



Scenes from the March MTG...

The LONG ISLAND AUTO REPLICA SOCIETY (L.I.A.R.S.) Model Car Briefs is dedicated to bringing you the best and most up to date information about our great hobby of model building.

Were in our 33rd year as a Club; let's hope we all stay healthy during this post COVID-19 crisis and that we can all attain some measure of prosperity. Then perhaps we can build a new Club display in memory of Rich Argus...

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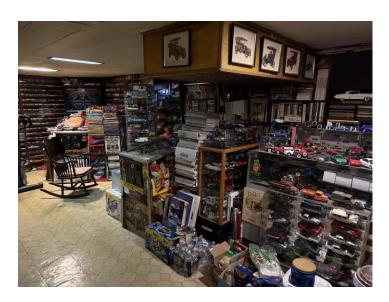
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### From our LIARS Unofficial Official

Hello everybody welcome to April! You know what they say, April showers and all that stuff. Yeah, well, we had a lot of showers so far. But soon painting weather will be here again.

Recently, I had the pleasure of visiting with Mr. Bill Murray, a.k.a. Dr. V. I was invited to his display room. It was very impressive! And an eclectic collection, model cars of all sizes, diecast from all makes and automotive memorabilia. He even has an old school, pinball machine! We spent a good deal of time, reminiscing about old kits, cars, and what was and what was not available in kit form. It was a very nice visit!





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Next Meeting Thursday April 17th @ 7:30 PM

As far as club business goes, Donna and I went to the bank for a second time to start the new club account. But one form that was supposed to be online was unable to be found. Starting to feel like a visit to DMV! But, the missing document is on its way.

The 71 Dodge demon kits have been acquired and will be distributed at the next meeting for the people who signed up.

I would like to bring back club clinics. In the past a club, member would demonstrate "How to" work shop on certain aspects in model building, such as the application of Bare Metal Foil or scratch building small parts.

Club members could gather around and witness the magic. If anybody would like to volunteer or have a suggestion on something they would like to see, we will entertain it at the meeting.

That's it for now, please try to bring a canned good to donate for the center. We've all been guilty for being sporadic about this, but think about those who are much less fortunate than us.

Otherwise, I can't thank everybody enough for their input and all the support! Hope to see you all this Thursday!

Your unofficial official,

Dominick "McMonte" Gerace,



Remember those folks who made a difference in your life in 2024 (good or bad) and use the lessons learned to be a better you. Life is made up of people, events and decisions. 2025 is a time to start fresh. So surround yourself with good people, be active, happy and make remainder of 2025 great. Richie.

## Some Words from the Editor At Large

This ones rather light this month, got caught up with things so it wasn't worth bothering people for content. I'm sure most won't mind and several of you were busy with stuff anyway I'm sure everyone will be back online for May and then things will ease up for me... Hopefully.

Yet again, haven't gotten very much done this month, between starting up the new business name and financial stuff for it, plus constant rainy/windy weather on prime weekend paint days. Maybe just maybe May should be better, or I'll yet again have so much on my plate it'll crush me and get all the fat outta my body LOL.

I would like to present ideas for our 2025 Freeport MCB show theme and sub-themes. I have selected categories, one of which will likely be the Main theme or the Sub-theme.

At the IPMS show, the owner of Baseline Hobby was present selling stock, mostly military/Sci-Fi subjects, on hand. He needs help and support as several map websites claimed he

closed yet is still open for business. Although Baseline deals with mostly military and plains stuff, the owner does have some cars even older releases that could be at good prices!

Baseline Hobby:

250 Little East Neck Rd, West Babylon,

NY 11704

Phone: (631) 376-0060

Fellow members should stop by as he's only a few miles down the road from Garys in Islip. Only thing is Baseline is only open

Fridays: 11 AM-6 PM Saturdays: 12-6 PM Sundays: 1-5 PM

So plan accordingly.

IPMS Freeport show was fun overall as it was my first time there despite being in the same location as our MCC. I didn't enter anything as I wasn't sure I'd be able to make that day, but it was a general model show and not the busty curvy kind mind you!

The NNL East 37 is comin' up Saturday April 26<sup>th</sup> WAYNE PAL Building 1 PAL Drive -- Wayne, NJ 07470 USA

Probably be there getting a ride with one of our members. Those planning to go

Those planning to carpool should discuss so if they choose to attend NNL.

That is all for now, see you all on Thurdsay!

From John Heyer

I will come to the meeting with lots of kits for sale. Not only will I bring

some into the center, I will have my van filled with dozens more for sale at 6:15 in the parking lot.

I am also looking for people who are going to NNL East 37 in Wayne New Jersey on April 26th and want to go along with me. If you wish to hop along with me on the 26<sup>th</sup>, contact me ASAP!

My email is <u>oldie383@gmail.com</u>, and should you need to contact me via phone my cell is 631-575-6923

Thank you all very much,

**JOHN HEYER** 

### Model Mercantile Market

"Wanted or For Sale" section...

WANTED: CAR MODEL Magazine May 1974 issue. Will pay \$20 for it in excellent condition.

WANTED: AMT 1969 LINCOLN unbuilt kit. Will buy or have many vintage kits available for trade.

Contact Gary Weickart at 631-581-5834 or <a href="mailto:gweickart@aol.com">gweickart@aol.com</a>.

WANTED: Large diameter wheels, tires, and disc brakes from Revell/AMT/Tamiya/Aoshima/ect. kits. 1/24<sup>th</sup> and 1/25<sup>th</sup> scale. () WANTED: Modular and modern motors like LS1s, HEMIs, DOHC 5.4 Cobra motors, import motors like Toyota 2JZ and Nissan Skyline RB. 1/24<sup>th</sup> and 1/25<sup>th</sup> scale.

WANTED: Vortech style superchargers, blower superchargers from 2007/2010 Shelby GT500 and Revell Ford Mustang Mach III concept car, and turbochargers. 1/24<sup>th</sup> and 1/25<sup>th</sup> scale.

Contact Richard Manri @ 631-589-6876 or his email <u>picorro93@qmail.com</u> to negotiate price or trade for the three above.

## March 2025 Meeting pictures





















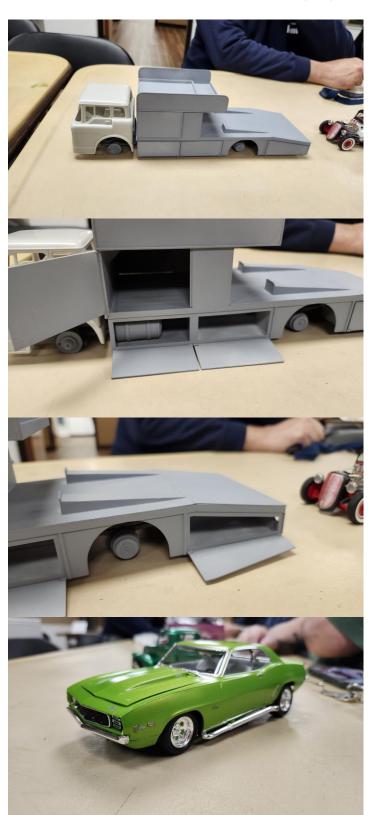


























IPMS show pics
available to
members via
Google drive folder
link.

Hope to see you all at the mtg!

## LIARS Annual (2025) INPUT AND PROFILE SHEET:

Here is your chance to have some input into this club without having everyone know where it came from. If you have a suggestion, an idea, or a problem you would like to discuss please put it in writing on this sheet and it will be discussed at the next meeting. Please

bring your filled out sheet with you, or you can email it to your editors email address on the first page header. ALL subjects and suggestions will be brought up in front of the club.

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LIARS Profile: (name) (Care How long have you been building models?	n be your LIARS nickname or anonymous pannandie)
How long have you been a member of LIARS?	
What do you usually build? Where do you usually build?	
How many models do you have?	
What do you usually build? Where do you usually build? How many models do you have? Have you ever had any failed builds that were scrapped of	or recycled for other projects?
Have you ever parted out old finished builds and recycle	
How many unbuilt models do you have? What are your favorite 3 models you have built?	
Have you ever won an award for building a model? What 3 models should win an all time kit of the (last) cen	tury award?
What 3 models are so horrible that you would buy them	just to protect others from having to build them?
What was the dumbest, most boneheaded mistake you've	e made in the past? (Can be model or general related)
• Was there any kit you regretted ever purchasing?	
What do you drive now?	
Are you saving your pennies for something fun to drive?	
With an unlimited budget, what 10 full size cars would yo	
What (if any) person (living or dead) in the 1:1 automotiv	ve world would you like to meet?
Do you go to model car shows? What are your favorite model car shows and why?	
What are your favorite model car shows and why?	
Do you have kids & if so, do they share your passion?	
Did you build models with them?	

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