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International Convention Brings Armored Military Vehicle Models to Newport News Next Week

WHO: The Armor Modeling and Preservation Society (AMPS) is bringing its 26th International Convention to Newport News.

WHAT: Hundreds of model cars, tanks, jeeps, artillery, and miniature figures – representing many nations and ranging from 1900 to the present – will be on display. There will also be opportunities to learn modeling techniques and take part in historical discussions at educational seminars conducted by inspiring hobbyists and military vehicle historians.

WHEN: The convention, which is open to the public, starts at 5 p.m. April 7 and continues through 3 p.m. April 9.

WHERE: Newport News Marriott at City Center, 740 Town Center Drive.

WHY: Modelers, historians, merchandisers and families interested in the preservation of military history are encouraged to attend the convention in order to see amazing artwork from hundreds of skilled modelers and artisans from around the world. The event typically exhibits more than 500 models, each with its own unique construction, finishing and display features.

ADMISSION: $5 youth; $10 adult; $15 family.


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