

After building Ralph Currell's 1:1200 scale Titanic model I had redesigned the Titanic paper model to depict her sister the H.M.S. Britannic in December 2009. This year 2010 I had finished redesigning the Titanic into her older sister, the Olympic. Because she looked just like Titanic in her White Star livery, I decided to design the paper model to depict her in her dazzle paint schemes. Since she was painted in two different schemes during the war, I had designed two models. But after releasing the Dazzle paint models I also got a request for a Olympic model in her White Star Livery, so I made some modifications, redesigning parts of the Titanic paper model and adding parts of the H.M.T. Olympic papermodel I designed this model of the Olympic in her post war 1919/1920 refit.

For this model it is not necessary to have the original Titanic parts as you did with my Britannic conversion set. You *do* need the original instructions. They can be found here: [http://www.currell.net/models/mod\\_free.htm](http://www.currell.net/models/mod_free.htm) Start building the model according to the original manual, but using the parts from this set.

Go through steps 1 – 29 without any changes.

At step 30, the compass platform is **optional** because it can be seen in some of the post war pictures but it was removed during the 1920's

At step 32; since the sinking of the Titanic the Olympic was fitted with more lifeboats. So I had added more lifeboats into the set as well. You can stack the lifeboats on the boat deck as it is done on the scheme as seen below. *I had used only one lifeboat on each place while building my prototype, but you may wish to place a collapsible lifeboat stacked under each lifeboat, this is recommended for upscale models.*

**Note;** the post war Olympic didn't have as much lifeboats as she had during her war service because during the war many more people (soldiers) were transported aboard then during her transatlantic service, so less boats were needed. There are more lifeboats on the parts sheet then needed, they can be used for upscaled models.

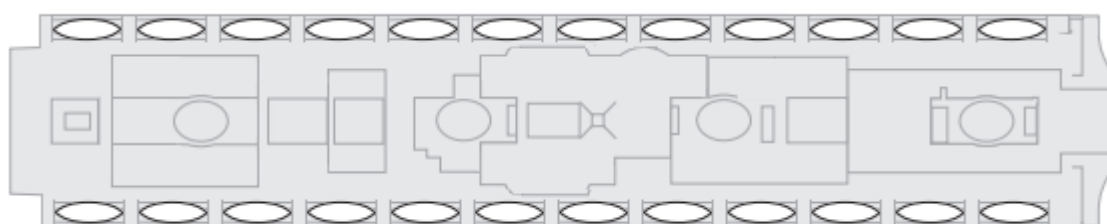


Fig. 1, placing the lifeboats on the boat deck

When all parts are glued to the model apply some rigging and other wanted details. Enjoy building your model and show us your results!

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Optional name plaques for the Olympic model.

