



JULY 2023



POTOMAC DIVISION NEWSBRIEF

Flyer Anniversary Challenge!

We've invited the modelers whose submissions were voted "most favored" over the past two years to send in anything they want for this limited participation August-Sept. challenge. The next challenge for Oct.-Nov. will be Bridges. So get ready!



What's Coming Up?

Sat. July 8, 9AM Live in-person – with George Meyrick (photo above) & Ernie Little: Using DecoderPro to program locomotives (limited to 6 participants; pre-registration required)

Sun., July 16, 3PM Virtual with Bob Sprague: "What's New on the Old Ma & Pa: Update on the Ma & PA, Roland Park Division"

Sun., Aug. 20, 3PM Virtual with Bill Mosteller: "Earning the NMRA Electrical AP certificate with a Small Layout"

Meet August 5th in Waldorf

The Potomac Division will hold a meet on Saturday, Aug. 5th at the Firehouse in Waldorf, MD. Dale Latham will offer a clinic on the railroads of Southern Maryland, and Martin Brechbiel, MMR, will provide an introduction to resin casting. In the afternoon, Dale will open his layout to visitors as will Paul Hutchins. Details on the website and in the next *Flyer*.

Altoona MER Convention

It's not too late to register for this Oct- 19-22 event in Pennsylvania! Early fare available until Aug. 31st. Go to: <https://mer2023.org/registration.html>

Battlefield Baptist Joint Meet is Set!

The date for the meet with James River Division will be November 4th. The program of clinics and open houses is being developed now. Mark your calendars!

Stanley Receives Abrams Plaque



Superintendent Ernie Little, MMR presented Jerry his plaque for outstanding service to the Division and the hobby. The presentation took place at Jerry's home where he has been recovering from knee surgery.

What's Coming in *The Flyer* in August?

You'll have to wait and see. But it's going to be big!