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CAJON DIVISION MAN OF THE YEAR

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# 1989 ANNUAL BANQUET

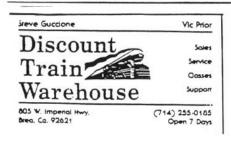
The Cajon Division's Annual Banquet this year will be on Saturday, March 25. The location will be the Embassy Suite Hotel, 3100 E. Frontera, in Anaheim (714) 632-1221.

Social Hour will be from 6:30 to 7:30 with dinner starting at 7:30 p.m.

Among the activities to take place - the years financial report - Achievement Awards - Golden Spike Awards - Man of the Year 1988. This year we will be doing something different -- that's right folks, no movies! The audience will be participating in the "New" PRICE IS RIGHT.

Mark your calendar for a fun filled evening with friends at the 1st activity for 1989 in your Cajon Division. Fill out the entry form in this issue or call John (714) 947-4389.

P.S. The Editor has marked one issue of this edition with a special message. Bring in this issue and receive a free meal!







R.E. "BOB" SCHOONMAKER

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# LAYOUT TOUR

Last summer the Cajon Division had five excellent pikes in our layout tour. They were at the homes of Wally Booth, Orlyn Glover, Fred Schrock, Jim McMasters, and Don Oldendorf's. Each was unique and all were different from one another.

Wally's was the "newest" of the layouts. Started only a few years ago, Wally has made considerable progress since his early beginnings.

Orlyn has an outdoor garden layout which, in June 1988, received its 10 year spike. He uses Carrier Control which can operate 8 channels. He has 5 control panels to operate all of the divisions, and the total length of trackage is over 500 feet and can be operated in a continuous loop by going across a 6 foot redwood trestle. The backyard is lighted with low voltage lights and night time running can be a truly great experience, watching the engine headlights, signal lights, and station structures all lit up.

Fred's F.G.&S. Railroad is 24 years young. He operates it from a room over his garage (I hate you Fred), with four operators. His layout has 3 levels and the track is on a 2% grade, except from the bridge to the "cut" which is 2 1/2%. He has added 18 feet of mirrors on the far end of the room which enables viewers to see the back of his layout. Many of his cars and engines are custom painted by his son who lives in Colorado. (I only hope my layout can look as good as his in 24 years).

Jim's layout is complete, except for a few trees which he may add later. It's a loop to loop with 5 towns. Three engineers can operate three trains at one time. Normally 9 trains are used on an operating session, but he has used 10 trains. Those sessions usually last around 2 1/2 hours. Jim belongs to a Round Robin club with 13 members, and the club has been around for 21 years.

Don's Eagle and Cripple Creek Railroad is one of the most unique layouts in Orange County. When he is not operating his layout, it is raised to the ceiling by cable wires (so his wife can park her car). Began on April 3, 1980, he named it after

the spaceship Eagle because when his layout is in the raised position, its legs reminded him of the Eagle. The basic design is a loop to loop with a division point yard.

## PIKE ADS

For those of you who want to show support for your hobby, displaying your Pike in The Order Board is one sure way to do it. Your pike ads provide the additional funds to help cover the increased costs associated with this publication.

CAJON DIVISION MEMBERS may advertise their pikes for half the cost of commercial ads. Ads are limited to business card size.

All we need from you is the black and white camera ready art work. For more information, call Rick at (714) 533-6484 or Ralph at (714) 524-0934.



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# CAJON DIVISION ANNUAL BANQUET

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# ACHIEVEMENT NEWS (AND GOSSIP) by VIC PRIOR

There are a lot of modelers out there in "Cajon Land" that already qualify for the "Golden Spike Award." What is that? Well, it's the NMRA's attempt to recognize you folks that have begun to achieve excellance in model railroading. I said, "MODEL RAILROADING." Not necessarily contest quality modeling. This award is suitable for framing and is done in beautiful script. You will be proud to display it on your train room wall! Want do I have to do, you ask?

Well I'm glad you asked--because it's very simple. Listen up!

Category "A" - Rolling Stock (Motive power & cars)

- Display six (6) units of rolling stock (scratchbuilt, craftsman or detailed commercial kits). NOTE: They may be Athearn, MDC, or whatever...!
- Category 'B' Model Railroad setting (structures & scenery)
- 1. Construct a minimum of eight (8) square feet of layout.
- Construct five (5) structures (scratch built, craftsman, or detailed commercial kits). If your module/layout has less than five, additional ones separate from the scene may be presented. NOTE: These may be plastic kits & need not be detailed to the "nth" degree!

Category "C" - Engineering (Civil and electrical)

- Three types of trackage required (turnout, crossing, crossover, wye, etc). All must be properly ballasted and installed on proper roadbed. Of course, commercial track may be used. See how easy this is!
- 2. All trackage above must be wired properly so two trains can be operated simultaneously. (Double track main, single track main with sidings and block or command control) NOTE: Don't read more into this than there really is. Most of you have already done the above!
- Provide one additional electrical feature such as a powered turnout, signalling, turnout indication, or a lighted building, etc.

Now most of you are saying to yourselves right now "I've done all of this already or most of it except for one or two things! Those one or two items can be done in less than an

evening in most cases.

If model railroading has gone somewhat stale for some of you - revive it by accomplishment! It will awaken that neat feeling in you that comes when you display your models and your NMRA Achievement Certificate "Golden Spike Award."

Call me when you are ready to start or when you are ready for me to examine your efforts.

Further, if yoiu still have questions concerning requirements for the award call me at (714) 255-0185 and I'll help you get underway. Do it now!!

For the 15-20 awards already extended this year --you folks will be receiving your award and recognition at the Cajon Banquet on March 25, 1989. Be sure and mark your calendar to attend this annual affair. It will be an evening for you and your sweetheart. See 'ya there.

VIC

# 1990 PSR CONVENTION

The Cajon Division is planning to host the 1990 NMRA PSR Convention. We need volunteers to assist us in the following areas:

Layout tours
Prototype tours
Clinics
On site layout display
Contest organization
Audio-visual
Manufacturers and Commercial
Railette activities
Registration
Treasurer

Please contact Vic Prior at Discount Train Warehouse (714) 255-0185 or Cliff Edlund (714) 990-0849.

## National Model Railroad Association Pacific Southwest Region Activity Coordinating Committee Timetable As Of February 13, 1989

The Activity Coordinating Committee is a clearinghouse for information about events of interest for members and helps to avoid conflicts in scheduling such events. For information or scheduling assistance, call or send a SASE to Tom Becker, PSR Activity Coordinator, 2743 Merlin Ave., Fullerton, CA 92635 or (714) 529-0353

### March 1989

- Mar 1, 1989; San Diego Railroad Museum, Casa De Balboa, Balboa Park, 1649 El Prado, San Diego, CA; 11:00 AM to 4:00 PM Wednesday through Fridays and First Tuesday, 11:00 AM to 5:00 PM Saturdays and Sundays; \$1.00 Adults, Kids under 16 & first Tuesday Free; Info: (619) 696-0199; Other dates this month: Mar 2-5, 8-12, 15-19, 22-26, 29-2 April
- Mar 3, 1989; Train Collectors Association Swap Meet; 319 North Central Ave., Glendale, CA; 6:30 to 9:30 PM; Info: Bob Caplan (213) 382-5266
- Mar 4, 1989; Orange Empire Railway Museum Railroadiana Swap Meet; 2201 "A" Street, Perris, CA; 9:00 AM to 2:00 PM; \$2.00 Swap Meet or \$3.50 Adults, \$2.50 Kids (6-11), Under 6 free for all day pass; Info: (714) 657-2605, P. O. Box 548, Perris, CA 92370
- Mar 4, 1989; Foothill Model Railroad Club Swap Meet; K-Mart Parking Lot, 8040 Foothill Blvd., Sunland, CA; 7:30 AM to 12:00 Noon; \$1.50 Adults, \$2.00 Family (Children under 18); Info: John or Pam Vivian (818) 841-6528
- Mar 4, 1989; PSR/NMRA Arizona Division Winter Meet; Metro Tech (old West High School), 1900 W. Thomas Rd., Phoenix, AZ; 9:00 AM to 4:00 PM; \$5.00 NMRA member adults, \$2.50 NMRA member under 21; Free if you join NMRA at the meet; Info: Roger C. Von Seeburg (602) 942-9549, 309 E. Beck Lane, Phoenix, AZ 85022
- Mar 4, 1989; RCHTA & MRIA Los Angeles Model Hobby Show; L. A. County Fairplex, Los Angeles, CA; Two days: Mar 4 and Mar 5; 10:00 AM to 6:00 PM, Mar 4; 10:00 AM to 4:00 PM, Mar 5; \$5.00 Adults, \$2.50 Kids 6-12, Under 6 Free; Info: (800) 323-5155
- Mar 6, 1989; PSR/NMRA Los Angeles Division Executive Advisory Board Meeting; St. Stephens Church, 6128 Yucca St., Hollywood, CA; 7:30 PM to 10:00 PM; Free to all L. A. Division Members; Info: Gale Irwin (213) 326-7040
- Mar 11, 1989; PSR/NMRA Los Angeles Division Movie Night; L. A. Times Auditorium, 20000 Prairie Street (at Winnetka), Northridge, CA; 7:30 PM; Bring your movies or videos; \$2.00 Adults, \$3.00 Adult & Family; Info: Wayne Hallowell (213) 663-6999 Evenings
- Mar 11, 1989; Santa Fe Modelers Association Western Regional Convention; Christ Presbyterian Church, 20112 S. Magnolia Ave., Huntington Beach, CA; 9:00 AM to 5:00 PM; \$3.00, \$5.00 Family; Info: Pete Meyn, 21909 Erie Lane, El Toro, CA 92630
- Mar 12, 1989; TTOS Southwestern Division No. 1 Meet; Machinist Hal 2600 W. Victory Blvd., Burbank, CA; 11:00 AM Sellers, 12:00 Noon, Buyers; Cross street Buena Vista; Info: (213) 597-1063.
- Mar 17, 1989; Electric Railway Historical Association of Southern California Meet; Community Room, California Federal Savings, 1900 Sunset Blvd., Echo Park, CA; 7:30 PM; Free; Info: Ralph Cantos (213) 271-9972

- Mar 17, 1989; Valley Toy Train Club Meet; St. Innocent Orthodox Church, 5657 Lindsey Ave., Tarzana, CA; 6 PM to 9:00 PM; Free; Visitors welcome, guest pass required; Info: (818) 905-6465
- Mar 18, 1989; Los Angeles Modular Club Hookup; St Stephens Episcopal Church, 6128 Yucca St., Hollywood, CA; 9:00 AM to 4:00 PM; Free; Info: George Bates (818) 349-0577
- Mar 25, 1989; PSR/NMRA Cajon Division Annual Banquet; Embassy Suites Hotel, 3100 E. Frontera, Anaheim, CA; Info: John Hachey (714) 947-4389
- Mar 30, 1989; Sierra Southern Model RR Club (Lockheed Employees) Movie Night; 2814 Empire, Burbank, CA; 7:00 PM; Free; Info: Glenn Wilkinson (818) 847-3206 (days), (818) 847-5035 (Thursday nights only)

### April 1989

- Apr 1, 1989; San Diego Railroad Museum, Casa De Balboa, Balboa Park, 1649 El Prado, San Diego, CA; 11:00 AM to 4:00 PM Fridays and first Tuesday, 11:00 AM to 5:00 PM Saturdays and Sundays; \$1.00 Adults, Kids under 16 and first Tuesday Free; Info: (619) 696-0199; Other dates this month: Apr. 2, 7-9, 14-16, 21-23 and 28-30
- Apr 2, 1989; Train Collectors Association Swap Meet; 319 North Central Ave., Glendale, CA; Noon to 4:00 PM; Info: Bob Caplan (213) 382-5266
- Apr 2, 1989; GATS Ltd. Train Mart; L. A. County Fair & Expo Center, White Avenue Entrance, Building 7A, Pomona, CA; 10:00 AM to 4:00 PM; \$3.00 Admission, \$3.00 Parking; Info: GATS Ltd. (312) 834-0652, P. O. Box 1745, Lombard, IL 60148
- Apr 8, 1989; West Covina Brotherhood of Model Railroaders Swap Meet and Open House; 132 East First St, Pomona, CA; 8:00 AM to 12:00 Noon Swap, 10:00 AM to 10:00 PM Open House; Free; Info: Jess Taylor (714) 985-6048
- Apr 16, 1989; TTOS Southwestern Division No. 1 All Day Meet; Tentative; Info: (213) 597-1063
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- Apr 23, 1989; Allied Model Trains Auction; Arcadia Masonic Hall; 50 W. Duarte Rd., Arcadia, CA; 9:00 AM to 5:00 PM; Free; Info: (213) 475-0463
- Apr 29, 1989; Glendale Model Railroad Club, Inc. 40th Aniversary Open House; Fremont Park, 619 Hahn Avenue, Glendale, CA; Three days: Sat., Apr 29, 10:00 AM-4:00 PM and 7:30 PM-9:30 PM; Sun., Apr 30, 1:00 PM-4:00 PM; Mon., May 1, 7:30 PM-10:00 PM; Info: Frank Babbitt (818) 500-9900 or 500-7229, 124 N. Adams, Glendale, CA 91206
- **Apr 29, 1989**; Orange Empire Railway Museum Rail Festival; 2201 "A" Street' Perris, CA; 9:00 AM to 5:00 PM; Also Apr 30; \$6.00 Adults, \$4.00, Juniors 6-11, Under 6 free; Info: (714) 657-2605, P. 0. Box 548, Perris, CA 92370

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- May 3, 1989; PCR/NMRA Regional Convention "Valley Flyer '89"; Fresno, CA; Four days, May 3 to May 7, 1989; Info: Valley Flyer in '89 c/o Chuck Harmon (209) 299-4385, 1644 E. Goshen, Fresno, CA 91310
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- May 6, 1989; 50th Aniversary Los Angeles Union Passenger Station; Steam, Diesel and AMTRAK Exhibits, 800 N. Alameda, Los Angeles, CA; Two days, Saturday May 6 and Sunday, May 7; 10:00 AM to 5:00 PM; Free; Info: Bob Pfister, General Manager, (213) 625-2672
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- May 20, 1989; Belmont Shores Model RR Club Open House and Auction; Angels Gate Park, San Pedro, CA; Two days, Saturday, May 20, 1:00 PM to 4:00 PM, Sunday, May 21, Auction at 1:00 PM; Info: John Hourigan (818) 357-0587
- May 21, 1989; Sahuaro Central Swap Meet; 1210 Indian School Rd., Phoenix, AZ; 8:00 AM Sellers, 9:00 AM to 3:00 PM Public; \$12.00 per table in advance, \$15.00 per table at door; \$2.00 per person, children with parents free; Info: Dottie Finch (602) 973-4231, P. O. Box 26282, Phoenix, AZ 85068
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- May 27, 1989; Model Train Association All Day Meet; Plymouth Church, 12058 Beverly Blvd., Whittier, CA; 9:00 AM to 3:00 PM; \$3.00 per table; Info: Marie Lee (714) 963-3273, 19101 Yecht Lane, Huntington Beach, CA 92646

# FROM THE D.S.

As we enter 1989 the Cajon Division will be planning some new and exciting activities for the membership. In this issue is the agenda for the Annual Banquet to be held at the Embassy Suite Hotel in Anaheim.

In the recent months the Division has had many problems due to the high cost of facilities in the counties of Orange and San Bernardino. An example is our past summer meet location of Mariposa Elementary School in Brea, where our fees tripled from \$90.00 to \$285.00, thus making it impossible to hold meets there.

I am at this time asking you, the membership of 287, to come forward with any information regarding locations for future meets. Possibilities could be churches, VFW Halls, schools, clubs, etc. Any help would be much appreciated.

Some possible activities this year planned are a layout tour, summer meet, auction, and prototype tour. Anyone willing to help our small staff, please call me any evening at (714) 947-4389.

Thanks

JOHN HACHEY