

## WESTFAC 2019 Schedule of Events

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### Thursday, 17 October, noon - 6 pm

registration and FAC scale judging  
vendors and refreshments

### Friday, 18 October, 8 am - 5 pm

#### Mass Launch Events

9:00 WW1  
11:00 Modern Civilian  
13:00 Greve/Thompson Trophy

#### TOTF Scale Events

Golden Age Monoplane  
Dime Scale  
Carrier Aircraft- Hand Launched

#### Total of 3 flight non-scale

OT Rubber Stick  
Jimmy Allen (ROG)

### Saturday, 19 October, 8 am - 5 pm

#### Mass Launch Events

9:00 WW2  
11:00 Double Trouble  
13:00 Carrier Aircraft

#### TOTF Scale Events

Golden Age Biplane (Including Carrier Biplanes)  
Simplified Scale  
Carrier Aircraft - Deck Launched

#### Total of 3 flight non-scale

OT Rubber Fuselage (ROG)  
Embryo (ROG)

#### Judged Scale Events\*

FAC Peanut Scale  
FAC Rubber Scale  
FAC Jumbo Scale  
FAC Power Scale

\* Note: The Judged Scale events can be flown any day,  
but must be completed the same day.

### Sunday, 20 October, 8 am - 4 pm

#### Mass Launch Events

9:00 Biplane Carrier Aircraft  
11:00 Modern Military  
13:00 Low Wing Military Trainer

#### TOTF Scale Events

T-28 One Design Event  
Jet Catapult Scale  
Jet Catapult scale - Deck Launched

#### Total of 3 flight non-scale

2-bit +1 (ROG)

#### **Special Event : B.L.U.R. Race, 4pm**

Awards ceremony on the field,  
at the completion of the B.L.U.R. race

Informal dinner at local restaurant (self-pay)  
Time and place TBD

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### General Contest Notes WESTFAC 2019

1. In the spirit of getting as many planes off the deck as possible for a mission, there will be NO LIMIT to the number of carrier aircraft you may enter in the deck launch events, including Navy jet catapult.
2. Landing gear must be of scale length (no gear on jet cats).
3. You must launch rubber scale aircraft from the back of the carrier deck. No putting the model at the very front of the deck with a big prop projecting over the edge.
4. The actual landing gear leg can be basic but there must be a full-bodied landing gear leg (no bare wires) and a landing gear door attached to it.
5. The jet cat deck catapult will be a standard FAC catapult (2 loops of 1/8th, 9 inches long) attached to a 3' length of nylon twine anchored at the bow. This will allow the standard "arm stretch" of a hand launch to mesh with the length of a horizontal deck. It is up to the launching pilot how much of a stretch he wishes to use of the catapult.
6. If you want to use the catapult to launch your rubber model----great! Just let us gather a crowd.
7. Carrier eligible aircraft must have a tailhook or indication of one (doors, etc.) and be in a representative color scheme of any Navy.
8. Car parking and tents must be OFF the road. Farm equipment comes by regularly.
9. General flying will be from sunup to sunset. Turn in your times as you make them. Make sure the first thing every morning that your previous day's late times are recorded at the HQ tent.
10. Check the FAC rules for the BLUR race, there are differences from the usual mass launches such as allowed repairs.
11. The T-28 One Design Event: Any T-28 model in any markings is acceptable. as well as any kit and any plan.

Note: William Scott, of the San Diego Scale Staffel, has a T-28 short kit available (laser cut)  
Check the PT Aviation website: <https://ptaviationmodels.com/>