



DIRECTIONS:

- **From Greenville/Spartanburg :** I-26 East to Exit 104. Continue right (West) on Piney Grove Road approximately 1.4 miles, turn left onto Leisure Lane. The destination is on the left approx. 0.3 miles.
- **From Charleston:** I-26 West to Exit 106, continue left (West) on St. Andrews Road approximately 1.9 miles, turn right onto Leisure Lane. The destination is on the right approx. 0.4 miles.

MEGA-SHOW SCHEDULE (Tentative, see <https://scmegashow.com>):

Registration Opens:	9:00 AM	Raffle Ticket Sales open:	9:00 AM
Registration Closes:	12:00 PM	Raffle Ticket Sales close:	12:00 PM
Judging begins:	9:30 AM	First Raffle Draw:	9:30 AM
Awards Ceremony:	3:00 PM	Last Raffle Draw:	1:00 PM
		Raffle Lightning Round:	2:00 PM

MEGA-SHOW INFORMATION:

- See the MEGA-Show website (<https://scmegashow.com>) for Registration, Vendor Table costs, Event & Award Sponsorships, Contest Rules, Theme & Special Award Eligibility, etc.

CONTACT INFORMATION:

General Information:	scmegashowinfo@gmail.com, 803-665-9263
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Contest Information:	scmegashowinfo@gmail.com, 803-318-1767 or 803-665-9263

2023

SC Scale Model
MEGA SHOW



Invites you to...



The Palmetto State

Saturday, June 17, 2023

Doors OPEN at 9 AM, CLOSE at 5 PM

- **Vendor Tables** – Great Selection & Deals on Hobby Items
- **Huge Raffle** – Take a Chance, win a Prize
- **All-Subjects, All-Scales Model Contest** – One all-inclusive exhibition that will use an Open Judging system. **Abbreviated Rules on the inside!**

AWARDS

Only ONE (1) model per entrant will be judged. The entrant is to decide which model on their display is to be evaluated.

A team of judges will examine each model entered for evaluation. This team will evaluate how well the modeler executed basic modeling skills in addressing molding flaws, construction flaws, and markings. Models will be scored using a 10-point scoring system, and the field awards (individual model awards) will be **Gold, Silver, or Bronze Medals** based on the model's score after evaluation.

We will offer the following **Category Awards**, the winners being determined via comparative judging:

1. Best Armor
2. Best Figure
3. Best Diorama
4. Best Vignette
5. Best Aircraft
6. Best Automotive
7. Best Real Space
8. Best Sci-Fi
9. Best Ship
10. Best Miscellaneous

We offer the following **Show and Skill Awards**:

1. Theme Award: **The Palmetto State.**

Eligibility rules for the Theme and Best Display Awards can be found on the show website. **The Judges' Best of Show and the Skill Awards are determined through Comparative Judging.**

DIORAMAS & VIGNETTES

Dioramas are story-centric; Vignettes are model-centric. **If your diorama doesn't have a strong story line that is conveyed by looking at the scene WITHOUT a written explanation other than the title, it might be better to enter it as a vignette.**

BEST DISPLAY AWARD

The Show Staff will also consider each Exhibit Space and select the **Best Display Award** based on whether it follows a Theme (it can have any theme) and its Execution (i.e.; is it well organized, do all items contribute to the theme, etc.). *The Show Staff will select the best overall Exhibit Space.*

GROUP ENTRIES

We encourage groups to enter together as club exhibits, Special Interest Groups, etc. We ask you to follow these guidelines for group exhibits:

- Each member of the group pays an individual entry fee.
- All members of the group must register together and at the same time.
- At registration, the group's leader should provide the name of the group to the registrar.
- Groups may remove the markers between their individual display areas and organize their collective display area as they choose, but must leave the markers at each end of their collective display area.
- Groups must place all their members' models entered for judging on the front (aisle) side of the table for ease of judging.
- Group exhibits are prohibited from selling any merchandise other than Club shirts, hats, etc. **No sales of model kits or supplies are permitted at group tables.**

ENTRY FEES

➤ **ADULTS (18 and older):** \$12 for an Exhibit Space.

➤ **JUNIORS (17 and under):** \$5 for an Exhibit Space.

➤ **GENERAL ADMISSION:** \$2 Adults, **FREE** for Juniors

IPMS/USA or National AMPS members will receive a discount of \$2 per Adult or \$1 per Junior with a current AMPS or IPMS Membership card to receive this discount. **No card, no discount! No exceptions!**

Each Entrant will be assigned an **Exhibit Space approximately 36 inches by 30 inches**. Entrants may place as many models in the Exhibit Space as will fit, and arrange them any way they want. We do ask that the model entered for judging is placed at the front (aisle) side of the exhibit space for ease of judging.

Please make Checks out to: **"AMPS CENTRAL SOUTH CAROLINA"**

LARGE ENTRIES

Please Note: If any one of your models is larger than the 36"x36" Exhibit Space, you will need to contact us to ensure there is available space.

For a full explanation of the rules, please visit our website:

<https://scmegashow.com>

ALL JUDGING DECISIONS ARE FINAL.

THE ORGANIZERS AND THE VENUE ARE NOT RESPONSIBLE FOR LOST OR DAMAGED MODELS.