

Model SHOWCASE

Beautifully built and finished Short Southampton Mk. II in 1:72 from Silver Wings – model built by Jacek Sznajder.



WELCOME TO THE FIRST EDITION OF MODELSHOWCASE FOR 2010

As was the case last year, we are confident that we can continue to fill these pages with many, many fine examples of the Australian modeller's talent and expertise and indeed, we are looking forward with much anticipation in being able to do so. As we have mentioned before, the work of the Australian scale modeller is easily on a par with the best in the world and we are so thankful that we are able to showcase

their talents in this magazine.

As the show season has yet to start for 2010 we have pleasure in presenting some excellent work from three very diverse individuals. Unfortunately, we are unable to identify the builder of the 'beer can models' but we have included some examples of his work here to showcase this person's extraordinary talent (well, I guess it takes all types and yes, it is scale

modelling ...of sorts). We have also included some images of the extremely talented Queensland figure builder, Robert Wellington's work plus a selection of images of a beautiful 1:72 Short Southampton Mk II built from the Silver Wings kit from another very talented modeller, but this time, from the other side of the world, Jacek Sznajder, from Poland. We bid you all to enjoy....



FROM JACEK SZNAJDER

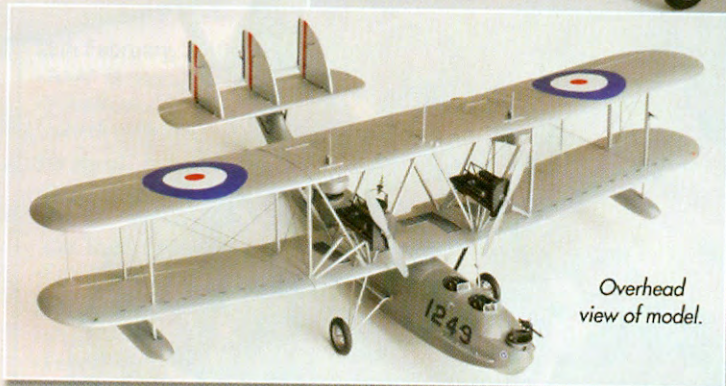
Our good friend Wojciech Kulakowski from Silver Wings Models in Karkow, Poland sent us these images of Jacek Sznajder's superbly built 1:72 scale Silver Wings' Short Southampton Mk II.



Close up of nose section.



Starboard side.



*Overhead
view of model.*



From the rear.