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Superintendent's Bulletin



A requirement of our non-profit status is education. Our module group does an excellent job of doing that with their operating set ups at fairs and various model railroad events. In order to help with that education process, we ourselves must seek out what is going on in the world of model railroading so we can better educate the public.

A new concept in model railroading is T-Trak Modules. T-Trak is N Scale modular railroading. The basic module is 12 1/8" x 14" x 2 3/4" high. There are minimal standards and the modules are designed to be set up on table tops but any flat surface will work according to the T-trak website www.t-trak.org. Our 2019 Bullet Convention Committee is working on having a T-Trak module display. To give us a better insight into T-Trak, Bruce DeMaeyer, Division 10, will be the clinic speaker at our October 21st event at Sam Eisele's home in Mantua. Bruce has a power point presentation and there will be a time for questions. Bruce will be flying in so he won't be able to bring a T-Trak module with him.

By the time you read this edition of the Peddler Freight the Great Berea Train Show will be history and the train show season will have begun. Make your lists and get ready to do some bargain hunting or pick up the latest release. Check out the train show list in this edition of the Peddler Freight. Make sure to get to the Mt. Hope show if possible. There will be over 600 tables and our module group will be set up. Come find something from your "must have" list and run a train. It doesn't get any better than that!

Earlier this year I passed out 3x5 cards and asked for your input for places to meet and clinic topics. I thank those members that took the time to fill out the cards. We're working on finding some new locations for our events. As for clinics, some suggested topics are scenery, DCC & LCC wiring, weathering, CAD layout design, kitbashing, scratch building and car loads.

This month's contest is Rail Trucks or M.O.W. Bring your models and show what you've built. Also remember your Bring-N-Brag items.

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

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 Division 1 events or give me a call at (330) 465-7402.

Thank you,

Lloyd Horst
AP Chair

Layout Tours

Next Event - **The Bullet Regional 2019**

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

Need more information, contact

Jim Peters
Layout Chair

2018 - 2019 Division 1 Events

- October 21 - Sam Eisele, Mantua
- November 18 - TBA
- December 16 - Christmas Luncheon
- January 20 - Kent Free Library
- February 17 - Kent Free Library
- March 17 - Jim/Luana Peters, Sagamore Hills
- 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.

AC&Y Bullet 2019 MCR Convention
September 9, 2018, Ravenna Township Offices, Ohio

Attendance: Jim Williams, Steve Zapytowski, Jim DiPaola, Jim Peters, David Hazlett, Randy Dettmer, Lloyd Horst, Sam Eisele, Bob Ashley Jr., Dave Williams, Gary Kohler, Steve Skadzinsky, Luana Peters, Doris DiPaola

- 1) The meeting was called to order at 1:30 pm.
- 2) Steve Zapytowski reviewed what had taken place over the summer
 - a) Met with hotel and with the Visitors Bureau personnel
 - b) Worked on a list of places to visit
 - c) Obtained literature on the Youngstown area
 - d) The Visitors Bureau will supply bags for attendees
 - e) Made the hotel food staff aware that there would be crunch times that would require fast service
 - i) Will allow ½ hour between clinics
 - ii) Will allow 1 ½ hours for lunch
 - iii) Will allow 2 hours for dinner
- 3) Non-Rail activities (Luana Peters and Doris DiPaola)
 - i) Butler Art Museum
 - ii) Wine Tour
 - iii) Warner Brothers museum
 - iv) Cooking demo by Sam Eisele
- 4) Hotel Layout
 - i) Copies of a diagram were passed out
 - ii) Copley Room – contest room
 - iii) Ballroom – module setup and vendors
 - iv) Hotel lobby – registration and locus of operations (registration will start at Noon on 5/2)
 - v) Greenwich Room – hospitality room and locus of non-rail activities
- 5) Clinics (Jim DiPaola)
 - a) ½ hour between clinics
 - b) Will start at 8am
- 6) Registration (Randy Dettmer)
 - a) Has 3 registrations
 - b) We need to start promoting the convention
 - c) Flyers at train shows – Jim DiPaola, Mike Bradley, Jim Peters
 - d) Vendors – 2 so far: Portage Locomotive Works, CMR
- 7) Modeling contest
 - a) Modules will be allowed in the competition
 - b) Judging will be Saturday morning
 - c) Judging for modules will be on Friday evening since the Ballroom need to be cleared for the banquet preparation by 2pm on Saturday
- 8) Other items
 - a) The deadline for the Fall KingPin is October and Steve will submit an article
 - b) Need for everyone to submit in writing info on tours and layouts
 - c) Bob Ashley, Jr stated that the Lionel Train Museum in Middlefield is worthy of a tour
 - d) We will start our new division meeting agenda format this month that will include a convention section
 - e) Luana Peters volunteered to be the volunteer coordinator
 - f) Steve Skodzinsky volunteered to be the audio/visual coordinator
 - i) All presenters will bring their presentations on a flash drive

- 9) Steve submitted a list of fall tasks that needed to be addressed
 - a) Nail down prototype tours, written descriptions – costs
 - b) Non-rail tours, activities, written descriptions – costs
 - c) Rough in time table and its time slots and layout – add pages for clinician names
 - d) Recruit volunteers
 - e) Do new hotel layout and keep current
 - f) Need banquet general options by late Nov.
 - g) Transportation – bus company and costs
 - h) Give back page ad to 2020 MCR convention
 - i) Sell program ads
 - j) Finalize op sessions and tours – descriptions needed in writing
 - k) Paid clinics?
 - l) Recruit clinicians
 - m) Deadline for Kingpin Dec 1
 - n) Advise Holiday Inn about peak restaurant demand times
 - o) Need more volunteer – including arts & crafts judges
 - p) Publicize modules in contest
 - q) There is certainly more to worry about
 - r) Fall registration form

10) Volunteers

- i) **David Hazlett & Bob Ashley Jr.** - White elephant sale and company store
- ii) **Mike Bradley** - Raffle
- iii) **Jim Williams** - Registration and tour help and tour desk
- iv) **Lloyd Horst** - Contest room – this is judged by regional people
- v) **Doris DiPaola & Luana Peters** - Non-rail clinics
- vi) **Bob Ashley Sr** - Portable layouts
- vii) **Doris DiPaola** - Hospitality
- viii) **Steve Skodzinsky** - Audio visual
- ix) **Luana Peters** - Volunteer coordinator

b) The Kingpin deadline for the convention issue is December 1, 2018.

11) Next meeting

a) Sunday, September 16th, Jim DiPaola's, 2pm

12) Adjournment – 2:35pm

Respectively submitted,
Jim Williams

The Bullet

2019 MCR Convention Quick News

The 2019 Bullet Convention Committee has been hard at work. The website is <https://www.div1-mcr-nmra.org/the-acy-bullet-2019>. 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 October 21, 2019. (see page 11)



Division 1 membership as of September: 99

Welcome new members:	Tom Coffee, Salem Allison Haynes, Salem Ed Laskos, Atwater	Marie Shoup, Akron Scott Nevel, Youngstown
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Division 1, MCR, NMRA Minutes
September 16, 2018
Jim DiPaola's, Ravenna, Ohio

- 1) Welcome: The business meeting was called to order at 2:00 pm by Superintendent Jim DiPaola.
 - a) Guests: none present
 - b) Contest: gondola or flat car with load. October contest is rail trucks or MOW equipment
 - c) Clinic: none this meeting
- 2) Bring-n-Brag:
 - a) NMRA Convention:
 - i) Steve Zapytowski won 3rd place scratchbuilt structures
 - ii) Bruce Hukill won 1st place in color model pictures with a photo of Steve's sail company building
 - b) What we did over the summer
 - i) Don Bonk passed around a detailed model that he had purchased at the N-Scale National Convention in Salt Lake City
 - ii) Glen Yoder showed two cars and a locomotive from Scale Trains
 - iii) David Hazlett told the group about the ISE ProtoThrottle that he had purchased which replicates an EMD control stand. He said that an ESU controller needed to be programmed to ISE specs to take advantage all the special effects available.
 - c) 2017-2018 Contest awards: see September, 2018 Peddler Freight for results
 - d) Upcoming Events:
 - i) Division-1:
 - (1) Berea Train Show – October 6th & 7th
 - (2) Mt Hope Train Show – Saturday November 3rd and March 23, 2019
 - (3) Sir Roy's Toys – N-scale in-store module setup in November
 - ii) MCR: Convention in Boardman, OH May 2-5, 2019
 - iii) NMRA: National Convention, Salt Lake City, Utah July 7-13, 2019
 - e) Division Meetings:
 - i) October 21 – Sam Eisele, the neighbor to the East of his house will allow parking in his drive
 - ii) November 18 – Glenn Yoder
 - iii) Christmas Lunch Saturday December 16 – suggestions of Maize Valley and Smithville Barn
 - iv) January 20 – Kent Free Library
 - v) February 17 – Kent Free Library
 - vi) March 17 – TBA
 - vii) April 28 – TBA
 - viii) May – convention, no meeting
 - ix) June 9 – Bob Ashley, Jr
- 3) BULLET 2019 MCR Convention Update:
 - a) Pass-outs:
 - i) Hotel diagram
 - ii) Committee list of names and contacts info.
 - iii) Bullet meeting schedule
 - b) Early registration by 01/31/2019
 - c) Need 3 Arts & Crafts judges
 - d) Need volunteers for bag stuffing
 - e) Need suggestions for clinics – Don Bonk is the 1st to volunteer to put one on
 - f) Setup is Thurs AM May 2nd, teardown Sat AM
 - g) Need volunteers for modules
 - h) Cost: hotel – \$126.50/night incl tax, registration is \$85(early), \$25 for guest or family member
 - i) Volunteers – must register
- 4) Business Meeting
 - a) Minutes: A motion was made to accept the minutes for the June 2018 meeting as recorded in the Peddler Freight. The motion was seconded and passed.
 - b) Treasurer's Report: The report was given by Treasurer Mike Bradley. A motion was made and seconded to accept the June 2018 Treasurer's report subject to audit. The motion passed.
 - c) Committee Reports:
 - i) AP - Lloyd Horst - Steve Zapytowski has been awarded his MMR and is #612
 - ii) Clinics –We still need a chair for the clinic committee. Jim DiPaola has the screen and projector
 - iii) Peddler Freight – Bruce Hukill - no report.
 - iv) Membership - Joe Urbanski - no report
 - v) Modules – Bob Ashley Sr. - reported on the module setup at the Stark County Fair: they needed more volunteers, they should know sooner next year as to how much space they will be allotted
- 5) Old Business: none
- 6) New Business: none
 - a) Good of the Order: 50/50 drawing

28 people attended.

A motion was made and seconded to adjourn the meeting. The motion passed. The business meeting adjourned at 2:57 pm.

Respectively submitted,
Jim Williams, Clerk

Module Group

The Mid-Central Region "Bullet" Convention planning is beginning to shift gears and go into full swing. Please sign up for a volunteer position ASAP. There will also be a Module Group planning meeting for this May, 2019 event. More information will be in the next issue of the PF about the Module Group involvement. However, in the meantime we have four shows to set up and operate.

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 Holmes County, our most southern part of the 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), (330) 262-7488. The Berlin Grande Hotel, 4787 Township Road, Berlin, OH 44610, (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 Mt. Hope 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. Please mark your calendars and be sure to come help us set up and operate the modules. Plan to eat here, because it will be catered by "Mrs. Yoder's Kitchen," the famous Amish restaurant. This show will repeat on March 23, 2019.

The following two scheduled events will be the Youngstown Model Railroad Association Flea Market at Salem, OH, Sunday, January 13, 2019, at the CenterPlex Community Center, 1098 North Ellsworth Ave. This event will repeat on April 14, 2019. As before, we will set up at 1:00 PM, Saturday, January 12. The HO modules only will be operated. Everyone should help operate the modules regardless of the scale you model. Please mark your calendars and be sure to come help us set up and operate.

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. There will be more on this, later.

Those of you who want a module; 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

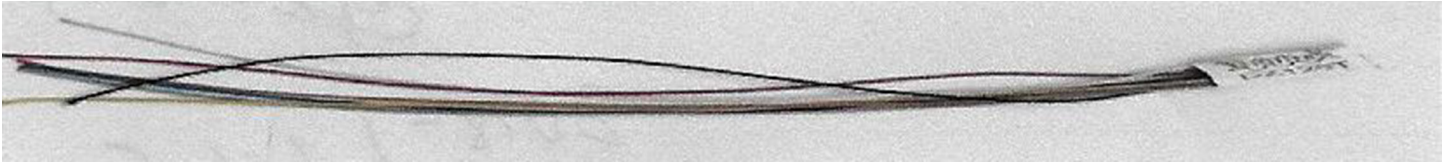
The Division portion of the 50-50 raffle is placed in the module fund. This fund is shared with the HO and Ntrak groups as needed for division owned equipment. Privately owned modules and equipment are the responsibility of the owner. All request for funds are to be presented to the Module Chairman.

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.

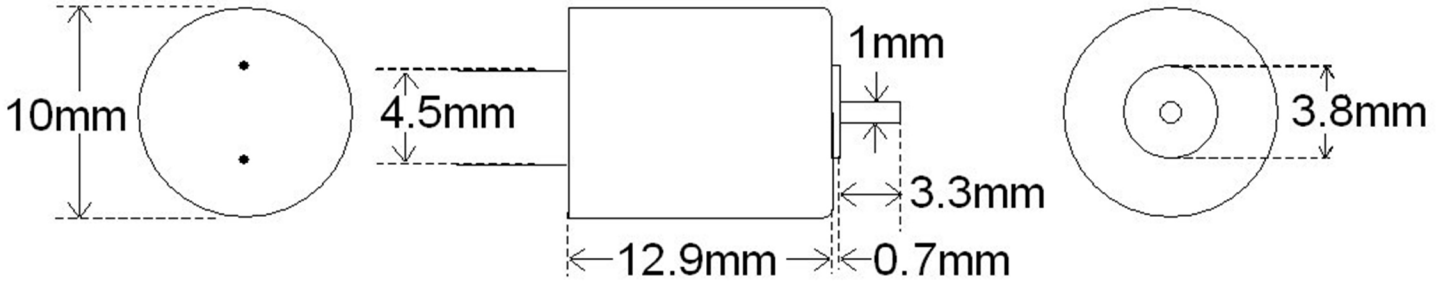
Bob Ashley, Sr., Module Chairman, 330-644-4778 or rashleysr@msn.com HO, N & Z scales
Jim Williams, Asst. Module Chairman, 330-966-5477 or jamestwilliams46@yahoo.com HO & N scales
Don Bonk, NTRAK, 330-418-6860 or donaldbonk@gmail.com N scale

N-SCALE REPORT

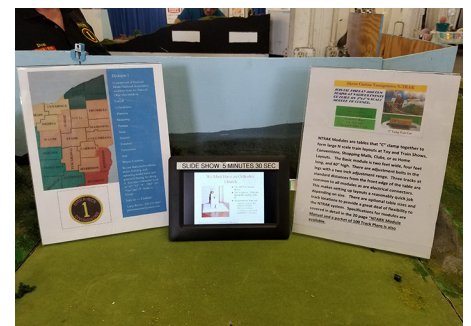
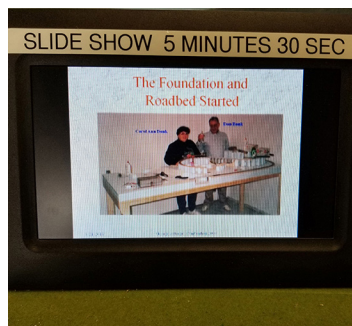
If you need a small decoder check out the **Digitrax DZ126T**. A small decoder that can be used on Z, N and HO locomotives up to 16V track voltage. It has all the functions of larger Digitrax decoders plus transponder. Decoder rating is 1 Amp/1.25 Amp Peak. Size is 0.55" x 0.28" x 0.128".



Looking for small motors, Google **Nigel Lawton 099**. 10 mm diameter or smaller DCC compatible coreless motors are available. These motors are just the thing for coal mine locomotives and other narrow gauge or small engines.



Stark County Fair – HOT – HOT – HOT. The weather made the week at the Fair a wee bit uncomfortable, but the fair attendees enjoyed our exhibits. New this year was Ken Cefaratti's 2'x 6' module, Kurt Sanders' yard addition and a digital slide show on building a layout. The construction of Ken's module has been highlighted in previous Peddler Freights. Kurt's yard addition is behind the sky board which allowed trains to loop between his coal yard modules and the addition. Some days we operated 4 trains at the same time flawlessly. Erratic operation was traced to the need to change the



battery in the command station. The last change out occurred at the Fair exactly one year to the day. Digitrax command stations alerts to change battery by beeping 7 times, hearing it due to background noise was impossible.

Other erratic operation was caused by Model Train Terrorists. One a 44" tall 6 - 7 year old girl with big eyes, a certain haircut and her 8 - 9 year old 56" tall hapless brother. Mug shots really and accurately depict them below. Their mother is not shown since parental control was missing. Monday they attacked twice, hours apart. Beware!!!

After teardown we had an impromptu banquet at "The Waffle House" next to Belden Village. Thanks to those who suffered in the heat; Kurt and Karen Sanders, Richard and Marilyn Ramskugler, Kathy Steele and Dick, Lloyd Horst, Bruce Hukill, Don Bonk, William Phillips and Ken Cefaratti. Special thanks to Lloyd Horst for contributing boxes of old magazines which were free to fair attendees.



Next N Scale Module Display, November 15 - 19. Display hours are 3:00 - 7:45 PM at Sir Troy's Toy Kingdom at 1180 South Main St., North Canton, OH 44720. Set up will be the Nov. 15, take down, Nov. 19.

DIVISION 1 CONTEST - Flat Car With Load - September Category

STANDINGS

2018 - 19

STANDARD KIT

Frank Williamson - 3 pts
Sam Eisele - 2 pts

KIT - BASHED

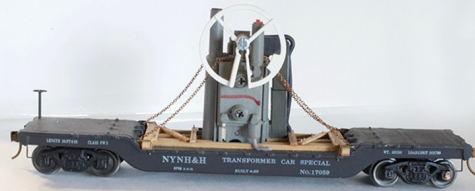
Bob Ashley, Jr. - 3 pts
Jim Peters - 2 pts

CRAFTSMAN KIT

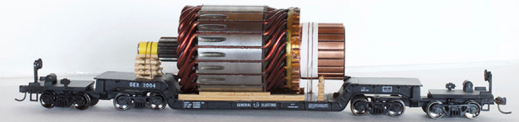
Sam Eisele - 3 pts
Matt Woods - 2 pts

SCRATCH BUILT

Sam Eisele - 4 pts
Frank Williamson - 3 pts
Matt Woods - 2 pts.



**1st Place - Standard Kit
Frank Williamson**



**1st Place - Kit-Bashed
Bob Ashley, Jr.**



**2nd Place - Standard Kit
Sam Eisele**



**2nd Place - Kit-Bashed
Jim Peters**

CONTEST TOPICS FOR 2018 - 19

OCTOBER - Rail trucks

or M.O.W. vehicles

NOVEMBER - 40' or

under wood boxcars

DECEMBER - no

contest

JANUARY - Transfer or

work caboose

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

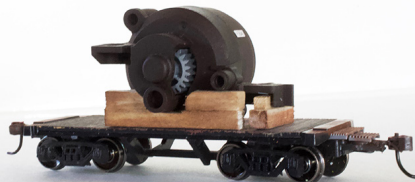
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residential, school,

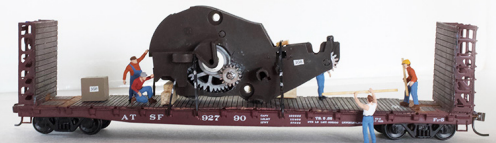
church, etc. - limited to

12" x 12" square)

JUNE - no contest



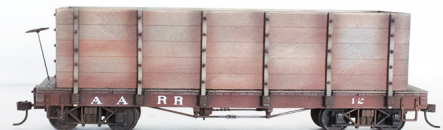
**1st Place - Scratch Built
Sam Eisele**



**1st Place - Craftsman Kit
Sam Eisele**



**2nd Place - Scratch Built
Frank Williamson**



**2nd Place - Craftsman Kit
Matt Woods**



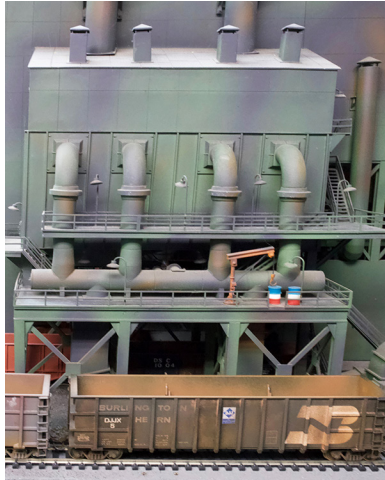
**3rd Place - Scratch Built
Matt Woods**

The Bullet Convention Layouts

Home layouts open for the self-guided tour, Sunday May 5, 2018

Jim DiPaola's P Y & A Railroad

The Pittsburgh, Youngstown & Ashtabula Railroad is an HO Scale model railroad that represents modern day railroad operations in Western Pennsylvania and Northeast Ohio. Operations are centered around 2 large steel mills and a coal mine. The steel mill operations move raw materials to the mill for the production of iron and steel and the finished products of coil steel and steel slabs are shipped out. Coal mine operations have empty unit coal trains traveling to a large coal mine to be loaded and shipped out to various locations. In 2010 the layout became the new home to part of the buildings and rolling stock of Davies Steel and the South Ridge Lines which are from Dean Freytag's model railroad empire. This is the new home of Davies Steel and South Ridge Lines. The 26' x 32' point to point layout has an operating signal system and is operated by a Digitrax DCC system. The CTC signal system is controlled from a computerized dispatcher panel. The signals are made by BLMA and NJ International. Track is Atlas Code 100 flex track and the switches are PECO Code 100.



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THIS MONTH'S MEETING
Sunday, October 21, 2017
Host - Sam Eisele
2799 Frost Rd.
Mantua, OH 44255
2 PM

From south: Route 44 north, west on 303 (3mi), north on Diagonal Rd., left on Frost Rd. House is on the right.

From west: Rt.6897 8 north to 303 east through Hudson to Streetsboro. North on Rt. 43. Right on Frost Rd., about 4 miles to house on left.

Look for heavy stone wall, house sits back 250 ft. - asphalt driveway. A railroad sign will be out front.
May also park in neighbors drive to the east.

Food will be served and a table for sales will be available.

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ETA: September 2019

Model Photo By: Ken Patterson



HELP PRESERVE RAILROAD HISTORY

The Youngstown Steel Heritage Foundation (YSH) is pleased to announce that an agreement has been reached with the Virginia Museum of Transportation to purchase former Erie Lackawanna SDP45 diesel locomotive No. 3639, currently painted as Conrail No. 6670, now located in Roanoke, Virginia.

Y.S.H. has initiated a fundraising drive with an initial goal of \$20,000 to purchase and secure the locomotive. Additional fundraising will take place in 2019 to move the locomotive to the Marter Yard Railroad Museum, operated by the Mahoning Valley Railroad Heritage Association.

After arrival at Marter Yard, the SDP45 will remain in Conrail paint for a period of time before finally being repainted as Erie Lackawanna 3639. "After years of watching this locomotive sit in the yard,

now is our chance to provide it with a better future and bring it back to northeast Ohio, the former hub of the Erie Lackawanna Railway", stated YSH President Rick Rowlands.

The locomotive is in generally good condition despite missing several major components including the main generator, traction motors and air compressor. An operational restoration is a long term goal of the project.

Extra 3639 North pays homage to the former "Extra 2200 South" locomotive newsmagazine and describes the goal of this effort, to move the 3639 about 300 miles due north from Roanoke to Youngstown.

More information is available at:
www.extra3639north.org



Help Save an Erie Lackawanna SDP45

Rick Rowlands owns and operates the Youngstown Steel Heritage Foundation that is dedicated to preserving parts of history related to steel mills and railroads. He is in the process of raising funds to move Erie Lackawanna SDP45 #3639 from Virginia. See the following websites: www.todengine.org, www.extra3639north.org. The Steel Heritage Foundation is located in Youngstown, OH. and will be on the 2019 Bullet Convention tours. Rick may present a clinic at the convention.

Athearn will make a donation for each HO SDP45 sold in Erie Lackawanna and Conrail paint scheme. See page 10 for more information.

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. Organizational 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 September 9th meeting are on pages 2 - 3.

The convention planning schedule is:

October 21, 2018 2:00 PM
Immediately after the regular Division event at Sam Eisele's house.



Click logo to link to The
Bullet webpage

Train Shows and Open Houses

Medina Model Train and Toy Show - Oct. 28

Medina County Fairgrounds Community Center
735 Lafayette Road, Medina, Ohio 44256
Admission \$6.00, Children under 13 free
9 AM - 3 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, OH 44094, Admission \$4.00
9 AM - 2 PM

Dayton Train Show - Nov. 3 - 4

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

NETS Model Train Show - Nov. 10

Highland Heights Community Center
5827 Highland Rd., Highland Heights, OH 44143
Admission \$5.00, Children under 12 free
10 AM - 4 PM

Norwalk & Western RR EHOVE Train Show - Nov. 11

EHOVE Career Center
316 West Mason Rd
Milan, OH 44857
Admission \$5.00, Children under 11 free
10 AM - 3 PM

Mansfield Train Show - Nov. 18

Richland County Fairgrounds
750 N. Home Rd., Mansfield, OH 44906
Admission \$5.00, Children under 12 free
10 AM - 3 PM

Christmas Toy and Train Show at Lakeland - Dec. 9

Lakeland Community College (AFC), 7700 Clocktower Drive
Kirkland, OH 44094
Admission: Adults \$6.00 each, Family \$15.00, Children (6-12)
\$3.00, under 6 free. Active Military Free.
10 AM - 3:30 PM



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