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*The "tips of the trade", round robin at the February meeting was an informative and fun event. Photo by: Rich Cummings*

## The Editor's Insight

By Ann Canepa

Our next meeting is on Tuesday, March 16, 2010, at 6:30 pm at the library. This month is the Foreign Manufactured Kits club challenge. As you may have noticed I am not finished with my show car I mentioned in the last two issues. This challenge may be a bit much for me, which is probably why my dear husband made the challenge in the first place. However, I will finish this one way or the other. Not a lot left to do but I have a couple of more parts to paint and then I will finish assembly and you should see the finished project in the April issue. Wish me luck.

I hope everyone has a great month.

## THE PRESIDENT'S NEWS & POINT OF VIEW

How wierd to miss a meeting. It's really not my style, however, circumstances conspired against me to create the perfect storm. I feel especially bad that I missed the "tips of the trade" round robin. Frank reports lots of great ideas were presented. Not surprising, considering the experience and talent level of our membership. Many thanks to our VP for "Philling in", thanks to Rich for recording the meeting photographically, allowing me to quasi-experince that which I didn't.

The big news of primary concern to the club is the status of Super Run 2010. At this month's meeting we will be discussing our options. In short, the owner of Henderson Hobbies petitioned the City of Henderson to allow him to organize the show this year. Even though we have a proven track record of successful show management, the powers that be decided to award him the room space normally used for our contest. It's a little complicated, however, the decision was based primarily on the notion that Super Run should benefit Henderson businesses, and specifically those located on Water Street. With this geographical disadvantage, we were summarily dismissed without discussion or fanfare. If you have an opinion regarding our future Super Run involvement, make sure you attend the March meeting. (bring your entry for the foreign kit contest along with the instructions or kit box to prove it's origin... also bring your stalled project to register for July's challenge.)

That's it for now, my 1/72 scale trucks await my attention...the world bench calls!

Yours in Plastic,

Jeff Skillman

Absentee President

## 2010 CLUB CHALLENGE

Open to all scales. Models must be the work of the entrant, must be a new build, no team builds. Include material to help judges.

Mar. 16, 2010 - Any Foreign Manufactured Kit. No American Manufacturer. Any way any subject, any style

July 20, 2010 - Stalled Project- 90 day build Must bring to the March meeting .

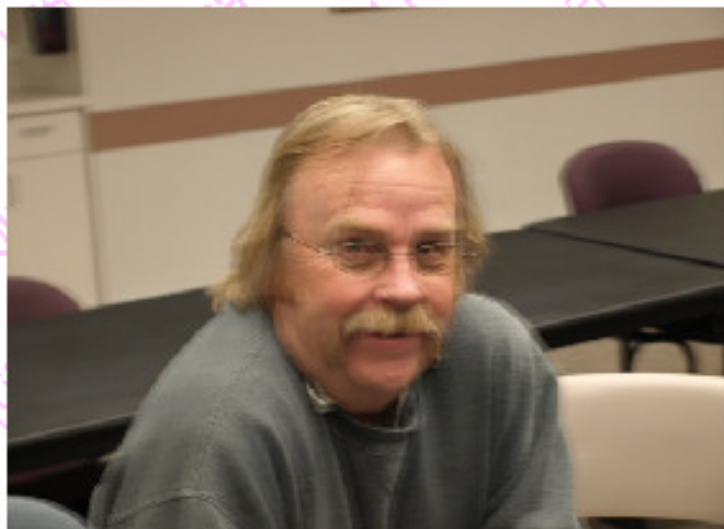
Nov.16, 2010 - Any Thing, Any Way, Any Style. This is a 60 day build, must be a new build. Please bring kit to the September meeting.

We would like to see at least one or two complete builds this year. Don't forget the winner receives a Gift Card.

**GOOD LUCK 2010 !!**

## Modeler's Corner

This month we are meeting one of our new members,  
Ron Pfantz.



1. When did you start building models?

**Age 6 or 7**

2. How did you get started building models?

**Love of real cars and too young to own one.**

3. What was the first kit you built?

**62 AMC Rambler.**

4. How long did it take you to finish it?

**A few hours.**

5. Is there a special scale you like to build?

**1/25**

6. Out of all the models you've built, which is your favorite?

**68 Mustang.**

7. Do you like to build straight from the box, customize, scratch build or kit bash?

**Why?**

**Scratch Build.**

8. What part of building do you find yourself spending the most time, and doing a lot of detail?

**Getting the body right.**

9. Which do you prefer, spray can or air brush when painting? Why?

**Air brush**

10. Name the best model contest you have competed in or attended?

**I have never competed in a contest**

11. If you had a choice between an NNL or Class Show which one would you attend? Why?

12. Will you continue to build in the future?

**Yes**

## PHOTOS

Here are some photos from our February meeting.

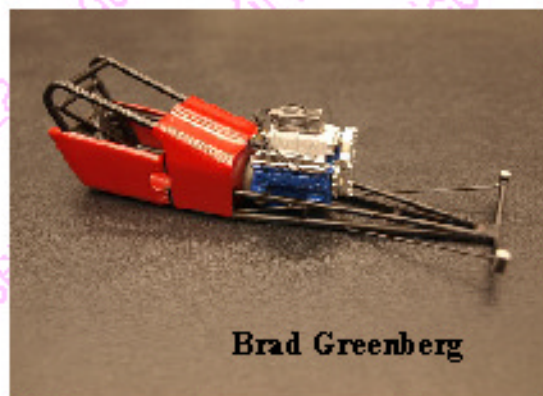
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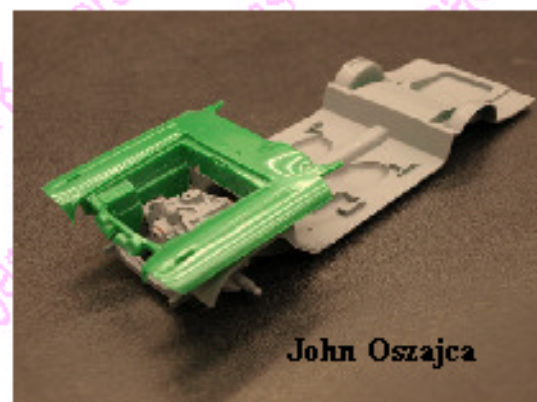
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**Every one paying attention?**

For more great photos from the Kit Cruisers go to: <http://public.fotki.com/LasVegasKitKruisers/>  
and also <http://public.fotki.com/johnoszajca/superrun-09/>

## UPCOMING EVENTS

### *Model Contest & Swap Meets - Car Shows & Rod Runs*

#### MODEL CONTEST & SWAP MEET

**March 20, 2010 (Saturday)** Citrus Nationals - Elks Lodge, 6166 Brocton Ave. Riverside, Ca. for more info contact Myrna Deerwalker (951) 809-0496

#### CAR SHOWS AND ROD RUNS

**March 2010 (Every Saturday)** Cars & Coffee 8am - 11 am Location 9531 S. Eastern Ave.

**March 13 & 14, 2010 (Saturday & Sunday)** 11:00 am to 5:00 pm. Albertson's Customer Appreciation Weekend. Free hot dogs and drinks, Wine tasting Taste of Las Vegas food samplings, Las Vegas Cruise! Car Show, Arlen Ness Motorcycles and More. 4800 Blue Diamond Rd. LV

## FOR SALE AND PARTS NEEDED

Wanted: Tamiya Alfa Romeo Giulia GTA kit  
If you have this item contact James Cozart @  
[lvz2881@yahoo.com](mailto:lvz2881@yahoo.com) or (702) 372-5692

Wanted: Parts for a 1958 T-Bird. Kit #2759 by Monogram.  
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