

Newsletter



Holiday Greetings & An Invitation

to Our Fellow Styrene Junkies & Resin Heads *by Tommy Kortman*

As you know, the holidays are a great time to catch up with old friends, and even better time to make new ones. With that being said we are sending this invitation to all DVSM members, but especially to those of you we haven't seen in a while.

Please come and enjoy the Annual DVSM Christmas Party and Favorite 5 contest!

We all know that there are a lot of things in life that can pull us in all kinds of directions and take up a huge amount of our time. And there are way too many things that tend to put a damper on a good time (ie bills, gas prices, the economy, etc). We also understand how these real life things can put a huge cramp in our hobby time. That is why we'd really like to see you all on the 5th of December. (Yes, that is the first Friday of the month) for one of the premier events of the Holiday season. The DVSM Christmas Party and Favorite 5 Contest is a wonderful time to renew some old friendships, welcome in the new club officers for the upcoming season, check out some of your fellow builders best work, and maybe even make a few new friends.

We are currently working on programs for the coming year and after a year absence we have a complete line up of themes for 2009. To compliment the themes, and in an effort to get to see more of the incredible and amazing work that our members consistently and continually produce we have created a new theme contest series for the upcoming year. These contests will be a popular vote deal, and the subject will be the monthly theme. The members will vote on the theme model that they think is best. We are planning to have a coordinated matching plaque for each of these contests.

Just as a reminder; the favorite 5 contest is a people's choice contest where you, the members, vote for the 5 models that you would most like to take home with you. (Of course you won't actually be allowed to, but we can still tease you with this.) This is typically a very tough contest to judge, because while there may be one or two models that stand out from the rest, filling out 3 through 5 usually proves to be very tough choices. As usual members are allowed to bring up to 3 models to put on the table.

This year could be a very exciting contest, as there is some interesting side action on the outcome of this contest. Somebody remember to bring the Chapstick.

The Party is always a good time, and the food brought in by the members is always fantastic. So please mark this day on your calendars, clear the decks of other unimportant events, and come on out to the DVSM Annual Christmas Party and Favorite 5 contest.

All are welcome, so bring the family, and have a great time with us!

Thank you very much for your time...now go build something!!! We hope to see you there. Happy Holidays!!!

Sincerely and in scale,

Delaware Valley Scale Modelers.

