



The Trainwire.



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Superintendant Report.

With August upon us, we will be saying good bye to Our Assistant Superintendent. Eric is moving to New York, we wish much success with his endeavors. You have been an asset to our Division and have sparked a few people in this hobby to strive for AP awards, I am one of those. We thank you for your service.

On that note, We are now looking for a replacement to fill the Assistant Superintendent. If you wish to fill this position please contact me. An election is not necessary, the BOD must approve of the interim Assistant Super and this appointment will last until June 2012.

We are also requiring another auditor for the Convention

books. This is a one time only, kind of like balancing a checkbook and reporting the findings to the board. Denny Lloyd was the register for convention and cannot be an auditor. Again please contact me or a board member.

Our 50th Anniversary Banquet will be in September (see other postings in this Trainwire). All are welcome to come and reminisce the past and enjoy a good meal.

Note to all seeking budget funding, budget proposals are due in October for the next fiscal year. Submit them to the BOD at Board meeting.

See you at the August Meeting.

Mike Buehner



Mike Buehner – Superintendent
 Division 5
 NMRA – Mid Central Region

Businesses Accepting Division 5 Certificates

The businesses listed below are currently accepting Division 5's award certificates:



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| Stewart's Hobbies & Collector's Toys | Willoughby, Ohio |
| Hobby Town USA | Mentor, Ohio |
| Train Specialty Company | Chardon, Ohio |
| Village Train Shop | Perry, Ohio |
| Toy-N-Hobby Headquarters | Geneva, Ohio |



Please support these dealers!

UPCOMING DIVISION 5 MEETINGS

Division 5 monthly meetings normally start at 7:30 PM.

Location: Hambden Town Hall
13887 GAR Highway (Route 6)
Chardon, Ohio

Located on Rt. 6 between the intersection of Rt. 608 and Rt. 166 next to Hambden Elementary School east of Chardon.

August 5th, 2011

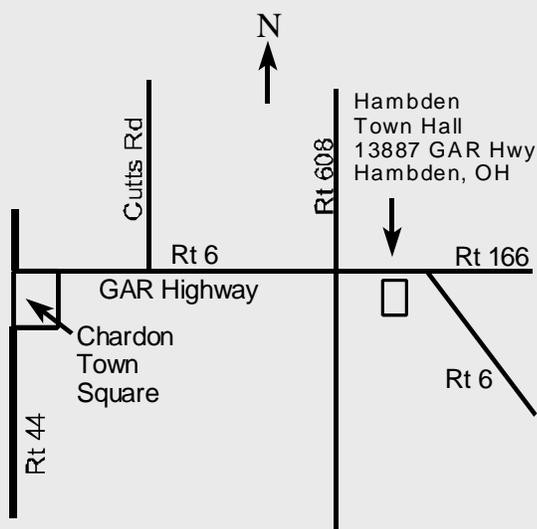
Location: Hambden Town Hall
Program: Newburg & South Shore by Eric Hansmann
Bring & Brag: "Anything goes"

September 2nd, 2011

Location: Hambden Town Hall
Program: Design Considerations for Locomotive Service Terminals by Dave Neff
Bring & Brag: "Motor Trucks and Autos"

October 7th, 2011

Location: Hambden Town Hall
Program: Ontario Northland Railroad by Ken Stroebel
Bring & Brag: "Small Dioramas"



Map to Hambden Town Hall

SCHEDULED EVENTS

L. S. Live Steamers Public Run August 14
Penitentiary Glen Reservation (1pm- 3pm)
Kirkland, Ohio

BOD Meeting August 15
Hambden Town Hall
Hambden, Ohio

Last Stop Willoughby August 20
Downtown Willoughby
Willoughby, Ohio

L. S. Live Steamers Public Run September 11
Penitentiary Glen Reservation (1pm- 3pm)
Kirkland, Ohio

Party in the Pit September 17
11830 Ravenna Rd. (Noon - 5 pm)
Chardon, Ohio

50th Anniversary Party @ Zappitelli's September 18
1820 North Ridge Rd.
Painesville, Ohio

BOD Meeting September 19
Hambden Town Hall
Hambden, Ohio

Carnival 2011 October 1 & 2
Cuyahoga Fair Grounds
Berea, Ohio

Division 5 PROMO Day November 5
Lakeland Community College
Kirtland, Ohio

Assistant Superintendant Report.

I write this while I sit on my deck as the sun sets and the day cools. The upper parts of the trees have a gold-orange glow as the sun slips toward the horizon. A cool breeze passes through. I've sat out here quite a bit lately watching the light change and the day grow old. It's an interesting time of the day as it isn't full daylight and it's not dark. It's that in-between twilight where you get to slow down a bit, relax and enjoy a part of the day. Maybe I'll see a deer stroll along the border of the yard, or I'll hear the crazed barking as my neighbor's pack of westie terriers charge through their yard to see who is walking along the street. A number of lightening bugs wink on and off as the light dims and the air cools. It's enjoyable soaking in these small details at the end of a day before night falls.

In a way, the twilight is a reflection of my life right now as I am in transition again. I am moving to New York State very soon to the town of New Paltz, near Poughkeepsie in the mid-Hudson River valley. It's been a great experience here in Cleveland but my wife has accepted an offer from the State University of New York New Paltz campus, so we pull

up the stakes, load up the truck and move along to the next stop on the highway. Between packing boxes and carting excess clothes and goods to the thrift stores, I try to enjoy the small moments that had become commonplace.

I'd like to thank all of the Division Five members for your hospitality and comraderie at our meetings and events. The best part about an NMRA membership is sharing our ideas and experiences with each other. It's been fun to attend the meetings and listen to the bring and brag descriptions, the presentations, the questions and answers, or just having a conversation during the doughnut break. Your willingness to share this hobby with other members and total strangers is the real strength and true benefit of our organization. Think about what it would be like if we didn't share or discuss or ask hobby questions each month. It would be like night and day. In some ways our meetings are like that twilight. We meet for a short time with others to share and soak in the details.

With my departure, our group needs an interim assistant super to finish out the term that ends with the next election in June 2011. I was also

wearing the achievement program hat, so that is also available. If you had ever thought of stepping up to keep our group moving forward with your time and talents, filling an interim position is a great way to experience these volunteer positions on a short term basis. As your assistant super, I've worked to line up interesting presentations and bring and brag topics for our monthly meetings. The assistant will also need to step up and lead membership or board of director meetings if the superintendent is unable to attend. Talk with any of our board members at the next meeting to help out. In addition to these opportunities, we are hosting Promo Day again this November. Rob Bowers is coordinating the event this year and he needs members to assist with presentations, extra hands and to be available for additional assistance the day of the event. This is a growing event that helps nurture interested people into a stronger relationship with the hobby, and possibly an NMRA membership. We offered several informative presentation sessions last year on hobby basics.

See Rob Bowers at an upcoming meeting to sign up for

Promo Day.

I hope to make our August meeting and present my Newburgh & South Shore clinic from the Rails of Ages convention. Bring and Brag is wide open with Anything Goes so lets see some recent modeling work, not your latest hobby shop purchase but something you've assembled, kitbashed, modified, and/or weathered. I'd even be happy if someone broke into a Cole Porter song. See you August 5th at the Hambden Town Hall! - *Eric*



Eric Hansmann – Assistant
Superintendent
Division 5
NMRA – Mid Central Region

Division 5 BOD Minutes

July 18th, 2011 7:30 pm

A Division 5 BOD meeting was held on July 18, 2011 at Hambden Town Hall. Those in attendance were:

Mike Buehner, Eric Hansmann, Bonnie Lette, Wayne Lette, Don Bittner, Matt Kross, Dale Smith, Lenny Kessler, Rob Bowers, and Bob Frieden.

1. Assistant Superintendent Eric Hansmann will be moving out of the area to New York sometime in August. Per our Division 5 Regulations, the BOD will need to elect someone to fill the remaining Assistant Superintendent term which expires June 1, 2012. We will publish this need in the Trainwire to see if anyone is interested in filling this position.
2. We still need a one-time auditor to review the Rails Of Ages 2011 Convention financial books. The BOD wants the convention audit to be completed by September 1, 2011. The convention is still writing checks for various refunds. The last of these checks should go out before the end of July.
3. The Railfest 2011 financial audit has been completed. The official report is being generated.
4. For the Division's 50th anniversary party, it was decided not to have a special guest speaker but to instead give each past Div 5 Superintendent a chance to share their memories of the Division. The meal will be served family style and be chicken parmesan with Penne pasta.
5. Rob Bowers now has fliers available for the Division 5 Promo Day on November 5, 2011. This event will be held at Lakeland Community College again. If you are willing to put on a demonstration at the event, please contact Rob Bowers.
6. The upcoming meeting programs and events were reviewed for inclusion in the Trainwire. It was noted that items from the NMRA Info-net e-mails should be included in the Trainwire if space is available.
7. We will add a budget item in 2012 to purchase some large Division 5 signs / banners. We need to start looking into costs and what types of stands are available.
8. We are still working on trying to get various Division 5 advertising fliers and documents updated with current information.
9. The HO module group will continue to be a 100% NMRA membership club so that they are covered by the NMRA insurance. Bruce Lutheran and Sam Monturi are the contacts for this group.
10. The BOD is working on changes to the Division 5 Regulations to change the Treasurer position from an elected position to an appointed one. Also, specific requirements for financial audits will be added. The Division finances will be audited annually by April 1, Railfest and other events with separate checking accounts will be audited within 90 days of the end of the event. Once all these changes are drafted, they will be presented to the membership for review. A mail ballot will be sent out after the review for the membership to vote on accepting the changes.
11. The next Div 5 BOD meeting will be on August 15, 2011 at 7:30 pm at Hambden Town Hall.

Submitted by,

Matt Kross – Division 5 Clerk

Division 5's 50th Anniversary Party

Join Us For A Celebration Of Our Division's Golden Anniversary

Sunday September 18, 2011

3:00 pm – 7:00 pm

Zappitelli's

1820 North Ridge Road

Painesville OH 44077

440-853-8495

Free to Division 5 members and one guest

Additional guests welcome at \$15 per person

Reservations are required!

Reservations must be made by Sep 2, 2011. Reservations will be taken at the August and September Div 5 meetings or by contacting Bonnie Lette (440-298-3075 or e-mail Bonnie.Lette@MCR5.org). Payment for extra guests must be made by September 2, 2011.

Meal will be Chicken Parmesan with Penne Pasta served Family Style. Non-alcoholic beverages provided with the meal. A Cash Bar will be available.

We will spend part of the event reviewing the history of the Division, recognizing past officers, and reminiscing about the past 50 years. We are inviting all our past superintendents to attend this event. Any past Division 5 members are also welcome.

We Need Your Help!

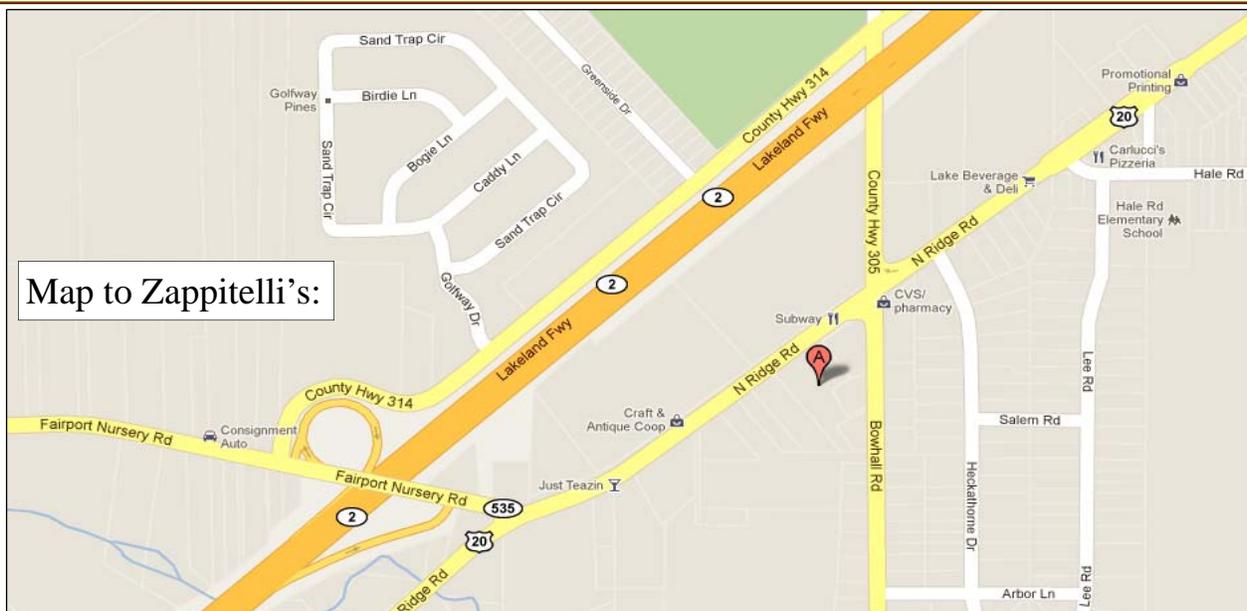
We need the following items for our celebration:

Pictures: Past and Present that show Division 5 activities, members, layouts, models, etc.

Models: We would like you to bring your models, past and present, to show modeling over the years. Also, if you have models from past members, please bring these to share. Let us know if you will be bringing items so that we know how much table space we will need.

Memorabilia: Let us know about items that you can bring to show prototype and model railroading over the past 50 years.

Map to Zappitelli's:



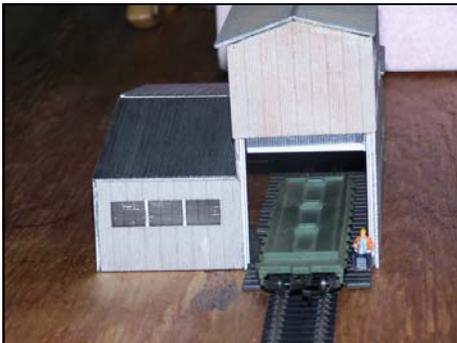
The Modeler's Corner.



Scratch Built. I have built a lot of models over the years, but usually most of them end up looking like the picture on the box when I am finished. But I have met a handful of very talented modelers that build their own idea of what a model should look

like. Scratch built is often more interesting, imaginative and cheaper than their counterparts in the sales catalog. A lot of these unique hobbyists can build a simulation of a particular building that the manufacturers don't even offer. It has always amazed me how they can see a finished product in a pile

of scrap roofs, girders, windows, doors and the remaining pieces left from a project that just end up in the trash can. Even when they complete a commercial model, you can always see extra staircases, ladders, vents, rooftop machinery and even scale people all over the model. A classic example of this talent



is displayed in the top three pictures which are a very oversized rolling mill and an electric furnace, a must for any respectable steel mill. The middle three pictures show an elevator plant and a gas holder that will probably be found near the chemical plant or buried in a giant petroleum complex. The bottom

three pictures are of a tank plant that will provide heavy armament for the military base and an LP station. All six of these impressive models were built by Alan Arthur for a fraction of the cost of one large industrial model. Al Arthur is a prominent modeler and member of the **Western Reserve Model**

Railroad Museum where many of his imaginative models are displayed, stop by and enjoy. If you would like your project featured in the **Modeler's Corner** then take plenty of pictures, write down some information on your project and send it to the Trainwire editor by email.





Carnival '11

Saturday, October 1, 2011
10 a.m. – 5 p.m.

Sunday, October 2, 2011
11a.m. – 4 p.m.

Cuyahoga County Fairgrounds – Berea, Ohio



- Free Parking
- 4 Buildings
- Over 60,000 sq. ft.
- Over 300 Dealer Tables
- Operating Displays
- Great Food
- Handicap Accessible
- ATM

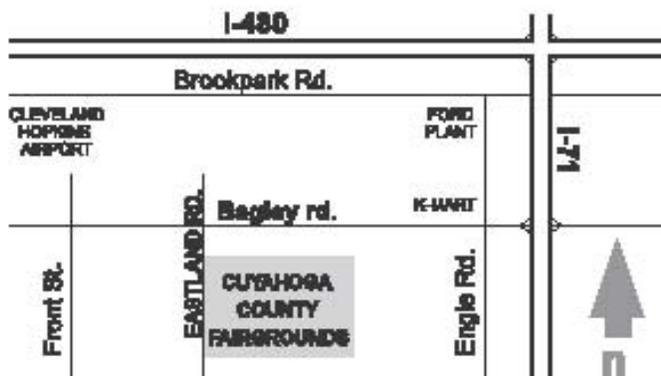
Admission \$7.00
Under 16 Free with Adult
Special 2-Day Pass \$10.00



**NATIONAL MODEL RAILROAD
 ASSOCIATION**
 Division 4
 Mid-Central Region
www.div4.org

Contact: Tom Beutler
419-231-1038

**Interested Dealers Must Possess
 Transient Vendor's Licence*



OUR 38TH YEAR!



National Model Railroad Association Mid-Central Region – Division 5

Presents

Model Railroad Promotional Day

Learning

Model Railroad Basics

Saturday, November 5, 2011

10:00 am to 3:00 pm

Admission is FREE



**Division 5 will be presenting classes on the following
Basics of Model Railroading:**

- Basic layout framing - your railroad support structure (Benchwork)
- Basics of laying Track - including the roadbed
- Simple wiring - to run your trains
- Basic Scenery - different construction techniques
- Basic Plastic Model Building - add that station or factory

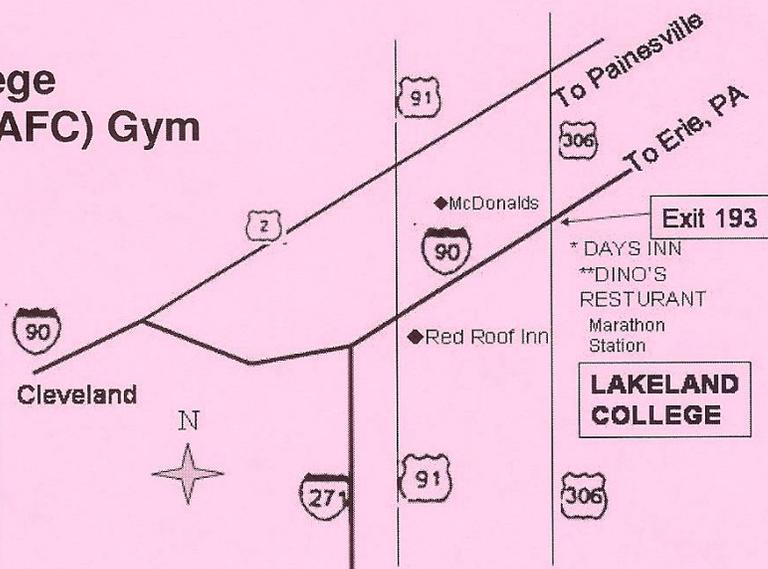
Attend one or all classes

**Lakeland Community College
Athletic & Fitness Center (AFC) Gym
7700 Clocktower Drive
Kirtland, Ohio 44094**

Note: Under the age of 15, must be accompanied by an adult.

Each Class is taught by experienced model railroader.

Bring your questions, Take home a wealth of knowledge.



For latest up to date info, check www.MCR5.org or email: promoday@mcr5.org

2nd Community
Open House

Party in the Pit

BEST SAND CORP.

Saturday, Sept. 17th from Noon to 5PM

- Plant Tours
- Conceptual Reclamation Map - Future of the Quarry
 - Heavy Equipment Displays
- Sustainable Development Displays
 - Product Displays
- Entertainment for Children
 - Free Food



11830 Ravenna Rd., Chardon

Model Railroad Promotion Day!

The National Model Railroad Association selected November as a month to encourage model railroaders. Many times a modeler, no matter the skill level, has questions about what they are doing. NMRA members have our fellow members to turn to. We could encourage those that do not belong to our group to join us. We open one day a year for PROMO DAY.

We set one day a year aside for training sessions to cover several aspects of our hobby. This gives modelers an opportunity to ask the questions and see experienced hobbyists do their thing. While we are doing this, why not invite these new people to view our layouts?

We will do this on November 5, 2011 at Lakeland Community College.

I am asking all of you to call me at (440) 942-3039 and tell me what you would be willing to help doing. Thank you - *Rob Bowers*

NOARS Societies' Regular Meeting Schedule.

Akron, Canton & Youngstown Historical Society – No evidence of a regular meeting schedule. A 'Convention and Fall Business Meeting' is posted on the website scheduled for Saturday, October 15, 2011 at Zwislser Hall, Saint Sebastian Catholic Church, 476 Mull Ave, Akron, OH 44320. See <http://www.acyhs.org/#> for details.



The Akron Railroad Club meets on the fourth Friday of every month except December at the New Horizons Christian Church, 290 Darrow Road, in Akron, Ohio. Meetings begin at 8 p.m. and end at approximately 10 p.m. Each meeting begins with a half-hour business meeting followed by an hour-long program and opportunities for socializing. See <http://akronrrclub.wordpress.com/> for details.

Division 4, Mid-Central Region, of the National Model Railroad Association meets the second Friday of each month at 7:45 pm (except July and August) at Church of the Redeemer, 23500 Center Ridge Road, Westlake Ohio. See <http://www.div4.org/> for details.

Division 5, Mid-Central Region, of the National Model Railroad Association meets the first Friday of each month, usually at Hambden Town Hall, 13887 GAR Highway (Rt. 6), Chardon, Ohio. See <http://www.mcr5.org/NMRA/index.html> for details.

Forest City Division of the Railroad Enthusiasts holds their regular monthly meetings on the second Friday of the month at Parma Memorial Hall, 6617 Ridge Road, Parma, OH. Meetings start at 8:15, with a slide program following. See <http://www.trainweb.org/fcdre/index.html#activities> for details.

Jefferson Depot, Inc. meets the first Monday of the month, May thru December, at the depot. Address is 147 East Jefferson Street, Jefferson, OH; however access is on the north side off Walnut St. west of the railroad tracks. See <http://www.jeffersonohio.us/depot.htm> for details.

New York Central System Historical Society – there is no regular meeting in the northeast Ohio area on a regular basis. The annual meeting (convention) this year is in Albany NY on April 29 to May 1, 2011. See <http://www.nycshs.org/convention.html> for details.

Nickel Plate Road Historical & Technical Society– there is no regular meeting in the northeast Ohio area on a regular basis. The annual convention will be held September 29 & 30, October 1 & 2 in Cincinnati, OH. See <http://www.nkphts.org/convention/> for details.

Midwest Chapter – NRHS meets the first Saturday of each month (except July) at 8 p.m. at the United Church of Christ, 13740 Pearl Road, Strongsville, OH (Northwest Corner of State Rt. 82 & Pearl Rd) The entrance for the parking lot is off State RT. 82 behind the church. See <http://www.midwestchapter-nrhs.org/> for details.

Midwest Railway Preservation Society holds a maintenance and preservation work session every Saturday (9:30 am to about 4:30 pm) and most Wednesdays (5:00-9:00 pm). at the Roundhouse, 2800 W. 3rd Street, Cleveland, OH. See <http://www.midwestrailway.org/> for details.

The Northeastern Ohio Railroad Historical Society meets the third Saturday of each month at the Rootstown Fire station at 6:30 pm, 4152 Tallmadge Road, Rootstown OH. No website available.

Northern Ohio Railway Museum has public walking tours at 5515 Buffman Road, Chippewa Lake, Oh, on Saturdays, spring through fall, 10 am to 5 pm. Open to all visitors. They also have Media Nights on the first Friday of the month (except in March, July and August) at 8 pm. at the Bethel Lutheran Church, 7171 Pearl Road in Middleburg Hts. See <http://www.trainweb.org/norm/> for details.

Sebring Model Railroad Club meets Sundays, noon - 5:00 pm, and Tuesdays 6:00 pm - 10:00 pm at 216 E Pennsylvania Ave. Sebring, Ohio, 44672. See <http://www.sebringmodelrailroadclub.org/> for details.

Western Reserve Historical Society does not hold regular meetings related to railroads. The library houses railroad related collections. The collection is available Monday through Saturday, 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. and Sunday, noon to 5 p.m. They are located at 10825 East Boulevard, Cleveland, Ohio 44106. See <http://www.wrhs.org/index.php/library> for details

The July NMRA InfoNet News

Hi, Presidents & Superintendents --

In this edition, we have some news from the Sacramento convention earlier this month.

This year's Sacramento convention **attendance topped the 2,000 mark** -- the continuation of an upward attendance trend.

The folks at the NMRA Membership Booth at the National Train Show signed up **243 new members in three days!**

Many of the clinicians at the Sacramento convention have **uploaded their handouts or full presentations** as PDF files to the x2011 website at www.x2011west.org. Anyone can download them. Just look for the Clinics tab, then Clinic Handouts.

Based on two big proposals for the 2015 National NMRA Convention, the Board of Directors selected **Portland, Ore. as the winner**. Details and exact timing of the convention will be announced in the coming months.

The "Carpet Cutting" at the California State Railroad Museum in Sacramento marked the **official start of fundraising for a scale model railroading exhibit** in the museum's Gallery area. No NMRA dues or regular revenue streams will be used to fund this project, so its construction will rely entirely on donations. For more details about the Gallery Exhibit, see the article in the May 2011 issue of *NMRA Magazine*.

The Board continues to review the **timing of all future conventions**. While a mid-summer date has been traditional because of lower hotel and convention center rates over the July 4 weekend, many NMRA members have voiced the concern that it conflicts with family functions. Constructive suggestions may be directed to the Convention Committee, headed by Pacific Director Peter Jensen.

For a complete summary of the Board of Directors meeting, visit the homepage of our website at www.nmra.org in the next few weeks. The report will also be published in *NMRA Magazine* in the near future.

If you have any questions or comments about any of the above, please send them directly to a Director or Officer. You'll find those addresses at www.nmra.org or in NMRA Magazine.

And if you're changing email addresses, please let me know at this email address: NMRA-Infonet@earthlink.net

Gerry Leone, MMR
NMRA Communications Director



National Model Railroad Association, Inc.

Confidentiality Policy

In order to protect the privacy rights and concerns of our members, the National Model Railroad Association, Inc. is forwarding this statement to all Region and Division personnel. All such personnel are expected to understand and abide by this policy.

Due to changes in the law as well as increased concern over privacy issues and identity theft, it is now NMRA policy that anyone with access to membership information obtained from the national NMRA must agree not to disclose any such information to anyone who is not authorized to have access to the information for official use.

The NMRA is in the process of obtaining permission from each member to disclose his or her personal information to other members, as we have in the past for those wishing to visit or contact other members. Due to changes in the law and increased privacy concerns, we can no longer disclose such information without the consent of the members concerned. Moreover, no information should be disclosed by any NMRA official, elected or appointed, at any level of the NMRA, that would allow those without authorization to obtain personnel information of other members. This would include mass electronic mail distribution with private email addresses in the "to" or "cc" address lines where the information can be read by any recipient.

Currently member information such as name, address, phone number, and email address is made available to each Region membership officer, and is also available to each Region president. Those persons are expected to pass this information along to their Region's Division superintendents and membership officers so that they can use the information for official business. Welcome letters, re-rail letters, newsletters, meeting notifications and the like would be considered official business. Other official mailings to all Region or Division members are also permitted.

This policy strictly prohibits dissemination of member information to 100% NMRA clubs. Such clubs are not part of the NMRA corporate structure, and the NMRA has no way to control how such information would be used. 100% NMRA clubs are clubs whose members are all members of the NMRA, however, they have no other responsibilities to the NMRA. The NMRA HQ will continue to identify if a person is a member of the NMRA to an NMRA club for purposes of confirmation of the person's eligibility for membership in the 100% NMRA club. However, we would request the club to first request a copy of the membership card from the prospective member in order to confirm eligibility.

Any NMRA official who passes personal membership information along to non-authorized individuals runs the risk of being held personally legally liable for this action. Moreover, the NMRA insurance does not apply to such disclosures by region or division officers or personnel.

Further updates of this policy will be issued as they are formulated and adopted by the Board of Directors.

We appreciate that these changes may cause changes in the way that your NMRA organization conducts business and serves its members, but these changes are necessary as the law evolves regarding privacy issues. If you have questions about this policy and how it should be applied, please direct them to me at nmrapres@zoomtown.com or to NMRA General Counsel, Robert J. Amsler, Jr., at legal@hq.nmra.org.

Mike Brestel, NMRA President

June 12, 2011

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(Terms expire June 2012)

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Layout Tours	(Open Position)		

WRMRRM

The Western Reserve Model Railroad Museum**7230 Justin Way**

Mentor, Ohio 44060

Daily Hours

Monday	10:00 AM - 9:00 PM
Tuesday	3:00 PM - 9:00 PM
Wednesday	10:00 AM - 9:00 PM
Thursday	3:00 PM - 9:00 PM
Friday	Closed
Saturday	10:00 AM - 6:00 PM
Sunday	10:00 AM - 6:00 PM

Contact Rick @ 440-251-0350 for more information.

www.wrmrrm.org

September Trainwire Deadline August 20th.

The 2014 National NMRA Convention will be here before you know it! Start making your plans now. Division 5 is one of the local NMRA divisions helping put on this convention. If you are interested in helping, please contact Dale Smith, Dave Neff, or Matt Kross.



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CONVENTION**
JULY 13-20, 2014
www.2014cleveland.org

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