Rodney

**SHIPS - SUBMARINES**

(all scales) OPEN

Sponsored by Fleetline & Starline Models

1st	Ian Vale	USS Miami
2nd	Andrew McGee	USS Dallas



**MODEL EXPO 2008 AUSTRALIAN OPEN PLASTIC & SCALE MODEL CHAMPIONSHIPS RESULTS**  
**SENIOR**

**MISCELLANEOUS (ANY SUBJECT NOT COVERED PREVIOUSLY)**

(all scales) OPEN

Sponsored by Aussie Modeller International



1st	Colin Breen	Velociraptor
2nd	Scott Taylor	Velociraptor
3rd	Charles Fisher	General Locomotive
Com	Patrick Navascues	SRN4 Hovercraft ▶▶

**SCRATCHBUILT**

(all scales) OPEN

Sponsored by Aussie Decals



1st	Dean Graham	Italian 149/40 1935 Hvy Fd Gun
2nd	Dean Graham	Italian 105/32 P4 Tractor
3rd	Dean Graham	Japan Type 95 Railroad SO-K1
Com	Dean Graham	Flak U-Boat 1943

**MODEL EXPO 2008 AUSTRALIAN OPEN PLASTIC & SCALE MODEL CHAMPIONSHIPS RESULTS**  
**INTERMEDIATE**

**INTERMEDIATE AIRCRAFT**

(all scales) OPEN

Sponsored by Victorian Model Aeronautical Association



1st	Fred Murray	F/A 18E Super Hornet
2nd	Craig Murray (Jnr)	Fw190A-8

**INTERMEDIATE CIVIL VEHICLES**

(all scales) OPEN

Sponsored by DLS Australia



1st	Andrew Rogers	Ducati Desmosedici
2nd	Andrew Rogers	Kawasaki Ninja ZX-RR
3rd	Andrew Rogers	Xanavi Nismo GT-R (R-34)
Com	Bryce Parlanti	70 Plymouth Superbee – yellow ▶▶

**INTERMEDIATE MILITARY AFVS, VEHICLES AND EQUIPMENT**

(all scales) OPEN

Sponsored by South East Hobbies



1st	Craig Murray (Jnr)	Swedish Strv 103B MBT
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**INTERMEDIATE SCIENCE FICTION, MOVIE & FANTASY**

(all scales) OPEN

Sponsored by Murray Burfitt Tools



1st	Craig Murray (Jnr)	Imperial Guard Baneblade
2nd	James Hakim	Ork bike
3rd	Abbey Tiernan	Imperial Shuttle

**MODEL EXPO 2008 AUSTRALIAN OPEN PLASTIC & SCALE MODEL CHAMPIONSHIPS RESULTS**

**INTERMEDIATE**

**INTERMEDIATE MISCELLANEOUS**

(all scales) OPEN

Sponsored by Aeroworks



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|-----|---------------|---------------------------------|
| 1st | Hannah Tabone | Ankylosaurus                    |
| 2nd | Fred Murray   | Russian Navy Oscar II Submarine |

**INTERMEDIATE FIGURES**

(all scales) OPEN

Sponsored by Hyland's Bookshop



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|-----|--------------------|-------------------------|
| 1st | Oscar Bonin        | High Marshall Helbrecht |
| 2nd | Craig Murray (Jnr) | Tyrandid Warrior        |
| 3rd | Craig Murray (Jnr) | Night Goblin Fanatics   |

**INTERMEDIATE DIORAMAS**

(all scales) OPEN

Sponsored by Angels Twenty



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|-----|-------------|--|
| 1st | Fred Murray | 'Brood Lord & Space marine conversion' |
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**STUART FERGUSON MEMORIAL TROPHY**

Sponsored by Ferguson Family

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| Fred Murray | F/A 18E Super Hornet |
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**MODEL EXPO 2008 AUSTRALIAN OPEN PLASTIC & SCALE MODEL CHAMPIONSHIPS RESULTS**

**JUNIOR**

**JUNIOR AIRCRAFT**

(all scales) OPEN

Sponsored by Collectors Aircraft Models



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|-----|--------------------|------------------------|
| 1st | Chris Doppel       | F-16 A/B 'Nato Falcon' |
| 2nd | Nathan Louey       | P40E Kittyhawk         |
| 3rd | Christopher Turner | JU 87R Stuka           |

**JUNIOR CIVIL VEHICLES**

(all scales) OPEN

Sponsored by All Car Autoglass



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|-----|----------------|-------------------------|
| 1st | Bree Elston    | Chevy Bison Primo Mover |
| 2nd | Bree Elston    | Ford LTL Primo Mover    |
| 3rd | Edsel McLennan | Mitsubishi EV08         |

**MODEL EXPO 2008 AUSTRALIAN OPEN PLASTIC & SCALE MODEL CHAMPIONSHIPS RESULTS**

**JUNIOR**

**JUNIOR MILITARY AFVS, VEHICLES AND EQUIPMENT**

(all scales) OPEN

Sponsored by Albury Hobby Centre



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|-----|--------------|-------------------------|
| 1st | Chris Doppel | Crusader Mk III AA Tank |
|-----|--------------|-------------------------|

**JUNIOR MISCELLANEOUS**

(all scales) OPEN

Sponsored by Darren Daley

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|-----|------------------|--------------|
| 1st | Taylah O'Neill   | She Hulk     |
| 2nd | Luke Tabone      | Rhino        |
| 3rd | Brittany Tiernan | Snow Speeder |



**MODEL EXPO 2008 AUSTRALIAN OPEN PLASTIC & SCALE MODEL CHAMPIONSHIPS RESULTS**

**SPECIAL AWARDS**

**JUNIOR MODEL OF MERIT**

Sponsored by Whittlesea Area Plastic Modellers



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|------------------|-------------|
| Brittany Tiernan | Tornado IDS |
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**BEST IN SHOW - INTERMEDIATE**

Sponsored by IPMS Australia



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|---------------|--------------------|
| Andrew Rogers | Ducati Desmosedici |
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**BEST VIETNAM ERA SUBJECT**

Sponsored by National Vietnam Veterans Museum



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| Simon Breust | Huey Bushranger |
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**BEST RAAF-KEVIN KERLE MEMORIAL**

Sponsored by Waverley Scale Modellers Club



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| John Booth | Mosquito |
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**BEST AIRFIX**

Sponsored by Southern Model Supplies



Junyan Zhon CA-13 Boomerang

**BEST ITALERI**

Sponsored by Dawn Trading



Andrew Perren Sikorsky S-70B Seahawk

**AUSTRALIAN AIRCRAFT RESTORATION GROUP AWARD**

Sponsored by Australian National Aviation Museum



Adrian Foot Australian Blackhawk

**BEST TRUMPETER MODEL**

Sponsored by JB Wholesalers



Rene de Koning F9F-5 Panther

**BEST REVELL MODEL**

Sponsored by Southern Model Supplies



Philip Pietsch 'Aussie Son's'

**BEST CMR**

Sponsored by Czech Master Resin



Ian Vale Spitfire Prototype  
Brian Thewlis Supermarine Attacker

**BEST AXIS AIRCRAFT**

Sponsored by Axis Eagles



Wayne Little Kugisho P1Y1 Ginga

**WOW FACTOR**

Sponsored by Max Shaw



David Dalton S100 Schnellboote

**BEST PAINT**

Sponsored by ModelArt Australia



Dickson Oh Chinese General

**BEST IN SHOW – BILL WALLIS MEMORIAL TROPHY**

Sponsored by IPMS Australia



Alan Chung IJN Yamato



**PEOPLE'S CHOICE**

Sponsored by IPMS Australia  
Philip Pietsch 'Aussie Son's'

**BEST CLUB DISPLAY**

Sponsored by IPMS Australia  
Waverley Scale Modellers Club  
'Evolution in Design'



**AIRCRAFT MEDIUM**

(1/36 to 1/71) OUT-OF-BOX

*Sponsored by Angels Twenty*

Com Michel Givord	Eurofighter 'Typhoon'
Com Don Williams	P40
Com Kuan-nien Chao	F-104G
Com Laurence Farrugia	F9F Panther
Com Stephen Protelli	Grumman F3F-1
Com Gary Storr	Skyraider
Com Brett Robinson	Albatros DV

**AIRCRAFT MEDIUM**

(1/36 to 1/71) ENHANCED

*Sponsored by CollectAire*

Com Tony Mollica	P-40E
Com Bradley Gaff	Niki 'Rex'
Com Ian Keizers	Grumman F4F-4 Wildcat
Com Chris Nitschke	Fw190 A8
Com Laurence Farrugia	Me-309

**AIRCRAFT MEDIUM - JET PROPELLED**

(1/36 to 1/71) MODIFIED

*Sponsored by Flying Aces*

Com Craig Murray	A-10 (Naval)
Com Andrew Doppel	RAAF 'What If' A10A 'Razorback'



**AIRCRAFT MEDIUM - PROPELLER DRIVEN**

(1/36 to 1/71) MODIFIED

*Sponsored by Aeroworks*

Com Stephen Keogh	F4F-4 Wildcat
Com Stephen Protelli	Supermarine Walrus

**AIRCRAFT SMALL**

(1/72 to 1/79) OUT-OF-BOX

*Sponsored by Model Aeronautical Assoc of Aust*

Com Junyan Zhon	Hawker Typhoon
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**AIRCRAFT SMALL**

(1/72 to 1/79) MODIFIED

*Sponsored by Sky Guardians*

Com John Booth	Lancaster
Com Graham Carter	Leo 451
Com Ian Vale	Spitfire Mk 24

**AIRCRAFT VACUFORM**

(all scales) OPEN

*Sponsored by John Baxter Publications*

Com Wayne Hines	Sea Venom
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**MOTORCYCLES - CIVIL & MILITARY**

(all scales) OPEN

*Sponsored by Early Model Kits*

Com Andy Woodhouse	Suzuki Hopper Mini Bike
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**CIVIL VEHICLES SMALL NON-COMPETITION**

(1/20 to 1/31) MODIFIED

*Sponsored by Waverley Scale Modellers Club*

Com Bryce Michelmore	40 Ford Coupe
Com Alan Jackson	41 Willy's Coupe

**CIVIL VEHICLES SMALL COMPETITION**

(1/20 to 1/31) OPEN

*Sponsored by Duotek*

Com Andy Woodhouse	Plymouth Duster Copout
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**CIVIL VEHICLES SMALLER**

(1/32 & smaller) OPEN

*Sponsored by All Car Autoglass*

Com Michael Kelly	Jordan EJ11
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**TRUCKS AND HEAVY VEHICLES – OVER 3 TONNES**

(all scales) OPEN

*Sponsored by Northern Area Modellers*

Com Trever Smith	Tow Truck KW
Com Trever Smith	Western Star Container
Com Andy Woodhouse	Mack Bulldog Log Hauler

**MILITARY AFVS LARGE**

(1/35 & larger) ENHANCED

*Sponsored by Victorian Hobby Centre*

Com Michael Bradshaw	Staghound
Com Larry D'Argaville	Marder III



**MILITARY AFVS LARGE – PRE 1950**

(1/35 & larger) MODIFIED

*Sponsored by South East Hobbies*

Com Ray Blythe	Sdkfz Lorraine Schleppeur
Com Ray Blythe	Sdkfz 142 Sturmhaubitze 42G
Com Anthony Sheedy	Italian Panther G
Com Sam Dwyer	Panther G Steel Wheel
Com Gary Millias	Tiger I Tunisia 1943
Com Gary Millias	Panzer III Ausf J



**MILITARY VEHICLES AND EQUIPMENT LARGE**

(1/35 & larger) MODIFIED

*Sponsored by Hyperscale*

Com Michael Tabone	Sdkfz 179 Bergepanther
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**MILITARY AFVS, VEHICLES AND EQUIPMENT SMALL**

(1/72 & smaller) OUT-OF-BOX/ENHANCED

*Sponsored by Hyland's Bookshop*

Com Dickson Oh	T-34/85
Com Jason Boulter	M4A3 75mm

**SINGLE MODEL DIORAMAS**

(all scales) OPEN

*Sponsored by Hyland's Bookshop*

Com Andrew Perren	Vantage Point
Com Matt Beattie	Panzer IV AUSE-G

**MILITARY DIORAMAS**

(all scales) OPEN

*Sponsored by Platypus Publications*

Com Philip Pietsch	'Aussie Son's'
Com Stephen Keogh	'German 88mm Flak 18'

**VIGNETTES**

(all scales) OPEN

*Sponsored by Firestorm Hobbies*

Com Brian Thewlis	'Eagle of the Ninth'
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**FIGURES – LARGE**

(65mm & larger) OPEN

*Sponsored by Empire Hobbies*

Com Robert Wellington	Genghis Khan
Com Terry Ellison	Springtime on Okinawa
Com Robert Wellington	Templar Knight

**FIGURES – BUSTS**

(all scales) OPEN

*Sponsored by Adelaide Moulding & Casting*

Com Robert Wellington	Chindit Burma 1944
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**SCI-FI, MOVIE AND FANTASY SINGLE FIGURES –LARGE**

(201mm & larger) OPEN

*Sponsored by Empire Hobbies*

Com Donald Jenkins	Sexy Devil Girl
Com Mick O'Neill	Frankenstein
Com Donald Jenkins	Young MIP Cover Girl
Com Donald Jenkins	MIAI Tsuzuramara

**SCI-FI, MOVIE AND FANTASY SINGLE FIGURES – SMALL**

(50mm & smaller) OPEN

*Sponsored by Snowy Mountain Hobbies*

Com Jeff Dunster	Ranger from D&D
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**SCI-FI, MOVIE AND FANTASY VEHICLES AND EQUIPMENT**

(all scales) OPEN

*Sponsored by Whittlesea Area Plastic Modellers*

Com Bill Ansell	Klingon 'Bird of Prey'
Com Brian Thewlis	Serenity
Com Brian Thewlis	Viper Mk 1 - Galactica
Com Scott Taylor	Zeta Gundam

**MISCELLANEOUS (ANY SUBJECT NOT COVERED PREVIOUSLY)**

(all scales) OPEN

*Sponsored by Aussie Modeller International*

Com Scott Taylor	Tyrannosaurus Skeleton
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**INTERMEDIATE CIVIL VEHICLES**

(all scales) OPEN

*Sponsored by DLS Australia*

Com Mitchell Kloet	1929 Ford Pickup
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# MODEL EXPO

# 2009

THE AUSTRALIAN OPEN  
PLASTIC SCALE MODEL CHAMPIONSHIPS



## WHAT IS MODEL EXPO 2009?

Model Expo 2009 is a showcase of everything that encompasses plastic modelling. A national open plastic model competition is conducted during the Expo and covers all categories including aircraft, military AFVs, civil vehicles and figures. Junior and intermediate modellers are also catered for. Kit distributors and retailers will show latest releases along with model club displays.

OVER 50 CATEGORIES

3 CLASSES – OUT-OF-BOX, ENHANCED & MODIFIED

3 DIVISIONS – JUNIOR, INTERMEDIATE & SENIOR

TROPHIES, CERTIFICATES & KITS TO BE WON

CLUB DISPLAYS MODEL DEMONSTRATIONS

MODEL RETAIL SHOPS SWAP & SELL

## VENUE

Sandown Entertainment Centre,  
Sandown Racecourse, Princes Highway,

Springvale, Melbourne 3171

Melway Map 80, Ref C10.

Entry is from Princes Highway.



## COMPETITION ENTRIES

Friday, 5 June 5pm – 9pm

Saturday, 6 June 9am – 12pm

Adults – \$5.00 first model, then \$2.00 each for

next 5 models, additional models FREE

Junior/Intermediate – \$2.00 per model up to

5 models, additional models FREE

## PUBLIC VIEWING TIMES

Saturday, 6 June 11am – 5pm

Sunday, 7 June 10am – 5pm

Monday, 8 June 10am – 5pm

## ADMISSION

Adults – \$10.00;

Children (under 17)/Concession – \$5.00;

Family (two adults, one or more children) – \$20.00

Competitors – Free entry

AMPLE FREE PARKING

## SWAP AND SELL

Monday, 8 June from 10am – 12 noon.

Set up time for traders is 9am – 10am.

Tables may be hired at \$30.00 each or \$20.00 per

half table. No retailers.

Swap & Sell Admission – \$5.00

Bookings: (bookings close 1/6/2009)

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