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## Super's Report

Art Dawson  
Division Superintendent

Hello fellow modelers,

We had a wonderful group of dioramas presented at the April meeting, it was good to see your efforts at making trees from natural materials.

The Board of Directors continues nearly unchanged for the coming year, and I will be continuing as your Superintendent. In fact, all the officers will reprise their roles for another year.

We are still looking for a Clinic Chairman. Please step up and volunteer for this important position, your friends are depending on you!! Previous chairs will be happy to help with suggestions until you get up to speed.

Summer is almost upon us, and our final meet for the year is May 5<sup>th</sup>. This is a joint one with the Rock River Valley Division at our normal meet location in Verona. Our annual spring banquet is on Friday, May 10<sup>th</sup>, and the deadline for sign up is May 1<sup>st</sup>! Forms for the banquet and the summer picnic are in this Bad Order.

I look forward to seeing you at both events.

Art Dawson, SCWD Superintendent  
Model railroading is fun!

**Next SCWD Meet**  
**Verona Senior Center, Verona**  
May 5, 2024 at 1 PM (Joint Meet)

**Next BOD Meeting:**  
May 14, 2024 at 6:30 PM  
ZOOM Meeting



**Next Youth Group**  
**Verona Senior Center, Verona**  
May 11, 2024 1 PM



# Clinic Column

Ken Hojnacki

Last month, Bob Welke gave us an in-depth look at not only how he operates his great Wisconsin & Upper Michigan Railroad but also things he learned from his professional railroad career and how they did and did not translate into model railroad operations. Now I have to make changes to my own approach. Many thanks to Bob for his presentation.



Due to unforeseen circumstances, Bob Frankrone was unable to present his Zoom clinic. Perhaps he can reschedule to sometime next meeting season.

This month, Pete Reinhold will show us his unique approach to benchwork on his a-building Pennsylvania Railroad Elmira Branch. Pete says his benchwork will never warp or expand and is very sturdy yet easy to work on and under. To say his approach is bullet proof would be an understatement.

To close our Year of Operations, I will be doing my clinic Running to Operations; My Journey from Flyer to the NYO&W Auburn Division. I chose to model a proposed but never built part of the O&W but based on typical O&W practices.

I have enjoyed finding programs that I hope have made meetings interesting for you over the last few years. However, I am retiring from my Clinic Chair position after the May meeting and the Division will need someone to start planning for next season's programs. I can provide information on the contacts I have made to help get you started. Let Art Dawson know if you can help.

Ken



# Youth Group

Steve Preston, Chair



At our April meeting, we had anticipated making a working layout with certain features for the kids to run on but there was a problem with getting into the Verona Senior Center since the doors were locked. We made due by getting them to run on a layout that Chris Bradley had brought in. Chris showed them some things they could do on their own layouts. Meanwhile, I introduced Parker Davies how to solder and splice wires. He did well his first time out, and he done a good job on a switch I had given him with some wires attached. He got a chance to use a heat gun on those wires also. Charlie Mitchell was learning about circuits and magnetism from Karl Hauth and Chris Bradley. It went well, and the kids did learn something even though our planned course did not pan out.



Thanks to all who came and helped out, the Verona Police Department, Bill Mitchell, Chris Bradley, Phil Hottmann, and Karl Hauth; you guys made it happen.

Steve Preston  
Youth Group Chair and  
SCWD Membership Chair

# Modeling Project

Mike Vivion



Another year of the Modeling Project was completed at our April meeting. While slightly less than half of those who signed last Fall brought their completed project to the meeting for judging, we had nine excellent entries. Congratulations to our winners and thanks to all of you entered. N scale winners were Art Jennrich (1st place) and John Haverberg (2nd place). There were only 2 N scale entries. We had seven HO entries and the winners were: Phil Hottmann (1st place), Ken Hojnacki (2nd place) and Jason Martin (3rd place). Anyone else who has completed their project since the April meeting is welcome to bring it to our May meeting for display.

I am looking for ideas for next year's modeling project. If you have a suggestion, see me at the May meeting or contact me directly.

Mike Vivion  
Modeling Project Chair



**Art Jennrich 1st Place N scale**



**John Haverberg 2nd Place N scale**



**Phil Hottmann 1st Place HO scale**



**Ken Hojnacki 2nd Place HO scale**



**Jason Martin 3rd Place HO scale**

## Contest Column

Dave Down, Chair

Our May contest will have the theme Cabooses. This will be the last contest of the 2023-24 season. It seems appropriate for the end of our contest year to focus on the caboose at the end of the train. At least it used to be.

### March 5 Popular Vote Contest Theme-The Caboose

Cat A - Wood Caboose

Cat B - Steel Caboose

Cat C - Transfer Caboose

Cat D - Bobber - 4 wheel Caboose

After this contest the results for the year will be tabulated and we will be making presentations at the banquet for Modeler of the Year and Photographer of the year. See you on the 5th!

Dave



If you have a Trains.com Unlimited Membership there is a fantastic video on the Mad City Train Show. It's posted in the section "Behind the Scenes" check it out!



Attention SCWD Members!  
Would you like a name badge?

Contact Steve Preston by email  
[smpefp@charter.net](mailto:smpefp@charter.net)  
to let him know!

## Layout Tours

Phil Hottmann

It was good see Rusty Dramm's layout once again. His work is always excellent. Rusty had one of his cabooses on display with a full interior. My understanding is that it will be judged at the upcoming regional convention.



We were also able to see the Waunakee Society of Model Railroad Engineers Club layout. One of their new features was a conversion to DCC. It was good to see them using a SmartPhones to operate their layout. This is an impressive layout with many scenic projects underway.



For May, Al Potts will open his Union Pacific – Wyoming Division layout. I will also be opening my layout. I will hopefully have a third layout open. As I write this, I'm still awaiting confirmation.

Phil

## Our model railroad show from refreshing visual perspectives

Our annual show regularly attracts people, mostly model railroaders, who take photos and videos during the show. Many of the videos appear on YouTube. Plus, this year, there was a show video on Kalmbach's trains.com.

However, the 2024 show was different. We were approached by talented individuals who covered the show in video or photography who are not in the hobby and they approached the show with interest, curiosity and talent.

Two were photographers. Joshua Abraham and Ann McDade, and each provided us with more than 125 pictures. Most of Ann's were candid pictures covering attendees, vendors, exhibitors, lots of trains and modeling details. Joshua's photos covered the same ground but from a more artistic point of view with selective focus, high design and rich color. Both picked up on the regional nature of show's participants. Below are a few of Joshua's photos.

An interesting video was produced by a husband and wife team, Jeff and Debbye, AKA the LoveNesters. It was presented in a documentary format where Debbye would approach exhibitors and vendors with a childlike inquisitiveness and get the subject talking. Then she'd talk to the camera (her husband) about her observations. The 18+ minute video is on the SCWD website: <https://www.nmra-scwd.org/show-videos.html> and also available on YouTube at <https://youtu.be/0ziuegtwvH0>

Over time you'll be seeing the work of Ann and Joshua since both gave us permission to use their work for our member communications.

The delight of the work of these people, is the portrait that they present of us, our visitors and our hobby that is surprising, touching and charming. It is a refreshing point-of-view.

Bob Boelter



**Lionel Layout**  
by Joshua Abraham



**Burlington Train**  
by Joshua Abraham



**Rerailing Amtrak**  
by Joshua Abraham



# It's banquet time!

**May 10<sup>th</sup> 2024**

To be held at the:  
**American Legion Hall**  
207 Legion Street  
Verona, WI 53593



**Cocktails at 6pm**



Dinner will be served starting at 7pm — so don't be late.

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## **Reservations must be received by May 1<sup>st</sup>**

Cost of meal: SCWD/NMRA members, \$15.00

Non-NMRA attendees, \$25.00

Children 12 & under, \$5.00

**Name:**

**\$**

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**Note:** If you are an NMRA member, your spouse, child over 12 or significant other is the same price as you.

If more than 4 then add to a separate piece of paper and send it along with your reservation.

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ WI Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Send your reservation to:

Art Dawson  
16317 W. Union Rd.  
Brooklyn, WI 53521

Amount enclosed: \$ \_\_\_\_\_ Checks should be made payable to the SCWD



# SCWD 2024 Annual Summer Picnic

## Saturday, July 20, 2024



For the past several years, except for 2020, the SCWD has held a catered picnic at Little Amerricka Park in Marshall on their “Whiskey River Railway Day”. The SCWD Board has agreed to do so again this summer on Saturday, July 20th. Reservations have been made with the amusement park for use of their Blue Rose Pavilion and catering is being arranged. The park opens at noon and closes at 5 pm. Lunch will be served starting at 12:30 pm. As was done in 2019, 2022, and 2023, the Board has decided to defray part of the catering cost by charging a \$5.00 fee for each attendee, six years old and above. Five and under get the meal for free. Railway equipment can be viewed for free, but train and other rides require purchased tickets from the Park. SCWD members and their families, Youth Club members and their families and other invited guests approved by the Board can attend the picnic. To determine the food quantities for the caterer, you will have to sign up and pay by Saturday, July 6, 2024.

Little Amerricka is located on STH 19 on the east edge of Marshall. Parking directly at the Blue Rose Pavilion can be reached off Box Elder Rd. intersecting USH 19 just east of the Park’s regular entrance.

### Added Attraction

Roy Grant will have his N-scale Omaha Western layout open from 10 am to noon. His layout in the house was on display prior to the 2017 picnic. He has now rebuilt the layout into a separate building. The property is about 2 miles west from the first intersection north of I-94 on STH 73 at West Medina Rd. The address is 1465 West Medina Rd, Deerfield, WI 53531 on the south side of the highway.



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### SCWD 2024 Annual Picnic Sign-up and Payment Sheet

SCWD Member and Family Attendee(s) names:

Cost(each):

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Total Enclosed \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Please print and fill out the form and send with payment (cash or checks - payable to the SCWD) by 7/6/24 or bring the sign-up sheet and payment to me at a future SCWD monthly meeting. My address is:

John Haverberg, 4797 Delmara Rd, Middleton, WI 53562

Any questions, contact me at E-mail address: [haverdj@tds.net](mailto:haverdj@tds.net), Phone: 608-836-7963

## A Puzzle for You

You like trains, or train watching, but have you ever wanted to go to an OPS (Operating Session) and run trains on someone else's layout, but were afraid you wouldn't know what to do?



Model Railroad Operation is a fun and interesting role-playing game where the players (operators) use model trains to simulate the movements of the prototype railroad. Operators fill the roles of railroad employees like engineers, conductors, yardmasters, dispatchers, and more. Many of our SCWD members participate each month at multiple layouts to enjoy this fun and stimulating practice of critical thinking and problem solving in the context of railroad operations.

Now, there is a way for you to get your feet wet in this critical thinking and problem-solving railroad environment in the privacy of your own home through the use of railroad switching puzzles.

In July 2020, a group of SCWD members started a project to introduce more of our members to the enjoyment of railroad operations, or as our wives call it, playing trains. Some of us have been engaged in operating sessions for 20 years or more, and would like to get more of you involved.

The project involves getting one to solve a series of train switching puzzles (on paper, or your computer) in the least number of moves possible. You can then submit your solution to see if yours was done in the least number of moves.

**Beginners** can start with **3 introductory puzzles** to show the kinds of skills used in railroad switching operations. Then, you can advance to a series of more advanced puzzles written and based on actual SCWD member area layouts. Or, if you have already been to an OPS session, you could do an introductory puzzle, and jump right into the more challenging ones.

**Join the SCWD listserv now and begin learning what this is all about!**

Email Steve Lanphear at [scwdmemberlist@mhtc.net](mailto:scwdmemberlist@mhtc.net) to be added to the list and start receiving your puzzles now!

Happy Railroading!  
Steve



**Enjoy receiving interesting rail photos, model railroad tips, Operating puzzles, and challenging Mystery Photos??**

Join The 120+ SCWD members and members from other Midwest Regional Divisions who are participating in the SCWD listserv. You can expect 5 - 10 photos of railfan photos or model railroad photos or other items per week on average, as well as SCWD announcements, monthly Mystery Photo contests, Modelers Corner, and OPS Corner Puzzles. The listserv has been running this since April 2012, and it has been quite popular.

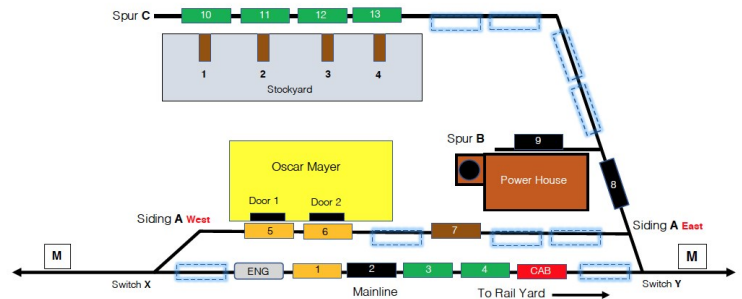
The listserv is a one-way email broadcast to you, not a social media type service. The emails are sent in bulk, but as a BCC: type email.

Please save this email so you know how to get a hold of me. So, if you would like to try out this FREE member service, just send me your **Name** and **email address**, and **City/State** to the address below. You may drop out at any time by sending an email stating such to the same address below.

Steve Lanphear  
SCWD listserv Coordinator  
[scwdmemberlist@mhtc.net](mailto:scwdmemberlist@mhtc.net)



## OPS Puzzles



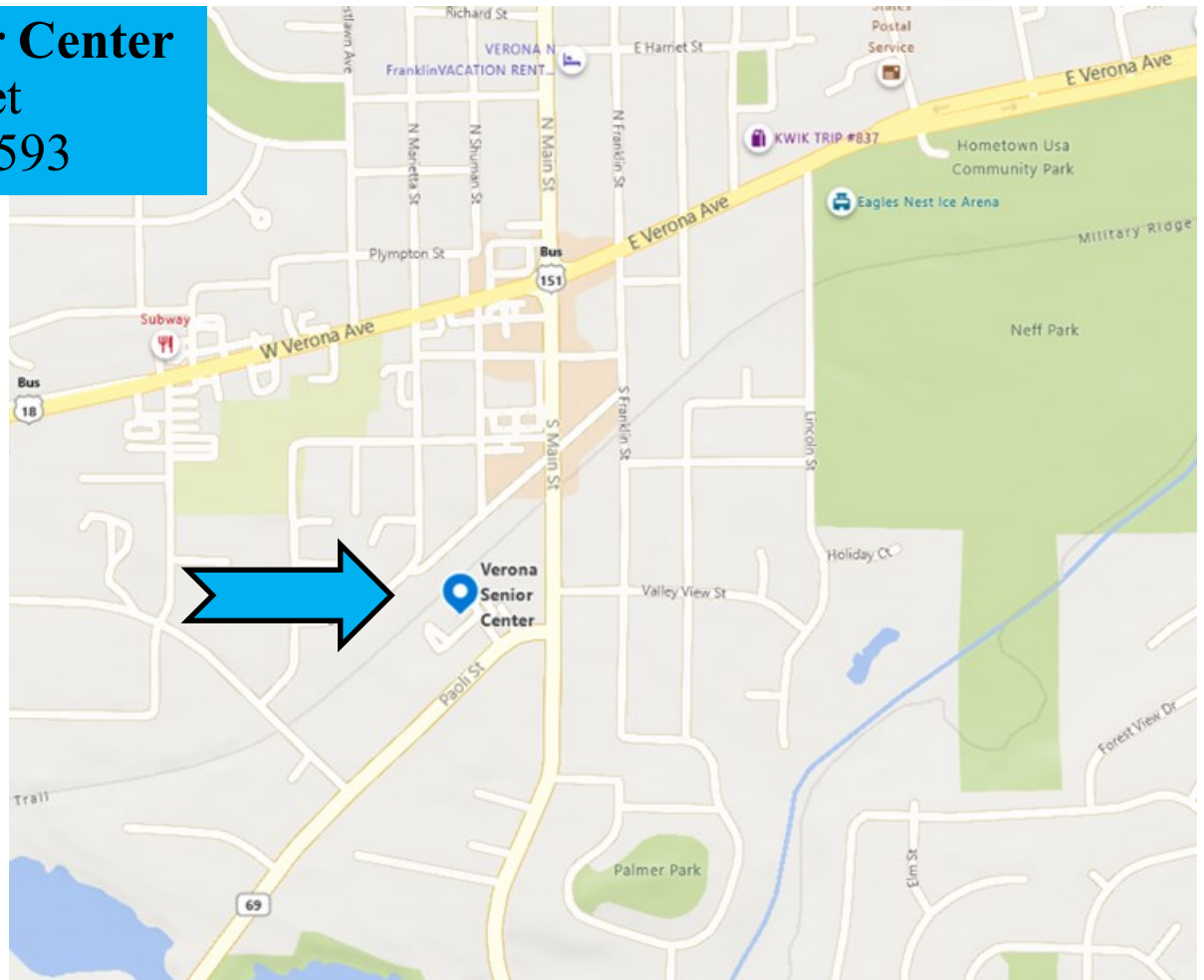
OPS Puzzles have arrived! We now have a section on the SCWD Website that has all 11 puzzles that we have published on the listserv, including the handouts and diagrams. You can start from the beginning, or pick and choose which puzzles you would like to try.

[www.nmra-scwd.org/ops-puzzles.html](http://www.nmra-scwd.org/ops-puzzles.html)

Steve Lanphear and the Puzzle Development Team.



**Verona Senior Center**  
108 Paoli Street  
Verona, WI 53593





# NMRA NEWS



The week-long **SurfLiner 2024 NMRA National Convention** is being hosted by the Pacific Southwest Region of the NMRA on **August 4-11, 2024** at The Westin Hotel in **Long Beach, California.**



## SAVE THE DATE

### AROUND THE BEND

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**Sunday, Aug. 4th, 10am to 3pm**

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both days**



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**(\$5.00 with proof of current NMRA membership with card)**

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**NOTE: The next CID train show is at Danville, IN on November 23, 2024**



**Minutes SCWD Board Meeting  
6:30 PM, 12 March 2024  
via Zoom meeting**



The meeting of the South Central Wisconsin Division Board of Directors was called to order at 6:35 pm by Superintendent Art Dawson. Art Dawson, Phil Hottmann, Bob McGeever, John Kosobucki, Dave Dingman, Steve Preston, and Bill Mitchell were present. Chris Bradley joined a bit later. Dave Down was unable to attend.

*(Meeting date and start times may vary due to BOD members schedules.)*

**BOD Meetings:** *Members of the SCWD are invited to join a ZOOM Board of Directors meeting. Meeting dates are published in the **Bad Order**. Send a request to Art Dawson or another member of the SCWD Board for a **ZOOM** link to the upcoming meeting. The members' contact information is in the **RED BOOK**.*

**Minutes**

Motion by Dingman, second by Kosobucki, to approve the minutes (with the grammatical corrections provided by John Kosobucki) of the SCWD Board Meeting held on February 13, 2024. Motion carried.

**Paymaster Report**

Bob McGeever presented the highlights of the February Paymaster Report. The report contained more information due to the February Madison Model Railroad Show and Sale financial transactions. Motion by Kosobucki, second by Preston, to approve the Paymaster Report. Motion carried.

**Committee Reports**

**Achievement Program** - Nothing to report.

**Advertising** - Nothing to report.

**Bad Order** - Articles are due for the newsletter by March 17th.

*Special Note 1: The email list comes directly from the NMRA membership list, so please keep your membership active and your email current with the NMRA. All SCWD members are requested to inform the NMRA when their email address changes.*

*Special Note 2: Kathy, our newsletter editor, is always in need of articles. Please submit articles as soon as possible to have them included in the next publication of the Bad Order to SCWDKATHY@AOL.com via email with attachments in a WORD formatted document.*

**Clinics** - Clinics are scheduled for the remaining monthly membership meetings.

***Special Note: A new Clinics Chairperson is urgently needed for next season. Ken Hojnacki is retiring from that position after the May 2024 membership meeting.***

**Contests - Model and Photography** - Nothing to report.

**Modeling Project** - The "Natural Trees on a Diorama" need to be completed for the April SCWD Membership meeting.

**Door Prizes** - \$25.00 Gift Certificates to **MADISON HOBBY STOP** are in inventory. Phil Hottmann will handle the gift certificates for the May 5th meeting.

**Layout Tours** - Layout tours have been scheduled for April. Phil Hottmann is looking for a layout tour close to Verona for the joint May meeting. *From the December 2023 minutes: The May 5th SCWD Membership Meeting will be a joint meeting with the Rock River Valley Division at the Verona Senior Center.*

*Our SCWD organization is always looking for more people to host virtual or in-person layout tours. Please contact Phil Hottmann about the possibility of opening up your layout for a virtual or in-person tour. Phil's contact information is in the RED BOOK.*

**Membership** - Steve Preston reported that there are 7 new members that recently joined our Division.

*The current SCWD membership list is sent to Steve Preston on a monthly basis. The email address of the SCWD members associated with the membership list is used for the Constant Contact electronic communications system. Each member is responsible for making sure that their email address is valid. If someone has problems renewing their NMRA-SCWD membership using the ON-LINE systems, please contact Steve Preston. His contact information is in the RED BOOK.*

**Picnic** - The SCWD July Summer Picnic is scheduled for July 20, 2024, at Little Amerricka Park in Marshall on their "Whiskey River Railway Day". The picnic lunch will be served at 12:30 pm. The picnic reservation form is in the March **Bad Order** newsletter. The cost to attend the 2024 Summer Picnic: **Adults, Children Age 6 years old and above \$5.00**

Children 5 years old and under FREE

***The SCWD Youth Group AND Members will be able to tour the Whiskey River Railway engine/locomotive shops in the morning.***

**Spring Banquet** - Art Dawson has finalized the menu. The banquet will be held on Friday, May 10th, at the Verona American Legion Hall. Cocktails at 6:00 pm. Dinner will be served around 7:00 pm. The banquet reservation form is in the March **Bad Order** newsletter.

SCWD/NMRA members \$15.00

Non-NMRA attendees \$25.00

Children 12 & under \$5.00

If you are an NMRA member, your spouse, child over 12, or significant other is the same price as you.

**Publicity** - Nothing to report.

**Rail School - January 5, 2025** - Art Dawson will be working on repairing an N-Scale "Time Saver" layout for use at the Rail School. Help is needed for the January Rail School. Ideas are appreciated.

**Rail Show** - The *57th Madison Model Railroad Show and Sale* will be held on February 15 - 16, 2025. Bill Mitchell will be capturing the 2024 ticket stub information for the 2025 electronic mail announcements.

**Youth Group** - Steve Preston - The SCWD Youth Group welcomed two new Youth Members to the March meeting. Steve will be sending Youth Group information to Tom Morrison for publication on the website.

*Youth Group Notes - Youth 18 years of age and under are welcome to join the SCWD Youth Group. A parent or designated adult is required to attend with the youth. The Youth Group Committee is looking for more members. Also, SCWD members are needed to present model railroading topics.*

**Website** - The license fees for the website have been renewed and are reflected in the February 2024 Paymaster Report.

**Social Media** - Nothing to report.

### Old Business:

The Verona Senior Center is missing a container of pens and markers. Phil Hottmann has volunteered to discuss the problem with the Verona Senior Center staff and replace the missing pens and markers if needed.

### New Business:

A motion was made by Mitchell, second by Kosobucki, to begin the process of nominating SCWD members for the annual awards which will be presented at the Annual Banquet in May. Motion carried. Nominations will be communicated to the members of the Board of Directors via EMAIL. The award costs have been approved in the operating budget.

The SCWD Storage Unit in Madison needs some housekeeping and re-arrangement. Items not needed for the February train show and sale will need to be moved to the back of the storage unit so that these items are not accidentally loaded on the truck for the February show and sale. Disposition of the WOODEN TOY TRAIN components, old train show signs, and old SCWD documents was discussed.

A motion was made by Kosobucki, second by Preston, to donate the no longer used WOODEN TOY TRAIN components to the Stoughton Head Start program. Motion carried.

Bob McGeever will organize a group of people to review the old SCWD documents and signs to determine what to save and what to discard.

Art Dawson has a complete set of **BAD ORDER** newsletters from the estate of Dave Donkle. At another future meeting, the SCWD Board of Directors will decide what to do with these old newsletters.

Kathy Clancy, Our **Bad Order** Editor, has requested that the responsibility of the **RED BOOK** membership maintenance be given to someone else. A motion by Mitchell, second by Kosobucki, to table this topic and include the **RED BOOK** membership maintenance topic as an agenda item at the next SCWD Board of Directors meeting. Motion carried.

### Adjournment:

A motion was made by Kosobucki, second by Preston, to adjourn the meeting. Motion carried. The meeting was adjourned at 7:31 pm.

**Bill Mitchell - Clerk**



**For those members that participate in the listserv emails from Steve Lanphear, please remember to send him your new email if you change it! Changing your email with the NMRA does not change it on the listserv. His email is:**

Steve Lanphear  
SCWD listserv Coordinator  
scwdmemberlist@mhtc.net

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- Please visit [nmra.org/members](https://nmra.org/members)
- Use your email address and password to log in.
- If you have not yet registered, or forgot your password, there are buttons for that. Take a moment to easily correct any problems.
- Once logged in, click on Member Info (top right corner).
- Make sure your information is correct.
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*Thank you!*



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## **Welcome Spring!!!**



**Take a break in-between the  
planting and mowing  
and keep working on the layout.**

*New/Old stock still coming in and priced to move.*

*We are now closed on Sunday until late November.*

**Thank you for your continued support.**



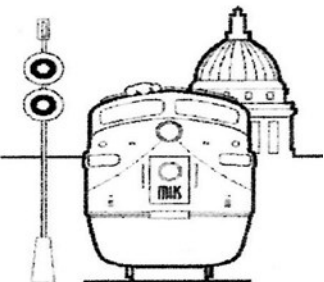
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## South Central Wisconsin Division of the National Model Railroad Association

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Deadline for submissions: **14th of the month  
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Contact

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# Railroad Collectibles

## **Wanted to Purchase:**

Annual Passes-Card size-Pre 1830

Annual Reports

Brochures-Railroad Brochures, Folders, Booklets

Calendars-Pre-1980 Railroad Issued

Depot Related Items: Telegraph-Telephone-Signs-  
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Diagram Books-Locomotive-Freight-Passenger

Dining Car China-Silverware-Holloware-Glassware

Especially With Railroad Name, Initials,  
Logo

Engineering Data Books-Track Charts-Blue Prints

Great Lakes Car Ferry and Passenger Lines-

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Fred Harvey Restaurant Items-Dishes, Glass, Silver,  
Paper and any Miscellaneous Items

Locomotive Builder Plates

Miscellaneous-Many more items not mentioned

Publications-RR Historical Societies-RR Employee  
Magazines

Signs-Porcelain or Metal with Railroad Logo

Step Boxes-with RR Name/Logo

Timetables-Public and Employee Railroad Sched-  
ules

Wax Sealers-From Railroads or Express Companies

Model Railroad Items: HO Gauge-Brass Equip-

ment O Gauge (2 Rail 1/4" scale), Brass

Equipment, Kits, Passenger and Freight

## **NOT BUYING:**

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The Hobby Depot – 835 17<sup>th</sup> Street – Monroe WI  
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\* = Train Show Ticket advance sales

**SCWD 2023-2024 Meeting Schedule**

<b>Regular Meeting</b>	<b>BOD</b>	<b>Youth Group</b>
May 5, 2024 (Joint meeting with Rockford at Verona)	May 14, 2024 June 11, 2024 August 13, 2024	May 11, 2024

**A Word about Constant Contact e-mail**

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