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# The New Desert Dispatch

## Timetable

**ARHS Tempe Museum  
Work Sessions**

**Monday & Wednesday**

9:00am 4:00pm

Tempe Museum

2530 S. Rural Rd.

Tempe, AZ

## 2025 Events

**Hobbyist Train Show**

**1st Sat. of the month**

7am - 9:45 am

1764 W. Broadway Rd.

Mesa, AZ

**Adobe Mt. Train Show**

**Saturday Oct. 25, 2025**

9am - 1pm

Adobe Mt. RR Park

22822 N 43rd Ave.

Phoenix, AZ 85302

**ARHS Fall Swap Meet**

**Saturday Nov. 8, 2025,**

9am - 1pm

Glendale Christ. Church



## From the President's Business Car.

By Craig Faris, President ARHS

Hello again ARHS! We continue to make great strides in our layout project. A couple of weeks ago, Jesse challenged us to get a train running around the main or "bench top" level by Christmas. We thought that was an ambitious goal, however our group simply responded. The required bench work has already been completed, Jesse is close to getting the bridge engineered. Electrical in the Helix Approach is well under way, the bridge over the Colorado by Yuma is in, and track work between the Helix and Tempe will start soon. This group just might beat Jesse's goal and get the train running by Thanksgiving. I know I say this almost every newsletter, and it may be getting old, but I am continuously amazed by the dedication and talent of our organization. We also just had our annual ARHS dinner. It was held at My Mothers, no not at mom's retirement home, but the restaurant. The food was very good, and a good time was had by all. This year's TOBODA winner was not present, but when Ray