

# Desert Classic XIV

IPMS Region 8

## Regional Model Contest

Saturday November 6<sup>th</sup> 2010

Presented by  
The

Antelope Valley Group  
IPMS AVG



Event Location:  
Antelope Valley College  
3041 W. Avenue K, Lancaster CA  
Cafeteria Entrance

## Categories

### This Years' Theme: "In the Still of the Night"

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| 1. Helicopters, All Scales & Types                   | 23. Artillery, All Scales & Types                      |
| 2. Aircraft, Biplanes, All Scales & Types            | 24. Softskins-Trucks, Halftracks (1/35 & Larger)       |
| 3. 1/73 & Smaller Aircraft                           | 25. Self Propelled Guns, Assault tanks (1/35 & larger) |
| 4. 1/72 Aircraft, Allied, Single Eng. Prop           | 26. Auto-Factory & Replica Stock                       |
| 5. 1/72 Aircraft, Axis, Single Eng. Prop             | 27. Auto-Street Machine & Hot Rods                     |
| 6. 1/72 Aircraft, Multi-Eng Prop                     | 28. Auto Cruisers, Customs, Low Riders                 |
| 7. 1/72 Aircraft, Small Jet                          | 29. Auto-Competition Closed Wheel                      |
| 8. 1/72 Aircraft, Medium / Large Jet                 | 30. Auto-Competition Open Wheel                        |
| 9. 1/48 Aircraft, Allied, Single Eng. Prop           | 31. Auto-Miscellaneous                                 |
| 10. 1/48 Aircraft, Axis, Single Eng. Prop            | 32. Motorcycles, All Scales & Types                    |
| 11. 1/48 Aircraft, Multi-Eng Prop                    | 33. Figures-Historical                                 |
| 12. 1/48 Aircraft, Small Jet                         | 34. Dioramas-Large Composition                         |
| 13. 1/48 Aircraft, Medium Jet                        | 35. Dioramas-Small Composition (5 Figures or Less)     |
| 14. 1/32 <sup>nd</sup> Scale & Larger Aircraft, Jets | 36. Sci-Fi / Fantasy -Vehicles / Mechs / Robots        |
| 15. 1/32 <sup>nd</sup> Scale & Larger Aircraft, Prop | 37. Sci-Fi / Fantasy-Figures                           |
| 16. Ships, All Scales & Types                        | 38. Real Space / Rocket powered                        |
| 17. Submarines, All Scales & Types                   | 39. Out of the Box – All Scales & Types (See Note)     |
| 18. Armor 1/72 <sup>nd</sup> & Smaller               | 40. Miscellaneous                                      |
| 19. Armor 1/48 <sup>th</sup> & Smaller               |  |
| 20. Tanks, Allied-1945 & Earlier (1/35 & Larger)     |  |
| 21. Tanks, Axis-1945 & Earlier (1/35 & Larger)       |  |
| 22. Tanks, AFV 1946 & Later (1/35 & Larger)          |  |

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1. 12 Yrs. Old & Under
2. 13 to 17 Years Old

\* **Note Cat 39:** Out of the box requires the Kit Instructions to qualify

### Provisions for Splits provided as required

#### Special Awards

Theme Award:  
"In the Still of the Night"  
Best of Show  
Best Aircraft  
Best Auto  
Best Armor  
Best Sci-Fi Subject  
Silk Purse Award

#### Specific Subject

#### & Anniversary Awards

X-Plane Award  
Viper Award - Best F-16  
Best USAAF Bomber of WWII  
Tomcats Forever-40<sup>th</sup> Ann.

#### Schedule:

0900-1230 Registration  
1:00-3:30 Judging  
3:30-4:30 Awards Presentation

**Large Raffle:** A raffle schedule will be posted at the show  
Refreshments available via the AVG Snack Bar.

#### Fees:

Parking: \$0.50 charged by College (May be waived)  
Adult: \$10.00 up to 3 entries,  
\$15.00 4-5 entries,  
\$2.00 ea. per additional entry over 5  
\$2.00 discount for IPMS Members  
Juniors: FREE  
Spectators: FREE  
Vendors \$45.00 Per table (reserved), \$50 at the door

#### Chapter Contacts:

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# Special Awards Criteria

## Theme Award: "In the Still of the Night"

Special themes of the night such as: stealth aircraft, vehicles or ships, figures of the night: Batman, vampires, monsters, etc.

## Jet Aircraft Size Criteria:

Small Jet: Not exceeding 55' (scale) in wingspan or length.

Medium/Large Jet: Larger than 55' (scale) in wingspan or length.

## Silk Purse Award:

This award will be presented to the best built model from the poorest of kits.

## Viper Award:

This award will be presented to best F-16 variant. Note that accuracy factors a major role in Judging.

## X-Plane Award:

Includes any "X" Designated Experimental Plane tested at Edwards AFB or Mojave area.

## Tomcats Forever; 40<sup>th</sup> Anniversary:

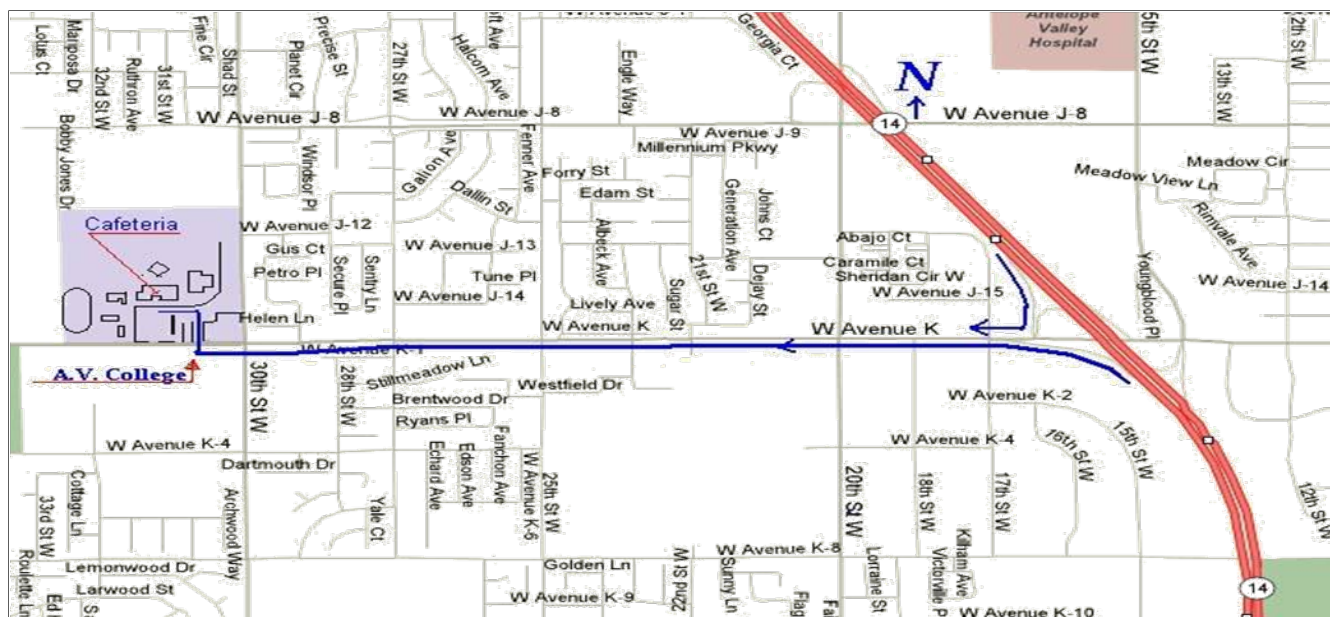
Celebrating 40 years since the F-14 Tomcat first took flight. This award will be presented to the best F-14; any variant,.

## Best USAAF Bomber of WWII

In recognition of the USAAF Bombers that served in WWII; to include allied made bombers in US markings.

## Directions to Antelope Valley College:

**Take 14 North or South to Avenue K Exit, turn west. Continue through 30<sup>th</sup> St. West and turn right into College Parking Lot.**



For contest news and updates see our website at <http://www.avg-ipms.org>

IPMS National Rules will be the primary judging criteria. The "No Sweeps" rule will be in effect for this contest.

All winning entries from past Desert Classic, Region 8 Regionals, and IPMS National Contests are not eligible.

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