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FROM THE SUPERINTENDENT'S DESK

By Ron Ellison

I refer to the monthly superintendent's column as the Super Article. I'm never sure about how super it is. But it comes to you monthly – super or not. Often it has a theme. But this month is a rambler.

It's hard to believe it's October 1st. Not sure why the clock is racing. As Ryan Bingham says in *Up in the Air*, "We're all on running clocks." Here's a couple of Division 8 events you should have on your calendar:

November 15, 2025 – Division 8 Train Show & Sale
December 6, 2025 – Division 8 Christmas Party

There's a flyer later in this addition of *The Pie Card* for the Train Show & Sale. Don't forget NMRA members with current membership card in hand can enter the Show @ 9 AM – 1 hour before the public. That's if you haven't already volunteered to help with the Show. You can get in at 7 AM if you help with dealer unloading. And if you buy an advance ticket for just \$6, you'll have a chance to win a \$50 Scale Reproductions gift card available to advance ticket purchasers only. Click to purchase here – [TRAIN SHOW ADVANCE TICKETS](#)

The Train Show is a fund-raising event. It's our only source of income for everything we do. If you don't know, we receive no funds from the NMRA or the Mid Central Region. We're on our own. So, feel free to purchase a ticket or two or three. You are supporting the Scale Model Railroading Hobby in the community you live in.

Our Christmas Party will be held at the Corner Café again on the 1st Saturday in December. Tickets will go on sale online on November 1st with a link to purchase in *The Pie Card*. \$16 per person with 50 seats available. There will be a buffet dinner, 2025 Silver Spike Award will be presented to a very deserving member, and the 2025 Year in Review program after dinner. It's the model railroading social event of the season as always.

Speaking of running clocks. Do you have too much model train stuff? As we approach the end of the year, you might be thinking about getting rid of the supplies and equipment you will never use. We have some younger members who, luckily for them, haven't had the time or money to collect more stuff than they will ever use. And some other members who are endeavoring to complete and expand their collections. Help them out. You can publish a list on **Flea Market Friday** in Groups.io the first Friday of each month. Don't know how to post in Groups.io? Email us the list – we'll help you. Not a member of Groups.io? You should be – ask for an invitation by email. Give or sell it. It's not getting more valuable with age. We'll help you move it and get it into hands that can use it. Don't leave a pile for your loved ones and fellow model railroaders to deal with – you want to be remembered fondly, right?



TIME TABLE

Oct 11-12 Division 7 Cincinnati Train & Trade Show.

Oct 18, Sat 2PM, Div 8 Hybrid meeting, Jeffersontown Library and Zoom.

Nov 8, Sat 2PM, Div 8 Hybrid meeting, Jeffersontown Library and Zoom.

Nov 15, Sat 10AM-3PM, Div 8 Train Show and Sale, Safin Center, Holy Family Parish.

Dec 6, Sat 4:30PM, Div 8 Christmas Party, Corner Café, Lyndon, KY.

Jan 17, Sat 2PM, Div 8 Hybrid meeting, Jeffersontown Library and Zoom.

Feb 21, Sat 2PM, Div 8 Hybrid meeting, Jeffersontown Library and Zoom.

Mar 7, Division 7 Flea Market & Trade Show

Mar 14, Sat 2PM, Div 8 Hybrid meeting, Jeffersontown Library and Zoom.

Mar 21, Sat 10AM-3PM, Div 8 Train Show and Sale, Safin Center, Holy Family Parish.

OCTOBER 2025 CHARLIE KEELING HYBRID MODEL CONTEST

By Barry Christensen, Contest Chairman

October	Steam locomotives
November	Displays (no size limit)
December	Highway vehicles
January	Freight cars
February	Non-steam motive power
March	Structures
April	Passenger cars
May	Cabooses
June	Open loads
July	NO CONTEST
August	MOW equipment
September	Photos (model) and photos (prototype)

For September, the 2025-2026 Charlie Keeling Hybrid Model Contest had two separate topics: for Photos (Model) and for Photos (Prototype), with separate entries for each and separate votes for each, color or black and white, digital or on film.

For Photos (Model), there were seven entries. Honorable mention goes to Randy Griggs for "S Scale Lionel/Flyer UP #3985," and to Craig Hatter for "Illinois Central C636 1102-1105."

There was a three-way tie for third place, invoking contest scoring rule #7, with points going to Chris Broughton for "Over the Bridge," to Steve Lasher for "Out of Peach Creek," and to Russ Weis for "Meeting at Batavia." Second place goes to Ed Brennan for "Rail Yard Action," and first place to Bob Frankrone for "Better Days." Congratulations to each model photographer!

At that point, the new totals were: Bob Frankrone and Steve Lasher with 6 each; Ed Brennan with 5; Craig Hatter with 4; Chris Broughton and Russ Weis with 2 each; and Randy Griggs with 1.

For Photos (Prototype), there were nine entries. Honorable mention goes to Ed Brennan for "Certainly Not Against the Grain," to Bob Frankrone for "What a View," to John Gillespie for "CSX 4702," to Craig Hatter for "Union Pacific SD90MAC," to Steve Lasher for "Along the Tennessee Central," and to Eric Waggoner for "Italian Steam Locomotive."

According to contest scoring rule #6, there is no third-place winner due to a tie for second place, with points going to Randy Griggs for "UP #3985 4-6-6-4 Challenger" and to Russ Weis for "Derby Run of 152." First place goes to Al Goodman for "Good to the Last Drop." Congratulations to each prototype photographer! (continued to column 2)



OCTOBER MEETING INFORMATION

The October Division 8 meeting is **2 PM Saturday, October 18** at the Jeffersontown Library, 10635 Watterson Trail, Louisville, KY 40299. To maintain the security of the meeting, the Zoom connection information will be sent directly to members by email about a week prior to the meeting and will not be published online. Mike Berry is presenting, "A Kentucky Railfan in Switzerland."

CONTEST (continued from column 1)

The current point totals are now: Bob Frankrone and Steve Lasher with 7 each; Ed Brennan with 6; Craig Hatter and Russ Weis with 5 each; Al Goodman and Randy Griggs with 4 each; Chris Broughton with 2; and John Gillespie and Eric Waggoner with 1 each.

The October Contest is **STEAM LOCOMOTIVES**

We will send out a reminder but below are some of the Contest timeline dates for October:

- October 4th - First day to submit entries
- October 11th - Last day to submit entries
- October 16th - Members will receive the Contest Ballot
- October 16th & 17th - Voting in the Contest Ballot ends @ 10:00 PM on the 17th
- October 18th - Winners announced at the meeting - 1st, 2nd and 3rd
- October 25th - First day to submit November contest entries **DISPLAYS**

If you need more information, go here - <http://div8-mcr-nmra.org/site/html/contest.html> .

To enter the October Contest, use the **REVISED Contest Entry Form** on the Division 8 website here → [Contest](#) and just follow the simple instructions included in the form. Entering the Contest has never been easier.

Contest dates will also be listed in the Groups.io Calendar. And as always if you have questions, comments, or need help, email division8.mcr.nmra@gmail.com

We will publish the Contest timeline dates each month in **The Pie Card**.

CHARLIE KEELING PHOTO CONTEST-PROTOTYPE PHOTOS

Photos by the Entrants



FIRST PLACE

Left: Al Goodman's
"Good to the Last
Drop"

Taken on the Durango-Silverton railroad on October 13, 2021, in an open-air passenger car with 15-degree F. temperature. Used a Nikon 750 D-SLR and telephoto lens to capture the scene while the train was on a curve

SECOND PLACE*

Right: Russ Weis' "Derby Run of 152"
Taken with a Minolta 35 mm film camera,
using Kodacolor film, with some editing.

*Second place was a tie between Russ
Weis and Randy Griggs



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CHARLIE KEELING PHOTO CONTEST-PROTOTYPE PHOTOS *(continued from page 3)*

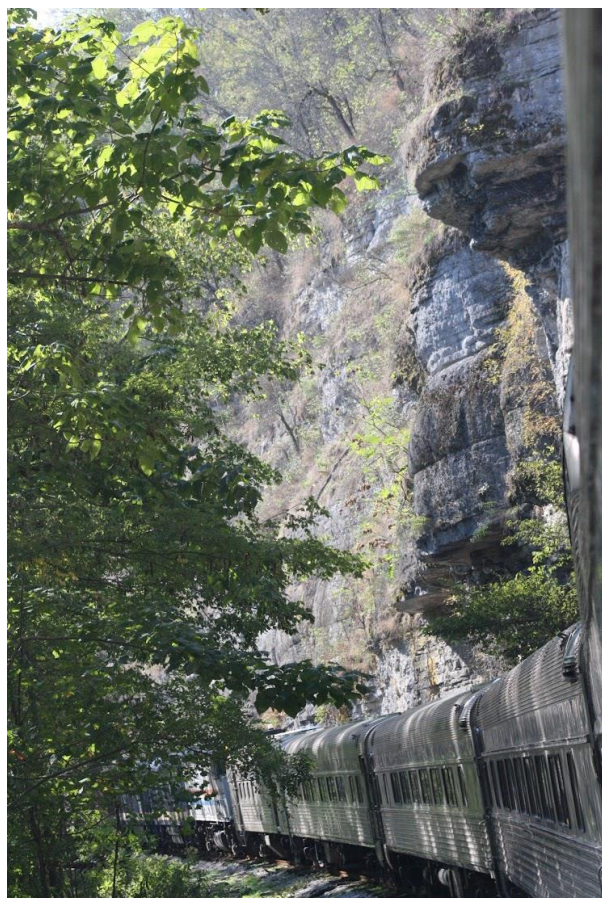
SECOND PLACE*

Randy Griggs'
U. P. #3985 4-6-6-4
Challenger

Typical photo found on the
WEB of this Union Pacific
Historic train.



HONORABLE MENTION-SIX ENTRIES (No Third Place Award due to tie for Second Place)



Left: Steve Lasher's "Along the Tennessee Central."
Below: Eric Waggoner's "Italian Steam Locomotive." This
engine was pulling an excursion train between Siena and
Montepulciano, Italy.



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CHARLIE KEELING PHOTO CONTEST-PROTOTYPE PHOTOS-HONORABLE MENTION *(continued from page 4)*



Left: Craig Hatter's "Union Pacific SD90MAC 8539" fresh from VMV's Paducah shops.

Left:
John Gillespie's "CSX 4702." EMD SD70MAC.

Taken with a Google Pixel 9 Pro XL
f/1.68 1/1212 6.9mm ISO23



Above:
Ed Brennan's "Certainly Not Against the Grain," South Charleston, Ohio,
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CHARLIE KEELING PHOTO CONTEST-PROTOTYPE PHOTOS-HONORABLE MENTION *(continued from page 5)*



Left:
Bob Frankrone's "What a View."

Scene from the Durango and Silverton RR

CHARLIE KEELING PHOTO CONTEST-MODEL PHOTOS

Photos by the Entrants



FIRST PLACE

Above:

Bob Frankrone's "Better Days." A scene on an O-scale model RR he visited.

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SECOND PLACE

Left:
Ed Brennan's "Rail
Yard Action."
Photo taken on
his HO Scale
layout.

THIRD PLACE*

Right:
Chris Broughton's "Over The Bridge."
Chris took this photo on his N-Scale layout.

*Third place model photos resulted in a
three-way tie.



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Right:
Steve Lasher's "Out of
Peach Creek."

Taken on an unidentified
HO layout.



Above:
Russ Weis' "Meeting at Batavia."
The photo was taken with an iPad with some editing on Russ' HO layout.

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CHARLIE KEELING PHOTO CONTEST-MODEL PHOTOS HONORABLE MENTION *(continued from page 8)*



Left:
Randy Griggs' "S scale Lionel/Flyer
UP #3985."

Photo taken on Randy's layout.

Right:

Craig Hatter's "Illinois Central
C636 1102-1105."
Photo taken on unidentified HO
layout.



SEPTEMBER MEETING REPORT

By Rick Maloney MMR® Division 8 Clerk

The Division 8 September Meeting was held at the Jeffersontown branch of the Louisville Free Public Library on Saturday September 20, 2025. This was a hybrid meeting with 16 members attending in person, and 12 members viewing on Zoom. Our guest speakers Walter and Debbie Vail were also on Zoom.

Ron Ellison called the meeting to order at 2:00 PM. Ron welcomed everyone, and announced that we had ~~three~~ two new members: John Matusz and Herold Tackett.

We were saddened to learn from Mike Berry, Member Welfare Chair, that member, Robert Larger had passed away.

On a happier note, Stan White was awarded his Master Builder Structures award, and Duke Green was presented with his Golden Spike award. Congratulations to both. *(continued on page 10)*

SEPTEMBER MEETING REPORT *(continued from page 9)*

Ron instructed us to check out October The Pie Card for information on the upcoming Christmas Party, our November Train Show and Sale, and nominations for Division 8 elections. Our presentation next month will be Mike Berry's "A Kentucky Railfan in Switzerland."

This month's presentation was a Tour of Showcase Miniatures by owners Walter & Debbie Vail, who joined us on Zoom.

The minutes for the September Meeting are in the Members Only section of the Division 8 Website.



Above left: Division 8 Achievement Program Manager Mark Norman MMR® presented Duke Green with his Golden Spike Award. Above right: Mark presented Stan White with a Master Builder – Structures Certificate of Achievement. *Photos by Bob Dawson*

DIVISION 8 ELECTIONS

As we approach the next election cycle for Division 8, we wish to remind regular voting members that they are eligible to run for office. And to facilitate the upcoming elections, the Superintendent made the following appointments in August.

Nominating Committee - Mark Norman, chair, Stan White and Randy Griggs committee members, Teller, Don Fowler and Judge, Bill Lynch.

The current Superintendent has termed out and cannot run again. The current Assistant Superintendent, Treasurer and Clerk have volunteered to run for another term. And there is also 1 Trustee 6-year term available. If you wish to run for any of these elected positions, Send an email to Division 8 – [Division 8 Mid Central Region NMRA](#) or call (502) 653-5371. One of the Nominating Committee members will get back to you.

Nominations will be presented to the membership during the Membership Meeting on January 17, 2026.

2025 DIVISION 8 CHRISTMAS PARTY

Our annual Christmas Party will be held on December 6, 2025 at the Corner Café. We will have a buffet dinner, presentation of the 2025 Silver Spike Award, and our 2025 Year in Review presentation. Tickets will be available online on November 1, 2025 from a link in the November *The Pie Card*. Tickets will be \$16 per person and there is a limit of 50 places at the Christmas dinner table. We look forward to seeing you.

MEMBERSHIP REPORT

By Stan White Member Relations Chairman

As of the last report received from the Mid Central Region, we have 153 active members. We had one renewal, Miles Eberle, and two expired members, Wilson & Kate Fryar. There are three new members: John Matusz, Harold Tackett, and Richard Usery.

MEMBER WELFARE

By Mike Berry Member Welfare Chairman

Sadly, we sent a couple of sympathy cards this month. One went to member Tom Guenthner concerning the passing of his sister Jeanita. The other card went to Deanna Larger on the death of her husband, member Robert "Bob" Larger. Our condolences to both families. Don't forget to let us know when you hear of a member with issues. No donations yet to this fiscal year's Member Welfare fund.

FROM THE ASSISTANT SUPERINTENDENT

By Fred Soward MMR®, Division 8 Assistant Superintendent

Barbara & I started out the month by spending Labor Day with the Midwest Region in Indianapolis as they celebrated the 90th Anniversary of the NMRA. To our surprise, Barbara was also recognized and made an honorary member of the Midwest Region for her caring, compassion, and kindness toward individuals with special needs. A few days later, I was virtually presenting to the Pacific Coast Region Convention. Toward the end of the month, Barbara and I attended the Southeastern Region Convention in Gatlinburg, TN, along with Bob Frankrone and his wife, Laura.

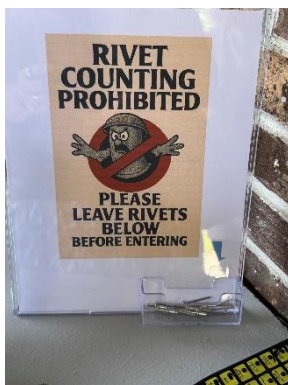
- Bob Kuchler is steadily progressing with scenery on the final sections of his N scale home layout. Can't hardly wait to see it and to run some trains on it.
- September was another track-laying record month as Barbara & I laid down 91 feet of track and 46 feet of homabed. That was only possible because Russ Weis helped install 14 feet of sub-roadbed & risers.
- In addition to the track work, I also started work modifying and detailing 14 coal hoppers by stripping off the Canadian Pacific lettering. When they're finally lettered, numbered, and weathered, they'll be put in service supplying coal for the furnaces at the Davenport Cement Plant on our layout. The final implementation will be a bit more complicated than you might think for a bunch of coal cars, but it should be interesting. On the prototype, coal was brought in from the east, so those cars will always be moving in and out of staging to simulate those movements.
- And, we somehow managed to get in two operating sessions on Tom Guenthner's layout with two new operators.

Looking ahead, October is going to be a crazee busy month for Barbara and me. What's on YOUR October model railroading calendar?

PHOTOS FROM THE SOUTHEASTERN REGIONAL CONVENTION

By Fred Soward MMR® photos by the author unless noted otherwise

Barbara and I attended the September 18-21, 2025, Southeastern Regional Convention in Gatlinburg, TN, in part because we wanted to visit the Smoky Mountains again, in part because as an NMRA Director I am expected to visit at least one Region Convention outside my own Region Convention each year, and in part because it was an easy drive from L'ville. We actually arrived a day early to settle into the convention hotel and to visit with Bob & Jean Dawson over dinner that evening as they were wrapping up their annual anniversary trip to the area. We bookended the convention with a last nite dinner with Bob & Laura Frankrone who stayed a few additional days to enjoy the area. We had a great time at the convention, meeting old friends, gaining new friends, learning new model railroad techniques, and visiting area layouts. What follows is just a few of the nearly 900 photographs Barbara & I took during our short visit to the convention.



Left:

We found this sign on MANY of the layouts during the 2025 Southeastern Region Convention. We're considering prominently posting a similar sign at the entrance to our layout.

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Left:
Barbara & Larry Burkholder MMR are discussing scenery on Larry's freelance N scale N&W Railway.

Right:

Norfolk & Western Y3 Class 2011 crossing one of several trestles on Larry's N scale N&W Railway layout.



Left:

An overall look at Keith Elrod's HO scale Tellico Southern Railroad. If you're wondering about all those lights, Keith worked for many years on Broadway as a lighting specialist and supervisor.

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PHOTOS FROM THE SOUTHEASTERN REGIONAL CONVENTION *(continued from page 12)*



Left:

Clampett Oil Company is just one of many (we lost count) tongue-in-cheek industries on Keith Elrod's HO scale Telico Southern Railroad.



Right: Dave Jones is telling us about his no-name-yet N scale layout he's building in his basement.



Left: A feature of Dave's layout is the multiple liftout sections he's building into the layout. It's a lot easier to build the detailed scenes off layout, then place them on the layout at a later date. He's also using many natural materials for scenery. The brown material in the Woodland Scenics container behind the lift-out town is filled with dried tea.

Left:

John Kahlenberg & Barbara are in the background, talking about scenery on John's HO scale Union Pacific-Norfolk Southern Interchange layout.

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PHOTOS FROM THE SOUTHEASTERN REGIONAL CONVENTION *(continued from page 13)*



Left: Tight aisles in a 13' x 23' room allow John Kahlenberg to run long trains on a double-track mainline that's fully signaled with Signalogic signals on his HO scale Union Pacific-Norfolk Southern Interchange layout. John used a variety of natural and yard-sale materials for scenery and open loads.

Below Left: We are definitely in Tennessee!



Right: The Maryville Model Railroad Club runs the Maryville & East Tennessee layout in a dedicated space in a country strip mall. Many of the scenes on the layout reflect area businesses and local geography.



Right: Allan Gartner, author of "DCC & Model Railroading," built his HO scale Kudzu & Tennessee model railroad in a large bonus room above his 3.5 car garage. The layout does a good job representing Appalachia & Tennessee geography.

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PHOTOS FROM THE SOUTHEASTERN REGIONAL CONVENTION *(continued from page 14)*



Left: Allan Gartner opted for 1/8" thick smoked plexiglass instead of hardboard for the fascia on his Kudzu & Tennessee model railroad. The plexiglass is attached with piano hinges on the bottom and magnetic latches on the top for easy access to the electronics under the layout. As you might expect from the guy who wrote a book titled "DCC & Model Railroading," there's a LOT of DCC equipment (Digitrax, NCE, Digikeijs, and more).

Right: Barbara is listening to Steve Folino talk about some of the locomotives on his HO scale "Fungus & Mungus Railroad," set in the Colorado high country in 1906. Not visible in the photo is a telegraph system that automatically "telegraphs" the station operator in the next town when a train arrives in each station.



Left: The "Hugh Mungus Lumber Company" is one of the many tongue-in-cheek industries on Steve Folino's HO scale "Fungus & Mungus Railroad." About half the structures are scratch built while most of the rest are craftsman kits. Turnout control is by Smails and Tortoise switch machines and the benchwork is mostly a modified L-girder system with 3/4" plywood decks and cork roadbed.

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PHOTOS FROM THE SOUTHEASTERN REGIONAL CONVENTION *(continued from page 15)*



Left: Kelley Massie, a frequent visitor at our local Division 8 Train Show & Sale events, models Southern West Virginia and Southwestern Virginia in 1977 on his HO scale Cumberland & Western layout.

Right: In addition to many detailed industry and country scenes on Kelley Massie's "Cumberland & Western" layout, there's a circus! The circus is modeled as if it is being setup for shows, instead of being modeled as though shows are already happening.



Left: Check-in for the convention on day one was in an outside pavilion next to the convention venue. There was not a convention banquet at the end, but there was a really nice convention dessert bar during that first day of registration!

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PHOTOS FROM THE SOUTHEASTERN REGIONAL CONVENTION (continued from page 16)



Left: This uninvited guest came by to check out registration, but opted to not actually come up to the dessert bar. We saw this bear a couple times during the convention, usually at night, checking out the picnic pavilion and the area around the dumpsters.

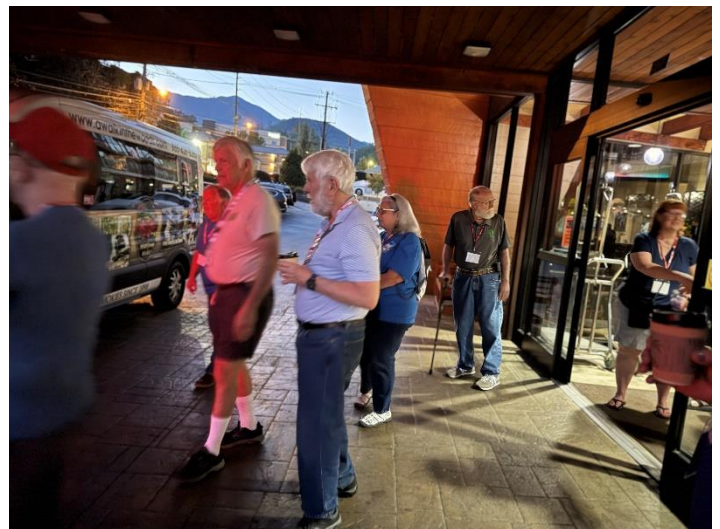
Right: Part of attending a Region or National Convention is meeting up with new and old friends. Fred, Barbara, and Bob Frankrone shared a few moments throughout the convention, starting with the dessert bar.



Left: Barbara reconnecting with outgoing Southeastern Region President Roy Masterson.

Right: It was a sunrise departure for the 30-person group going on the Dollywood Steam Shop Tour. Although they were there for two hours and Fred shot nearly 300 photos during that time, he's unable to share any of them from the tour because of restrictions set by Dollywood.

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PHOTOS FROM THE SOUTHEASTERN REGIONAL CONVENTION *(continued from page 17)*



Left: Barbara attended three hands-on clinics during the Southeastern Region Convention. The first was a free structure weathering clinic where she learned to weather track, brick buildings, and wood buildings. <<definitely don't need all three - you decide which one or two>>

Right: Fred, in his role as NMRA Central District Director, was joined by NMRA Vice President Rick Coble as he presented the "What's Happening at National" talk during the convention.

Photo by Barbara Soward



Left: Bob Frankrone was able to secure a spot in the "Paint and Sip" class in the Hospitality Room. Evidently the Mimosas that were the sip part of the class didn't detract Bob from being really focused on his work. Bob with his table-mates at the end of the "Paint and Sip" class.

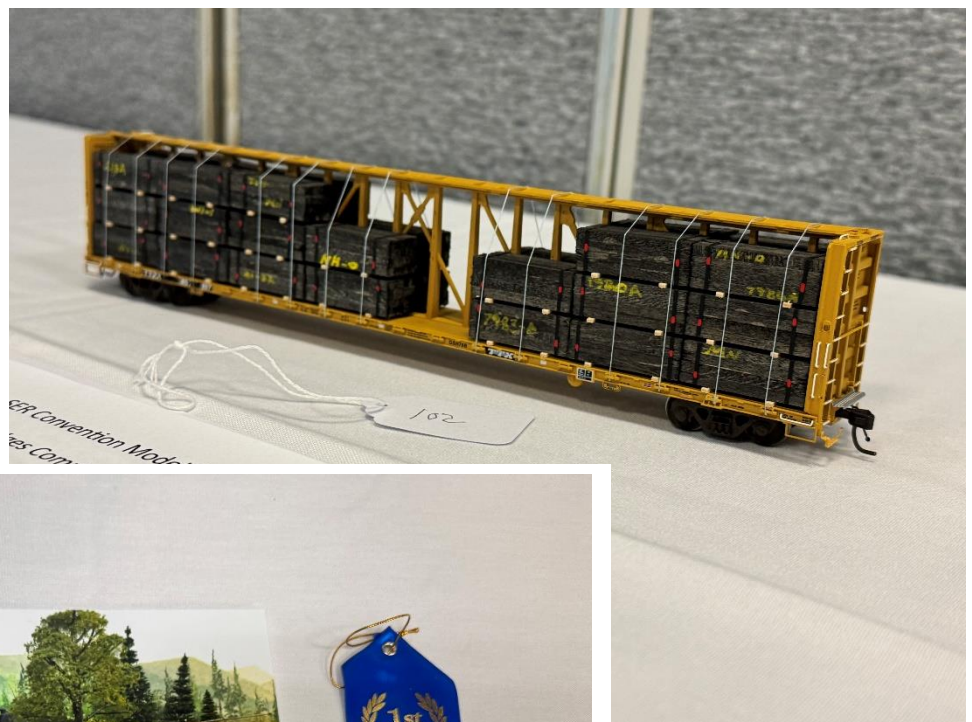
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PHOTOS FROM THE SOUTHEASTERN REGIONAL CONVENTION (continued from page 18)



Left: Bob Frankrone's heavily weathered and graffiti-covered wide vision caboose brought him a first place win in the caboose category in the convention contest.

Right: Bob Frankrone placed first in the kit-built freight car category with his open load of creosoted ties on a bulkhead flatcar in the convention contest. This model also won the "Wil Miller Award" as the highest scoring prototype model.



Left: Fred took first place in the model photography contest with his "Early Morning Run." The photo was taken on Harley "Skip" Luyk's HO scale logging railroad during the 2018 North Central Region Convention.

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PHOTOS FROM THE SOUTHEASTERN REGIONAL CONVENTION (continued from page 19)



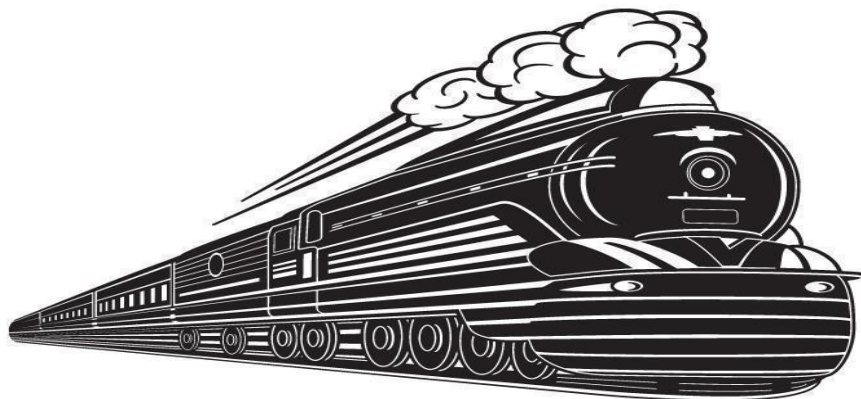
Left: In the color prototype contest, Barbara took first place with her 2019 "Autumn Rails" iPhone photograph of the RJ Corman line east of Shelbyville and second place with her iPhone "Measuring to Model" photograph of Fred taking measurements while hanging out the cupola of McCloud River Railroad's caboose 101. Fred took third place with his 2014 "Dixiana" photograph of Dixiana Shay on the Roaring Camp and Big Trees Narrow Gauge Railroad in Felton, CA, taken with a Canon T2i DSLR and Tamron 18-270 lens.



Left: Fred swept the "Working on the Railroad" photography contest. First place and Best of Show was his "Break Time on L&N 152," second place was "Repair Work at Rochelle Diamonds," and third place was "Taking the McCloud Apart." All three photos were taken with a Canon T2i DSLR and Tamron 18-270 lens.

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