

# THE ORDER BOARD

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## Cajon Commentary

*Tom Becker*

Two years have passed since I became superintendant of the Cajon Division. I've learned a lot during that time, - mainly that the job is a lot more than I ever thought it would be.

Putting on meets requires a lot of work and planning. The details go on and on : Finding a place, setting the theme, finding volunteers to give clinics, twisting hobby shop owners arms for door prizes. - But now my two years are up and a new superintendant will give it a go.

When ou nomination chairman called the membership of the division for suggestions or volunteers to run for "super", one name was suggested over and over, - Vic Prior. Vic has volunteered to run and has many good ideas but most important he has the desire to work for you, the membership of the division. The ballot also contains space for write-ins for superintendant. If you know of someone who wants the job, - call other members, start a campaign, put the name on the ballot.

The Chief Clerk/Paymaster is a post that also requires a desire to work for you, - to help plan, organize and assist the superintendant with meets. Vote for the candidate who will do this for you.

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## Comin' Up

February 26, 1983  
CAJON DIVISION ANNUAL BANQUET  
Knotts Berry Farm Steak House  
Buena Park.  
Social Hour 6:30 - 7:30, Dinner @ 7:30  
Fare - \$11.00 per person. (See Reservation Insert)

March 12, 1983  
CAJON DIVISION AUCTION  
320 N. Harbor Blvd.  
Fullerton, CA  
Sellers 8:00 AM, Buyers 9:00AM, Auction begins at 10:00AM  
Fare - \$1.50

# for SUPERINTENDENT

VIC PRIOR.

I believe Model Railroading growth begins at the grass roots level. I have experienced this in the Model Railroading group I have been involved with for the past six years. New people coming into our group come in to receive our input and want to join us in the NMRA activities. Each Division represents this grass roots level and if there is to be growth, excitement, fun and fulfillment in this hobby, the Division could be and should be the instrument that provides it.

I have been in Model Railroading for 22 years. I have attended most of the Regional conventions and a good number of the Nationals. I am a life member of our Region (#84) and a life member of the NMRA (#1309) since 1970. I have led the "Rusty Rails" Model Railroad group for the last six years. I am active in and attend most Division functions because I believe this hobby is the best there is and it deserves my support.

In summary, I believe in Model Railroading and that the Division should serve the interests of the POM at the grass roots level. I would like to be your choice to lead this division for the next two years so I am asking you to vote for me to represent you. In return, I'm going to try my best to make this division worthy of your interest so we, together, can expand our Model Railroading fun, knowledge and excitement here at the grass roots level.

# for CLERK-PAYMASTER

RALPH DUBOIS.

The officers of this division should be involved in the activities of the division. As your Chief Clerk/Paymaster, I promise my attendance and active participation at all division meets and business meetings. I am singularly qualified for this post as I have very successfully owned and operated my own business for the past twenty five years. I have been a Railfan and Modeler from my youth, and have held club positions similar to this one. I am a life member of the NMRA and PSR.

If you want a chief clerk who will assist the superintendant by being active and working for you in this division vote for me. I would be honored to have your vote.

MAC McFADDEN.

No comments submitted.

CAJON DIVISION ANNUAL BANQUET - SATURDAY , FEBRUARY 26 , 1983

Please reserve                      tickets to the banquet @ \$11 ea. for which please find enclosed the sum of \$                     

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## ADDRESS

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Mail with your check to : Tom Becker

2743 Merlin Ave.  
Fullerton, CA 92635

Make Check Payable To CAJON DIVISION.



## OFFICIAL BALLOT

SUPERINTENDENT :

\_\_\_\_\_ Vic Prior  
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CHIEF CLERK/PAYMASTER :

\_\_\_\_\_ Ralph Dubois

\_\_\_\_\_ Mac McFadden  
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COMPLETE AND MAIL YOUR BALLOT TODAY !

BALLOTS MUST BE POSTMARKED BY FEBRUARY 10th, 1983 TO BE VALID

# Regional

REPORT OF THE PSR BOARD OF DIRECTORS MEETING ON 10-1-82

On October 1 the PSR Executive Board gathered in Needles, California to discuss the business and organizational affairs of the NMRA's newest region. The Cajon Division was represented by Hank Graham, acting as appointed proxy for Director Bob Chaparro.

The highlights of the meeting included the following:

1. The Region's initials were officially established as "PSR" rather than the alternately suggested "PSWR".
2. A tentative budget was adopted subject to the establishment of a fixed twelve-month period for the business fiscal year.
3. The By-Laws and Manual of Operations were discussed with an eye towards improvements in these documents.
4. Membership trends and needs were discussed.
5. Hank Graham was selected to succeed Ray Sadler as the PSR Contest Chairmen.
6. Various reports from standing committees were submitted and discussed.
7. Concern was noted that participation in PSR administration is being dominated by the Los Angeles and Arizona members not by design but by circumstances. The lack of volunteers from the Cajon and San Diego Divisions is causing this imbalance.

Submitted by Bob Chaparro  
from notes of the meeting

# ANNUAL BANQUET

This year, our annual banquet will be held February 26th, at Knotts Berry Farm Steak House in Buena Park. The program will include a railroad related talk and slide presentation by Norm Orfall, Assistant Trainmaster for the Santa Fe in Barstow. Norm will be assisted by Railfan Extraordinaire Bob Knoll. We will also have a favorite model contest so bring YOUR favorite (Railroad-Ed.) model to be voted on by all other attendees, and you may win your dinner. The winners dinner will be paid for by the Cajon Division.

"The Farm Dinner" is our menu selection for the evening. This dinner consists of Salad, Roll, Beverage, Steak and Chicken, and Boysenberry Pie ! - All for only \$11.00.

The "Social Hour" begins at 6:30 with dinner at 7:30. Tickets may be ordered for this event by filling out the enclosed order form and sending it, together with your check, to :

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2743 Merlin Ave.  
Fullerton, CA 92635

Reservations must be received by February 19th ! A small number of tickets will be available at the door the night of the banquet, but don't take the risk of missing this one. Send in your reservation (and your BALLOT) today !



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