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June/July 2026

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Congratulations

Sam and /Samantha Larsen



Engineers Dispatch

We have cut 4 corners, and 8 doubles. We still have 4 triples, 4 corners, 4 junctions, and 2 doubles to cut. Many of these will be showing up at the Lane County Fair. We will have two HO layouts at the Lane County Fair. Our ever present analog layout and our new digital table top layout.

Hoping to have at least one pair of junctions done for the fair. This will allow us to have 3 loops on the T-Trak layout. I will also be using 2 doubles to create a realignment in and out of a corner installed backwards. This will give us an “L” shaped layout.

We are counting on everyone to have their modules ready for the fair and we will schedule a time a week before the fair to set up tables in Udie’s garage so we can test the layout.

Summer is starting to really heat up as we continue to build, and detail our new modules.



Membership Matters

We have one new member and two reinstated members.

Welcome Pat Driscoll to our membership. Pat's interests are operations, research, Southern Pacific Railroad and the McCloud River Railroad.

Welcome back Patric Miller and Daniel Attebury. Both are excited to be rejoining our club and renewing friendships from before.

See you on June 13th, 2026 at our next meeting.

Gary Schwieger
Membership Chair

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Did you see the BNSF Executive Train?

It was in town for a couple of days before proceeding to it's next destination.



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The doubles are framed. The next step is put the tops on, then drill the legs and inset the feet.



Bucket of T-Trak legs



Framing Jig, Wood Glue, and Brad Nailer. The tools to get the job done.

Contest of the Month 2026

July– Logging Equipment, Fire fighting

August– Short Train, not to exceed
5 pieces

September– Boxcar

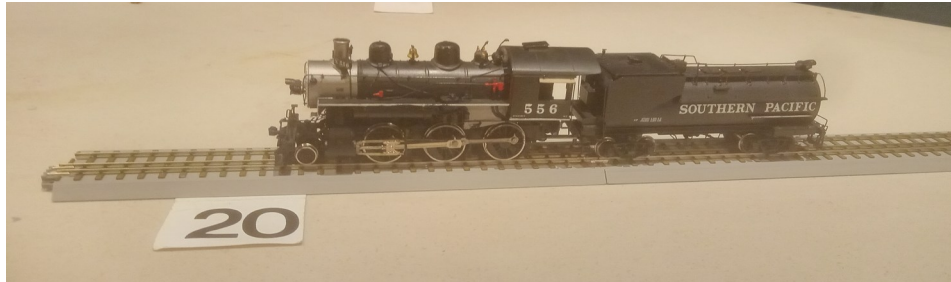
October– Wood Products car or
load with name

November– Steam Engine over 6
Drivers

December– Gondola or open top
hopper with load

*The winner of the model of the
Month contest receives a \$5 bill
or a \$10 gift card for Eugene Toy
and Hobby*

June– Steam Engine with 6 Drivers or less



This year, Dale and Linda will be celebrating their anniversary in France. We are planning to picnic at the Depot.

Willamette Cascade Model Railroad Club Says Thank You To:

Eugene Toy & Hobby
32 E 11th Ave. Eugene, OR 97401

www.eugenetoyandhobby.com (541) 344-2117

Thank You For All Of Your Support For Our Club!



Modular News

The Module Committee is continuing to work at Greg Kent's house to overhaul two of the 90 corners. They are meeting on Monday and Wednesday evenings from 6:00 to 9:00 PM and on Saturday afternoons.

Ball Park corner has received a massive rework to install a contiguous back track. The baseball diamond scene has been carefully removed and preserved. The mountain has been opened up revealing a pre-existing tunnel that will be used for the back track. Wiring for the module has been inspected, the barrier strips were found to be adequate for the load and the mainline buss is at full club specifications. A back track buss is being added. The parallel back track will also be wired so as to be useful.



Mining Camp corner is getting its back track installed as well. A wiring inspection revealed inadequate wire to carry the load. A new set of buss wires have been installed bring it up to snuff.

If you would like to help out, please call Greg Kent at 541-554-

6812. By assisting in the work, credits are earned towards run time at shows for those who are unable assist with regular set-up and tear-down.

Club Officials

Elected Officers:

President: [Walt Mulford](#)

Vice President: [Milton Campbell](#)

Senior Members at Large:

[Greg Kent](#), [Udie Bauer](#), [Sam Larsen](#)

Junior Member at Large: [Tyler Volpe](#)

Appointed Positions:

Modular Chair: [Noah Russell](#)

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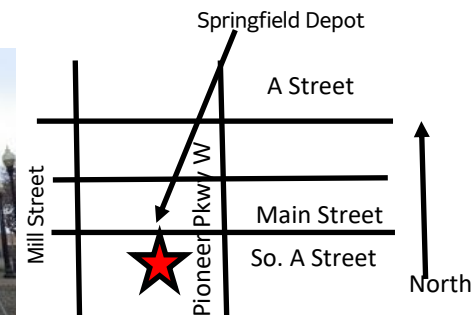
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Membership Chair: [Gary Schwieger](#)

Sergeant-at- Arms: [Hayden Northcutt](#)

Refreshment Chair: [Walt Mulford](#)

Prize Drawings: [Greg Kent](#)



Run Schedule-June 2026

July 11th Informal breakfast at Brails Cafe-1689 Willamette St, Eugene at the Corner of 17th & Willamette. Arrive by 9:00 a.m. everyone goes Dutch and buys their own breakfast. Afterwards go to Eugene Toy & Hobby, 32 East 11th and pick up a few items you may need for your modeling purposes, pay on lay a way etc.

July 11th WCMRRC Meeting **Springfield Depot**

July 20nd - 26th Lane County Fair and setup **Lane Events Center**

July 27th Lane County Fair pack up and drive to Benton County Fairgrounds for set-up **Lane Events Center - Benton County Fairgrounds**

July 29th– August 1st Benton County Fair **Corvallis Oregon**

August 8th WCMRRC Meeting **Springfield Depot**

September 12th WCMRRC PICNIC **To Be Determined**

October 10th WCMRRC Meeting **Springfield Depot**

November 14th WCMRRC Meeting **Springfield Depot**

December 12th WCMRRC Christmas Party **Springfield Depot**



Springfield
CHAMBER

Thank you to the Springfield Chamber of Commerce for the use of the Springfield Depot for our meetings.



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