



The Lantern



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Message From The Superintendent

This month's issue is very small because of some changes we are making on the Lantern. Things will be back to normal next month.

March's meeting went great and I want to thank Pete Birdsong, Bill Hammer and Joe Holbrook for there parts in making it such a success.

On Sunday, April 1st. we will meet at the Tates Creek Branch Library at 2:00pm for a clinic presented by Bob Lawson on "Building Dioramas" then we will tour Bill Robbins newly improved Union Pacific HO layout.

Please don't miss this meeting. Most of you know Bob Lawson, but for those who don't, he is one of the best modelers in the three state area. You will learn in this one clinic more than you could pick-up in a year of watching others. So, if you are at all interested in modeling, don't miss Bob's clinic.

I hope to see you all there!

- John

ELECTIONS!

Division 10 will be holding elections soon for the offices of Superintendent, Assistant Superintendent, Secretary and Treasurer, and also appointing chairs for the various committees (listed elsewhere in the newsletter). If you would like to volunteer for any office or committee, please me know by the end of April. You can contact me by phone at 859 268 1462 or e-mail at rrpete@insightbb.com.

- Pete

Bring N' Brag Schedule

April 2007 - Favorite Trains

May 2007 - Anything Goes

MODELS

High to Low or Tie	Mar. 2007	PT
Michael Tyra (2nd)	4	13
David Toles (1st)	5	10
Ed Graves	-	8
Tom Krill	-	4
Don Burris	3	3

PHOTOS

High to Low or Tie	Mar. 2007	PT
David Toles (1st)	5	5
David Battin (2nd)	4	4

BRING N' BRAG RULES

Points are awarded for models according the following rules. Three points for a first place. Two points for second place and one point for third. One point is awarded for your first entry. A second point is given if that entry is "On Topic".

Bring n' Brag March 2007

Structures was our Bring n' Brag category for March and we had a small, but good field of entries.

First, Don Burris entered his Howard Johnson's restaurant which he nicely accented with vehicles. This sure brought back some childhood memories. Next, Michael Tyra brought an incredibly detailed tobacco barn with an interior you wouldn't believe! David Toles rounded things out with a sharp looking model of a Fink truss bridge. Again, the detail was amazing, complete with pigeons roosting on the top chord - doing what birds like to do! David edged out Michael for first place in a close race while Don came in third.

Finally, there were some photos to see! David Toles shared a nice shot of N&W's 611 while Dave Battin brought sharp photos of the NKP 765 and a caboose track. David swept both events this month with his 611 squeezing by the 765.

The subject for April will be "Favorite Trains" and for May will be "Anything Goes". May will be the last Bring n' Brag before our summer break so why not have an open category so we can bring whatever we want, so long as it's related to railroad-ing!

We will be having an exciting new schedule of events for Bring n' Brag beginning in September. Stay tuned for further details. See you in April!

- Ron

- Don't Forget...

**The South Wind
MCR Regional Convention
Louisville, KY
April 12-15, 2007**

AROUND THE BEND

MON.	DAY	EVENT	PLACE/TIME	PROGRAM	TOUR	CONTEST
APR.	1	MCR	Tates Creek Library	Building Diorama Modules	Bill Robbins	Favorite Trains
Apr.	12-15	MCR	Clarion Hotel & Convention Ctr. Louisville, KY	"The South Wind" MCR Regional Convention (See Address at Right)	South Wind'07 P.O. Box 99041 Louisville, KY 40269-0041	Several!
MAY	6	MCR DIV 10	TBA	Finishing the City Classics Company House, by Sam Swanson	TBA	Anything Goes
JUNE	TBA	MCR DIV 10	Woodstock (Eubank), KY	Ray & Renee Grosser Road Trip	Soo Line Layouts!	N/A

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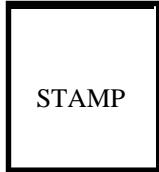
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Next Meeting:

Sunday, April 1
2:00 pm - 4:00 pm
Tates Creek Branch Library
Lexington, KY

Program:
Building Diorama Modules
by Bob Lawson

Tour:
Bill Robbins

Bring & Brag:
Favorite Trains