

## SIEGE OF AUGUSTA 2011-THE 20<sup>TH</sup> ANNIVERSARY



**The crowds came early on Friday-Compare to the Friday pics from 2010**

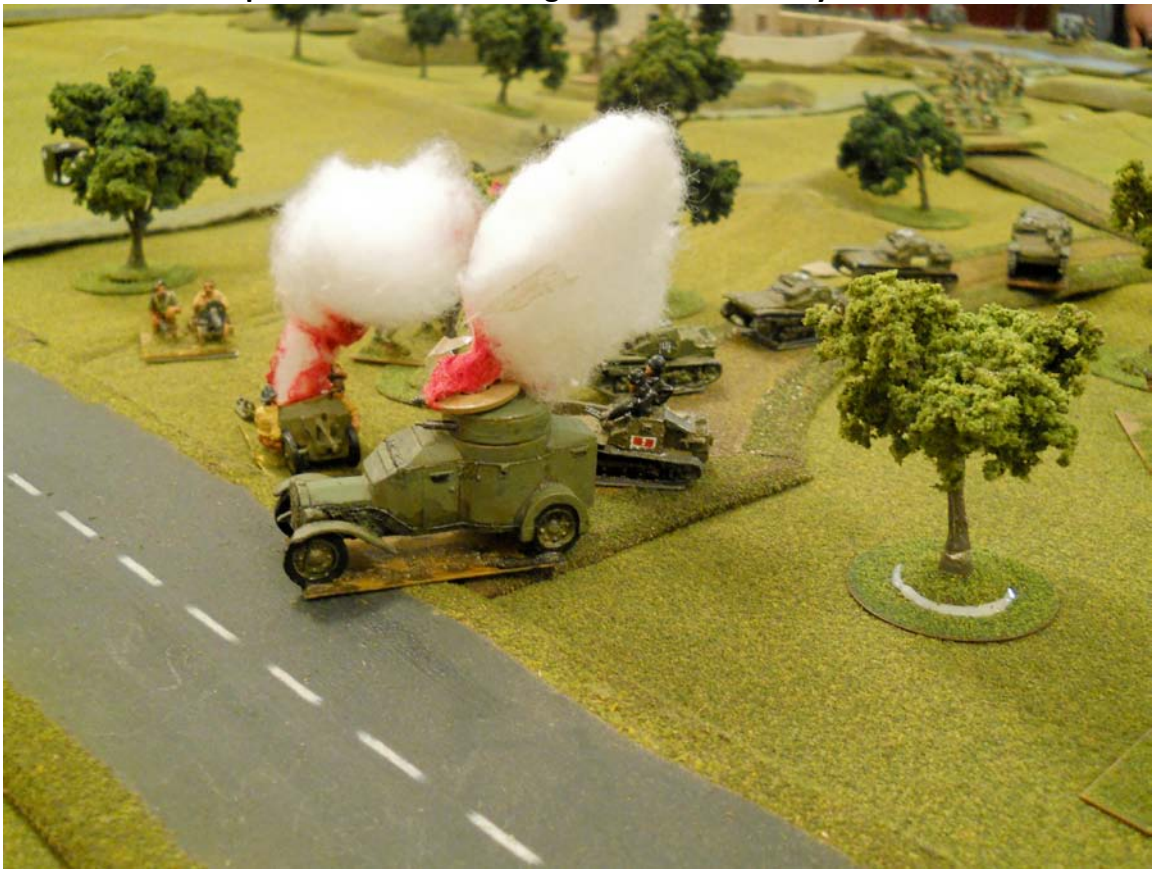
**This year is the twentieth anniversary of SIEGE OF AUGUSTA, a small convention begun by Dr. Jim Birdseye and a handful of other HMGS MIDSOUTH members when that chapter was the only one covering the old Confederate States. Since then the original chapter spun off at least two others, and to NASHCON were added for a time REUNION, and later GULF SOUTH with BAYOU WARS, and SOUTH with HURRICON and RECON. All that time SIEGE OF AUGUSTA launched the year's conventions schedule with a pleasant little affair. This year, as often happened, there was a good cast of characters up from Florida and down from New York State as well as from Georgia and the Carolinas.**

**Activities included WARRIOR, DBA, and FOW tournaments and used most of the meeting space at the Doubletree Hotel-under various iterations the traditional home of SIEGE.**

**In addition to Bob Moon's spectacular Civil War and (40mm) French and Indian War games Bill Amick led a team presenting the War of Spanish Succession (Age of Marlborough) with magnificent figures in 28mm. And Phil Viverito presented one of his games in artistic splendor-Alesia featured as last year's COLDWARS .**



**An outpost on the Roman Siege Works of Alesia by Phil Viverito**



**Italian Attack in the Spanish Civil War**





**AeroDrome Game in Progress**



**Big Game-Small Figures**





**Bob Moon's usual spectacular ACW Action**



**Flames of War Tournament in Progress**





**William III Poised to Bring Protestant Liberties to Ireland- the Boyne, June 1690**



**Warrior Tournament in Progress**





**Bill Amick's War of the Spanish Succession in Glorious 28mm**



**More of Same**





**Dr. James Birdseye given an award for starting SIEGE and running it for 15 years.**



**Patricia Baker (left) was recognized for work on SIEGE Registration, and Katy Raiten (not shown) for design work on the SIEGE XX T-shirts**

## Tournament Winners

### Flames of War

Sponsored by Arsenal Games and Hobbies

1<sup>st</sup> Greg Ottoman

2<sup>nd</sup> Aaron Lutz

3<sup>rd</sup> Alan

All played some variation of Strelkovy.

### Warrior Tournament

Siege of Augusta Warrior Tournament Results

Place	Winner	Army
1st	Derek Downs	New Kingdom Egyptian
2nd	Steve Rawls	Arab Imperial
3rd	Chris Richardson	Japanese

### DBA Tournament

1<sup>st</sup> Tom Thomas

2<sup>nd</sup> Bryant McLaughlin

### Hott Tournament

Sponsored by Splintered Light Miniatures

1<sup>st</sup> Tom Thomas

2<sup>nd</sup> Jason Mirosovich

### Warhammer Tournaments

Sponsored by Augusta Book Exchange

This was the first year that we featured these events and they went off well. We plan to get Siege of Augusta on the National Tournament Circuit starting in 2012.

### Warhammer 40K:

1st: Daniel

tie 2nd: Darrel

tie 2nd: Stephen

### Warhammer Fantasy Battles:

1st: Jon

2nd: Jacob

3rd: Steve