



Model and Photo Competition Categories for 2013



MODELS:

- JANUARY:** **On- OR Off-Line False Fronted Structures (Thin Line Structures/Backdrop Buildings)---**
NOTE: You must provide support for your structure.
- FEBRUARY:** **Freight Cars** (meaning ANY car that would be commonly found in a freight train consist).
- MARCH:** **No Contest---Flea Market.**
- APRIL:** **Passenger Cars** (this means ANY car which could be found in a passenger train consist).
- MAY:** **No Contest---Division 7 Bus Trip.**
- JUNE:** **“Anything Goes”** (Obviously, we mean RAILROAD models.).
- JULY:** **Diorama (On- OR Off-Line).** NOTE: This is NOT in False Front format.
- AUGUST:** **Vehicles** (Non-Rail). ANY vehicle found on a railroad that does not run on the rails.
- SEPTEMBER:** **Steam and/or Diesel Locomotives** (Trolleys are also in this category).
- OCTOBER:** **Bring ‘n’ Brag ---Rolling Stock Models** You will have five [5] minutes to “Brag” about the model you built. (You don’t have to “Brag” about your entry... you are simply being afforded the opportunity to tell us how you built it.
NOTE₁: If you have “handouts”, please pass them out during your 5 minute “Brag” segment.
NOTE₂: Please remember... NO “campaigning”.
- NOVEMBER:** **Servicing Facilities** Examples: Repair Shops, Roundhouses, Sanding Facilities, Coaling & Water Towers, Ash Pits, etc.
- DECEMBER:** **MOW Equipment**

PHOTOGRAPHY:

- JANUARY:** **Mid-Central Region Layouts** NOTE₁: the photographer can be ANY NMRA member entering this competition, but the Print MUST be of a Mid-Central Region (MCR) layout.
NOTE₂: Credit must be given to the owner of the layout on a small slip of paper below the print entry.
- FEBRUARY:** **Engines and/or Trains at Servicing Facilities---**any Steam and/or Diesel engine being serviced at a facility. This may also be a freight or passenger train (with diesel and/or steam engine in view) being serviced. Examples: at a sanding facility; water tower; water plug; roundhouse; turntable, etc.
- MARCH:** **No Contest---Flea Market.**
- APRIL:** **Train on a Bridge** (Must show engine but no restriction on the number of cars.
- MAY:** **No Contest---Division 7 Bus Trip.**
- JUNE:** **Railroad Structures** (Examples: Stations; Freight Houses, Roundhouses; etc.)
- JULY:** **Train in Inclement Weather.** (Rain, snow, sleet, hail, etc.)
- AUGUST:** **Railroad Signals and/or Signage** i.e: Order boards; semaphores; signs on a passenger station, etc. but not on rolling stock.
- SEPTEMBER:** **Steam Locomotive/s**
- OCTOBER:** **Personnel Workin’ On The Railroad**
- NOVEMBER:** **Diesel Locomotive/s** (Trolleys are also in this category).
- DECEMBER:** **“Fallen Flag” Rolling Stock** By definition, this means ANY rolling stock belonging to a road no longer recognized as an official carrier. A “Fallen Flag” has either been absorbed in a merger or is no longer in existence. Examples: Baltimore & Ohio; Pennsylvania RR; Vermont Central; etc.