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Dave Puthoff

The Division 7 Family Picnic will be held on Sunday June 9 at Fernbank Lodge at Fernbank Park in Sayler Park. Because of the size of the venue, Registrations are limited to the first 100 people!

Deadline for Registrations is June 1

Details are on Page 14.

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: Division 7 Members at Flea Market — Chuck Endreola (front), then from left to right, Randy Kerka, Tim Stout, John Burchnall, Tony Valerius, and John Shields

Photo by Joe Stuber



Our 2024 Spring Flea Market was a success on all levels. We had a turnout of 829 (an increase of 40 over 2023) paid attendees who were anxious to find new treasures. We needed to use the cafeteria because Roy Hord sold a record number of tables for this event! All the vendors I canvased were happy with their sales (I made several contributions to their coffers). The Division representatives at the Membership booth were able to sell the advantages of joining the NMRA to five new members! Nicely done! Also, nicely done, was the job the Lakota West Freshman Boys Volleyball Team did at the concession stand. Kudos to Gary Ossenschmidt, Roy Hord, Frank Koch and all the volunteers who were responsible for another wonderful annual event.

The Model Railroader Roundtable (MRR) held its second meeting at the home of Roy Allan and his fabulous F scale layout. The subject was “Scratch Building Rolling Stock”. Committee Chair, Sam Swanson, could not have enlisted a better host for that. Roy has won many 1st place awards for his masterfully scratch built cars at convention contests. I am sure the attendees were inspired and armed with great information for their own projects.

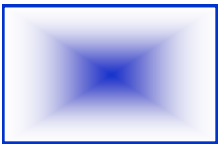
Although veteran members of Division 7 may attend The Model Railroading Roundtable gatherings, they were created to attract members new to the hobby and/or members new to Division 7 to fraternize while learning. One of the key advantages of NMRA membership is the social aspect. This forum provides an informal opportunity to befriend those with like interests. I hope all of you partake in these unique, wonderful and insightful opportunities of membership.

Cincinnati winters force a suspension of many of our outdoor activities. We then use that opportunity to concentrate on model railroading and the layout. I was planning to do just that this winter. Unfortunately, other pressing matters demanded my attention and time. I was able to kit bash some structures but not able to create a scene to place them in. At least I was able to join in the trip to the Springfield, MA show as mentioned in last month’s Oil Can.

I look forward to seeing you all at the next meeting. It will feature our 2023 Division 7 Contest awards presentations.

“Don’t wait for people to be friendly, show them how” – Henry James

Chuck



“It’s what you learn after you know it all that counts.” John Wooden

“Unless you try to do something beyond what you have already mastered, you will never grow.” Ralph Waldo Emerson

For those younger than myself, the quotes above are by one of the all-time great coaches of college basketball and a great American philosopher and poet. The two quotes emphasize the importance of continuing to learn new things. As modelers, we are often presented with challenges in creating new structures, scenery, wiring our layout, or incorporating technology such as DCC, JMRI, etc. This is where sharing our talents with other modelers and learning from other modelers comes into the picture. Hopefully, our clinics at our monthly meetings help inspire and teach new things to our members. The new Model Railroading Roundtable sessions are even better since they are conducted with a small number of participants. Of course, getting to know other members/modelers is the best way to learn since you can do so in a 1:1 setting with lots of time, the ability to ask questions, and try new things with someone to guide you along. In essence, this is why being part of the NMRA and Division 7 is a great benefit to anyone involved in model railroading.

On March 9th, we had our Annual Spring Flea Market at the Lakota West Freshman School. The crowd was about 5% larger than last year’s record. plus there were significantly more vendors. I think I set a personal high mark for how much money I spent at a Flea Market/Train Show event. Some of the items I purchased were because the prices were just too good to pass up. Some items I bought due to what I learned from Bob Lawson in his recent Roundtable session. I purchased a set of work cars with the idea of staging a scene on my new layout to tell a story, as Bob explained it. Then I purchased a bag of wooded ties to pile in the scene for the workers to replace along a section of track. At that same vendor, I found a bin loaded with other small details and items for very reasonable prices. Another table had items from Gerry Albers’ layout which is being dismantled due to his failing health. Some of my purchases there included many freight cars with metal wheels, Kadee couplers, properly weighted, and adjusted so they are ready to go. Besides having a need for these things, I am also proud to have some of his layout continue on mine. I went home with multiple bags and boxes of very needed additions to my layout and a smile on my face even though I was lighter in the wallet.

Coming Up:

Sunday, April 14th – Our April meeting will be at the Cincinnati Marriott North Hotel with visiting guest Phil Gliebe (Division 3) presenting a clinic “Small Shelf Layouts for Operating Fun”. The contest is Steam Locomotive. Layout visits will be to the homes of Ed Swain and Patrick Stanley.

Sunday, May 5th – Our May meeting will be at the Norwood Community Center with visiting guest Rick Lach (Division 3) sharing “The Life and Carvings of Ernest Warther”. The contest topic is Non-Steam Locomotive. Layouts will be the Cincinnati Model Railway Club and Dan Hadley.

Sunday, June 9th – Our Third Annual Family Picnic/Social – Don’t miss it! Mark your calendars now! See the flyer/registration form in this issue of the Oil Can for more details. **Send it in soon!**

See our Division 7 website at cincy-div7.org for details on all our wonderful 2024 activities.

Happy Modeling!

Tony

DIVISION 7 - 2023 FINANCIAL SUMMARY

INCOME

<u>Item</u>	<u>2023 Actual</u>	<u>2023 Budget</u>
Car Projects	\$3,341.07	\$4,000.00
Company Store	\$1,317.58	\$1,000.00
Dividends & Interest	\$6,363.10	\$6,100.00
Fall Show	\$37,872.00	\$32,100.00
Flea Market	\$9,151.00	\$6,400.00
Picnic	\$670.00	\$1,000.00
Investment Gain/Loss	(\$3,541.32)	\$0.00
White Elephants (net)	\$624.00	\$100.00
Raffle	\$518.00	\$500.00
<u>Income, Total</u>	<u>\$56,315.43</u>	<u>\$51,200.00</u>

EXPENSES

<u>Item</u>	<u>2023 Actual</u>	<u>2023 Budget</u>
Post Card Postage	\$434.01	\$480.00
Post Card Printing	\$935.35	\$900.00
Post Card Publisher	\$650.00	\$480.00
Post Card, Total	<u>\$2,019.36</u>	<u>\$1,860.00</u>

Admin/Awards	\$82.58	\$600.00
Contest	\$0.00	\$200.00
Membership	\$625.83	\$200.00
Miscellaneous	\$102.41	\$0.00
P.O. Box/Permit	\$690.00	\$500.00
Telephone	\$474.56	\$480.00
Sales Tax	\$166.98	\$200.00
Storage Locker	\$751.00	\$750.00
Website	\$154.44	\$400.00
General Admin., Sub-Total	<u>\$3,047.80</u>	<u>\$3,330.00</u>

Car Projects	\$483.90	\$1,000.00
Com. Service (Books)	\$0.00	\$1,000.00
Company Store	\$116.07	\$1,000.00
Fall Show	\$16,972.20	\$18,460.00
Flea Market	\$5,273.48	\$5,000.00
Memorials/Donations	\$500.00	\$500.00
Program, Room Rental	\$5,493.00	\$3,600.00
Monthly Program	\$2,814.93	\$4,000.00
Picnic	\$2,728.87	\$2,100.00
Raffle	\$551.00	\$500.00
Video Library	\$0.00	\$300.00
Activities, Sub-Total	<u>\$34,933.45</u>	<u>\$37,460.00</u>

<u>Expenses, Total</u>	<u>\$40,000.61</u>	<u>\$42,650.00</u>
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<u>Net Income/(Loss)</u>	<u>\$16,314.82</u>	<u>\$8,550.00</u>
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TOTAL ASSETS (Year End)

Checking Account	\$67,147.59	<i>F. J. Koch</i>
Postal Account	\$2,436.03	Treasurer
Investment Account	\$89,594.91	3/1/2024
Total Assets	<u>\$159,178.53</u>	

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	Gary Ossenschmidt
Spring Flea Market	Gary Ossenschmidt	Rick Crumrine
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	Kevin 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!



**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

April 2024



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 March 3) shows our current count is 224.

We have 9 new members to welcome from the last two months.

Robert Witmer of West Chester, OH
Graham Stark of Mount Washington
Noah Ellsworth of West Chester, OH
Mike Martinson of Maineville, OH
Renas Stanislovaitis of West Chester, OH
Joseph Wendlin of Independence, KY
Allen Young of Hyde Park
David Blaker of Dry Ridge, KY
Roy Meierdiercks of West Chester, OH

Thank you to all the folks that volunteered time at the membership booth at the Flea Market. We signed up 5 new members while at the show (and hopefully some more will send in the Railpass application that we were handing out).

Thank you to the 41 people who chose to renew their memberships in the last two months.

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 May Oil Can are due by April 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

YouTube (David Lamb): Look for Bob Adam's N Scale Whistle Creek Division on the NMRA Division 7 YouTube channel (<https://www.youtube.com/@NMRADivision7>).

DIVISION 7 - ANNOUNCEMENTS

Introducing Cincinnati Division 7's Model Railroading Roundtable Program

The goal of the Model Railroading Roundtable (MRR) program is to allow a small group of like-interested folks to gather in a local home or meeting place and learn a new skill related directly to the model railroading hobby. Those that have mastered the skill will host a small group (size of the host's choosing, typically between four and eight folks) and then in a one-to-two hour session, assist fellow Division 7 members to develop that skill.

Most get-togethers are anticipated to take place in the host's home workshop, operating crew lounge, or layout room. Content, timeframe, and participants are solely the host's preference. Hosts will advertise the MRR event in *The Oil Can*, stating the specifics of the program, and providing an email address for responses. Attendee reservations will be filled on a first-come-first-serve basis. Hosts will confirm with attendees the day before the event and well before that reminder, distribute any information that attendees should become familiar with (or gather, should attendees need to bring certain items or supplies). Costs of supplies, refreshments, and the like are the responsibility of the host or participants (meaning there is currently not an allocation for this activity within Division 7 annual budget).

Currently there are eight hosts that have expressed interest in participating in the MRR program in 2024, with the following subjects:

- Planning/Building Structures and Scenes
- Scratchbuilding Rolling Stock
- Painting Backdrops
- Constructing Models in Styrene
- Installing Decoders, Motors, and Gears
- Building Structures from Photos
- Carving Rockwork from Foam Insulation
- Painting Details and Figures (HO and O)

Depending upon host and participant interest, the following topics will be investigated and scheduled to close out 2024 and subsequent months:

- Layout Planning for Operation
- Building Lightweight Benchwork
- Detailing Scenery (from ground cover to trees to modeling water)
- Painting Structures
- Weathering Rolling Stock and Locomotives (through airbrushing or powder application)
- Detailing Backdrops with Photos
- 3D Printing
- Laser Cutting and Etching
- Handlaying Track and Turnouts
- Installing Switch Machines

This list is not comprehensive and any topic germane to model railroading will be considered. The program is slated to start in early 2024. Those interested in hosting an MRR session can contact **Sam Swanson** (nwindes1980@gmail.com) to propose a topic and timeframe and once those aspects are defined, an announcement will be submitted to *The Oil Can*.

DIVISION 7 - ANNOUNCEMENTS

Great Northern Railway Operating Session on April 20 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

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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



MCR 2024 CONVENTION

LOOK AT THE LINEUP OF LAYOUTS TO VISIT!

The Mid-Central
Regional Convention
May 16-19 2024
Cleveland, Ohio



Bram Bailey's Ontario Central Railway. Look for his layout in a future issue of RMC!

**RIGHT,
Mark Pekelnicky's
Conrail Toledo Sub
Railroad**



**LEFT,
John Witt's
Copper Peninsula
Railroad.**



**ABOVE TOP & BOTTOM,
John Puch's
Union Valley Central**



Layout on the web site!

**Bram Bailey
John Witt
John Puch
Joe Filipiak
Dave Lawler
Ron Morgan
Ben Lanza
Terry Kolenc**

**Mark Pekelnicky
Steve Riddlebaugh
Joe Kurilec, MMR®
Paul Novak & Sons
Jim Peters
Jerry Jordak
Cuyahoga Valley &
West Shore Model
Railroad Club.**

Check the website, more layouts will be added

www.northcoastlimited2024.org

**BELOW, CENTER & RIGHT,
Joe Filipiak's Chessie System Railroad**



MCR 2024 CONVENTION



Call for N-Scale T-TRAK Modules!

It's here! The call for N-Scale T-TRAK modules! It is for those N-Scale T-TRAK modelers who will be attending the North Coast Limited convention, hosted by The North Coast Division of the NMRA Mid Central Region. The convention will be at the Crowne Plaza Hotel in Middleburg Heights, Ohio from May 16-19, 2024.

Let Us Know You're Coming!

<https://forms.gle/RkKrdTWxcZetGDUr6>

Useful Links

NMRA Mid Central Region, North Coast Division

<https://www.div4.org/>

North Coast Limited Convention

<https://northcoastlimited2024.org/>

T-TRAK Information

<https://ntrak.org/T-TRAK-Home>

T-TRAK Wiki

<http://ttrak.wikidot.com/>

Questions

If you have any questions, please send an email to both Ramhog Shearer ramhog5@aol.com and Frank Trocchia ftrocchi@yahoo.com.

Cincinnati Division 7, MCR, NMRA

3rd Annual Family Picnic



*Fernbank Lodge in Fernbank Park
50 Thornton Ave, Cinti, OH 45233
(Sayler Park off Route 50)*



1-5 pm Sunday, June 9, 2024

*For Division 7 Members, Families and their Guests.
Featuring Fellowship, Food, Soft Drinks, Door Prizes,
Games and our "main event" Trivia Team Contest
Only \$10 per person (Division 7 picks up the rest!)*

**Registrations limited to first 100 people
Hurry! – June 1 Registration Deadline**



Rain or Shine! We'll be in an air-conditioned building with restrooms.
Food features Hamburgers, Hot Dogs, Chicken, Salads, Cookies, Dessert.
Children permitted – an adult must accompany those under 18 years of age.
Ohio river views, active rail line, walking trail and children's playground.
No refunds after June 1, unless entire event cancelled by Division 7.
Cincinnati Division 7 reserves the right to modify or cancel this event.
This event will be operated under all local, state and federal health
guidelines in effect at that time – Face masks are currently optional.

Picnic Reservation Form - Please cut off and mail with payment before June 1, 2024

Div. 7 Member Name(s) _____

Address _____ City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Home Phone _____ Cell _____ Email _____

Number of Adults: _____ X \$10 fee = \$ _____
Number of Children: _____ X \$10 fee = \$ _____
Total submitted: \$ _____

Send completed form & payment to:
Roy Hord
6526 Hollowview Ct.
Hamilton, Ohio 45011

Check # _____ (Make Checks Payable to "Cincinnati Division 7, MCR, NMRA")

Credit Card: Visa _____ MasterCard _____ Card # _____ - _____ - _____ - _____
Expiration Date: (MM/YY) _____ / _____ CVV: _____ Billing Zip Code: _____

Further info: <https://cincy-div7.org/local-events> or email rhord@fuse.net

DIVISION 7 - SPRING FLEA MARKET



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Photos by Sam Parfitt

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.
	Life-Like Reading 100-ton open hopper wi/Hyatt trucks. #41442 RTR (2 cars). Retail: \$7.00 each	\$7/pair	Jim MacKnight	jimmack6@hotmail.com	298-Jun 24
	IHC Western & Atlantic 30' DS wood Box car kit, # 12220X (MOW gray). Retail: \$10.98	\$8	Jim MacKnight	jimmack6@hotmail.com	299-Jun 24
	Bethlehem Car WM 79' Heavy-weight coach kit w/brass sides, decals 825-839. Retail: \$59.95	\$40	Jim MacKnight	jimmack6@hotmail.com	300-Jun 24
	Con-Cor 85' Southern SL coach, corrugated sides, silver, #815, RTR. Retail: \$13.98	\$10	Jim MacKnight	jimmack6@hotmail.com	301-Jun 24
	Pacific Mtn Scale Shops B&O I-5 caboose craftsman kit w/ Bettendorf trucks. Retail: \$49.50	\$35	Jim MacKnight	jimmack6@hotmail.com	302-Jun 24
	Smoky Mtn Model Works L&N NE-class 8-window caboose craftsman kit. Retail: \$39.00	\$29	Jim MacKnight	jimmack6@hotmail.com	303-Jun 24
	American Model Builders 2-story farmhouse, laser-cut basswood. Retail: \$42.95	\$25	Jim MacKnight	jimmack6@hotmail.com	304-Jun 24
	PRR Adlake-Kero, Model 300, railroad lantern, 3-1/4" fluted red globe. Good condition. Retail:	\$75	Jim MacKnight	jimmack6@hotmail.com	305-Jun 24
	McKean V&O Greenville 12-panel 3-bay open hopper, black #16278, built/weathered by Allen McClelland.	make offer	Jim MacKnight	jimmack6@hotmail.com	306-Jun 24

Cincinnati Division 7 N.M.R.A. - 2024 Program Schedule

See website for most recent [printable landscape PDF](#). Dates, times and events can change. Most meetings begin at 2:00 PM

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 + Bob Chapman
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 + Keith Corman
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)	Phil Gliebe – "Small Shelf Layouts for Operating Fun"	Model & Photo: Steam Locomotive	Ed Swain + Patrick Stanley
May	Sun, May 5 (note date)	Central – Norwood Community Center in Norwood, Ohio	Rick Lach "The Life and Carvings of Ernest Warther"	Model & Photo: Non-Steam Locomotive	Cinti Model Ry Club + Dan Hadley
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	Bo Sis + Bob Kress
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	Matt & Debie Snell + Mark & Gaye Salisbury
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	Bill Doll + another tbd
Oct	Sun, Oct 6 (note date)	Central – Norwood Community Center in Norwood, Ohio	Terry Luginbuhl "Programming DCC Locos"	Model & Photo: Maintenance-of-Way (MOW) Equipment	tbd
Oct	Sat 12 & Sun 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	Chuck Endreola "Carved Foam Rock Scenery"	Model & Photo: Any Building or Bridge	Paul Maciulewicz + Mike Tener
Dec	Sun, Dec 8	East – Mt. Carmel American Legion Hall	Potluck Electronic Slides and Annual Snackfest Celebration	Model & Photo: Box, Stock or Refrigerator Car	Chuck Endreola + another tbd

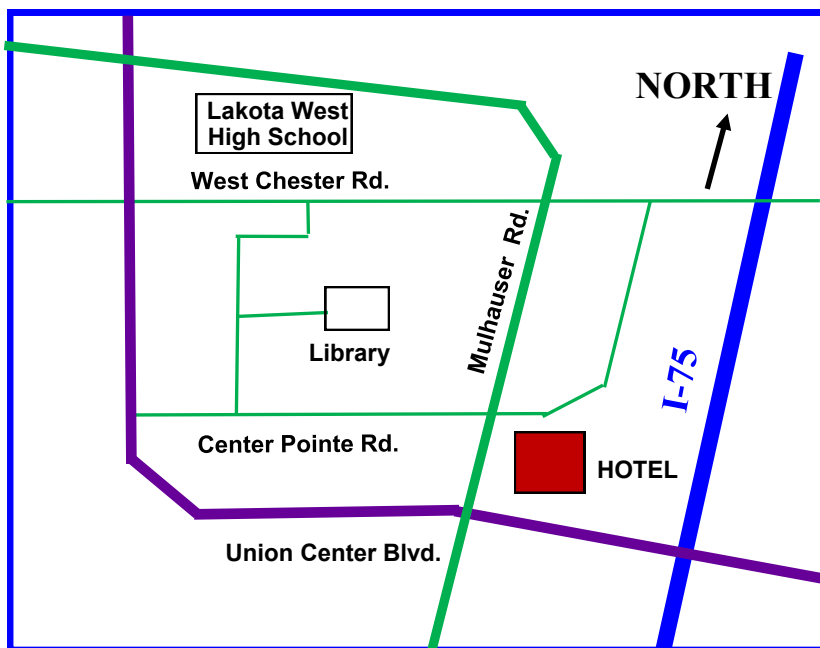
Next Meeting

2 PM Sunday April 14

Cincinnati Marriott North
6189 Mulhauser Rd.
West Chester 45069

Directions:

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



Coming Down the Line

Cincinnati Division 7, MCR, NMRA

2024 Schedule

NOTE: ALL REGULAR MEETINGS START AT 2 PM

(Unless otherwise notified)

<u>Date</u>	<u>Location</u>	<u>Program/Speaker</u>	<u>Layout Visits</u>	<u>Contest Topic</u>
4/14	Cinti. Marriott North Hotel West Chester OH	Phil Gliebe <i>Small Shelf Layouts for Operating Fun</i>	Ed Swain Patrick Stanley	<u>Models:</u> Steam Locomotive <u>Photos:</u> Steam Locomotive
5/5	Norwood Community Center Norwood OH	Rick Lach <i>The Life and Carvings of Ernest Warther</i>	Cinti. Model Railway Club Dan Hadley	<u>Models:</u> Non-Steam Loco <u>Photos:</u> Non-Steam Loco

6/9 NO REGULAR MEETING—Division 7 Family Picnic/Social at Fernbank Park, Sayler Park
1 to 5 PM

Note: Must be pre-registered to attend — see Registration Form on Page 14

Around the Division
2024
4/18 7:15 pm Lebanon Modelers - Lebanon OH

Region / National
2024
5/16-5/19, 2024 NMRA Mid-Central Region Convention,
North Coast Limited, Cleveland, OH.
8/4-8/11, 2024 NMRA National Convention,
Surfliner National at Long Beach, CA

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