

# PEDDLER FREIGHT

**Divison 1 - MCR - NMRA** 

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## Superintendent's Bulletin



Hello and welcome back. I hope everyone had a nice summer break and spent time doing something that was fun, relaxing and helped energize you. When I say I'm very happy to be back with you I mean that in the literal sense. Friday, July 13th proved to be a life altering day for me personally. To make a long story short my heart stopped twice and I now

have a pacemaker. There was no indication of a pending problem and there is no indication of any residual damage. I would not be here today if my beautiful wife Doris, a nurse, had not been with me the first time my heart stopped. My "Command Control" just shorted out is the best way I can explain it. The good from all this is I'm very, very thankful to be here and I have a better appreciation for being here with my family and friends. To you my model railroad family I look forward to enjoying our hobby together and putting on a great 2019 MCR Convention, The Bullet.

It's now time to "notch" up our convention efforts. Clinics, prototype tours, non-rail tours are starting to come together. The Convention Committee has been working very hard, but to make this convention work we need the members of Division 1 to volunteer their time to help spread out the work load. Thank you Derek Shoup for being the first volunteer. Others in the Mid Central Region are very impressed with Division 1 and asked us to host a convention. We were also asked to help with the National Convention and our Division stepped forward and did a fantastic job. We would have not been asked to do both National and Regional conventions if others had not seen what a good Division we are. Please take time to read David Hazlett's article about our Division's history and why we need volunteers for the 2019 Regional Convention in this issue of the Peddler Freight. We are going to have a lot of fun so please come join in.

Starting this month we will change the order in which we conduct our monthly events. We'll start out with a clinic when available and move through Bring-N-Brag, upcoming events, the convention report and then finish up with our business meeting. Committee reports will be published in the Peddler Freight and only additional information or corrections may be discussed in the business meeting. September's contest is gondola or flatcar with load so get your entries ready. Also, bring something for Bring-N-Brag. I will be hosting our September event and will provide the food and drink. The railroad will be open at 1 PM with the event starting at the usual time of 2 PM. I look forward to seeing everyone.

All Aboard!! Jim DiPaola, Superintendent NMRA, MCR, Division 1

## **Layout Tours**

Another RR season is upon us. Over my busy summer I was able to escape to work on my RR in a nice cool basement and also managed to contact two new layouts for the regional: CVT and Chuck Rheutan. The CVT has not yet committed but Chuck will host two layouts: HO and Garden RR. I'd love to tell you more but have yet to visit his home. See a layout especially around the Boardman area that might be of interest? Please, let me know. Finally, just a reminder, this year we will not have our annual Spring Layout Tour because of the regional.

- Next event - The Bullet Regional 2018 - Operating layouts - Thursday, May 2

- Self-guide tour - Sunday, May 5

Jim Peters, Layout Chair

### 2018 - 2019 Division 1 Events

September 16 - Jim DiPaola, Ravenna October 21 - Sam Eisele, Mantua November 18 - TBA December 16 - Christmas Luncheon January 20 - Kent Free Library February 17 - Kent Free Library March 17 - TBA April 28 - TBA May 2019 - MCR Convention - No Event June 9 - Bob Ashley, Jr., Green

Interested in hosting a meeting? Contact any Division 1 officer. Division 1, MCR, NMRA Minutes June 24, 2018 Bob Ashley, Jr., Akron, Ohio

- **Welcome:** The business meeting was called to order at 2:00 pm by Superintendent Jim DiPaola. L.
  - A. Guests: Joe Filipiak and Mike Radca from Division-4.
  - B. New Members: Joe Brown who has a free-lance HO railroad.
  - The clinic for today's meeting is on scratch building a kiln for the brick industry to be put on by Joe Filipiak, assisted C. by Mike Radca from Division-4.
  - D. No contest for this meeting. The contest awards will be made in September.
- Minutes: A motion was made to accept the minutes for the May 2018 meeting as recorded in the Peddler Freight. The motion Ш was seconded and passed.
- III. Treasurer's Report: The report was given by Treasurer Mike Bradley. A motion was made and seconded to accept the May 2018 Treasurer's report subject to audit. The motion passed.

#### IV. Committee Reports:

- A. AP/Clinics Lloyd Horst is taking over the chairmanship for the AP program from Jim Peters. Jim Peters reported that Steve Zapytowski will be receiving his Master Builder, Structures, achievement award. We still need a chair for the clinic committee. Jim DiPaola will have the screen and projector until a new chair comes forward.
- B. Peddler Freight Bruce Hukill was not present to report.
- C. Membership Joe Urbanski reported that we have 97 members. Joe will be grouping the "ghost members" by city and calling them to see if he can get them to participate. He pointed out that Division-5 has 76 members and puts on the Lakeland train shows; so, we should be able to handle the 2019 convention.
- D. Modules Bob Ashley Sr. reported that there would be only N-scale modules at the Stark County Fair this year since they allocated the space the HO modules had last year to the school system.
- E. <u>Website</u> Our website is up and running. <u>http://www.div1-mcr-nmra.org/</u>. Steve Zapytowski is managing the web page. If you want photos of your layout added to the website, please see Steve. You can link to the convention website from the division site.
- F. Upcoming Events please see the Peddler Freight and the website.
  - Steel Mill Modelers: Kent, July 12-14. 1.
  - 2. NMRA: The national convention is in Kansas City. August 5-12, 2018.
  - Berea Train Show: October 6-7 3.
    - Mt. Hope Train Show: November 3, 2018 and March 23, 2019

#### V. Division 1 Events:

A .2018-2019

- 1. We need hosts/meeting places for the next season
- Jim DiPaola and Mike Bradley passed out 3x5 cards to everyone asking that we each state where we 2. want to meet (homes, libraries, etc.) and what we would like the clinics to be on. 3.
  - The group voted to hold the Christmas lunch at the Hartville Kitchen on December 15, 2018.

#### VI. Bring-n-Brag:

- A. Mike Bradley showed the group some trucks from Truck World that were created on a 3-D printer and could be bought for \$27 each.
- B. Sam Eisele showed us how he makes HO produce crates using tags from fruit and other produce.
- C. Rick Ramskugler stated that an Illinois group invited us to visit layouts and museums in Union, Illinois. It would be an over-night trip on a Saturday and Sunday and we could also Railfan in Rochelle, Illinois.
- D. Frank Williamson told the group about the Corner Field O-scale model railroad and museum in Middlefield, Ohio. It has 2,800 feet of track and a lot of animation. Frank passed out business cards for the site.

#### VII. Old Business:

A. 2018 Convention:

4.

- Jim DiPaola reported that they had met with representatives from the hotel and Youngstown 1.
  - Convention and Visitors Bureau to firm up the rooms we will be using.
- 2. Modules are now allowed in the regional modelling contest.
- 3. The committee also learned that the Warner Brothers were from Youngstown and had built a movie theater there. It has been refurbished and might be a good non-rail tour site.

#### VIII. New Business:

- A. Next year the order of the meetings will be changed
  - The clinic will be first followed by the business meeting 1.
  - All committee reports including the Treasurer's Report will be published in the Peddler Freight and 2. only exceptions to these reports will be presented during the meeting.
  - 3. The convention meeting will be a part of the regular monthly meeting since this is a Division-1 effort.
  - Bob Ashley, Sr. pointed out that a reminder needs to be e-mailed several days before the Peddler 4 Freight is to be published to make sure these reports are submitted in time.

#### IX. Good of the Order

A. None

#### 24 people attended.

A motion was made and seconded to adjourn the meeting. The motion passed. The business meeting adjourned at 2:45 pm.

Respectively submitted, Jim Williams, Clerk

#### AC&Y Bullet 2019 MCR Convention

#### June 10, 2018, Ravenna Township Offices, Ohio

Attendance: Jim Williams, Steve Zapytowski, Jim DiPaola, Michael Bradley, Jim Peters, David Hazlett, Randy Dettmer, Lloyd Horst, Sam Eisel, Rich Ramskugler

- 1. The meeting was called to order at 1:30 pm.
- 2. A motion was made to approve the minutes of the 04/15/18 meeting. It was seconded and passed. A motion was made to approve the minutes of the 05/12/18 meeting. It was seconded and passed.
- 3. Reports/updates
  - a. Cincinnati Express: They had a total attendance of 367. Mike Bradley has the AV equipment and photo contest easels. The missing remote will be delivered to Jim and Steve at the fall BOD meeting. We also purchased a printer and ink cartridges from Division-7 for \$75. Steve has the MCR projector. Mike is storing the easels and the AV equipment. The Cincinnati convention did not have a silent auction but combined the white elephant sale and company store this saved manning and they used separate receipt books. They charged a 10% fee on <u>all</u> white elephant and company store sales which covered any credit card charges that might have occurred.
  - b. Mike Bradley reported that there is \$850.50 in the convention checking account and we have had our first registration income.
  - c. Randy Dettmer reported that we have 5 registrants so far four individuals and one family.
  - d. Steve reported that you can now reserve rooms, but you must call the hotel directly. The phone number is on the website and the registration sheet.
  - e. Jim DiPaola stated that he would arrange transportation once all the tours have been firmed up.
  - f. Steve passed around the volunteer spreadsheet that was used for the Cincinnati convention. They had 50 volunteers plus the committee members. Division-4 said they would help us; but if they do, we will need to split the profits with them based on head-count.
  - g. Volunteers are needed in the following areas:
    - i. White elephant sale and company store
    - ii. Raffle
    - iii. Registration and tour help and tour desk
    - iv. Contest room this is judged by regional people
    - v. Non-rail clinics
    - vi. Portable layouts
    - vii. Hospitality
    - viii. Audio visual
    - ix. Volunteer coordinator
  - h. The Kingpin deadline for the convention issue is December 1, 2018.
- 4. Other
  - a. Incorporation of convention meeting into division meeting since the convention is a division effort:
    - i. Start in September
    - ii. Want to try to get more railroading into our division meetings
      - 1. Committee reports only on items that did not appear in the Peddler Freight
      - 2. Meetings at sites with railroads
- 5. Circle Back
  - a. David Hazlett has written a history of his work in the division and the progress we have made as a group. It will appear in the September <u>Peddler Freight</u>.
  - b. Our division needs 2 things: (1) new members and (2) help with the convention.
- 6. Next meeting
  - a. Sunday, September 9<sup>th</sup> at 1:30, Ravenna Township Offices. The second meeting each month starting in September will be a part of the regular meeting
- 7. Adjournment 2:40pm

Respectively submitted, Jim Williams

## **HISTORY AND WHY WE NEED CONVENTION VOLUNTEERS FOR 2019**

By David Hazlett

For those members who don't know my Division 1 history, I was Superintendent from May 2005 through May 2010. I obtained the position due to the death of Superintendent Barney Gaskill. I had volunteered to be his assistant-superintendent in September 2004 as no other member had come forward to run for the position in May 2004. I had just rejoined NMRA in late April after being a member in the early 1970's. I had quit the NMRA after a year because I was never contacted by Division 1.

Division 1 was not in good shape then or at the start of the 2004-2005 meeting year. Attendance at meetings was 6-7 members. Barney had many ideas for rejuvenating Division 1, but his passing didn't allow time for him to put many of his plans into action. He wanted <u>ALL</u> members to receive the PEDDLER FREIGHT all of the time. His wish was carried out and is continuing today. At the Regional Convention in 2005, I was told the public perception of the quality of Division 1: worthless, dead and dying. It was considered the worst division in the Region.

### WE HAVE COME A LONG WAY IN THE LAST 13 YEARS!

Before I left office in 2010, we had gotten the status of a corporation under Ohio State Law. Our next Superintendent was Ron Wigal. Ron had to move out of the state, so Randy Dettmer became our Superintendent in December of 2010. During Randy's term in office, we participated in the NMRA National Convention in 2014. We also obtained the 501(c)(3) status as a tax-exempt corporation with the Federal Government.

Now our Superintendent, Jim DiPaola, and our Assistant-Superintendent, Steve Zapytowski, are leading us in hosting the 2019 REGIONAL CONVENTION.

### THIS IS WHERE YOU CAN HELP!

NONE of the improvements in Division 1 have come about by the individual efforts of these named people. The improvements in Division 1 have come about by the help of many members holding elected and appointed positions. Many improvements have come about ONLY because YOU, THE MEMBERSHIP OF DIVISION 1, have supported the leadership! We now need you to volunteer to help make the 2019 Convention a SUCCESS! Most leadership positions are filled and are moving ahead. Volunteers -YOU - are needed to support these men and women. We need to be able to count on you for support.

We need to make sure that the 2019 Convention is successful, because the 2005 opinions concerning Division 1 are still out there! Not just in the Region, but within our own Division! We need to show that Division 1 has become the kind of Division you want to belong to.

To run our convention, The Bullet 2019, we need a minimum of 50 volunteers beyond the core group that currently comprises the convention committee. So, Division 1 asks two things of you: **volunteer to help at the 2019 Convention** and, if you know a former member, drag him or her to a meeting so they can see for themselves a rejuvenated Division 1.

### **DIVISION 1 - A DIVISION TO BE PROUD OF!**

## **Module Group**

We operated at the Stark County Fair, again, from August 28, through Labor Day, September 3, 2018, 9 days total including set up. We set up at the south end of the Exhibition building in an area that was 39' between the handrails of the pedestrian ramps leading to the Midway and the parking lot. We were able to move further from the wall to squeeze in our 39' HO layout. That allowed us to squeeze past the handrails and get behind the layout so we could operate.

The NTRAK modules were set up in front of us and surrounded a support beam. In between the two layouts were the tables for our literature and a large bench seat for public relaxation. The bench seat was very popular because we had a fan blowing across the viewers during the hottest days ever. Our new membership chairman, Joe Urbanski, provided some sorely needed publicity. He brought in a few new members for his effort.

It was a struggle, but we had just enough people to help run the layouts. Some of them were fair attendees and non-members who were able to come back and operate at different times. I, as well as Don Bonk on the n scale modules, put in many long, hot days, but the positive comments from the many fair attendees and the smiles on the faces of kids running the trains made it all worth while. (*Editor note - see page 8*) We have been requested to come back next year since we are so popular with the fair goers.

The next scheduled event will be in Mt. Hope, about 12 miles south of Dalton and near Berlin in Wayne county. This show is in our most southern Holmes County and is within our Division. We will be making a presence deep in Amish country and on a day that the Amish can attend. Last year, this was a great experience. It is the largest train show in Ohio with over 625 tables. The address is Mt. Hope Event Center, 8076 St. Rt. 241, Mt. Hope, OH 44660 (Millersburg, OH 44654 for some GPS), 1-330-262-7488. The Berlin Grande Hotel, 4787 Township Road, Berlin, OH 44610, 1-330-403-3050, has a block of rooms available at a special rate if you wish to spend the night. Mention "Jon Ulbright Train Show."

The show is scheduled for Saturday, November 3, 2018. We will set up on Friday, November 2. This will be difficult if you have a job. We will be relying on our retirees to do most of the work. We will be operating the HO modules, only. **Everyone should help operate the modules regardless of the scale you model. Be sure to come help us setup and operate the modules.** Plan to eat here because it will be catered by "Mrs. Yoder's Kitchen," the famous Amish restaurant.

**Everyone is a member of the Module Group.** We are educating the public about the enjoyment of model trains. We let them operate the trains and show them how our throttles work. This is what qualifies us to have a 501 (c)3 non-profit status. **Please, do your part and help.** 

Module Group members who have added scenery to their modules should apply for the "Golden Spike" Award. The scenery is the last thing we do to finish a module.

We are considering allowing parallel modules so more modules can be displayed without adding to our length. Adding to our width offers a better solution. More on this later.

Those of you who want a module; you need to contact me so I can order electrical components and more **lumber. See my email and phone numbers below.** We will schedule a date to build the module(s). The final price will be around \$110.00 for the kit. Those who build a 4' x 2' module with scenery, which is eight square feet minimum, can apply for the "Golden Spike" and other AP awards.

We are always looking for venues where we can display and operate our modules. We can be an added attraction for many events, i.e., Railroad Days, shows at event centers, library historical programs, student events, etc. Please call me or any Module Group member if you think you have a lead and make sure the event coordinator is aware of your concern.

The Division portion of the 50-50 raffle is placed in the module fund. This fund is shared with the HO and NTRAK groups as needed for division owned equipment. Privately owned modules and equipment are the responsibility of the owner. All request for funds are to be presented to the Module Chairman.

Let's try to be generous and spend \$5.00 for six 50-50 raffle tickets instead of \$1.00 for one ticket. Your generosity in funding the Division 1 Module Group is appreciated. Many of our new members joined at the shows.

Bob Ashley, Sr., Module Chairman, 330-644-4778 or rashleysr@msn.com HO, N & Z scales Jim Williams, Asst. Module Chairman, 330-966-5477 or jamestwilliams46@yahoo.com HO & N scales Don Bonk, NTRAK, 330-418-6860 or donaldbonk@gmail.com N scale

## **N-SCALE REPORT**

In June Carol and I attended the N - Scale National Convention in Salt Lake City sponsored by the N - Scale Enthusiast. The Convention generally follows the usual format, but the big draw is the special cars for sale and vendors announcement of new products, so the focus will mainly be on cars descriptions.



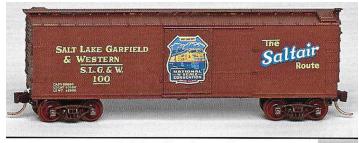
The big event was the Golden Spike reenactment.



The Bee in the Box Car was a big hit at the Stark county Fair.



This car caused comment at the fair from the older attendees.



2017 Author Car

Those who contribute to the Enthusiast magazine or gave clinics in 2017 received the author car.



The Convention Car is a honey comb in a tank car since Utah is the bee hive state. Eveyone who attends the banquet receives one.



Really! - I won Gafftiti Cars?



Salt Lake City clubs sponsor a program with kids building Pizza Box layouts to encourage future modelers.



This was the most popular layout for many of female attendees.



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Both the HO and N scale module layouts were on display at the Stark County Fair. Many hours were put in by Don Bonk (n scale) and Bob Ashley Sr. (HO scale), as well as other Div. 1 members. This public display effort helps Division 1 maintain its non-profit status.

(right) A young railfan uses one of the Division 1 throttles to operate a long passenger train on the n scale layout. (below) Bob Ashley, Sr. shares stories with an older railfan.





## **Regional Positions Open**

The following MCR Board of Directors positions are open for election in 2019:

-President -Vice-President -Secretary -Treasurer

The current vice-president is term limited and is ineligible to be a candidate for that position in the 2019 election. The current president, secretary and treasurer are eligible to be candidates for their current positions in the 2019 election. Any MCR member in good standing who wishes to be considered for candidacy for one of these positions should send a notice of their interest to:

nominations@midcentral-region-nmra.org

Thank You.

MCR 2019 election Nominating Committee Bob Shreve Bob Belt Jim DiPaola

## **Layout Tours**

## Next event - The Bullet Regional 2019

- Operating Layouts Thursday, May 2
- Self-guided tour Sunday, May 5

### PEDDLER FREIGHT SUBSCRIPTION FORM

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### THIS MONTH'S MEETING Sunday, September 16, 2018 Host - Jim DiPaola 3201 Summit Road Ravenna, OH 44266 2 PM

Jim will provide snacks and beverages. There should be plenty of room to park on the driveway and grass if the weather is dry. If it rains, please park on Westwood Drive which runs beside the driveway.

Jim's layout will be open for viewing beginning at 1:00 PM. Come early and run some trains!

### There will be a flea market at this meeting.



### **DIVISION 1 CONTEST - Final Standings for 2017-2018**

#### STANDARD KIT

Bruce Hukill - 9 pts (1st) Don Bonk - 7 pts (2nd) Sam Eisele - 5 pts (3rd) Matt Woods - 4 pts Jim Williams - 4 pts Lloyd Horst - 3 pts Kurt Sanders - 3 pts

#### KIT - BASHED

Sam Eisele - 5 pts (1st) Matt Woods - 4 pts (2nd/tie) Chuck Altwies - 4 pts (2nd/tie) Jim Williams - 4 pts (2nd/tie) Bruce Hukill - 3 pts (3rd/tie) Lloyd Horst - 3 pts (3rd/tie) Kurt Sanders - 3 pts (3rd/tie)

#### **CRAFTSMAN KIT**

Don Bonk - 9 pts (1st) Matt Woods - 6 pts (2nd) Gary Kohler - 4 pts (3rd) Sam Eisele - 3 pts Bruce Hukill - 3 pts Jim Williams - 2 pts

#### **SCRATCH BUILT**

Sam Eisele - 13 pts (1st/tie) Matt Woods - 13 pts (1st/tie) Bruce Hukill - 5 pts (2nd) Don Bonk - 4 pts (3rd) Frank Williamson - 2 pts Gary Kohler - 2 pts Bob Ashley, Jr. - 1 pt

### **Achievement Program**

As the new Achievement Program chair I would like to encourage everyone to work toward their Golden Spike Award. If you already have your Golden Spike, please look at the various categories in the NMRA Achievement Program. Please feel free to talk to me at any of the Divsion 1 events or give me a call at (330) 465-7402. Thank you.

Lloyd Horst, AP Chair

Lloyd Horst is the new Achievement Program chair. He will be taking over for Jim Peters who is concentrating his efforts on his continuing role as Layout Tour chair. Thank you Jim for the years of service as AP chair. - *editor* 

### NMRA MCR DIVISION 1 2018 - 2019 MODEL CONTEST TOPICS Co-Contest Chairs: Matt Woods & Lloyd Horst

September Gondola or flatcar with load

October Rail trucks or M.O.W. vehicles

**November** 40' or under wooden boxcars

December (No contest)

January Transfer or work cabooses

February Upgraded or re-worked flea market find

#### March

Prototype photos (categories will be modern, excursions, structures, vintage)

**April** Baggage cars, R.P.O.'s or combines

#### May

One square foot diorama of offline scene (industrial, residential, school, church, etc.) (limited to 12" x 12" square)

June (No contest)

## **THE BULLET - 2019 MCR Convention News**

Going forward each issue of the Peddler Freight will contain information about *The Bullet*. This is the name of the 2019 MCR Regional Convention, sponsored by our division. This will take place May 2 - 5, 2019 at the Boardman Holiday Inn.

According to *Akron, Canton & Youngstown and Akron & Barberton Belt* book, "the Delphos Bullet" was a mixed train that "symbolized welcomed events for the rural Ohio communities from Delphos to Akron. Orgainizational meetings have begun and all are welcomed to attend. **Volunteers are needed**. Let's all pitch in to make "The Bullet" a great convention.

The minutes from the June 10th meeting are on page 3. The convention planning schedule is:

The Bullet 2019

Click logo to link to The Bullet webpage

September 16, 2018 1:30 PM Immediately after the regular Division event at Jim DiPaola's house.

## The Bullet 2019 MCR Convention Quick News



The 2019 Bullet Convention Committee has been hard at work. The website is <u>https://www.div1-mcr-nmra.org/the-acy-bullet-2019</u>. The trifold (click left) has been printed. Pens and notepads were distributed at the MCR convention in Cincinnati. Shirts have been spotted on Div. 1 members. Layouts are being lined up for self-guided tours and operating sessions. Historical and prototype tours are falling in place. Volunteers are still needed. The next planning meeting is September 16. (see page 10)

## **Train Shows and Open Houses**

#### 17th Annual Fostoria Rail Festival - Sept. 22

Fostoria Junior/Senior High School 1001 Park Avenue, Fostoria, OH 44830 Admission \$4.00, Children under 10 FREE 10 AM - 4 PM

#### Canfield Toy and Train Show - Sept. 22

CANFIELD FAIRGROUNDS 7265 Columbiana - Canfield Road, Canfield 44406 Admission \$5.00, Children under 12 FREE 10 AM - 3 PM

#### The Great Berea Train Show - Oct. 6 - 7

Cuyahoga County Fairgrounds 19201 E. Bagley Road Middleburg Heights, Ohio, OH 44130 Admission \$8.00, Children under 16 free with paid adult. Special 2-day pass is \$10.00 10 AM - 4 PM

#### Mt. Hope Train and Toy Show - Nov. 3

8076 State Route 241 (If using GPS: 8076 State Route 241, Millersburg, OH 44654) Mt. Hope, OH 44660 Admission \$5.00, Children under 13 free 10 AM - 4 PM

#### How To's" of Building a Model Railroad - Nov. 3

Model Railroad, Operating Exhibit, Workshops and Clinics Lakeland Community College 7700 Clocktower Drive Kirkland 44094 Admission \$4.00, FREE 9 AM - 2 PM

#### Dayton Train Show - Nov. 3 - 4

The new Montgomery County Fairgrounds 645 Infirmary Road Dayton, Ohio, OH 45440 Sat Nov 3 at 11am-5pm; Sun Nov 4 at 11am-4pm Admission \$7.00, Children under 13 free Sat Nov 3, 11 AM - 5 PM; Sun Nov, 11 AM - 4 PM



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