

# Hampton Roads Ship Model Society

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The October meeting of the society was hosted by Sharon and Tom Hesse on Friday the 12th. Ten members attended.

Under old business, Skipper Cheevers confirmed HRSMS attendance at the November model making workshop and handed out copies of the final agenda plus a map of the Solomons Island area, both provided by the WSMS.

Under new business, Gene Berger announced that the Life Saving Museum of Virginia (LSMVA) hopes to sponsor a one day program on ship model making and had asked the society if it would play a major role in planning and presenting the session. Members present supported the society taking on this responsibility, and Gene volunteered to act as the project person for this undertaking. Purser Hesse also reported that the LSMVA will again sponsor a ship model making contest for young people in 1991, and that the society has been asked to judge the contest as it has in the past. Finally, Bill Fox advised that he has the current list of publications available from the Naval Institute Press and that he can provide a 30% discount to members interested in making a purchase from same.

The November meeting scheduled for November 9, 1990, has been cancelled.

The December meeting of the society will be held at the home of Jack Bobbitt, 69 Queens Court, NEWPORT NEWS (599-0557) on Friday the 14th at 2000 hours. The 1991 meeting schedule will be developed at this time, so come prepared to sign up for the month of your choice. Also, bring a friend as well as something to share with your fellow members. See you there.

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