

OFFICIAL NEWSLETTER OF  
**DIVISION SIX**  
OF THE  
**NORTH CENTRAL REGION**  
OF THE  
**NATIONAL MODEL RAILROAD ASSOCIATION**

## **ON THE RAILS...**

### **FEBRUARY 2024**

Hello and welcome to Division 6, of the North Central Region, of the National Model Railroad Association!! Yes... that's us and has been for 50+ years! THANKS for being a member. However... are you an "active" member? We have 134 members registered to Div 6 by the NMRA. We only get 40 attending monthly meetings. Where are the rest of you? Why not attend a meeting and see what you are missing!! It's great fun and always informative. We've been sending all of you this newsletter for nearly 9 months and will continue to do so... but how about being an active member in the future. We're really very nice people and we all have that common interest - model railroading!!

As usual... hopefully lots of great information you need in this issue of our newsletter. Check out some of the many events listed. Have you signed on to help at the NCX convention yet? Or registered? Here's hoping you will soon!

Please keep in contact with your family and your model railroading friends! Here's the rest of your Division 6 news-

### **MEMBERSHIP NEWS**

We had good meeting turn-out with 36 attending, plus 3 on zoom! We had no new guests, but returning members John Lipke and Sparky! MMR's present were Ken Chick, Larry Wolohon, Ron King, Scott Kremer, Jim Zinser and Brook Qualman. To all Div 6 members and guests, **WELCOME ABOARD!**

### **DIV 6 MEETINGS**

Our Division 6 meetings are on the THIRD Friday of each month. Our next Division 6 meeting will be on **FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 16, 2024**. The meeting will be held at the Civic Center Senior Center in Livonia, at 5 Mile and Farmington Roads. **The meeting is from 7pm-10pm**. We will broadcast the meeting LIVE on zoom! The link will be emailed a few days before the meeting.

### **DIV 6 TREASURY REPORT**

Tonight's TREASURY REPORT is -  
Treasure Report for December.

Beginning balance \$4,008.25  
Checks/Debits were \$50.00 and  
deposits/Credit was \$935.50.  
December ending balance \$2,963.86

Thanks, Terry

### **AP CERTIFICATES**

Ken Chick, our AP coordinator, was present at the last meeting and did not have any presentations to make. However... Larry Wolohon, MMR has received a certificate for 50 YEARS as a member of the NMRA. Congratulations Larry! Please keep working on your Certificates!

### **DIVISION OF CHOICE**

Do you live in Oakland County, but attend Div 6 meetings? Then you can become an official Div 6 member!! All you need to do is fill out the DIVISION OF CHOICE form. See a Div 6 Board member for a form. Once filed, you can now vote and hold office in Div 6!

## DIV 6 MODEL RR SALE

Let's have a great sale event! That was the last line in this article last month. **Well.... WE DID!!!!** Yes, we had a great event again! Set-up was good on Saturday with a couple of members helping out by bringing supplies. Shout-out to Neal Thomas!! Thanks!! We were ready to go on Sunday morning and the vendors arrived ready to go. We even had people with stuff to sell, just waiting to see if someone cancelled so they could swoop in for a table. We'll have a full report at the Div 6 FEB meeting, but the numbers for spectators and a surplus for the treasury are looking very good! Vendor survey results are all positive! HUGE THANKS to all of the Div 6 members who volunteered and did their assignments and more, to keep the event humming down the tracks!!

## DIV 6 MI-TRACK LAYOUT

The Division 6 Mi-Track modular layout was in great display at the Novi Great American Train Show. Set-up on Friday went well and we got the layout running in about 3 hours. We were 9' wide x 20' long! We went out and bought some table coverings to help dress-up the look of the layout. We were a BIG hit with the spectators, big and small. The smaller people were especially happy when the Thomas the Tank Engine came around the layout! We were running 4 trains, 2 per track, just about all day! Sunday was a repeat, even though Thomas was not running well. We did good!! Hopefully some people were inspired to stay or get in to our great hobby, because of our display and interaction with them. A BIG special THANKS to Bob Haar, who was there ALL weekend and helped a lot! We're not sure of any other events we'll be attending, except a return to the Southern Michigan RR Days in August. We have been offered table space at the Taylor Town Train show on Saturday March 16.

## DIVISION 6 SHIRTS

The shirts are a Port Authority brand polo shirt. Prices have increased and are now- small-XL w/logo \$34 logo/pocket \$37 logo/name \$40 logo/pocket/name \$45 XXL +\$8, XXXL +\$10 XXXXL +\$12 Shipping will be divided among those ordering. Mark is taking orders... either see him at a meeting, email or phone. ALSO - If you want a name badge... see Mark!

## SHOW AND TELL

Our subject was **WHAT YOU GOT FOR CHRISTMAS/HOLIDAY, MODEL RAILROADING RELATED!** Here's what was shared - PRR K4 Halmark ornament; loco porcelain coin bank; HO lights; AA box car; SP passenger car & RR hat; Laser Art structure kit; t-shirt with flag, stripes are train images; 6 tortoise machines with wire clamps; Amtrak socks; sweatshirt Strasburg & N scale Christmas car; RR mug & PRR ornament; service depot platform; drill guide; two houses from narrow gauge conv.; Westerfield kit- refer; Koster book; NMRA hat; wire connectors used for lighting buildings; Stormy Kromer hat; Bowser RS3; stationary real steam engine kit; DVD Mich Central lines; Air-BnB train themed trip; book on Penn Station; book on Pullman history; UP passenger car; 2 way radio; loco drawing framed; British RR steam engine coffee mug.

Current projects - 4-6-0 CN loco painted project; Don Barron items for sale; White Tower hamburger place finished!

We did not collect fines in the caboose. There is a proposal to stop that practice, but no action was taken on it at this time.

The winner of the Nankin Hobby gift card was - Neal Thomas!

**NEXT MEETING** - F unit diesels - aka "covered wagons"

## PRODUCT REVIEW

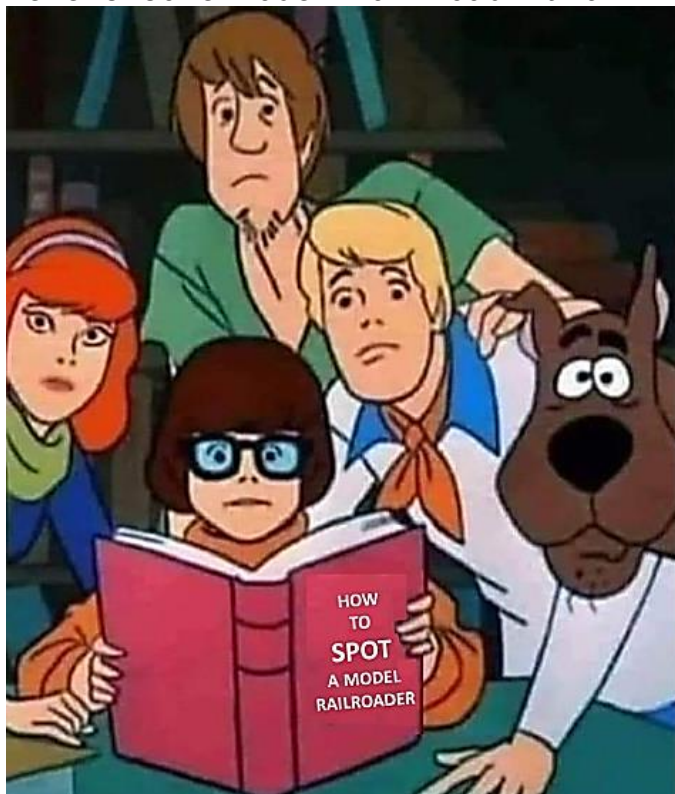
If you have an item to review, see Paul before the meeting.

## NEW BOARD MEMBER?

It was announced that Recording Secretary Bruce Wolff was resigning from the Div 6 Board of Directors due to personal reasons. Thus, we are looking for a volunteer to step-up and take his place. Please contact a Board member if you are interested!

## DIV 6 - RR HUMOR

Here's some model railroad humor-



## 2025 NMRA NATIONAL

STATION No.VI  
90th NMRA National Convention  
July 14-19, 2025  
Novi, Michigan, USA

All of the Divisions in the NCR will be contributing to this effort. The website for the convention is active -

[www.nmra2025.com](http://www.nmra2025.com)

Check it out!

Planning and budgeting are going well! More updates are in the NCR magazine - the HotBox!



## LAYOUT TOURS

Larry Wolohon is our layout tour chairman! If you want to schedule a tour of your layout, give Larry a call or email! We NEED layouts please!! We need volunteers for all of 2024 so please consider hosting a layout tour! It's also a good trial for being on the NCX convention tour list!

**NEXT TOURS-** We do not have tours for February. Our next tours are on **Sunday, March 17 - 1pm-5pm - Ken Chick & Mike Tranquilla.** A map will be in the next *ON THE RAILS*

## DIVISION 6 BOARD OF DIRECTORS

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## BILL'S TOOL TIME

Terry Kosmas will coordinate tips from the membership. If you have a tool tip to give, please contact Terry and he'll get you scheduled. We're looking for more tips soon.

## CLINIC

WE ALWAYS NEED CLINICS for our meetings! Bill McMillan is our Clinic Chairman! To all Div 6 members, PLEASE share your talents and knowledge!

The clinic this past month was a video from Bill McMillan and showed how he built a hill as a view block on his layout. The video showed the basic construction and scenery technics Bill used. GOOD stuff Bill - Thanks! **WE NEED CLINICS!!**

**NEXT MEETING-** Norm Logan's Background Painting Basics

## DIV 6 - NCR CONV 2024 !!!

The NCX24 Regional Convention is Thursday night to Sunday afternoon, Oct 10-13, 2024. **We are NOW OPEN for registrations!** You can fill out a form and mail it in, or go to the website and do it all ONLINE! Here's the website -

[www.ncx24.ncrnmra.org](http://www.ncx24.ncrnmra.org)

Go to the website to see our plans and lots of great information! There will be OPEN HOUSE LAYOUT visits, OPS sessions for you to enjoy, a RAIL YARD SALE for you to buy/sell stuff, and many Clinics on Friday and Saturday. There will also be an NCR Regional meeting at a dinner on Saturday with a keynote speaker. We also will have club layouts in the gym at Ward Church. Let's GET ON BOARD for NCX-2024!

Norm Logan - Event Chairman  
[nlogan114@wowway.com](mailto:nlogan114@wowway.com).



## SUPERINDENDENT CORNER

This past month was quite busy for Division 6. We had our regular meeting, the Novi Train Show and then our 3rd Annual Train Show. While all were excellent for us, one lasting memory for me was watching the excitement shown by the youngsters at Novi.

They all know Thomas and immediately focused on the Thomas Train as it traveled around the track. Look at their faces in the photos:



I saw some kids that I think could be future model railroaders. Why? 1. Because someone brought them to the show. 2. Someone that brought them has an interest in model trains. Can Division 6 capture that interest and have them join NMRA?

The North Central Region saw a small increase in membership this past year. Also, the NMRA saw a small increase in the membership as well. That has not happened in several years. It gave me some hope that the hobby is headed in the right direction. Some road blocks that I see are: 1. The cost of the hobby. 2. The cost of membership in the NMRA. 3. Access to the "learning experience."

I would like to suggest/propose that Division 6 look into a series/fast track of beginner/novice clinics for the regional convention. These would include only the basics for the beginning model railroaders.

- Table construction.
- Laying track and turnouts.
- Basic electronics. DC/DCC etc.

Three sessions that would be programmed in 1 day, in 1 room with a group of our great Division 6 members. That would address my 3rd item above.

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I would also propose that we hold a drawing for the "beginners" that attend all 3 sessions, for a Rail Pass Membership. We could do a few of these. This would help with the 2nd item above. For number 1 above, we could address the benefit of purchasing locomotive, cars, buildings etc. at our Train Show or any of the other sales in the area.

These are simply some thoughts and ideas on how to help folks get involved in our hobby. Please think about this "big picture" and do not pick on the "small parts" (those can be worked out later.)

I hope we can discuss this soon. You can also email me at [Plichau@yahoo.com](mailto:Plichau@yahoo.com) with any thoughts. Paul

## DIV 6 MISC NEWS

WE HAVE CARDS! Paul has a supply of Div 6 business cards so that all members can have some of these to pass them out at shows, while at hobby shops or where-ever! COOL! Let's promote Division 6!

REMEMBER!!... when shopping at Nankin Hobby, tell them before your purchase is rung-up, that you are a Div 6 member! We get a share of your purchase price that we can spend for great raffle items for the Fall Show! Help Div 6 when shopping!! THANKS Nankin Hobby!! We're told this will work for ANY purchase at any Nankin store!!

We have LABELS!! If you are going to donate RR magazines, we have some Div 6 stickers that you can place on them to help people find us and our meetings! Please get some of these from Paul!



July 14 – 19, 2025  
[www.nmra2025.org](http://www.nmra2025.org)

Our last was in 2007. Come on back!  
NMRA National Convention

STATION No. VI  
2025 NMRA  
Novi, MI  
CELEBRATING 90 YEARS

## RAILROAD HISTORY

John Bopp was at the January meeting and gave us a great look at the Niagara Falls RR suspension bridge! The bridge was 825 long and a two-level bridge. The top platform was for a single-track railroad crossing. The bottom deck was for horse-carriage and pedestrians. The upper level was raised with inclines to and from it, while the lower deck was ground level. Because the bridge was built before track gauge was standardized, the upper deck had extra rails to accommodate 3 track gauges! The bridge was rebuilt several times and improved each time. Thanks John! We're looking forward to another lesson soon!

## DIV 6 SYMPATHIES

It with deepest sympathies that we report the passing of WALTER JOHN TRANCYGIER, 74, of Saline, MI, passed away peacefully at home on January 5, 2024 after a long



battle with cancer. Walt was passionate about flying and had a decades long career as a corporate pilot flying for Fortune 500 companies. He was, also, an avid train enthusiast and active member of the Blissfield Model Railroad Club. While not an active Div 6 member, he was known by many in our area.

## VIDEO LAYOUT TOUR

Brooke and Jay's Michigan Lines layout was featured on local CBS TV! If you missed it, here are several links to use to view the story...

<https://www.cbsnews.com/detroit/news/milford-township-couple-create-model-railroad-masterpiece/>

<https://ldrv.ms/v/s!AuV7YedKletdhbqx6GQi9GJyemqrxQ?e=ksWF0K>

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Qj0WKjKsQcI>

## THE OBSERVATION CAR

In talking with some visitors to our Division 6 booth at the Novi Train Show, and again at our sale, I noticed that almost everyone is focused almost entirely on rolling stock, i.e. the trains and the engines and cars that make them up. As almost everyone in the hobby will confirm, we probably spend way more time on everything that surrounds the rolling stock than on the trains.

Creating structures, doing scenery, building track, and creating an operating environment is as much a part of the hobby as the trains. That said, we probably need to do a better job of promoting all the "stuff" that goes WITH the "trains" when we talk to people.

For example, in conversation with some folks who expressed an interest in the hobby at our booths, the most interesting discussions were on DCC, scenery and trackwork, yet we really had little on display to talk to potential members about.

While the modular layouts we display get lots of interest, I propose that we start creating a separate display that will show the amazing things we can do with structures, scenery, and backgrounds. The typical laser kit, or very detailed scene I think will really open some eyes for things they didn't know much of the hobby was about.

I'd also suggest a small display that draws in those inspired by electronics, 3D printing, laser cutting, and most specifically, some of what you can do with DCC and LCC vs DC. I've been reading that those areas appear to be drawing in the newer generations of hobbyists.

So, food for thought. Let's get potential members interested in things that DON'T have wheels. How is that for thinking outside the box(car)!

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## NCR-DIV 1 ONE DAY EVENT

Division 1 is hosting a one day event on March 23, 2024. The website is <https://smm.ncrnmra.org/> and will be updated regularly as plans come together. See the flyer a few pages away....

We are planning a different kind of event for March and following the KISS (keep it simple stupid) principle. Pre-registration is available and recommended but payment will still be expected upon arrival. We hope everyone finds this mini convention fun and informative. See the flyer later in this newsletter!

## NEW ITEMS IN THE HOBBY

Russ Hjelmberg sends info on new items to share. The best way to contact Russ is by email:

[Russatnankin@yahoo.com](mailto:Russatnankin@yahoo.com)

KADEE February Car is Now Available HO-Scale



Missouri Pacific, #6127 MP Rd No. #82345 Lot: 8616A, Series: 82340-82539, BLT. 1961, Factory New \$42.99



Kadee #1035 HO Scale Starter Pack (Kit) \$73.99

## DIV 6 WEBSITE

If you want your layout featured, email ED your pictures and a small write-up!! Also, some clinics are posted on the website! Check it out at- [www.div6-ncr-nmra.com](http://www.div6-ncr-nmra.com)

## LOCAL RR EVENTS

**Saturdays and Sundays - Feb 10-11, 24-25, 2024** - Chi-Town Union Station World's Largest O Scale Model Railroad and Longest Model train. 8275 Cooley Lake Rd, Commerce Charter Twp, MI 48382 11am to 5pm - Adults (18 and over)- \$8 Ages 5-17- \$4 Kids under 5 years - FREE 248-613-9471 [www.chi-townunionstation.com/](http://www.chi-townunionstation.com/)

**Saturday's -Feb 17, 2024**  
Redford Model RR Club Open House 27316 Michigan Ave Inkster, MI 11am-5pm FREE- donations accepted Accepting new members! HO scale 56'x26' layout [www.redfordmrrc.org](http://www.redfordmrrc.org)

**Saturday-Sunday, February 17-18, 2024** - 54th Annual Train Show and Sale Saline Middle School 7190 N. Maple Road Saline, MI 48176 Saturday 10am-4pm, Sunday 10am-3pm Adults \$7 Under 10, Free with paid Adult Ann Arbor Model Railroad Club and the Huron Valley Railroad Historical Society are hosts. 300+ tables of merchandise and displays, Food service will be available. Wheelchair Accessible Contact Info: Ann Arbor Model Railroad Club 3487 Broad Street

Dexter, MI 48103

<http://a2trainshow.com>

Phone: 734-426-5100-Wed Evenings  
734-426-0829-Answering Machine

**Saturday & Sunday - Feb. 24-25**  
Detroit Model Railroad Club Open House 104 North Saginaw St. Holly, MI 48442 Noon-5PM Adults- \$5, Seniors (65+)- \$4, Children (5-18)- \$2, Children under 5- Free 248-634-5811 [webmaster@dmrrc.org](mailto:webmaster@dmrrc.org)

**Saturday & Sunday - Feb. 24-25, 2024** Blissfield Model RR Club Open House 109 E Adrian St, Blissfield, MI 49228 517-486-0404 <https://bmrr.org> 10am-3pm both days LARGE HO scale layout! FREE admission (donations welcome)

**Sunday, February 25, 2024** - Lansing Model Railroad Club Open House 5309 Old Lansing Road Lansing, MI 48917 [www.lmrc.org](http://www.lmrc.org) Noon to 4 pm Free (donation suggested) Wheelchair Accessible Info at [www.lmrc.org/openhouse](http://www.lmrc.org/openhouse)

**Sunday, March 10, 2024** - Greater Toledo Toy & Train Show Owens Community College 30335 Oregon Rd., Perrysburg, OH 11am-3pm Randy Ramsey 419-215-4181 [Toledotoymasters@gmail.com](mailto:Toledotoymasters@gmail.com)

**Sunday, March 24, 2024** - 41st Mid-Michigan Model Train Show Comfort Inn & Suites 2424 South Mission St, Mt. Pleasant, MI 48858 Hosted by- Saginaw River Valley Model RR Club Keven Stresman 989-233-4644 [kstresman@gmail.com](mailto:kstresman@gmail.com)

### **It's PIZZA time again!!**

Due to the success of the 3<sup>rd</sup> Model Railroad Sale, we're hosting pizza and pop at the February Div 6 meeting! We'll eat as the meeting gets started. **THANK-YOU** to all of our event volunteers and all Div 6 members for supporting our event!!



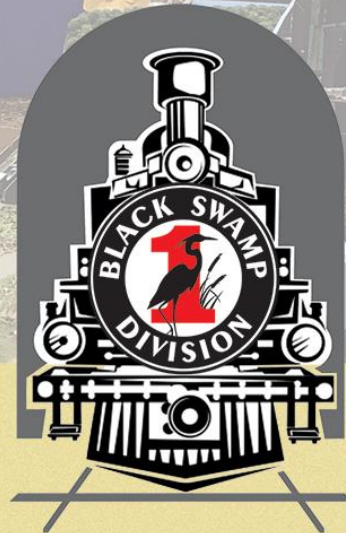
Here are photos of our two great January events. The first 3 pictures on the left are of our Mi-Track layout at the novi show. The rest of the pictures are fom our Model Railroad Sale! The wonderful young lady is Brooklyn, grand-daughter of a friend of Terry & Barry, who was also a vendor. She volunteered to do Operation Lifesaver handouts! WOW! It was a great day and event for everyone, especially Division 6!!





# North Central Region Spring Modelers Meet

Hosted by the Black Swamp Division (Div 1) of the North Central Region (NCR), NMRA



## March 23, 2024 – Sylvania OH

Sylvania Community Services Center, 7140 W Sylvania Ave, Sylvania, OH 43560

Learn New Skills, Share Your Models, Share Techniques, Visit Layouts



**This is a modelers' event!**  
**Lunch options will be available on-site!**



This event is open to ALL MODELERS - NMRA Membership is not required

## SCHEDULED ACTIVITIES

**Model Showroom** – Bring your models (finished or in-progress) of locomotives, rolling stock, structures, dioramas, or scenery. All are welcome! The showroom is about sharing the hobby in all its many forms.

**Modeling Clinics** – learn new skills with clinics on a mixture of subjects presented by modelers, historians, and industry experts.

**Layouts and Displays** - Small and modular displays will be available within the main venue.

**Layout Tours** - Layout tours of local layouts will be available during the afternoon.

### Admission is \$20 at the door

All event activities (minus lunch) are included in one low price!

Advance registration is encouraged on the website at [smm.ncrmra.org](http://smm.ncrmra.org)



Visit our website for more information  
[smm.ncrmra.org](http://smm.ncrmra.org)

This is NOT a swap meet!



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# ***NORTH CENTRAL EXPRESS 2024***



**A MODEL RAILROAD WEEKEND CONVENTION!**

**THURSDAY - FRIDAY - SATURDAY - SUNDAY  
OCTOBER 10-11-12-13, 2024  
NORTHVILLE, MICHIGAN, USA**

**WELCOME** to the NCR Model Railroad Convention, **NORTH CENTRAL EXPRESS 2024!** The convention is being hosted by DIVISION SIX, located in Wayne and Washtenaw counties. We are planning a great weekend of model and prototype railroading, just for YOU! Please access our website for all of the important information you need to help you to decide to attend this event. As you'll soon read, we're concentrating on having fun and learning all about model railroading! All you need to do is fill out the registration page, send it in with your registration fees and you'll be part of one of the greatest model railroad events in Michigan! Visit us online and register there using your credit card and PayPal security services! Come and join us for the **MAXIMUM** model railroad **FUN**, all in one weekend!

**Open to ALL model railroaders! You DO NOT have to be an NMRA member to attend!**

## **EVENT HIGHLIGHTS INCLUDE-**

- \* Event site – Ward Church, Northville, MI
- \* Event shirts available pre-order only
- \* Special DAY PASS entry available!
- \* Online Registration available on website!
- \* Banquet Dinner on Saturday evening
- \* Clinics on Friday and Saturday
- \* Operation sessions available Thursday, Friday, Saturday
- \* NO model contest – MODEL SHOWCASE – show off your work!!
- \* Get a discount for participating in the Model Showcase!!
- \* Model layouts to visit on Friday and Saturday
- \* Prototype tours on Friday (if available)
- \* Yard Sale of new/used model railroad equipment
- \* Ask the Experts (MMR's) table
- \* EVERYONE welcome to attend!

For more information or questions answered, contact -  
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visit our web pages at- [ncx24.ncmmra.org](http://ncx24.ncmmra.org)



# NCX - NORTH CENTRAL EXPRESS 2024 REGISTRATION FORM & INFORMATION

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Name		Spouse	
Address			
City		State	
Phone		Zip	
email			
NMRA No.	Region	Div	MMR

## REGISTRATION FEES

on or before September 25, 2024 - NMRA member  
 on or before September 25, 2024 - NON NMRA member  
 after September 25, 2024 - NMRA member  
 after September 25, 2024 - NON NMRA member  
 on or before October 13, 2024

	how many	
\$65		
\$75		
\$75		
\$85		
One Day Pass = \$40		

**REGISTRATION** - is per person for anyone over 18 years old that will be participating in the convention activities. Spouse is free if ONLY attending layout tours and/or dinner. Children under 18 years old are free for the weekend and welcome to attend convention activities with a paid adult.

**Dinner** - SPAGHETTI DINNER!! Everyone (including children under 18) must pay for dinner if you are attending. This also includes our Keynote Speaker and Awards presentation. **NOTE- cut-off date for dinner is October 1, 2024.**

**Event Sweat shirts** are cotton/poly blend, green in color with the NCX logo embroidered in color on the left side

**Event polo shirts** are 35-65% cotton-poly no pocket shirts, green in color with the NCX logo embroidered in color on the left side **NOTE- cut-off date for ordering shirts is September 10, 2024. There will be NO shirts available at the convention!**

### Model Showcase Discount!

If you bring a model to display in the Showcase room, we will give you a \$5 discount on your entry to NCX-24! NOTE - you do NOT get \$5 per model!! Only ONE discount per person no matter how many models you bring. Discount to be given at Registration!

**ONE DAY PASS** - is for Saturday only and includes all the clinics that day and 5 layout tours.

## EXTRA BOARD

		how many	
Dinner per person	\$25		
sweat shirt	small	\$34	
	medium	\$34	
	large	\$34	
	X-large	\$34	
	2X-large	\$34	
	3X-large	\$34	
	4X-large	\$34	
polo shirt	small	\$32	
	medium	\$32	
	large	\$32	
	X-large	\$32	
	2X-large	\$32	
	3X-large	\$32	
	4X-large	\$32	

**TOTAL**

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Payment to be check or money order made out to- **NMRA DIVISION 6**

Send registration form with payment by October 1, 2024 to-  
**NCX Registrar 35684 Camden Ct Farmington Hills, MI 48335**  
 ON-LINE registration available until October 7, 2024 at [ncx24.ncmmra.org](http://ncx24.ncmmra.org)





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Westland, MI 48185  
734-722-5700

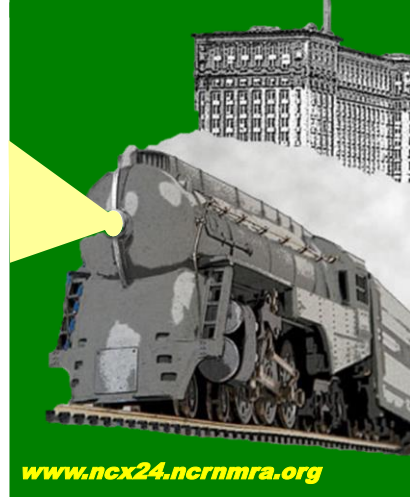
33350 W Nine Mile Rd  
Farmington, MI 48336  
248-919-0040

1480 Washtenaw Ave  
Ypsilanti, MI 48197  
734-961-7575

12020 Fort St  
Southgate, MI 48195  
734-250-7382

*Division 6 and it's membership wishes to extend a big THANK-YOU to Nankin Hobby for their continued support!*

**NORTH CENTRAL EXPRESS 2024  
OCTOBER 10-11-12-13, 2024  
NORTHVILLE, MICHIGAN**



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Novi, MI 48375**