

Central Missouri Chapter Ozark Division Train Collector Association

Newsletter September 2018



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The Sep[ember Meeting

The September meeting was held on Wednesday, the 5th. There were fifteen members present and one quest.

The Boring Talking Part

We began the meeting with a sad announcement. A long time member, Ed King, passed recently at his home in Iowa City. He was one of the early members of the club while he lived in Columbia and moved to Iowa City with his wife for her job at the University

of Iowa. He frequently visited Columbia and participated in club events as our Ambassador to Iowa. He will be missed.

Dennis gave an update on plans for our November 3 Toy Train and Swap Meet. The meet will be held at the Senior Center on Business Loop East with hours of 10:00 to 3:00. The admission remains at \$3.00 and tables will cost \$10.00. While we are expecting fewer vendors, we are already receiving table reservations. Breakfast and lunch items will be available.

Pete Davis, Dick Malon, and Lou Degginger discussed their visits to the KC NMRA National convention last month. They were very impressed by the quality and variety of layouts, and the large number of vendors present.

We will again participate in the Boone County Historical Society Christmas Show, We will be bringing similar displays to last year. We are asked to bring our display on Nov, 14, 15, and 16 between the hours of 10AM and 4PM. This is a Wednesday, Thursday, and Friday. We are also asked to operate the displays on two Sundays in December, the 2nd and 16th. The secretary will be

meeting with the director soon to finalize plans including insurance requirements.

The club is continuing to help Father Doyle dispose of his collection. Several members brought his items to the Boeing Show on September 8, and will be bringing any remaining items to the club train meet,

It was noted by the president that Mark Wahrenbrock had an unexcused absence for the September meeting.

Several members have visited the Iron Spike Museum in Washington, MO. This is a very large series of scale and toy train displays housed in a large former car dealership. If you plan to visit, it is recommended to call first at 636-283-5166 to insure that it will be open.

Member Features

Tim Wahl, a relatively new member, gave the September presentation. He brought trains that both his father and he had as children, and ran them on the tracks. See trains below.

There is no presentation scheduled for October.

** Please remember that all of these programs are available in the red binder at the clubhouse. See Dennis.

Speaking of Trains

The following trains were on the track:

Ben Colley ran two S-gauge Flyer trains his 1965 Rocket passenger train and a GP7 diesel and beautiful box and cattle cars.

Tim Wahl ran his childhood UP diesel pair with freight cars and his father's 2026 Hudson with modern Amtrak passenger cars.

Speaking of Meets

Decator IL Sep 15/16

Springfield MO Sept 22/23

Warrenton Show Oct 6/7

Our Club Nov 3

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Treasurer's Report

There is no change in the treasury.

The Next Meeting

The next meeting will be on Wednesday, October 3, promptly between 7:00 and 7:30.