

Welcome Back!



June 3-6, 2027

Greater Cincinnati

Known for

- Beautiful Ohio Riverfront
- Ice Cream – Graeters, UDF and Aglamesis
- Cincinnati Style Chili – Skyline, Gold Star, ...
- Historic Cincinnati Union Terminal (CUT)



Also Known for

- 7 Hills and 7 Pre-Merger Class 1 Railroads
- Abundance of premier model railroads
- Great model railroad conventions



We last hosted in 2018 – Welcome back!

Holiday Inn Cincinnati North - W. Chester

- I-75 & Union Center Blvd in West Chester, Ohio
- Lodging: King or 2 Queen Beds, either \$159 + tax
- Large meeting rooms, all together on main floor
- Free Parking, Quality Food with Grab 'n Go option
- Rooms can be reserved starting Sept 1, 2026



Holiday Inn

Cincinnati North – W. Chester

- Modern, clean, like-new
- Spacious lobby and restrooms



Full Slate of Activities

- **Layouts Galore** – numerous tours and op sessions
- **Rail Tours** – intriguing industrial prototype tours
- **General Interest Tours** – many fantastic venues
- **Rail Clinics** – 3 huge rooms + “hands-on” room
- **Contests** – model, photography and crafts
- **White Elephant Sale** – huge!
- **Company Store**
- **Raffle**
- **In-Hotel Layouts**
- **Saturday Banquet**



Outstanding Layouts

- **Abundance of Inspiring Layouts**, from
 - 70 indoor pikes + 30 garden railways
 - All scales, 47 published, 2 museums
 - All layout tours self-guided (no buses)
- **Layout Open Houses** – different geographic group each morning, afternoon and evening!
- **Operating Sessions** – all 4 days!
- **Exclusive Thursday Afternoon** early-bird visits to the stunning layouts of **Larry Bonhaus** (N) and **Bob Lawson** (HO, new)!



Great Potential Guided Rail Tours

- **Precision Strip + Cohen Scrap Processing** – steel slitting + scrap operations – both with railroads
- **Cinti Union Terminal + American Sign Museum** – behind the scenes CUT + expanded sign museum
- **Cinti Streetcar Shop + Findlay Market** – Modern streetcar line + bustling city food market/shops
- **Brighton Vessel Heads + Tropicana** – cold formed process vessel heads + orange juice trains
- **Western-Cullen Hayes + Anchor Glass** – leading rail products maker + rail-served bottles maker
- **Behringer-Crawford + Verdin Bell & Clock** – local transportation and bell/clock plant museums

Tentative

Fantastic General Interest Venues

- Museum Center at CUT
- Jungle Jims Intl Market
- American Sign Museum
- Findlay Market & St. Car
- Krohn Conservatory
- Spring Grove Arboretum
- Behringer-Crawford Mus.
- Cincinnati Art Museum
- Historic Glendale
- Taft Museum
- Cinti Zoo/Gardens
- B&B Riverboat Cruise
- Kings Island Amuse. Park
- American Packard Mus.
- Cinti Reds Hall of Fame
- National Mus. of USAF
- Verdin Bell & Clock Mus.
- Newport Aquarium
- Lebanon & Golden Lamb
- Carillon Historical Park
- National Underground Railroad Freedom Center



Numerous Great Presenters

- **Expert Clinicians** – both Regional and National
- 3 Huge Clinic Rooms + 4th “Hands-on” Classroom!
- **Banquet Speaker & Guest Clinician** – Craig Fuller
- **Featured Guest Clinicians** – Lou and Cheryl Sassi, Dr. Cinthia Priest and Stephen Priest, MMR



Craig Fuller
Firecrown Media CEO
Freightwaves CEO



**Stephen Priest, MMR
& Dr. Cinthia Priest**
ClassOneModelWorks.com COO,
Authors, Editors, Modelers



Lou & Cheryl Sassi
MR Contributing Editor, Authors,
Photographers, Modelers

Pre-Registration Available Now!

Early Bird Pre-Registration Advantage

- Sets your priority for extra fare and ops events!

Convention Registration

- \$90 Rail, \$30 Family Adult/Teen, Kids <13 Free
- Manual early registration form available now
- On-line early registration available June 2026
- Full registration package available January 2027
- Order convention shirts on-line now via web link

Separate Holiday Inn Hotel Registration

- King bed or 2 queen beds at \$159/night + tax
- Hotel regs open Sept 1, 2026 via link & code tbd

Visit our Website Today!



<https://cincy-div7.org/2027-convention>

Come enjoy the fun!



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