



SEPTEMBER 2024



POTOMAC DIVISION NEWSBRIEF

What's Coming Up?

Sept. 5-8, MARPM,
DoubleTree by Hilton
Baltimore-BWI Airport

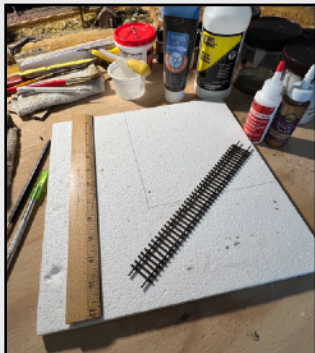
Sept. 17, 7:30PM, Virtual,
Potomac Board Meeting

Oct. 17-20, MER Convention,
Piedmont Junction, Durham,
North Carolina

Oct. 20, 3PM, Virtual Clinic:
"Installing a Loksound
Decoder, speaker, and LED in
a Proto 2000 GP7/9" Clinician:
Ben Sullivan

What's Coming in The Flyer?

Meet the Member: Bill
Schultheiss; Kitbashing
Alaska, Part 2; W&OD RR,
Part 2; An Old Kit Back from
the Dead; plus our popular
vote Square Foot & T-Trak
contest update.



Joint Meet with James River

The location for our planned Joint Meet with James River Division is uncertain at this time. Because of a change in the leadership at Battlefield Baptist Church, we have not yet been able to secure a commitment for use of their facilities in November as we originally planned. While we await a decision, we are exploring the availability of alternate sites. The Board will keep you informed of any developments.

In Memoriam: Paul Dolkos

Noted model railroader, author and photographer Paul Dolkos passed away on August 10, 2024, while in hospice care in Alexandria, Virginia. He was 85. A tribute by Bernard Kempinski (who took this photo) appears on his blog (<https://usmrr.blogspot.com/>) and will be in the October-November *Flyer*.



Kudos to Thompson, Sprague

Mat's Oregon Coast RR appears in the Trackside Photos showcase of the October issue of *Model Railroader*. Bob's use of a frame to spotlight layout issues is cited in the August NMRA Magazine Business Car.

Silliness Challenge: Act Quickly!

Send to: Potomac-Flyer@potomac-nmra.org by Sept. 5. Aliens? Dinosaurs? Naughty figures? Halloween scenes? Let's see what you've got!

FYI Our December-January Challenge will be "What Are You Working on?" Anything goes.