

Dingo Servo Mounts



Newsletter
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Hi, once again, fellow modellers.

I know that this is a bit early this year but it seems a long time since the last newsletter.

We had a wonderful break over Christmas and New Year down in the Caribbean.

Lots of time to relax and catch up on some reading as well as a bit of swimming in nice warm water.

Our second week was spent onboard a cruise ship around the islands with a final stop at Guadeloupe where we were able to visit the site of the BBC series "Death in Paradise"

It was very interesting to see the familiar sites in real life.

Even had a beer in "Katherine's bar"



Back home to the cold and wet and a lot of kits to pack.

Had a really good show at Southampton at the end of January and once again seriously depleted the kit stocks.

I'm not complaining. It's great to be able to supply good kits to serious modellers.

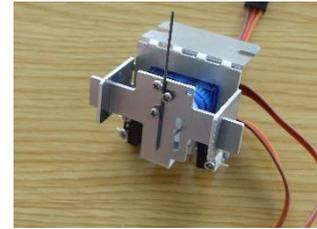
1. An end to shows – or not? – NOT!

In Case you are still wondering I am going to try and get back to doing shows again this year starting with the Southampton MRS in January 2026 and February at Horndean which were quite successful.

Looking forward to Basingstoke in March and Bracknell in May.

2. Updated Low Profile Mount.

The Low-Profile Mount is the next mount to be given a makeover. The new mounts are now available and carry the suffix MK2B. The only difference is that we have extended the slider by a couple of mm and also changed the drive screw to bring it in line with the rest of our mounts. Everything else remains the same.



3. It's all about the "B's"

You may have realised by now that as each of our standard mounts are revised to include the newer drive mechanism – driving with a machine screw fitted into the back of the horn instead of the older small self-tapping screws – as well as other small modifications.

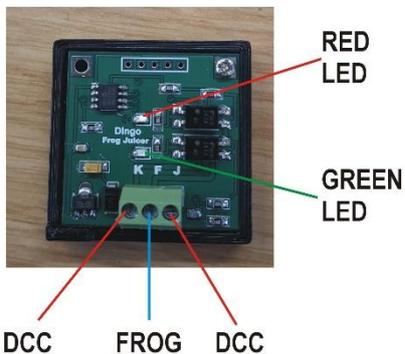
Things like the removal of standoffs to operate switches and redesign of signal mounts to accommodate the standard magnet clutches.

The latest one to join the new brigade is the revised Uncoupler mount. And all these new mounts have a "B" at the end of the title.



Now working on a Tension Lock uncoupler – watch this space!

4. The Frog Juicers are now in stock



After many issues in bringing these to market we now have our frog juicers in stock

Thanks mainly to the untiring efforts of Julian Coles who spent hours debugging my boards only to find eventually that I had used the wrong value resistors.

But they are now up and running perfectly and there is a video of the operation here

Video Here <https://youtu.be/q8t5Q9KjuAk>

5. Some Laser cutting issues – an update.

I am still having issues with the laser cutting as the chaps I have used all this time can't seem to get better results from their new machine.

In the meantime, I am having parts cut by another company who seem to be supplying a much better product. They are also a bit more expensive, but with the quantities I am sending them, the difference is not too great and I will hold prices for the moment. The last batch I received were really good.

I am also investigating some fettling options to try and remove the majority of burrs etc.

As mentioned last time, please make sure that the sliders move freely through their slots before bending and assembling the mounts.

With Kind regards

Dave