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Superintendents 's Report Spring '94

Ed Hall

Thanks to all who attended the meet in fullerton last February. Everyone seemed to have a good time. The clinician provided a wealth of information in specific aspects of modeling. Tome Van Wormer won the favorite model contest by an overwhelming vote. He had the only entries. I hope to see more entries in the coming Riverside meet.

I would like to express my appreciation to the Freight Yard in Anaheim for all the door prizes they donated. Everyone was pleased with their prizes.

As you read this column, I would like to you to think about a problem that we need to resolve in the Cajon division. That problem is attendance. As you know we have tried to schedule events to keep your interests up and make this aspect of the hobby more interesting, there is a need for more fellowship. If you have any ideas of how to peak interest, please let me know. After months of working at my model bench I look forward to up coming train meets. I am proud of my work and like to show my handy work! I find that I am inspired by what others have been doing with their layouts and model building. I know that I am not alone in this need. I find contest, clinics and layout tours to be helpful in my own modeling interest.

The next meet is at Roger Clarkson's home in Riverside. If you have not seen an outdoor layout, Roger has one. He also has a beautifully detailed HO layout. Both are a must see. Roger has done a fantastic job inside and out of his home, reproducing model railroads. I hope that everyone supports this meet and avail themselves of Roger's hospitality.

April-June 1993

Don't forget the upcoming PSR '94 Convention in San Diego. After that you can come and relax at the Las Vegas meet in October.

Now that I have all my grumblings out of the way and if you are any comments write:

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Cajon Division Meet

There will be a Cajon Division meet at Roger Clarkson's, 1463 Rim Road, Riverside, California from 11:00 am to 5:00 pm Saturday June 4, 1994. Rodger has two railroads. A "G" scale outdoor layout that is over 1/3 acre and a 22 x 32 "HO" layout.

We will have clinics, favorite model contest, etc. And the addmission is FREE!

Make your plans to attend!!!



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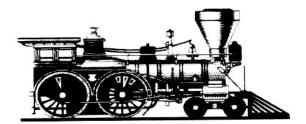
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MODEL CONTEST REPORT SPRING '94 Ed Hall

Not much news in the contest category. Tom Van Wormer won first and second place in favorite model contest. They were nicely detailed freight cars of first class quality.

At the next meet (June 4, in Riverside) we will have the favorite model contest again. Merit judging will be be available upon request. I have an interest in complete train modeling, and hope in the future to have favorite train contests

I Hope to see more authentically detailed models at the riverside meet and at PSR '94 Convention in San Diego (September 7-11).

PSR Cajon Division Membership

The current Cajon Division Membership is as follows:

 Regular Members
 215

 Family Members
 17

 Youth Members
 0

 Life Members
 29

 Total Members
 261

IN REMEMBRANCE OF CAROL AUSTIN

Carol Austin, wife of Lynn Austin, passed away April 29,1994. The officers and members of the Cajon division express their deepest sympathy to the Austin Family at the time of this great loss. Carol shared a deep interest in model railroading and was supportive of the Cajon division. We will all miss her very much.

Ed Hall

PSR '94 CONVENTION OVERVIEW

Regional Conventions enable NMRA members to participate in exciting tours, clinics and workshops, great layout viewing at both the conference site, and at homes and clubs. There are fascinating Swap meets and sales by members, manufacturers, and vendors. And meaningful activities for the ladies . . . ALL CLOSE TO HOME!

Much like a national convention, the Southwest has only one Regional Conference a year and if you miss these you are losing one of your most important benefits of NMRA membership as well as updating your state-of-the art information and enthusiasm for your hobby.

San Diego. One of the top convention and tourist cities in the Unites States, has the honor of hosting model railroaders to a great assembly of displays, technical and artistic information, and just plain FUN!

ISN'T THAT WHAT MODEL RAILROADING IS ABOUT?

If you are a serious modeler, a member of NMRA, a Region, or Division, you just <u>can't</u> miss this exposition! San Diego Division is going full out to provide an event to rival, in scale, a National Convention. We did it in 1974 at the Town and Country Hotel, and we're doing it again at the same Convention Center in 1994.

Imagine this: Over forty clinics and workshops; Over twenty home and club layouts open to attendees; Eighty five thousand feet of manufacturers, retailers sales and individuals in a giant Swap Meet all indoors; Model. display. and photographic arts contest with forty two categories eligible for awards; An eighteen thousand square foot Ballroom loaded with modular, individual, and display train layouts in scales of N, HO, O S, G/1 and Live Steam: A large-screen television theater will run Railroad and Feature movies every day and evening, and still some time for socializing.

ALL INCLUDED WITH YOUR REGISTRATION!

However, because of the scope of the displays and swap meet, these two activities will be open to the general public for three days . . . Thursday, Friday, and Saturday, September 8, 9, & 10. Swap Meet on Saturday 8:00 AM to 12 Noon.

The public should also know this is **NOT** your ordinary Toy Train Show. Displayed are the efforts and expertise of serious model makers specializing in construction. structures, scenery, mechanical and electrical engineering, computer aided design, and The old adage "something for everyone" was never more appropriate than at PSR '94. September 7 through 11. 1994. In addition to the standard fare are the special events and evenings.

On Friday there will be a buffet with open bar, an operating session, and an auction.

A Saturday morning Hobo Breakfast, the afternoon contest judging of models, displays, layouts, photographic submissions, and crafts, followed by the Swap Meet. The evening Awards Dinner offers excellent food drink, and entertainment.

Tours are always popular and we have some outstanding ones:

EXCLUSIVE . . . Visit to the Thomas Seton Home Museum containing the worlds famous and largest toy train collection, layout and the most complete "Buddy L" toy truck collection, then on to the beautifully restored private car, the Cyrus K. Holiday. Note: this tour does not exist for the public.

Also . . . are the S. D. Model Railroad Museum. the S> D. Railroad Museum Tour, train ride and Lunch. The S. D. & Imperial Valley yard Tour and Lunch. and North County Rail Transit Center Tour via. AMTRAK. to Oceanside. Many non-rail tours are also planned.

Make this a Family vacation! It's all here: the weather, beaches, mountains, lakes and bays. Attractions like Sea World, the Wild Animal Park, famous San Diego Zoo, Seaport Village, the Gaslamp Quarter, Harbor Tours and Whale Watching, Day Cruises to Ensenada, Mexico, and excellent fishing, golf, and tennis anyone?

AND YOU CAN DRIVE HERE!

At the Convention Center we'll have an all day and evening central lounge with refreshments for relaxing between events and socializing.

Railettes, wives and lady friends will have their own private SUITE furnished in Victorian Motif, and located next to the pool, the boutique, coffee shop and ice cream parlor. Especially organized tours, classes, fashion, makeup, and craft demonstrations in addition to any and all railroad activities.

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PSR '94 CONVENTION

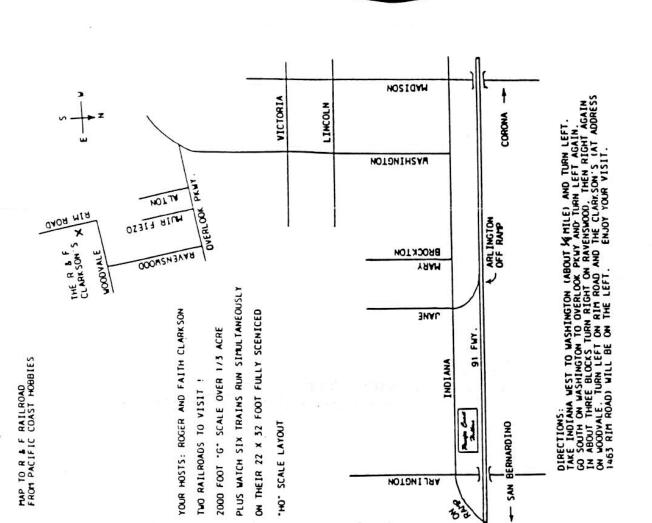
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Cajon Division Timetable

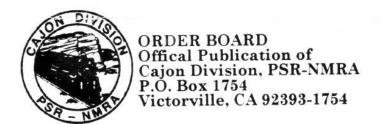
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May 25- 30	PCR '94 Convention		San Diego. CA
(5)	50th Anniversary		
	Santa Clara. CA	October 15	CAJON DIVISION MEET Las Vegas. NV
June 4	CAJON DIVISION MEET		
	Riverside, CA 11 am - 5 pm	November 12 & 13	Great American Train Show Long Beach Convention Center Long Beach, CA
June 11 & 12	Big Train Show - Queen Mary	2	
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August 13 & 14	Great American Train Show Fairplex - Pomona, CA		Costa Mesa. CA



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