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HAPPY NEW YEAR!

POTOMAC DIVISION NEWSBRIEF

PD at Dulles Expo



Potomac Division volunteers stepped up once again to represent us at the Greenberg Train Show in December to recruit new members, publicize our activities and raise awareness for the NMRA. Thanks to all who took part.

Board Meeting

The Board is looking to expand our November 2022 Joint Meet with James River to include Tidewater and possibly others. There's also discussion of having an expanded set of layout visits incorporated with that event. Stay tuned!

What's Coming Up

Jan. 16 Virtual Clinic on Northlandz with Patrick Bentz.

Jan. 22 Hobby Barn Clinic on Model RR Photography.



Motive Power Challenge Entries

Entries to the *Potomac Flyer's Motive Power Challenge* for our upcoming February-March issue have been steadily arriving. And they are *amazing!* Jan. 10th is the deadline for submission of a photo or 2 plus description of your models.

We want to give you a heads-up for the next Challenge. For April-May, we want to see your favorite LANDSCAPE FEATURES (NON-WATER): mountains, trees, forests, fields, rocks, gardens, roads, etc. For June-July, WATER FEATURES: rivers, streams, ponds, oceans, waterfalls, etc. [Photo: Mat Thompson's ALCO 660]

There's much more in the next *Flyer*: the Super's new scratchbuilt gondola, a visit to Brunswick, Maryland's RR Museum and a report on an operating session with Tony Koester plus advice on overcoming modeling obstacles and new supply tips.