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The Editors Corner:

Dave Puthoff

Our annual Cincinnati Train & Trade Show is this month, October 14-15. Be sure to join the fun, and consider helping out to produce the longest continuous-running train show in the country!

Signups will be available at the October 8 Division meeting.

If you have a photo, or a useful tip, or maybe just a useful website that you would like to share, the Oil Can is an opportunity to share it with your fellow model railroaders. Email it to editor@cincy-div7.org.

Dave

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Space permitting, The Oil Can welcomes news items, articles and letters on Model Railroading and related topics. Deadline for submissions is generally the fifteenth of the month preceding the next meeting.

Cover: Scene from Sam Parfitt's HO-Layout

Photo by Sam Parfitt



This and that—

Our most exciting event of the year, The Fall Train Show, will be upon us in just two weeks. We are expecting NMRA President, Gordy Robinson, to pay us a visit Sunday morning at Lakota HS. He will be passing through on his way to address Division 3 in Dayton. I pray our Secretary, Bruce Knapp, doesn't wear his kilt to show off to his fellow Scotsman!

Volunteer sign-up sheets will again be available at October's meeting. We can use you and your hand truck to help vendors pack up Sunday afternoon. We also need help with admissions, set-ups and our NMRA and White Elephant booths. Also, please bring your old periodicals to give away at the entrance tables.

Our "Continuity Plan" needs a backup editor for the Oil Can. If interested, please contact me or Tony Valerius. Our previous volunteer, David Wynne, must step down due to his wife's illness. We wish her a successful and speedy recovery.

Assistant Webmaster, David Lamb, is researching the viability of a Division 7 "You Tube" Channel. The Board of Directors believes it could be a great tool in reaching youthful potential members in a format they've come to embrace. Content would be comprised of photos, videos, and articles provided by our members. If you're interested in helping to implement or contributing to this exciting endeavor, please contact me and I will connect you with David.

The Kenton County Library in Erlanger has asked us to host a model train outreach in conjunction with their Santa visit on Friday and Saturday, December 8 and 9. Larry Bonhaus and John Shields have designed an event with operating layouts, NMRA booth and a couple "Introduction to Model Railroading" presentations. When the parents see the smiles and excitement of their children enthralled with the trains, how can they say no to buying that starter set! And to help educate the parents in providing a satisfying experience for that child, we will be there to offer membership in the greatest hobby resource, the NMRA!

See you at the October meeting, featuring a presentation by Lou and Cheryl Sassi.

"Don't wait for people to be friendly, show them how." --- Henry James

Chuck

Division 7 Officer Nominations 2024-2025

In accordance with the Regulations governing the conduct of elections in this Division of the Mid Central Region NMRA, our current Division 7 Nominating Committee presents the following candidates for elective office in Division 7 for the 2022-2023 term:

For Superintendent: Chuck Endreola

For Assistant Superintendent: Tony Valerius

Added nominations for these Division officer positions may be made in one of two ways:

By a petition signed by two members and submitted to the Division Nominating Committee prior to, or during the Division's October 8 monthly meeting at the Cincinnati Marriott North Hotel in West Chester, Ohio. Each nominee must also agree to being a candidate.

By nomination from the floor when open nominations are called for during the monthly meeting on October 8. Each such verbal nomination requires another member to second that motion, and each nominee must agree to being a candidate.

All valid nominations will be included in the final slate of candidates to be published in the November Oil Can. The voting method will be determined by the BOD, and implemented by our appointed Teller, Bob Shreve. Options include mailed or electronic ballots, or printed ballots or a show-of-hands at the November membership meeting. Mail or electronic ballots, if used, will be published along with candidate-provided biographical sketches in either the November Oil Can or on similar timing via a special mailing, emailing, electronic voting or other means. Mail or electronic ballots, if used, must be received by the Teller by the specified deadline, typically a few days before the end of November. The newly elected officers take office at the end of the January 2024 membership meeting.

Respectfully submitted by your 2023 Nominating Committee,

John Burchnall

Randy Kerka

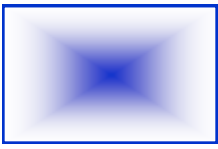
Merlyn Jarman

LEADERSHIP CONTINUITY PLAN STATUS

<u>POSITION</u>	<u>Present Holder</u>	<u>Back Up(s)</u>
Treasurer	Frank Koch	John Shields
Bank Access	Frank Koch	Roy Hord
Achievement Program	Frank Koch	Roy Allan
Secretary	Bruce Knapp	Tony Valerius
Membership	John Shields	Mike Tener
Oil Can Editor	Dave Puthoff	open
Webmaster	John Burchnall	David Lamb
Regulations Editor	Mike Brestel/Frank Koch	John Burchnall
Raffle	Russ Poynter	Chuck Endreola
Publicity	Merlyn Jarman	Randy Kerka
Email Notices	Bob Shreve	open
Social Media Chair	Pam Moleski	Nancy Windes
Registrar	Roy Hord	open
Fall Show Chair	Rick Crumrine	open
Spring Flea Market	Gary Ossenschmidt	open
Table Sales/Floor Plan	Roy Hord	open
Street Signs Distributor	John Burchnall	open
Contest Chair	Roy Allan	John Listermann
Car Projects	Paul Maciulewicz	open
Community Service	Larry Bonhaus	open
Company Store	Paul Musselman	open
Video Library	Gary Orcutt	open
Modelers Aid	Bruce Knapp/Sam Parfitt	open
A/V Meeting Operators	- several -	open

If you are interested in volunteering to back-up any of these open positions, please contact Chuck Endreola or the "Present Holder" for a description of duties.

Both New , and Veteran members are encouraged to become active in Division operations. Participation is rewarding!



SECOND SECTION

Tony Valerius
Asst. Super

Well, it is Fall and that means we are back to modeling season. With Fall, we relish the beautiful displays of Fall color on the trees as the leaves turn beautiful shades of red, orange and yellow. As modelers, we relish the coming of train shows and exhibitions that stir our imagination and feed our quest to bring our layout plans to fruition. The first of those shows is our own 55th Annual at Lakota West High School October 14th & 15th. This promises to be another wonderful event, sure to get smiles on everyone's faces. At the train show, I will be looking for inspiration and desirable additions for the new layout that I'm planning and hope to start very soon.

But, for many of us, one train show is just not enough so here are other upcoming shows in our region. Dayton Division 3 has their two-day show coming up November 4th and 5th at the Montgomery County Fairgrounds and Louisville Division 8 has their one-day show coming up on November 11th at the Holy Family Parish Saffin Center – 3938 Poplar Level Rd, Louisville, Ky. 40213. See each division's website for additional details. I'm sure many of us will be attending those events just as I always see some of their members attending ours.

If looking for some print materials to assist your modeling, look at Kalmbach Publishing. Their latest offering is "The Model Railroader's Handbook" written by Gerry Leone, with a limited number of signed copies currently available. It is a workbench reference guide with 288 pages of useful information that is well organized and easy to use. Also available is a 16-page downloadable document by Lou and Cheryl Sassi, our October clinicians, titled "Scenery with Lou and Cheryl Sassi".

Our September meeting was at the American Legion Post in Mason, Ohio. Visiting guest clinician Mike Tylick, MMR[®] presented another wonderful clinic titled "Scenery Construction." We look forward to seeing Mike return again next September. Our contest topic for both model and photos was Tank Car. Our after-meeting layout tours were to the homes of Sam Parfitt and Jim Rollwage. Thanks to Sam and Jim for opening up their wonderful layouts for everyone to see and our AV team who handled everything beautifully for our members in attendance at the meeting and on-line through Zoom.

Coming Up:

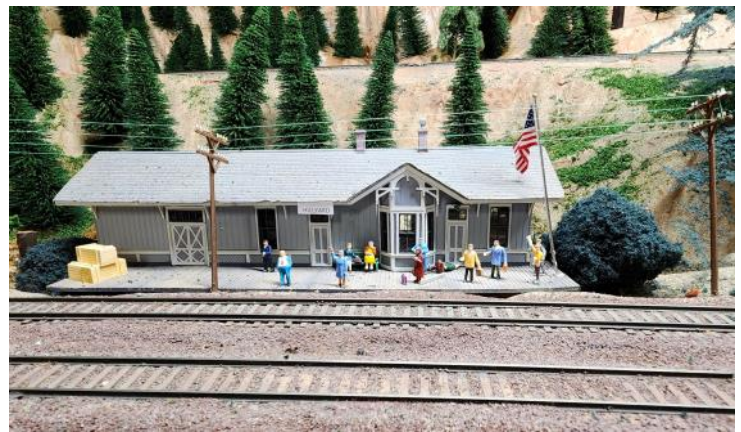
October 8th – We will meet at the Cincinnati Marriott North Hotel with our visiting guest clinicians Lou and Cheryl Sassi presenting "Modeling South Strong". Our contest topic for both model and photos will be "Non-steam Locomotive". Our after-meeting layout tours will be to the homes of Steve Montgomery and Dave Puthoff.

October 14th & 15th – The 55th Annual Fall Train Show is at Lakota West High School. As usual, there will be lots of booths with things to view and purchase, and layouts to enjoy.

November 12th – Our meeting will be at the Norwood Community Center in Norwood, Ohio where Ed Swain will present a clinic on "Coal Mines of the Middle Division". The model and photo contest topic will be "Railroad Building or Bridge". Our after-meeting layout tours will be to the homes of Sam Swanson, MMR[®] and Tony Michel.

Tony

LAYOUT VISIT to Sam Parfitt's HO-Scale Layout



Photos by John Burchnall

LAYOUT VISIT to Sam Parfitt's HO-Scale Layout



Photos by John Burchnell

LAYOUT VISIT to Jim Rollwage's HO-Scale Layout



Photos by John Burchnell

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Photos by John Burchnall



CINCINNATI DIVISION 7, MCR, NMRA September 2023 Contest Results



MODELS: TANK CAR

Kit-Built	1st Place:	Roy Allan	Gramps Tank Car
	2nd Place:	Larry Goodridge	Dow Tank Car
	3rd Place:	Ben Hallenbeck	Silicate Co Tank Car
Kit-Bashed:	1st Place:	Larry Goodridge	Alaska RR Tank Car
Scratch-Built:	No entries this month		
Junior Div:	No entries this month		

PHOTOGRAPHY: TANK CAR

Prototype:	1st Place:	John Burchnall	UTLX 17550 Tank Car with Red Soo Line Caboose
	2nd Place:	John Burchnall	Damaged Procor 32601 Tank Car on Flat Car
	3rd Place:	Ben Hallenbeck	Richfield 670 Tank Car
Models:	1st Place Tie:	Larry Goodridge	Liquid Oxygen Tank Cars
	1st Place Tie:	Ben Hallenbeck	Koppers Coal Tar Tank
	3rd Place:	Ben Hallenbeck	Helium Tank Car
Junior Div:	No entries this month		

2023 STANDINGS THROUGH SEPTEMBER

MODELS

Larry Goodridge	21	Roy Allan	14	Mike Reynolds	5
Ben Hallenbeck	19	Tom Brueggeman, MMR®	9	Dale Brown	2
Jim Rollwage	14	Chris Shackleton	6	Bruce Knapp	2

PHOTOGRAPHY

John Burchnall	41	John Listermann	3	Joe Stuber	2
Larry Goodridge	15	Bob Shreve	3	Dan Mack	2
Ben Hallenbeck	9	David Wynne	3	Pam Moleski	2
Jim Rollwage	7	Georgia Dahlberg, MMR®	2	Roy Allan	1

JUNIOR DIVISION MODELS

No entries this year

JUNIOR DIVISION PHOTOS

Shane Stephens 12

OCTOBER CATAGORIES

MODELS: NON-STEAM LOCOMOTIVES

PHOTOGRAPHY: NON-STEAM LOCOMOTIVES

Roy Allan

Cincinnati Division Contest Chair



**CINCINNATI DIVISION 7
MID CENTRAL REGION, NMRA
2023 CONTEST THEMES**



MONTH	MODELS	PHOTOGRAPHY
January	Caboose	Caboose
February	Hopper or Gondola Car	Hopper or Gondola Car
March	- No contest (Flea Market) -	- No contest (Flea Market) -
April	Steam Locomotive	Steam Locomotive
May	Maintenance-of-Way (MOW) Equipment	Maintenance-of-Way (MOW) Equipment
June	- No contest (Picnic) -	- No contest (Picnic) -
July	Non-Rail Building or Bridge	Non-Rail Building or Bridge
August	Dirt or Road Vehicle	Dirt or Road Vehicle
September	Tank Car	Tank Car
October	Non-Steam Locomotive	Non-Steam Locomotive
November	Rail Building or Bridge	Rail Building or Bridge
December	Box or Refrigerator Car	Box or Refrigerator Car

Contest Sub-Classes

MODEL (up to 3 total entries permitted) – Kit-Built, Kit-Bashed or Scratch-Built

PHOTO (up to 3 total entries permitted) – Model or Prototype



**CINCINNATI DIVISION 7
MID CENTRAL REGION, NMRA
2024 CONTEST THEMES**



MONTH	MODELS	PHOTOGRAPHY
January	Caboose (any EOT device freight train car)	Caboose (any EOT device freight train car)
February	Hopper or Gondola Car (open or closed)	Hopper or Gondola Car (open or closed)
March	- No contest (Flea Market) -	- No contest (Flea Market) -
April	Steam Locomotive	Steam Locomotive
May	Non-Steam Locomotive	Non-Steam Locomotive
June	- No contest (Picnic) -	- No contest (Picnic) -
July	Passenger Car (including head end cars)	Passenger Car (including head end cars)
August	Dirt or Road Self Propelled Vehicle	Dirt or Road Self Propelled Vehicle
September	Tank or Flat Car (with or without load)	Tank or Flat Car (with or without load)
October	Maintenance-of-Way (MOW) Equipment	Maintenance-of-Way (MOW) Equipment
November	Building or Bridge	Building or Bridge
December	Box, Refrigerator or Stock Car	Box, Refrigerator or Stock Car

Contest Sub-Classes

MODEL (up to 3 total entries permitted): Kit-Built, Kit-Bashed or Scratch-Built

PHOTO (up to 3 total entries permitted): Model or Prototype

Sept 2, 2023



DIVISION 7 - COMMITTEE REPORTS October 2023



Superintendent (Chuck Endreola): As a member in good standing of Division 7, you have the opportunity to attend BOD (Board of Directors) meetings. You may voice your opinion and/or introduce new ideas and suggestions. **At this time, the BOD meets via Zoom.** The meetings are held each quarter, and each has a different Zoom link. Contact Tony Valerius, John Burchnall or me each time and we'll gladly email you the link. Hope to see you there.

Recruitment and Retention (John Shields): The "latest" information from National (as of September 1) shows our current count is 211.

We have no new members to welcome this month. Thank you to the 10 people who chose to renew their memberships last month.

I am still looking for volunteers to man the membership booth at the Fall Show. The sign up sheets will be available again at the October meeting. This is a good opportunity for either new or less active members to get involved as volunteers. To recruit new members, we just need to share all the reasons that we choose to belong. Everyone's stories are different and each of you can do that.

John Shields

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MCR Report (John Shields): No report this month

National Report (Frank Koch / Pam Moleski): No report this month

Achievement Program (Frank Koch): See Photos in this issue

Car Projects (Paul Maciulewicz): See the Car Project Announcement elsewhere in this Oil Can

Oil Can (Dave Puthoff): Submissions for the November Oil Can are due by October 22.

Monthly Raffle (Russ Poynter): No report this month

Community Service (Larry Bonhaus): No report this month

Modelers Aid (Bruce Knapp / Sam Parfitt): No report this month

Fall Train Show (Rick Crumrine): No report this month

Spring Flea Market (Gary Ossenschmidt / Roy Hord): No report this month

Operations Activities (Rick Stern): No report this month

Facebook Page (Pam Moleski): No report this month

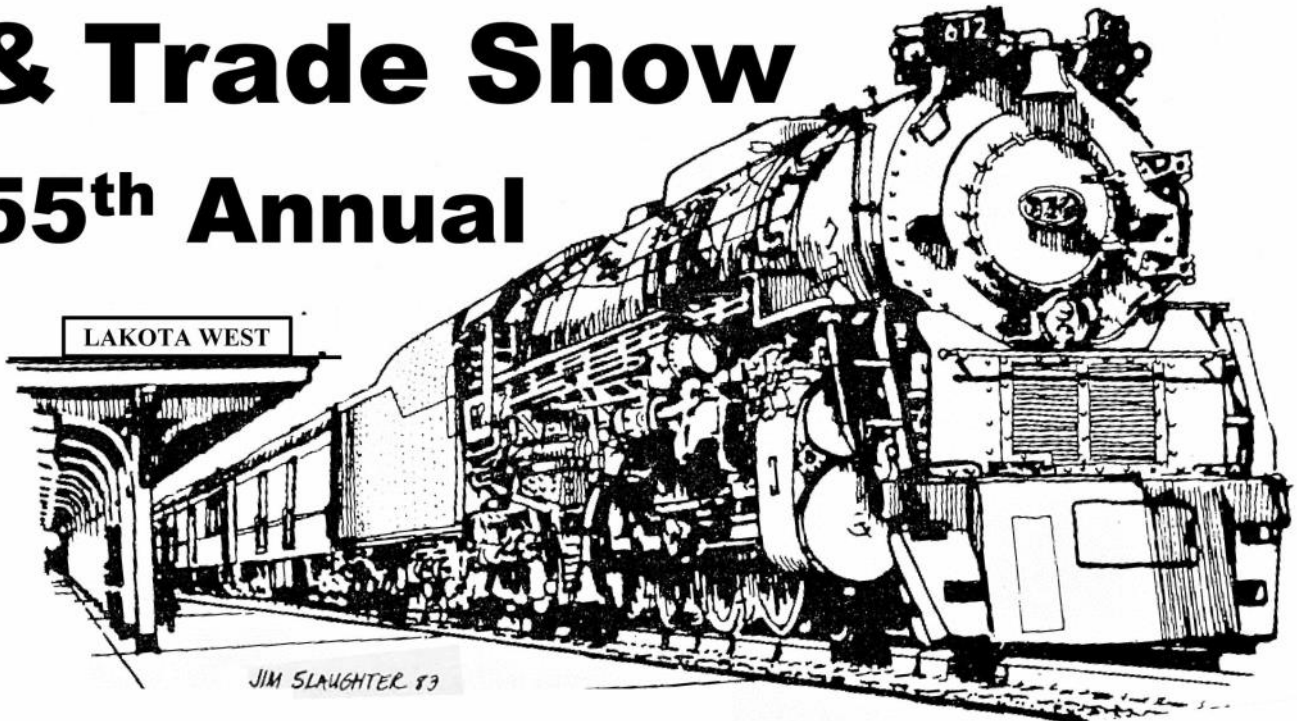
Web Site (John Burchnall): No report this month

Video Library (Kevin Orcutt): No report this month

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55th Annual



Lakota West High School

Sat & Sun October 14 & 15, 2023
11 am - 5 pm both days

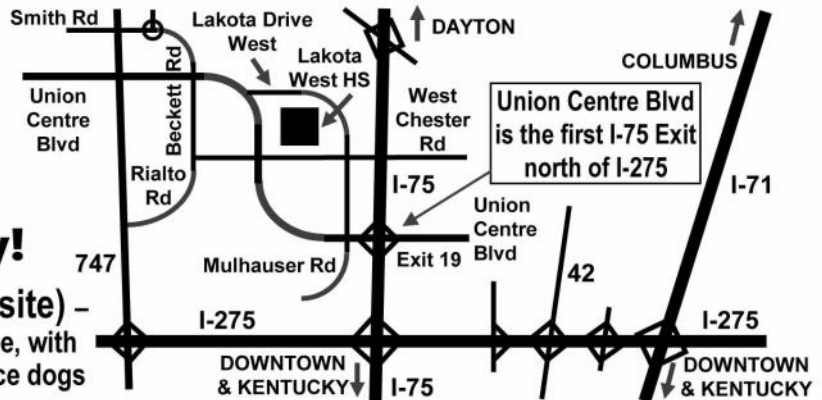
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White Elephants at the 2023 Fall Show

White Elephants at the 2023 Fall Show (Frank Koch) – I’m back again for any individual Division 7 members with items they wish to sell, but not enough to justify the cost of a table. Prepare an inventory showing your name, address, and telephone number and listing each individual item with a description and code so I can match it back to you, and your **firm** asking price (I won’t negotiate to a lower price.). **Each individual item must be clearly marked and priced as shown below.** If there is more than one of an item, list them separately. Put all your items in a bag or box and bring them to the flea market before the show starts. I’ll log them in, sell them, calculate how much you get back (The Division will keep 10% of actual sales.), and you can, preferably, pick up your unsold material and money on Sunday right after the show closes or after the show at a later meeting. If you need an inventory form, send me an e-mail at fjkoch@hotmail.com with “elephant inventory” in the subject, use the form in the OilCan, or use the one that is online in the Division website..

FJK – 12 \$10.00

Items are placed in the White Elephant Sale at your own risk. Neither Division 7 nor Frank Koch assumes any liability for any items damaged or stolen during the flea market, though we will provide due diligence for their safety. We will not accept items that are not prepared as indicated here. If you want to help out at some time during the flea market, let Frank know. We reserve the right to refuse any material that we deem unsuitable.

2023 Fall Show White Elephant Sale
 (10% of actual sales retained by Division 7)

2023

Name: _____
 Street Address: _____
 City, State, Zip: _____
 Telephone Number: _____
 E-mail Address: _____

Initials	Item #	Short Description	Firm Price (\$)	Sold	Office
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Total \$0.00
 10% Fee \$0.00
 Net Due To Seller _____

DIVISION 7 - ANNOUNCEMENTS

Division 7 Car Project (Limited Edition!)

Cincinnati Division 7's Car Project Committee is pleased to announce the availability of our latest, limited-edition car project!

Using Accurail's 2200 Series ACF 2-Bay Covered Hopper as the basis, we are offering it in a Norfolk & Western repaint scheme.

These cars are N&W class HC-46 and are from an original batch of fifty built in 1966 by ACF and were painted in the Round Herald paint scheme.

Sometime subsequent to that some cars went through a general maintenance program where they were repainted in the block N&W livery. Photos were found showing that at least three of these cars (road numbers 170753, 170768 and 170794) were reweighed at some later date because that area is "patched out" on the car with the new data displayed. Those same photos place these three cars as being in service in 1992 and 2004! It is these three, highly unique, road numbers that Cincinnati Division 7 is now offering for sale.

As with all Accurail cars, they are in kit form only.

Pricing is \$25 per car, or a 3-car set at \$70. Shipping (via USPS Priority) is \$9.20 for one car and \$16.25 for two to three cars.

Ohio residents, please add 7.8% sales tax on the **total price of the kits and the shipping and handling fee.**

I received these cars the week of 9/12. Heritage and purchasing details are posted on our Division 7 web site.

You can also send me a check or money order in US dollars, payable to Cincinnati Division 7, MCR, NMRA, to:

Cincinnati Division 7 Car Projects

c/o Paul Maciulewicz

9151 Congress Court

West Chester, Ohio 45069



DIVISION 7 - ANNOUNCEMENTS

Great Northern Railway Operating Session on October 21 at 7 PM (Saturday)

NOTE: Contact Sam Parfitt prior to attending, in order to confirm the Operating Session. --- Ed.

GNRW ops is on the 3rd W/E Saturday.

Pizza at 6:30-7:00.
Please email if attending.

NEW POLICY:

Since there's not a lot to do outside our homes related to railroading, those who wish to have a 'one-on-one' or with own friends to operate the layout during the month, please email or call.
Being retired, I spend the bulk of my time in the basement so visitors are always welcomed. Thanks.

NEW PROJECTS:

Installed decoders in several more engines. A selection of 100 engines can now be done.

Mission Statement: Main theme of my railroad (besides modeling the Great Northern Railway): when building the railroad, I wanted to model mainline running with big time steam and 'scale like' trains of 25-45 cars on single track mainline with passing sidings.

USUAL STATS:

Time: 1938. All steam and electrics. The GN railway is a point to point railroad, 400' mainline with two 400-500 car yards at Seattle, Wash and St Paul, Minn, each having 20+ track turntables and one staging yard holding 300 cars. Minimum radius, 48" with #10 turnouts. Track all hand laid on individual wooden ties. 100% scenery.
Four track 12' ore dock.

For pictures see:

<http://ogrforum.ogaugerr.com/topic/great-northern-railway?page=1>

Video:

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=tOb7SgZTLWA>

The Operating session is also listed in the NMRA MCR div 7 web site:

<https://cincy-div7.org/events.html>

Junk food and beverage will be available

Thanks

Sam Parfitt

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DIVISION 7 - ANNOUNCEMENTS

Achievement Awards



**Bob Kress receives
Achievement Award**

**Roy Allan receives
Achievement Awards**



Photos by John Burchnall

DIVISION 7 - CLASSIFIED ADS

As a benefit to Division 7 members, the Oil Can will offer to list free Classified Ads to allow members to sell railroad-related items. A few other Divisions offer such a program. The Board will periodically re-evaluate the program. If you have items to sell, please review the Rules, and send an email to editor@cincy-div7.org

CLASSIFIED AD RULES:

- Item(s) must be railroad related.
- Seller must be a Member of Division 7 MCR NMRA.
- Listing description shall be 30 words or less.
- Item(s) can be displayed for a maximum of three (3) months. Oil Can Editor will assign a Listing Number that will include the last month of listing. (E.g., “xx-July 2015” would indicate Listing xx will be listed through the July 2015 Oil Can).
- Seller must list name, and either Phone Number and/or Email, so the interested Buyer can contact Seller. It will not be listed without them. **(NOTE: Seller agrees to allow contact information to be published in the Oilcan, which is published on the Internet).**
- A single photo may be submitted for each listing.
- Limit of three (3) listings from same Seller at any one time.
- Seller shall email Oil Can Editor if item is sold so it can be removed from page.
- All transactions are between the Buyer and the Seller.
- Oilcan Editor reserves the right to edit listing if needed, and will notify Seller of edit prior to publication.

Picture	Description	Price	Name	Phone, or Email	Listing No.
	Athearn EMD SD40-2, undec, dynamic brakes Retail: \$32.50	\$15	Jim MacKnight	jimmack6@hotmail.com	288-Sep 23
	Athearn EMD GP40-2, undec, dynamic brakes Retail: \$33.00	\$15	Jim MacKnight	jimmack6@hotmail.com	289-Sep 23
	Athearn FM H24-66 Trainmaster, PRR, powered, Brunswick green, #8704 Retail: \$27.50	\$15	Jim MacKnight	jimmack6@hotmail.com	290-Sep 23
	Atlas ALCo C-424, PRR, non-dynamic, Brunswick green, #2415 Retail: \$79.95	\$50	Jim MacKnight	jimmack6@hotmail.com	291-Sep 23
	Proto 2000 EMD GP18, B&O, w/dynamic, blue w/yellow stripe, #6599 Retail: \$80.00	\$50	Jim MacKnight	jimmack6@hotmail.com	292-Sep 23
	Proto 2000 EMD SD7 phase II, B&O, non-dynamic, blue w/yellow stripe, #1830 Retail: \$100.00	\$55	Jim MacKnight	jimmack6@hotmail.com	293-Sep 23
	Proto 2000 EMD SD7, B&O, non-dynamic, blue w/yellow stripe, #763 Retail: \$85.00	\$55	Jim MacKnight	jimmack6@hotmail.com	294-Sep 23
	Stewart GE U25B, phase IV, PRR, Brunswick green, #2651 Retail: \$69.95	\$50	Jim MacKnight	jimmack6@hotmail.com	295-Sep 23
	American Model Builders 2-story farmhouse, laser-cut basswood Retail: \$42.95	\$30	Jim MacKnight	jimmack6@hotmail.com	296-Sep 23
	Detail Assoc NP ACF 2970 cf, 2-bay covered hopper, #75075 (flat kit) Retail: \$17.50	\$10	Jim MacKnight	jimmack6@hotmail.com	297-Sep 23

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Month	Date	Location	Program / Speaker	Contests *	Layout Visits
Jan	Sun, Jan 8	Northeast – American Legion Hall Post 194, Mason, Ohio	Patrick Stanley “How I Modeled Donner Pass”	Model & Photo: Caboose	Bob Bartizek + Bob Chapman + Mike Rottenberger
Feb	Sun, Feb 5 (note date)	West – Dunham Recreation Center (near Queen City Ave)	John Burchnall “Great Midwest Rail Circle Tour”	Model & Photo: Hopper or Gondola	Jack Sibert + Dennis Malloy
Mar	Sat, Mar 11 10 am – 3 pm	Annual Spring Flea Market Lakota West Freshman School	Dealer, Sales, Membership and Modeler Aid Booths	None	None
Apr	Sun, Apr 2 (note date)	North – Cincinnati Marriott North Hotel (Union Ctr Blvd)	Bernard Kempinski, MMR® “Military Railroads”	Model & Photo: Steam Locomotive	Gary Ossenschmidt + Ed Bley
May	Thu, May 4 to Sun, May 7	Pittsburgh MCR Convention – Keystone Div. 2 Pittsburgh	“Rails to Pittsburgh” Convention Clinics, Banquet, Show, Tours	Doubletree by Hilton Convention Contests	Convention Tours and Layouts
May	Sun, May 21 (note date)	South – Erlanger, Kentucky Kenton County Library	Dan Mack “Fire Engines and Fire Stations”	Model & Photo: Maintenance of Way	Perry Simpson + perhaps another tbd
Jun	Sun, Jun 11 1 – 5 pm	Family Picnic/Social at Fernbank Park in Cinti, Ohio	Catered Social Event (Food, Games, Door Prizes) - must register by June 1	None, except Team Trivia	None
Jul	Sun, Jul 9	Central – Norwood Community Center in Norwood, Ohio	Larry Goodridge “Use of Color in Model Railroading”	Model & Photo: Non-Rail Building or Bridge	Tom Brueggeman, MMR® + Bill Bramlage
Aug	Sun, Aug 13	East – Mt. Carmel American Legion Hall	Mike Hauk “Static Grass Tips & Techniques”	Model & Photo: Dirt or Road Vehicle	David Lamb + Rick Crumrine
Aug	Sat, Aug 19 to Sun, Aug 27	NMRA National Convention Grapevine (Ft. Worth), TX	2023 Texas Express – Clinics, Tours, Programs, Banquet, Show	Gaylord Texan Resort Convention Contests	Tours & Show Layouts
Sep	Sun, Sep 10	Northeast – American Legion Hall Post 194, Mason, Ohio	Mike Tylick, MMR® “Scenery Construction”	Model & Photo: Tank Car	Sam Parfitt + Jim Rollwage
Oct	Sun, Oct 8	North – Cincinnati Marriott North Hotel (Union Ctr Blvd)	Lou and Cheryl Sassi “Modeling South Strong”	Model & Photo: Non-Steam Locomotive	Steve Montgomery + Dave Puthoff
Oct	Sat 14 & Sun 15 11 am to 5 pm	55th Annual Fall Train Show Lakota West High School	Cincinnati Model Train & Trade Show Booths, Layouts and Slide Show	None	Train Show Portable Layouts
Nov	Sun, Nov 12	Central – Norwood Community Center in Norwood, Ohio	Ed Swain “Coal Mines of the Middle Division”	Model & Photo: Rail Building or Bridge	Sam Swanson, MMR® + Tony Michel
Dec	Sun, Dec 10	East – Mt. Carmel American Legion Hall	Potluck Electronic Slides and Annual Snackfest Celebration	Model & Photo: Box or Refrigerator Car	Matt & Debie Snell + Dan Mack

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Month	Date	Location	Program / Speaker	Contests *	Layout Visits
Jan	Sun, Jan 14	Northeast – American Legion Hall Post 194, Mason, Ohio	Cinti Mus Center Staff – "Planning & Construction of Cin. Union Terminal"	Model & Photo: Caboose or any EOT device freight car	Ron Gribler, MMR + another tbd
Feb	Sun, Feb 4 (note date)	West – Dunham Recreation Center (near Queen City Ave)	Bob Frankrone "How to add Scene in 15 Easy Steps"	Model & Photo: Hopper or Gondola Car	Jerry Strangarity + Randy Seiler
Mar	Sat, Mar 9 10 am – 3 pm	Annual Spring Flea Market Lakota West Freshman School	Dealer, Sales, Membership and Modeler Aid Booths	None	None
Apr	Sun, Apr 14	North – Cincinnati Marriott North Hotel (Union Ctr Blvd)	Bernard Kempinski, MMR® "Modeling Ships on Model Railroads"	Model & Photo: Steam Locomotive	tbd
May	Sun, May 5 (note date)	Central – Norwood Community Center in Norwood, Ohio	Gerry Albers "Virginian & Ohio Tribute"	Model & Photo: Non-Steam Locomotive	Cinti Model Ry Club? + another tbd
May	Thu, May 16 to Sun, May 19	Cleveland MCR Convention – North Coast Ltd, Cleveland, OH	Clinics, Banquet, Show, Tours	Convention Contests	Convention Tours and Layouts
Jun	Sun, Jun 9 1 – 5 pm	Family Picnic/Social at Fernbank Park in Cinti, Ohio	Catered Social Event (Food, Games, Door Prizes) - must register by June 1	None, except Team Trivia	None
Jul	Sun, Jul 14	South – Erlanger, Kentucky Kenton County Library?	John Burchnall & Rick Lach "Bob Fink's Dayton & Western RR"	Model & Photo: Any Passenger Train Car	tbd
Aug	Sun, Aug 4 to Sun, Aug 11	NMRA International Convention Long Beach, CA	Clinics, Tours, Programs, Banquet, Show	Convention Contests	Convention Tours & Show Layouts
Aug	Sun, Aug 18 (note date)	East – Mt. Carmel American Legion Hall	Mike Hauk "Weathering with Oil Paints"	Model & Photo: Dirt or Road Self Propelled Vehicle	tbd
Sep	Sun, Sep 8	North – Cincinnati Marriott North Hotel (Union Ctr Blvd)	Mike Tylick, MMR® "Chester & Becket Fn3 RR Story"	Model & Photo: Tank or Flat Car	tbd
Oct	Sun, Oct 6? (note date)	tbd	Endreola or Luginbuhl	Model & Photo: Maintenance-of-Way Equipment	tbd
Oct	Sat 12-13? 11 am to 5 pm	56th Annual Fall Train Show Lakota West High School	Cincinnati Model Train & Trade Show Booths, Layouts and Slide Show	None	Train Show Portable Layouts
Nov	Sun, Nov 10	Northeast – American Legion Hall Post 194, Mason, Ohio	Endreola or Luginbuhl	Model & Photo: Any Building or Bridge	tbd
Dec	Sun, Dec 8	East – Mt. Carmel American Legion Hall	Potluck Electronic Slides and Annual Snackfest Celebration	Model & Photo: Box, Stock or Refrigerator Car	tbd

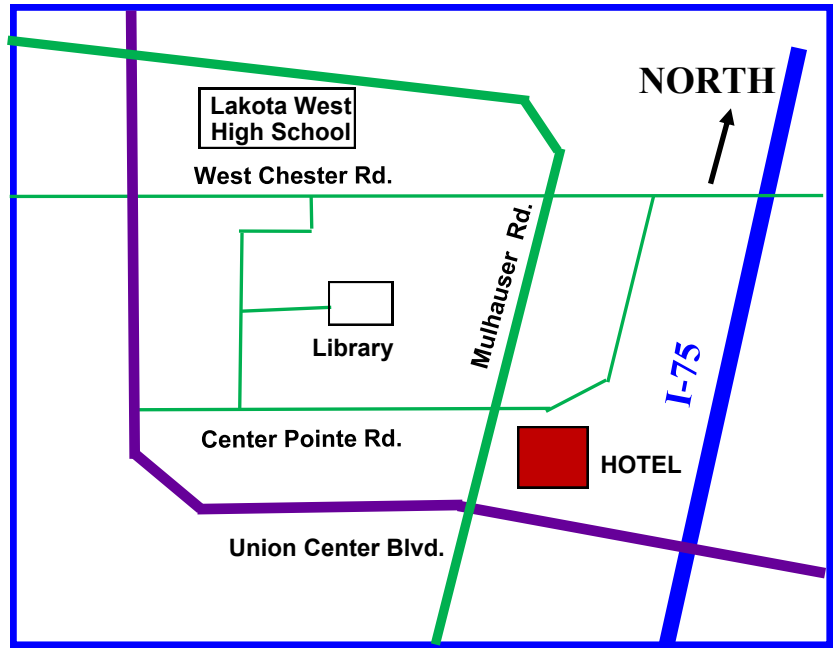
Next Meeting

2 PM Sunday October 8

Cincinnati Marriott North
6189 Muhlhauser Rd.
West Chester 45069

Directions:

From I-75: Exit Union Center Blvd.
Right to Muhlhauser Rd.
Hotel is on your right.



Coming Down the Line

Cincinnati Division 7, MCR, NMRA
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(Unless otherwise notified)

<u>Date</u>	<u>Location</u>	<u>Program/Speaker</u>	<u>Layout Visits</u>	<u>Contest Topic</u>
10/8	Cinti. Marriott North Hotel West Chester OH	Lou & Cheryl Sassi <i>Modeling South Strong</i>	Steve Montgomery Dave Puthoff	<u>Models:</u> Non-Steam Locos <u>Photos:</u> Non-Steam Locos
11/12	Norwood Community Bldg. Norwood OH	Ed Swain <i>Coal Mines of the Middle Div.</i>	Sam Swanson MMR® Tony Michel	<u>Models:</u> Rail Bldg. or Bridge <u>Photos:</u> Rail Bldg. or Bridge
12/10	Mt. Carmel Amer. Legion Mt. Carmel OH	Potluck Electronic Slides & Annual Snackfest	Matt & Debie Snell Dan Mack	<u>Models:</u> Box or Refrig. Car <u>Photos:</u> Box or Refrig. Car

Around the Division
2022

10/21 7:15 pm Lebanon Modelers - Lebanon OH
10/14-15 Division 7 Fall Train & Trade Show
Lakota West High School

Region / National
2023-2024

5/16-5/19, 2024 NMRA Mid-Central Region Convention,
North Coast Limited, Cleveland, OH.

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