Super's Signal

A publication of Division 6, Mid Central Region of The National Model Railroad Association, Inc.



Superintendent's Report

Matt Goodman, Division 6 Superintendent

A brief update for our Train Show Special Edition of the Signal.

Train Show

Our Cambridge Train Show / Swap Meet is coming up quickly on October 23rd, 2023. We need at least a half dozen volunteers to set up before the show and tear down afterward.

The set up job will mainly consist of setting up tables and helping vendors move their products into the show area. Greg will be at the site by 6 a.m.; volunteers can arrive between 6 - 8 a.m. Tear down will begin immediately at 3 p.m. We will help vendors pack, break down, and store tables and chairs.

Volunteers will get free admission. Contact Train Show Chair Greg Short or me if you plan on helping.

Greg Short: trainshow@div6-mcr-nmra.org

Matt Goodman: Super@Div6-MCR-NMRA.org

Division News

Upcoming events:

Mid Central Region Technology Committee Meeting – October 2nd, 2023 @

7:30 p.m. Contact Matt (address above) for the Zoom information if you want to join. This meeting is for anyone interested in the technology used to run meetings or manage our websites, YouTube channels, Facebook pages, or other social media.

Division 3 is hosting NMRA President Gordy Robinson on October 15th, 2023. They will have a limited number of remote meeting seats open. Contact Matt if you're interested in attending. Gordy is usually very interesting. 22 October (Sunday) Division 6 Train Show Pritchart Laughlin Center 7033 Glenn Highway Cambridge

7:00: Train Show setup10:00: Train Show Opens3:00: Train Show Closes3:00: Train Show Cleanup

Virtual Photo Contest: Railroad Bridges & Trestles Model Contest: None

Zanesville Meeting

Thanks again to the Zane Trace Club for hosting our September meeting! Their progress over the last couple of years has been remarkable. The functioning signals were the eye candy this year. Greg told me the club can activate the powered turnouts from a dispatcher's panel or locally as the next thing in the club's sights.

> Division members entered three very nicely weathered steam locomotives in the model contest. Additionally, division members virtually entered nineteen photos with

a nice variety of subjects. See elsewhere in the Signal for details.

There was no formal clinic planned as part of the membership meeting. New division member Josh Pack spent five or ten minutes showing around his good-looking 3D-printed passenger cars. Thanks, Josh.

Time to drop the fire!



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Appointed Chairs

A full list of Division 6 Chairs can be found at: https://div6-mcr-nmra.org/ Officers Page.html

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Clerk's Report Buckeye Division, Mid Central Region, NMRA, Inc. Membership Meeting Zanesville Club **16 September 2023**

Carter Jastram. Clerk

Call to Order

The Division 6 Meeting was called to order by Matt Goodman, Division 6 Superintendent, at 2:01 p.m.

Division 6 Officers Present:		
Superintendent	Matt Goodman	
Clerk	Carter Jastram	
Director	Don Wilke	
Director	Mike Wolf, MMR	
Division 6 Chairs Present:		
Company Store	Greg Short	
Programs	Mike Wolf, MMR	
Super's Signal Publisher	Don Wilke	
Train Show	Greg Short	
Webmaster	Don Wilke	
Absent:		
Assistant Superintendent, Programs	Dexter Hill	
Paymaster	Jim Borcz	
Director	Ken McDonough	
Achievement Program	Dick Briggs, MMI	
Contest, Groups.io	Jim Ruisinger	
Inspector of Elections	Harry "Butch" Sag	
Membership	Ken McDonough	
Membership Retention	Bruce McDonald	
Raffle	Scott Brown	
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Dexter Hill **Jim Borcz** Ken McDonough Dick Briggs, MMR[®] Jim Ruisinger Harry "Butch" Sage Ken McDonough

Announcements:

Matt Goodman welcomed new NMRA member Joshua Pack, Sr. (with Savannah Pack).

Matt and the members thank the Zane Trace & National Trail Model Railroad *Club* of Zanesville for hosting our meeting.

Greg Short gave his Train Show, Car Project, and Convention reports since he needed to leave early. See the reports below.

Bob Lee passed around the member sign-in sheet.

Reports:

Clerk's Report: Carter Jastram. The membership approved the Clerk's Report on our meeting in Coshocton, published in the September 2023 Super's Signal, pp. 2-4.

Paymaster's Report: Jim Borcz. The membership approved the Paymaster's Report, as presented by Matt Goodman, pending audit.

Program Report: Mike Wolf. There is no meeting in October because of our annual *Train Show*, but we will hold the Virtual Photo Contest. In November, we will meet in

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Mount Vernon. Michael Percy will discuss *Sergent Engineering Couplers*, and the *Mount Vernon Club* will open. Greg Short will discuss *Modeling Fire Equipment*, and George Stringer will share his *Experience with LEDs* at the Upper Arlington Library in December..

For 2024, Dexter will line up our meeting locations, and Mark Krueger and Darrell Logan will present clinics. Watch the *Super's Signal* and your *MailChimp* emails for the details.

Achievement Program Report: Dick Briggs. There was no Achievement Program Report.

Publications Report: Don Wilke. Don expects the October issue of the *Super's Signal* to be short, with limited information to report. He plans to prepare a page on the division's website on Monday for the *Train Show* and the results on Tuesday for the contests. The *Super's Signal* deadline on Thursday, September 21, is a hard deadline this time.

Groups.io/Facebook Report: There was no Groups. io/Facebook Report.

Membership Report: Ken McDonough. On Ken's behalf, Matt reported that we have 144 division members, which includes one new member and eighteen renewals. We have four members who are 30 days past renewal and three who are 60 days past renewal.

Retention and Recruitment Report: Mike Wolf. The Membership Committee will set up our recruiting booth at the *Division 6 Train Show* in October. We will not have a booth at the *Buckeye Railroadiana and Model Trains Show & Sale* in December. The committee plans on attending the *Great American Train Show* in mid-January at the State Fairgrounds.

Nominations and Elections Report: Butch Sage. Matt reminded us that all four officers (Super, Assistant Super, Clerk, and Paymaster) are term-limited from seeking reelection, but they may run for a different office. Any member who wishes to nominate oneself or someone else to an office should contact Butch Sage or Jim Kehn. Don will publish job descriptions in the *Super's Signal* in about four to six weeks. Also, see the **Division 6 Regulations**. There is a link on the All About Us on the division"s website. Nominations Chair will accept nominations from the membership before or during the November meeting. The Nominations Chair will close the nominations after the meeting.

Car Project Report: Greg Short. Greg brought the *Buckeye Steel Castings Gondolas* to sell at the meeting. They are \$27 plus shipping/handling if ordering by mail. The webmaster will post details on the web by Tuesday.

Train Show Report: Greg Short. We are five weeks away. Table sales are going well. We will line up volunteers soon for opening/set up and closing/cleanup.

Fliers continue to go out to a variety of places.

Car Project Report: Greg Short. The Oxide Red *Buckeye Steel Castings* gondolas are here. We have already sold about one-fourth of them. Greg plans to make unsold gondolas available at the *Cambridge Train Show*.

2025 MCR Convention Report: Greg Short. We are currently in "cruise mode." the Convention Committee will start meeting monthly at various libraries after the *Train Show*.

501 Committee Report: Mike Wolf. These ad hoc committee members are Ken McDonough, Carter Jastram, Mike Wolf, and Jim Borcz. Jim's research has uncovered two "Employer Identification Numbers" (EINs) in old documents. One document is a copy of a Letter of Determination from the IRS. Ken is working to acquire one. Mike is working on applying for the vendor's license from the State of Ohio after consulting with Jerry Krueger. Once we have the IRS's Letter of Determination, Division 6 will not have to pay tax on our dinner at the 2025 MCR Convention or future purchases. Mike reminded the members that tax-exempt organizations must file an annual report with the Ohio Attorney General's office. Our **Division 6 Regulations** contain two references to our holding 501(c)3 status.

Old Business:

Donated Railroad Books: Carter Jastram. Carter brought the four bins of donated books to the Division 6 meeting for people to peruse. Super Matt Goodman will accept the suggested donation of \$10 per book.

3-D Printed Car Kits: Carter Jastram. Carter brought Jim Borcz's bundle of printed car sides, ends, and a couple of 3-D printed car bodies. Anyone wishing to use these to build box cars should contact Jim.

Division 6 Shirts: Carter Jastram. Carter and Patrick Hreachmack will continue taking orders for Division 6 polo shirts with embroidered first names until at least the end of this calendar year. Jim Kehn, whose wife does the embroidering, said his wife may extend the deadline. Jim is holding onto and distributing the completed shirts.

All Aboard Ohio (AAO): Don Wilke. Don shared information about this effort to reestablish passenger rail service in Ohio. The Federal Rail Administration is considering several possible corridors. Improving the track between Cleveland and Cincinnati to sustain trains doing 79 mph should cost about 1/3 Billion dollars. The current cost of the I-70 – I-71 interchange is over 100 Billion dollars. The AAO and The State of Ohio are looking to Michigan as an example. Trains between Detroit and Benton Harbor run at 79 mph, with over half of that distance at 110 mph.

Operation LifeSaver: Connie Logan. Connie will present at the

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Fostoria Rail Fest and our *Cambridge Train Show*. Any group interested in a presentation on rail safety should contact Connie and tell her the size, age, type of group, and presentation length.

New Business:

There was no New Business to take up.

Club Reports:

No club member presented a club report.

Contest Results:

Contest: Don Wilke for Jim Ruisinger. Jim's physical activities are more limited at present. He remains Photo & Contest Chair and will continue to run the Virtual Photo Contest. Don will help out with the Model Contest during our meetings.

September Contest Topic: Steam Engine.

The Virtual Photo Contest winners are:

Third Place: Bob Baker, *Cumbres & Toltec #487 at Osier*

Second Place: Jim Ruisinger, Oregon, Pacific & Eastern #19 at the Age of Steam Roundhouse

First Place: Jim Kehn, #s 757, 765, and a truck at Bellevue, October 2021

The Model Contest Winners are:

Third Place: Greg Short, Union Pacific 4-8-8-4 Big Boy 2-8-2 #4004

Second Place: Mike Wolf, Pennsy 2-8-2 #1205

First Place: Bob Baker, Canadian Pacific 2-8-2 #5343

Thanks for entering the contests, and congratulations to the winners.

Contest Certificates: Don handed out certificates to the winners of previous photo and model contests to Bob Baker, Connie Logan, Ken McDonough, Jim Oberst, Harry Sage, Greg Short, George Stringer, Mike Wolf, and Don Wilke.

The winners of last month's contests who received certificates were Scott Brown, Matt Goodman, Mark Krueger, Greg Short, and Mike Wolf.

The October contest is **Virtual Photo Contest only**, with the topic **Railroad Bridges and Trestles**. The Virtual Photo Contest will take place before the *Division 6 Cambridge Train Show*. The Contest Chair will announce the winners at the November Division 6 meeting and on the division website.

Remember, a member may only enter photos taken by oneself.

Raffle:

Scott Brown. We did not hold a raffle at this meeting. We appreciate the members' support of the division by buying raffle tickets and donating raffle prizes. If you wish to donate a possible raffle prize, don't hesitate to contact Scott Brown.

Announcements:

MCR Technology Committee: Matt Goodman. The MCR Technology Committee will meet via Zoom on October 2 at 7:30 p.m. The committee discusses the uses of social media, websites, and similar topics.

Meeting with Gordy Robinson, NMRA Presi-

dent: MCR Division 3 is hosting this meeting in person and via Zoom on October 15—Division 3 limited seating to 20 seats and 25 attendees on Zoom. If interested, reserve your spot ASAP.

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Next Steering Committee Meeting: The Steering Committee meetings take place every third Thursday evening of each month at 7:00 p.m. via Zoom. The next one is October 19. Any member may attend any Steering Committee meeting. Contact Superintendent Matt Goodman for the Zoom meeting link if interested.

Next Division 6 Membership Meeting: There is no division meeting in October because of the *Cambridge Train Show*.

The next Division 6 meeting will be on Saturday, November 18, at 2:00 p.m. at the *Mount Vernon Railroad Club* layout, second floor.

Adjournment:

After a motion and a second to adjourn, Matt adjourned the meeting at 2:54 p.m.

Impromptu Clinic:

3-D Resin Printed Passenger Cars: New division member Joshua Pack, Sr., shared his experience creating passenger cars using his Saturn 3 Resin Printer. Some examples he brought with him are similar to the cars now in use on the *Hocking Valley Scenic Railway* in Nelsonville. Josh can 3-D print cars, buildings, or locomotive shells. He plans to offer shells, kits, or completed cars for sale soon.

We express our appreciation to Josh and encourage anyone with an idea or an experience to talk with Mike Wolf about sharing a clinic at a future date.





Thanks to the Zanesville Club for hosting our meeting and showing off their vast layout and progress since our visit year.

The Buckeye Division Train Show will keep us occupied in October. Thanks in advance to all who can help set up, tear down, and/or man our recruiting booth.

In November, Michael Percy will discuss Sergent Engineering couplers in Mt Vernon. George and Greg Short will close the year at our December meeting in Upper Arlington. Greg will discuss Modeling Firefighting Equipment, and George will discuss Using LEDs for Marker Lights.

Mark Krueger and Darrell Logan Have volunteered for Clinics in 2024. but I still have plenty of openings throughout 2024. As Matt mentioned at the meeting, it's an excellent time to practice your clinic, as we'll need numerous volunteers to present at our region convention in 2025.

As always, drop me a line at wvunion@gmail.com_if you have an idea you'd like to present or a layout you'd like to share with others. We'll have both full-length and mini-clinics.

Clinics can count toward the *Author or Volunteer AP*. Check out the requirements for each to see which certificate your presentation qualifies.

Company Store Update Greg Short

The gondola kits are here, and sales have started. As of this message, we still do not have the final price for the gondolas on the website. But, we are offering the kits to the membership for \$25. This price is only good if a division member purchases the kits for personal use. Members must pay for and pick up the gondola at a division meeting. We will have the price for shipping the kits and how to order them by the next *Signal*.



Buckeye Division Shirts Pat Hreachmack

You will recall that the red shirts are Jerzees oxford with a collar and short sleeves. There is a pocket on the left chest. The Oxford shirts are a 47/53% cotton/polyester blend. The Division 6 logo will be on one side, and your name will be on the other side. Please write your name as you want it to appear on your shirt.

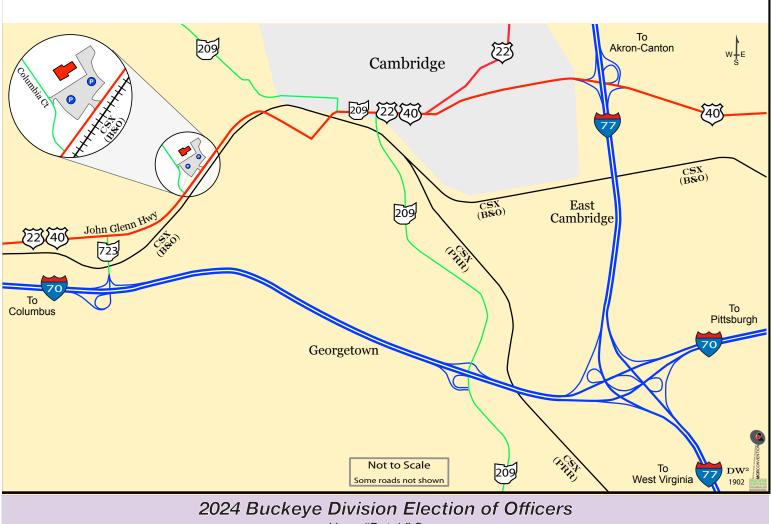
Prices have increased slightly and now are small, medium, and large for \$30 each. X-large is \$32. XXlarge through 5X large are \$35. If you have not ordered a shirt, please get your money and order to Patrick or Carter before or during our next Division Meeting. For those of you who have ordered but not yet paid, your funds are due by the closure of our next division meeting.

Come on, NMRA Members, look sharp as a unit and order your shirts before we announce any price change.

Division 6 – 2023 Time Table				
Date	Event	Meeting	City	
21 January (<mark>Change</mark>)	Division 6 Meeting	Business Meeting: Hilltop Library Clinic: Map Maker: Using Google Maps to Build Maps of Non- existent, Matt Goodman; Using Maps to Research and Document Railroads - Two Case Studies, Butch Sage Contest: Open Car with Load	Columbus	
25 January	Super's Signal Deadline			
18 February	Division 6 Meeting	Business Meeting: <i>Hilltop Library</i> Layout Tours: Matt Goodman, Darrell Logan Contest: Non-Revenue / MOW	Columbus	
23 February	Super's Signal Deadline			
18 March	Division 6 Meeting	Business Meeting: <i>Hilliard Library</i> Clinic: <i>How The Big Show Moved in The 1920's, The Ringling</i> <i>Brothers and Barnum & Bailey Circus</i> , Jerry Severson Contest: Self Propelled & Non-Steam Locomotive	Hilliard	
24 March	Super's Signal Deadline			
15 April	Division 6 Meeting	Business Meeting: <i>Hilltop Library</i> Clinic: Contest: RR Served Structure, Not RR Owned	Columbus	
29 April	Super's Signal Deadline			
4–7 May	MCR Convention	Virtual Photo Contest: Railroad Signals [No Model Contest]	Pittsburgh, PA	
17 June Saturday	Division 6 Meeting	Annual Business Meeting: <i>Marion Union Station</i> Clinic: Mini Clinics: <i>East Broad Top Update</i> , Butch Sage; Look-back on the Hobby Through the Page of MR, Howdy Lamprecht; <i>Protecting your</i> <i>Decoders From Losing Their Mind</i> , Mike Wolf, MMR®; <i>Car Cards for</i> <i>Opposing Industries</i> , Carter Jastram; <i>Painting Clouds</i> , Darrell Logan; <i>Operation Lifesaver</i> , Connie Logan Model & Virtual Photo Contest: Favorite Train	Marion	
22 June	Super's Signal Deadline			
15 July	Division 6 Meeting	Business Meeting: <i>Sunbury Library</i> Clinic: <i>Overview of the NMRA Website</i> , Ken McDonough Model & Virtual Photo Contest: Shanties, Shacks, Shelters, & Sheds	Sunbury	
27 July	Super's Signal Deadline			
19 August	Division 6 Meeting	Business Meeting: Coshocton Club Clinic: Painting Backdrop Clouds, Darrell Logan Model & Virtual Photo Contest: Caboose(s)	Coshocton	
24 August	Super's Signal Deadline			
16 September	Division 6 Meeting	Business Meeting: <i>Zanesville Club</i> Open House: Zanesville Club Model & Virtual Photo Contest: Steam Locomotive	Zanesville	
26 October	Super's Signal Deadline	No October Signal		
22 October	Division 6 Train Show	Train Show Virtual Photo Contest: Railroad Bridges & Trestles	Laughlin Center, Cambridge	
26 October	Super's Signal Deadline			
18 November	Division 6 Meeting	Business Meeting: <i>Mt. Vernon Library</i> Clinic: Sergeant Engineering Couplers, Michael Percy Model & Virtual Photo Contest: Closed Freight Car	Mt. Vernon	
23 November	Super's Signal Deadline			
16 Dec (Tentative)	Division 6 Meeting	Business Meeting: <i>Upper Arlington Library</i> Clinic: <i>Modeling Firefighting Equipment</i> , Greg Short Model & Virtual Photo Contest: Passenger Car	Upper Arlington	
21 Dec	Super's Signal Deadline			

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Harry "Butch" Sage Buckeye Division Elections Teller

The next Buckeye Division election, scheduled for early 2024, is for the four officer positions. The officers are all termlimited, and they cannot run for re-election. They can run for a different office should they so choose.

The nominating process is open and will conclude at the November Buckeye Division Meeting. Are you interested in running for one of the four positions? Don't hesitate to contact me and let me know which position you wish to run for. You can also seek nomination by presenting a petition during the November division meeting. You can also seek nomination by announcing your interest during the November meeting. Details on how to do this are in the Buckeye Division's Regulations located at:

https://div6-mcr-nmra.org/AboutFold/Division_6_Regulations_220225.pdf

Please consider becoming active in the leadership and management of your Buckeye Division.

Harry "Butch" Sage hsage3@yahoo.com

Nominations Committee Chair

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Contest Report Jim Ruisinger, Contest Chair



1st Place Virtual Photo by Jim Kehn Copyright by the entrant

October Virtual Photo Contest: RR Bridges & Trestles Model Contest: None

A word about Contests -Gonna keep harpin' on this!

We've tried to keep the subject matter pretty much the same from year to year, with a wrinkle or two from time to time. Members can plan ahead and have something to enter. The Model Contest requires that the model be present at the actual meeting.

But, we conduct the Photo Contests virtually via the web in order to allow as many members as possible to enter a photo without the need to attend the meetings. I'm puzzled that we have pretty much the same 10 - 15 members submitting photos and voting. Now, with 150+

August Contest: Caboose

Virtual Photo Contest:

1st Place: Jim Kehn, *NKP #s 757 & 765 with Old NKP Chevy pickup*

2nd Place: Jim Ruisinger, Oregon Pacific & Eastern #19 at AoS

3rd Place: Bob Baker, *Cumbres & Toltec (former D&RGW)* #487 at Osier

Model Contest:

1st Place: Bob Baker, Canadian Pacific 2-8-2 #5343

2nd Place: Mike Wolf, *Pennsy 2-8-2 #1205*

3rd Place: Greg Short, *Union Pacific 4-8-8-4 Big Boy 2-8-2 #4004*

members on the roster, that's pretty sad. We ARE all model railroaders and, almost by default, railroad photographers.

There really is no reason we can't have 20, 30, or even 40 or more photos entered. If you're like me, you've taken hundreds, if not thousands, of railroad-themed photos over the years. Dig through your photos and slides and dig out some good ones to enter. You can take slides to a photography shop and have them digitized to put on your computer. Plus, I imagine we have members who have slide scanners that can maybe help you out.

The rules are simple. The division member submitting the photo must have taken the photo. The photo can be either the prototype or a model. Take this as a challenge ENTER THE PHOTO CONTESTS!!!!

The Contest Committee is considering some new ideas for contest subjects. If any of you have ideas that might have broad appeal to our members, drop the Contest Chairman a note with your idea(s).



1st Place Model

by Bob Baker Cop

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August Contest Winners: https://archive2.div6-mcr-nmra.org/ContestFold/contest230916/Contest_230916.html

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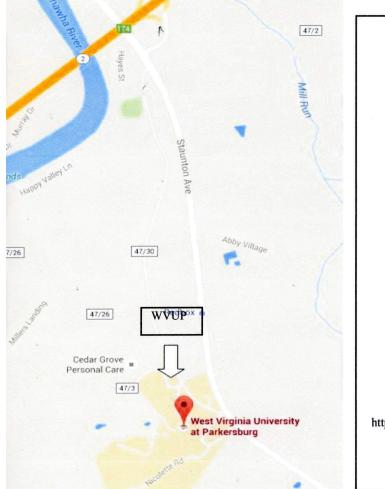
VendorsContactGreg - (740) 607-3223 - trainshow@div6-mcr-nmra.org







TRAIN SHOW 28th Annual M.O.V. Model RR Club Train Show Where: West Virginia University-Parkersburg on WV Rt. 47. 1 mile east of I-77 exit #174 Parkersburg, WV When: Saturday Oct. 28th . 2023, 10A.M. to 3P.M. Cost: \$5 Adult, Under 12-Free

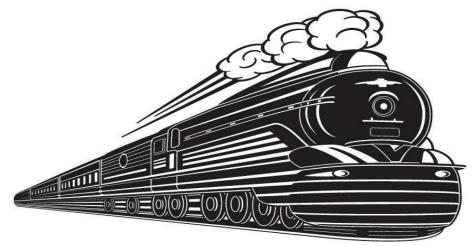


Vendors selling model trains of all scales. Bucket drawing for door prizes Food and refreshments available for sale Free parking and handicapped accessible For more information or dealer information contact: Mid-Ohio Valley Model RR Club Tom Ratkovich 304-588-5417 <u>railsign@suddenlink.net</u>

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