	Price/Each	How Many?	Total $
Sunday Sept 21, 2014			
Attendees arrive at Capitol Plaza Hotel *Arrivals assemble in open court bar area* *Registration Fee*	*$12.50*	_____	*$*_____
Monday Sept 22, 2014			
No organized activities plans - free day *Suggestions for optional attractions in the Topeka area will be outlined for both participants and for their spouses* *Dinner buffet at Capitol Plaza Hotel*			
Tuesday Sept 23, 2014			
USS Oriskany Model Commissioning *Morning: All Participants & Spouses* *Tour of Kansas State Capitol Building* *Oriskany Reunion Meeting in Kansas House Chambers* *Invited Speaker: Kansas Governor Sam Brownback* *Afternoon: All - Tour of Combat Air Museum* *Commissioning of USS Oriskany CVA-34 model* *Evening buffet, music & silent auction*	*$40.00*	_____	*$*_____
Wednesday Sept 24, 2014			
All - Day Tour to Eisenhower Presidential Museum & Library, Abilene, KS *Dinner buffet at Capitol Plaza Hotel*	*$40.00*	_____	*$*_____
		Amount Total	*$*_____

Name: _____

Spouse or Guest Name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ ***State:*** _____ ***Zip Code:*** _____

Note: Mail this registration by Sept 1st to: Mr Curtis Click, 1434 Frankfort Street, New Orleans, LA 70122

HOTEL INFORMATION

Capitol Plaza Hotel & Convention Center
1717 SW Topeka Boulevard, Topeka, KS 66612

Website: ***www.capitolplazahoteltopeka.com***
(Online reservations available, click on "Reservations" select "Group Code" and enter the Code: ORISKANY)

Toll-free: 1-(800) 579-7937 ***(Call toll-free & specify USS Oriskany Reunion, Group Code: USSO)***

Room rate: $85 (single or double)
No parking charge

Room reservations should be made, in advance, before *Aug 22, 2014*. Reservations made after this date will only be accepted on a space available basis and a possible higher room rate.

For a complete listing of the hotel facilities and amenities, please log on to the website: *www.capitolplazahoteltopeka.com*

AIRPORT INFORMATION

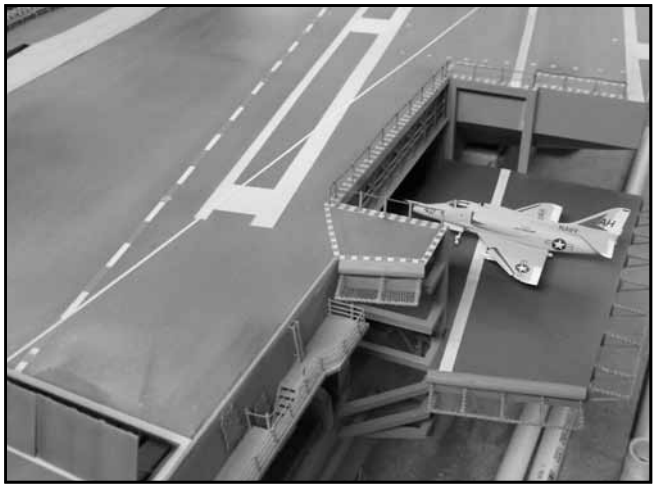
Unfortunately United Airlines commercial air service into the Topeka Regional Airport from Chicago has now been cancelled, as of the beginning of September 2014. The best way to reach Topeka is to fly into Kansas City airport.

The Capitol Plaza Hotel is 74 miles from the Kansas City Airport and 67 miles from the Manhattan, Kansas Regional Airport. Both airports have car rental availability.

KCI Road Runner shuttle service from the Kansas City airport to the Topeka hotel: $58 (rates subject to change)

Directions from Kansas City Airport:
Take I-29 North approximately 2 miles to I-435 South. Travel on I-435 South 15 miles to I-70 West (toll road). Take I-70 West 45 miles to the Topeka Exit (Exit363)/Adams St. Turn left onto Adams St. and then turn right off Adams St. at 15th Street. When the street forks, stay on the left hand side and merge on to 17th St. (15th St. goes right). The Capitol Plaza Hotel is on the left corner of Topeka Blvd and 17th St. Turn left on Topeka Blvd. and right into the Capitol Plaza Hotel/Kansas Expocentre main entrance.

The Final Date for registration is Monday September 1st.

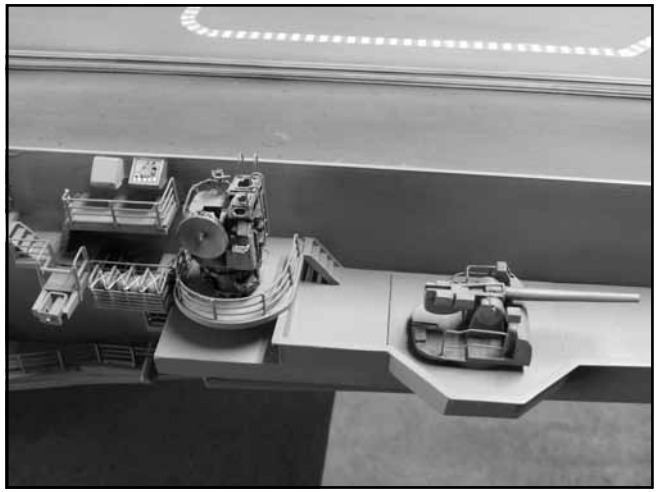


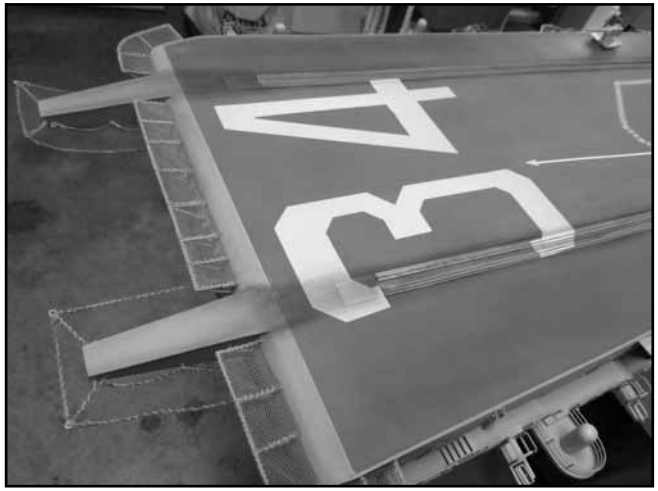
Three Master Modelers have been working on the USS Oriskany model since March 2007 for the Combat Air Museum exhibit:

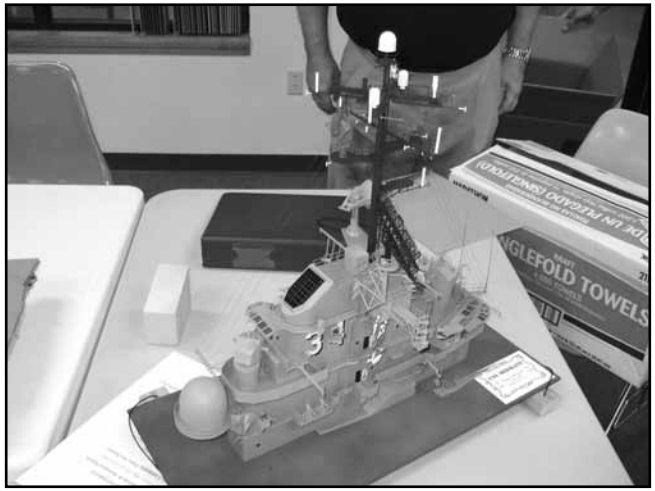
Ted Nolde has built the island superstructure from scratch (opposite).

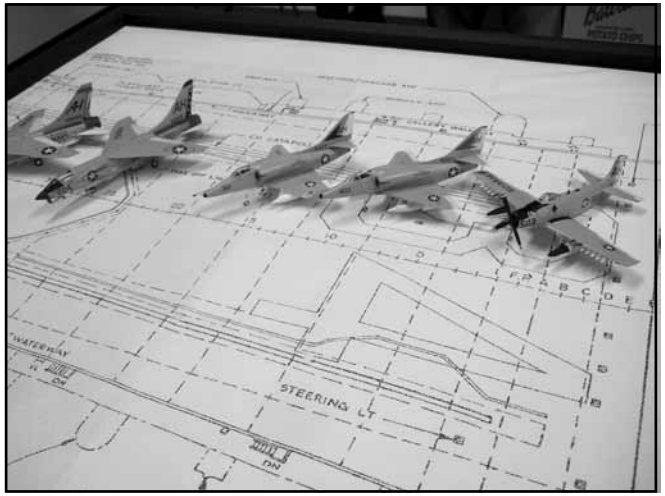
Larry Todd, working from a rough wood hull, re-dimensioned to exact measurements, has built a new flight deck, along with all the hull details, deck crew, tilly and lifeboats, in exacting detail.

Darren Roberts built the air wing of 49 scale models, with the correct Squadron and Bureau Numbers of the aircraft aboard USS Oriskany at the time of the 1966 fire (bottom right).









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Join us for:
The Commissioning of the Most Complete and Accurate Scratch-Built 1/96th (9 foot 4 inches) Scale Model of The Mighty "O" USS Oriskany CV/CVA-34 on Tuesday Sept 23rd, 2014

- Step Back in Time
- See Where You Served
- Talk to the Master Modelers
- Marvel at the Detail

For more images of the model go to:
www.combatairmuseum.org /exhibits/ussoriskanyhull.html