

MARCH 2022

POTOMAC DIVISION NEWSBRIEF

Motive Power

Votes have been trickling in for your favorite Motive Power. It's not too late to cast yours by emailing: Potomac-Flyer@potomac-nmra.org by March 10th.

PD at Timonium

The Potomac Division was at the Timonium show in February to recruit new members, publicize our activities and raise awareness for the NMRA. Thanks to Nick Kalis, Gary Eames, Doug Hess, Thomas Washburn, William Mosteller, Tim Tilson, Mike Fleming, Paul Hutchins, Ken Wilson, Mike Powers and all others who took part!

Open House Survey

The results are in. 90% favor restarting. Check the next *Flyer* for full details.

What's Coming Up

March 20: Virtual Clinic by Brian Sheron on Building an Operational Crossing

May, June, Aug: Car Building Clinics **IN-PERSON** at Knights of Columbus Hall in Fairfax!

Board Elections in April

The deadline for candidates to step forward has passed and the Election Committee of Mark Gionet, Brian Sheron, MMR, and Bill Demas reports two members have stepped up to run for Assistant Superintendent and Paymaster – the incumbents, Ernie Little, MMR, and Jerry Stanley. Although they face no opposition, there will still be a formal vote so look for your ballots in April. Most of you will use eVoting. Full details on our website or in the April-May issue of *The Flyer*.

What's Coming in the April-May Flyer?

Submissions for our Landscape Challenge are coming in. If you haven't sent in your photos and a brief description you have until March 10th to do so. Other features include Bill Schultheiss scratchbuilds a Vermont covered bridge



and *Flyer* editor Alex Belida, MMR, shows us his latest project, a diorama of an early Pennsylvania oil well. And Jim Novaco recalls exchanging cars. Remember you can revisit all our Challenges on the PD website along with

Clinic videos and back issues of *The Flyer*!