

# *The Main Line*

The monthly publication of the  
**Western Kansas Division**

**April 2025**



## **On The Cover:**

**FreeMo put on a great display during the 2025 Garden City Train Show hosted by the Boothill Model Railroad Club in Garden City, Kansas. Details inside...**

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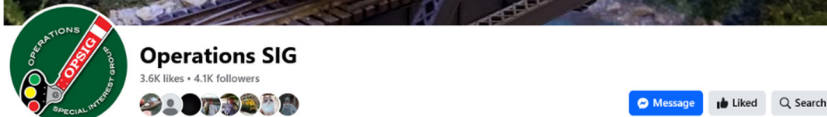
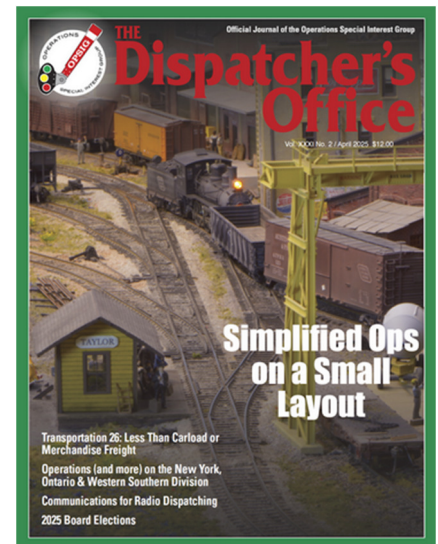


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April 24 – April 27, 2025

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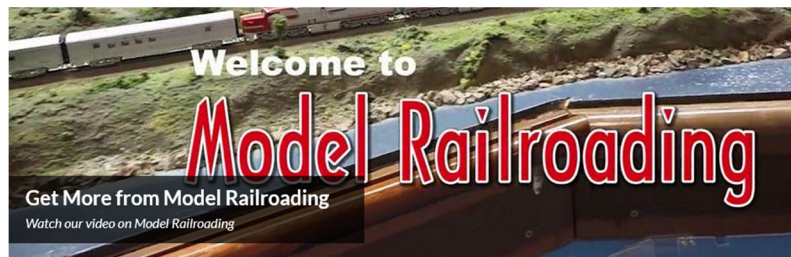
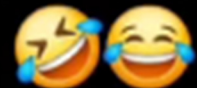
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# Real Deal



(Above) Back in January, a westbound BNSF freight was awaiting a crew change in the Dodge City, Kansas yard.



BNSF 4541 is a General Electric **Dash-944CW**. Part of GE's "Dash 9" series of locomotives, the Dash 9-44CW shares its frame, HiAd trucks, 16-cylinder 7FDL engine, and traction motors with the GE Dash 9-40CW. But while the more common 9-44CW offers 4,400 horsepower, software in the 9-40CW's engine-governing unit restricts its power output to 4,000 horsepower.



# Real Deal



The second unit was BNSF 602, a **GE AC44C4M**. Part of another Dash 9 rebuild program, this time between BNSF and GE, it aimed to create **A-1-A AC**-traction units. BNSF 602, a former ATSF C44-9W was shipped off to the GE shop in San Luis Potosi, Mexico back in early 2014. The unit received extensive rebuilding including an overhauled 7FDL-16 prime mover, AC traction equipment, and new A-1-A trucks. BNSF's goal was to create A-1-A "AC4400CW's" out of the 600-series of C44-9W's. Units 599-619 round out BNSF's current AC44C4M fleet. There are currently no plans for more. This unit suffered an engine fire..



# Real Deal



Part of the westbound consist were two Boeing fuselages being shipped to the assembly plant in Renton, Washington. These are destined to be part of the **737 MAX-10** models. The Boeing 737 MAX 10 is the largest member of the 737 MAX family, designed to accommodate up to 230 passengers with a stretched fuselage and powered by CFM International LEAP-1B engines, offering improved fuel efficiency with a 3,300 nautical mile range and passenger comfort.



# Real Deal



(Above) a closer look at how the fuselage is attached to the flatcar.

(Below) a close view of the tail section.



# Real Deal



1/13/25 On one lucky day, I was taking pictures of the yard and was startled to see from the corner of my eye, the arrival of a Cimarron Valley freight entering the yard, and was able to get a quick snapshot of the motive power.



(Left) March 23<sup>rd</sup> was a sunny and more Spring-like day when I caught a westbound freight again awaiting a crew replacement, but this train had a visitor from another Country.

# Real Deal



(Above) BNSF **4156** is a GE **Dash-944CW**. (Below) The Canadian visitor is Canadian National 8508, a **GE AC4400 DRF44**. The DRF44 is a CN designation for: **Diesel Road Freight 4400HP**. Needless to say, we don't see one of these every day.



# Real Deal



(This Page) Something else we rarely see is EMD power.

BNSF **1424** is a EMD **SD60M**. It was built in March of 1990 as Burlington Northern 9243.

After changing to BNSF, it also wore 8143 before its current number.



# Real Deal



(Above) Located near the RIP track is this stash of replacement wheels. This would be a wonderful detail addition to any model railroad yard scene. In this photo it seems that the wheel sets on the far-left look slightly smaller in diameter, either an optical illusion from the angle and distance, or they could be 33" vs 36" wheels.

(Below) A quick shot through the windshield of the old turntable on the East end of the Dodge City yard.





The **Friends of the Burlington Northern Railroad (FOBNR)** historical society was chartered to gather, preserve, and share information about the history and the current operations of the Burlington Northern Railroad. The group began with about 140 members interested in studying the history of the Burlington Northern Railroad. In 1996, following the merger between Burlington Northern and Santa Fe, the group voted to follow the Burlington Northern from 1970 to 1995 and the BNSF from 1995 to the present. Then in 2018 we added coverage of the Montana Rail Link.



The FOBNR quarterly publication, *The BN Expediter*, is the voice of the organization that shares news about the group’s activities, BN historical data, and current operations of the railroad. It is currently a 30+ page all-color publication and will grow even larger as the society grows and more members contribute more information.

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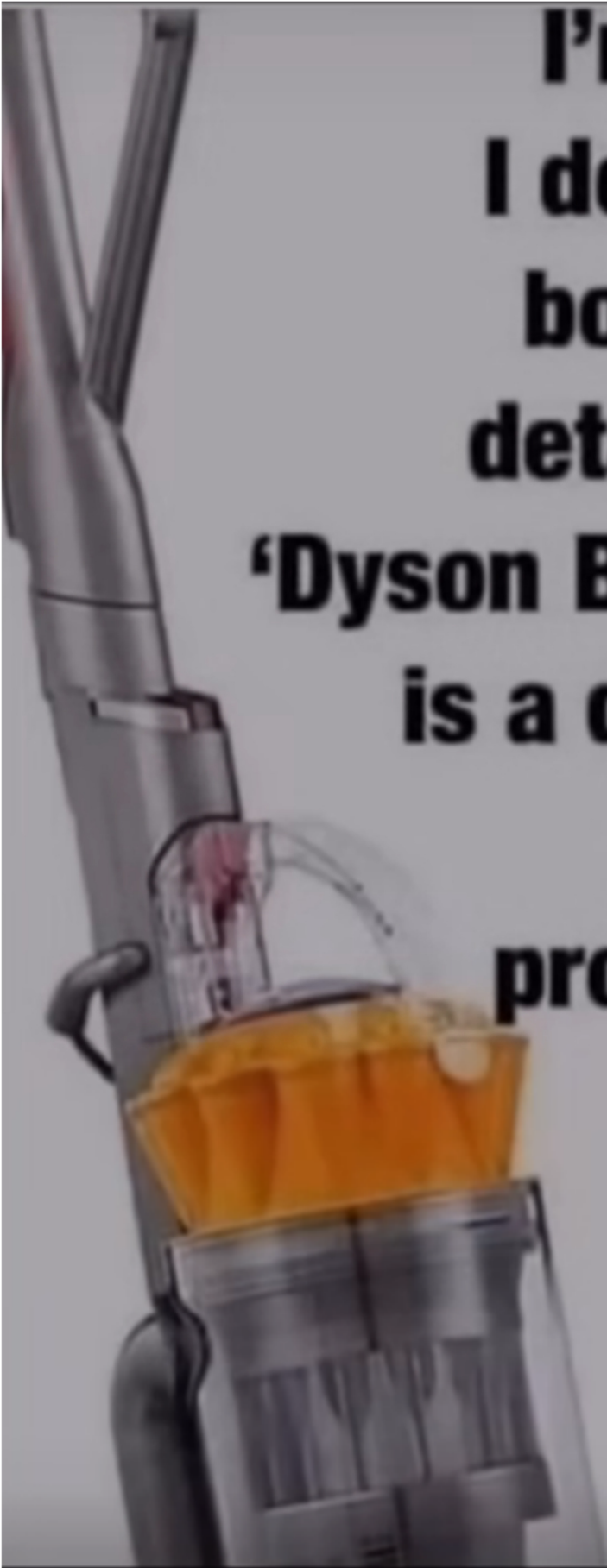


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# *Garden City Train Show 2025*



The **Garden City Train Show 2025** hosted by the Boothill Model Railroad Club in Garden City, Kansas was held at the Finney County Fairgrounds on March 8<sup>th</sup> and 9<sup>th</sup>.

Several highly-detailed layouts were displayed, and we will spread out the coverage over several months to do justice to them all.

Mark Fisher of Ingalls, Kansas and Steve Wagner of Sublette, Kansas joined their On30 layouts together.

(Below) Mark's layout features a look at logging in the 1800s, beginning with the felling of the trees and branch removal.



# *Garden City Train Show 2025*

(Right) So how do you move the incredibly heavy tree trunks to the train tracks, you use a device which rolls over the log, is chained to it, and then is drawn by oxen team.

Once at the rail head, the logs are loaded onto flat cars for transport to the sawmill.



(Left) As you can see at the upper left, the cars are positioned next to the holding pond and then rolled down the bank to the holding pond.

Workers then position the logs at the end of the lift where they are hooked to the lift chain to be drawn up to the sawmill.

# *Garden City Train Show 2025*

(Right) On Mark's layout the saw trolley moves back and forth to simulate the cutting process.



(Left & Below) Once the cut boards come off the saw, the workers process them and stack them.



(Left) Some of the details in the sawmill.

# *Garden City Train Show 2025*



(Above) All the motive power is narrow gauge steam.

(Right) A view of the rear of the sawmill showing the steam power plant that powers the mill.



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# *Garden City Train Show 2025*



The second of the two layouts was displayed by Steve Wagner of Sublette, Kansas. The original On30 layout of the Club, Steve's layout depicts mining in the same era.

The layout is highly detailed above and below. It features an underground mine shaft with working lights and compressed air engine pulling the ore cars.

(Below) All items on the layout are scratch-built or modified by Steve, including the station. After building the foundation, Steve cast the bricks and constructed the station brick by brick including all interior details.



# *Garden City Train Show 2025*

(Right) A look at the back side of the station.



(Below) The entire layout is chocked-full of details. Here we peer into the interior of the station which is fully detailed, populated, and lighted.



# *Garden City Train Show*

## *2025*



(Left) Sheep being pastured above the mine and a mule team pulling an ore wagon.

(Right) Most of the locomotives on Steve's layout are scratch-built. Here is a view of one of Steve's "critters" on the move.



(Below) A stagecoach exchanges passengers.





# *Garden City Train Show 2025*

(Left) an overhead shot of the mine scene.

(Below) The above ground mine scene. The mine shaft on the left features a moving elevator and ore bucket dump which are on delayed timers. The ore carts have a turntable with multiple tracks while the power shed is on the right.



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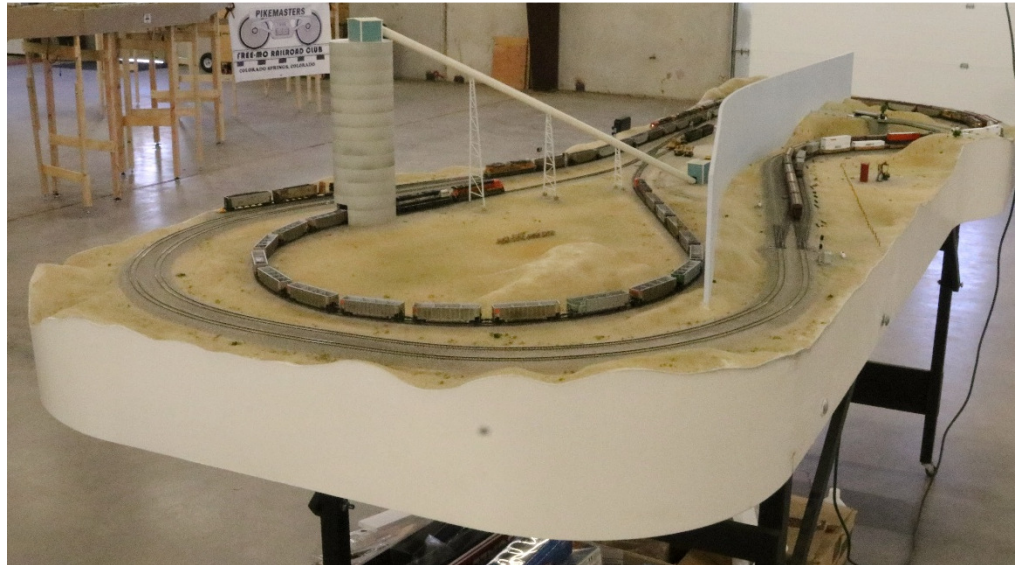


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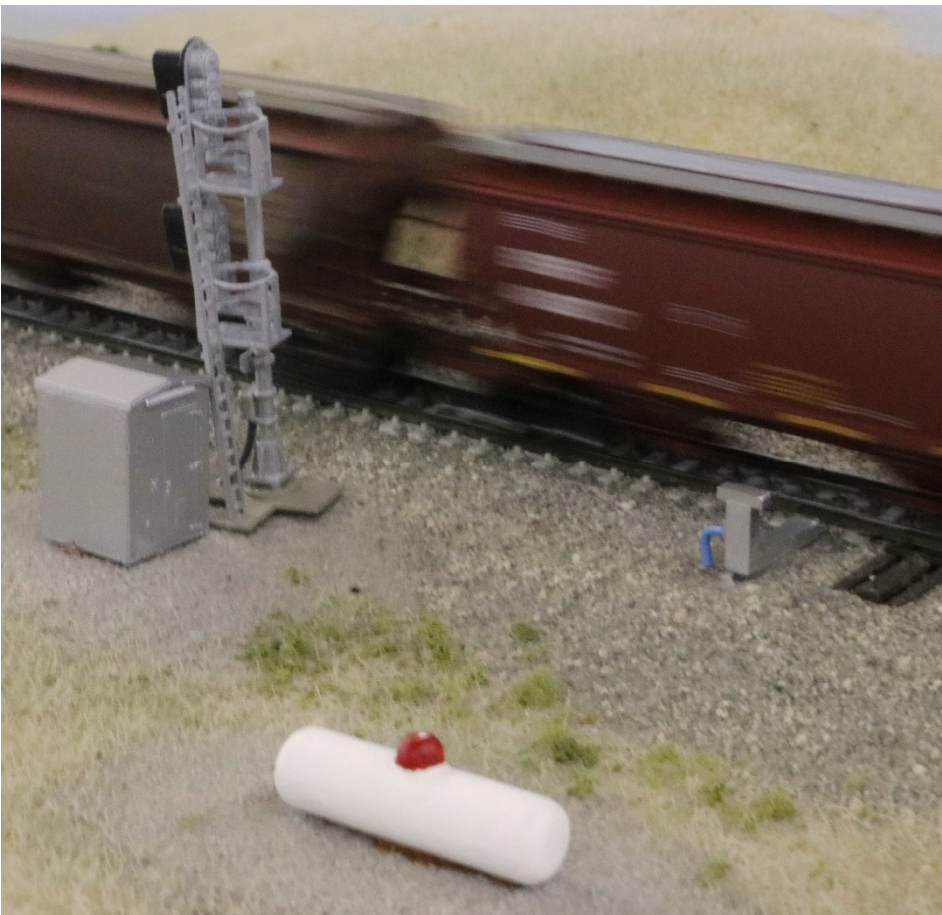
# *Garden City Train Show 2025*



Sylvester Rodriguez of Garden City, Kansas displayed his N-scale coal flood loader layout. The roughly 5-by-9 layout demonstrates how modern coal trains are loaded. A basic loop format features double track main and features many details throughout.



# *Garden City Train Show 2025*



(Above) A nicely detailed MOW scene.

(Left) Details rarely seen on a N-scale layout, the layout featured functional signaling, electric cabinets, and switch heaters.



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# *Garden City Train Show 2025*

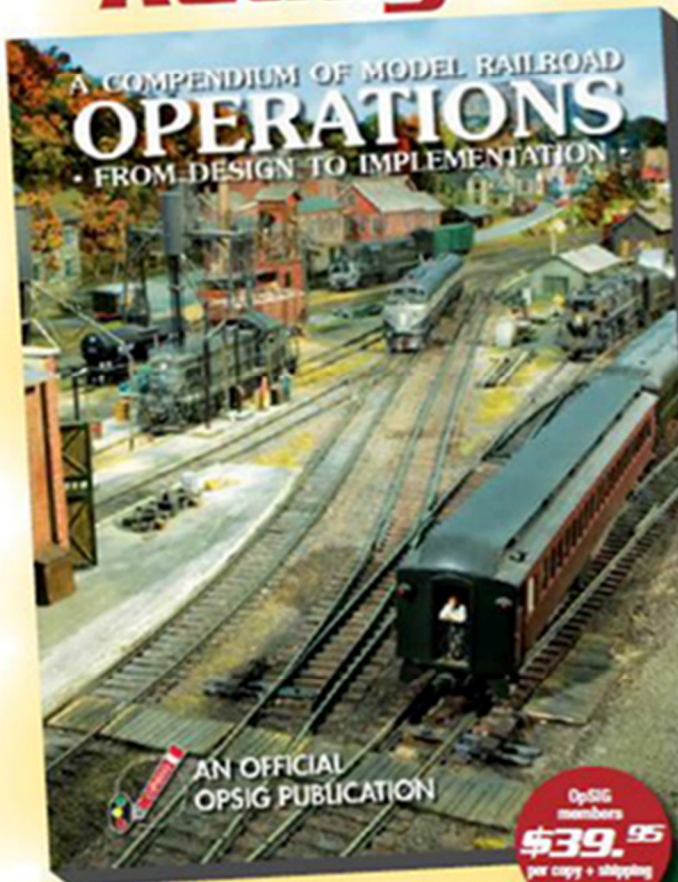


More coverage of the 2025 Garden City Train Show will follow in the coming months issues.



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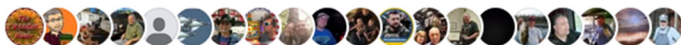
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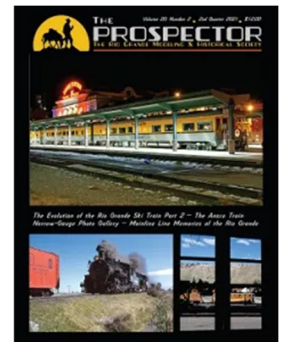
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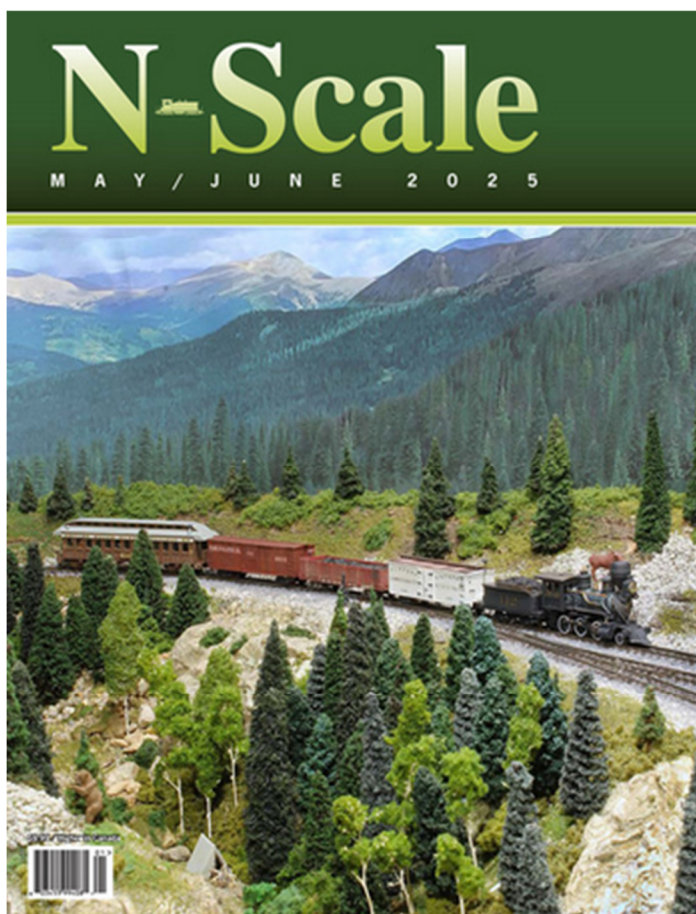
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# WKR Update



The weekend of March 8<sup>th</sup> and 9<sup>th</sup>, the Western Kansas Rails (WKR) made the trip to Garden City, Kansas for the 2025 Garden City Train Show hosted by the Boothill Model Railroad Club. Since it was not a long way to travel, it proved to be a fun weekend. We're happy to say everything ran smoothly with no troubles or issues.

(Right) One of the best aspects of model railroading is visiting with friends both old and new. Mark Fisher (left) is a member of the Boothill Model Railroad Club and Jerry Bruce of McPherson, KS. came down along with Leroy Schmidt to help and run trains and both were an immense help in packing up.

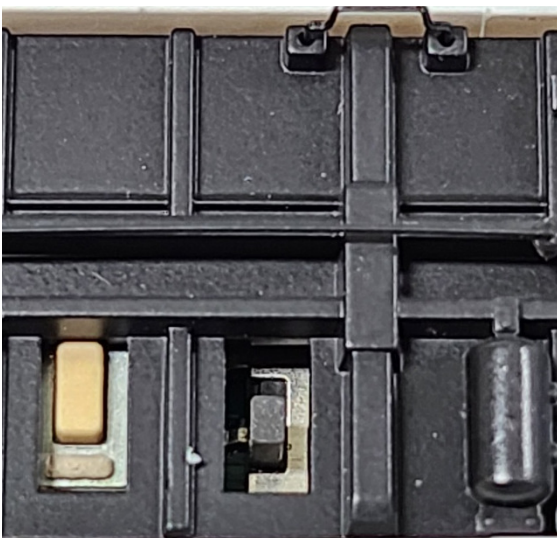


(Left) Over a couple of days I was able to empty out the LTV and the WKR is currently resting in the Train Room. The first order of business is to check over everything and repair any "battle damage," then we'll get it back together.

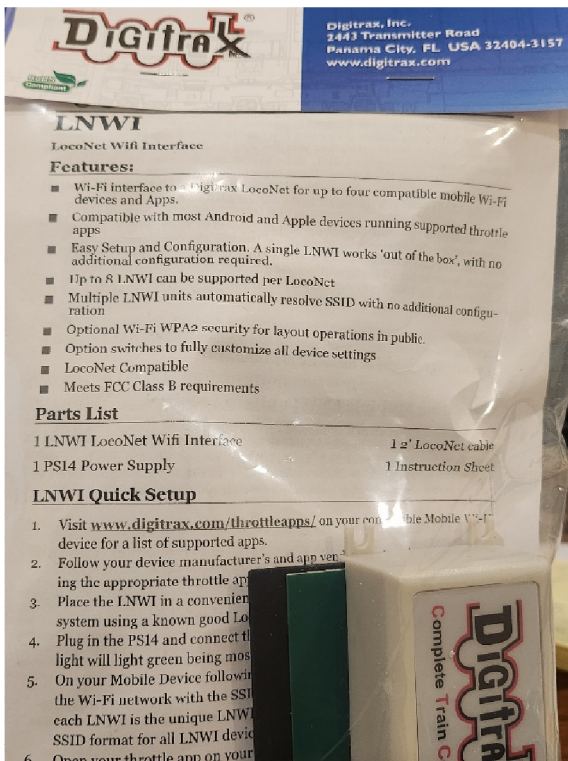
# WKR Update



March also brought new additions to the rolling stock fleet a pair of Scale Trains sound equipped mechanical reefers. They look impressive but since the layout is not set up we can't try them out yet.



(Right) No instructions come with the cars, but it's noted there is a switch in the car floor to control volume. We're lucky to have these as a "Porch Pirate" nearly got them. I had an order for four boxcars earlier delivered to the door through UPS. I never got the package and nobody could trace it. Then this package was delivered, and I saw the delivered e-mail just 30-minutes later. I open the door – no package. I stepped out to peer around the house and saw the neighbor's dog happily chewing on the box which I was able to save. No trace of the other box though.



# WKR Update

(Left) When Jerry Bruce came down to run on the WKR for the Train Show, he brought his LNWI (Loconet WiFi Interface) so he could run his new wireless throttles. The thought struck the Electronics Shop of the WKR that we could use this to interface with our cell phones as throttles. So, we ordered a LNWI which will be permanently mounted to the power cart. Next, we need to download the throttle app on our phone.

(Right) The Scenery Department spotted an ad for the Micro-Trains modern billboard kit and so ordered two for the layout. They will need to be removable for transport and will need a transport cushioned box. The intent is to drive around and spot eye-catching billboards, photograph them, print them out and apply them to the model for a bit of realism.



(Left) When ordering the billboards, we needed more for the order, and located two, new in the box, pre-owned Atlas Master SD50s with DCC and sound. The intent is to patch both for the Missouri Pacific Leasing Corp. (MPLX) With new road numbers.

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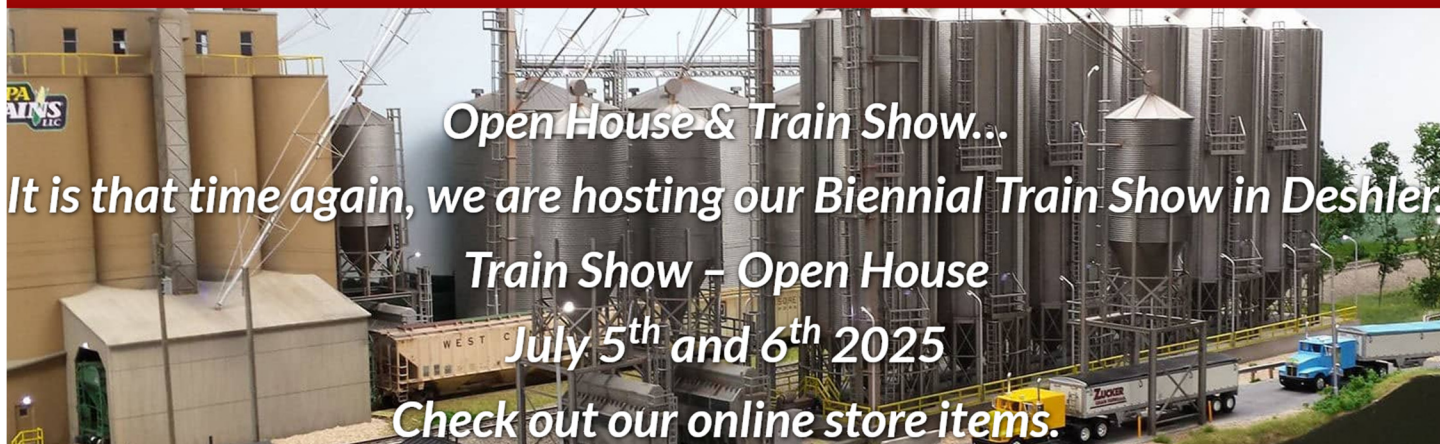
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19 <sup>th</sup> Saturday	<b>2025 Arkansas City Train Show</b> <a href="http://www.wichitatoytrainmuseum.org/">http://www.wichitatoytrainmuseum.org/</a>	Arkansas City, KS.
25 <sup>th</sup> & 26 <sup>th</sup> Fri & Sat	<b>Greater Tulsa Area Train Show</b> <a href="https://www.ttos-soonerdiv.org/">https://www.ttos-soonerdiv.org/</a>	Broken Arrow, OK.
26 <sup>th</sup> & 27 <sup>th</sup> Sat & Sun	<b>Spring Creek Model Trains – FreeMo Event</b> <a href="https://www.springcreekmodeltrains.com/show-schedule/">https://www.springcreekmodeltrains.com/show-schedule/</a>	Deshler, NE.

## JUNE

14 <sup>th</sup> & 15 <sup>th</sup> Sat & Sun	<b>Center of the Nation Model Railroad Expo</b> <a href="http://www.kansascentralmodelrailroaders.org/train-show.html">http://www.kansascentralmodelrailroaders.org/train-show.html</a>	Hutchinson, KS.
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## July

5 <sup>th</sup> & 6 <sup>th</sup> Sat & Sun	<b>Spring Creek 25<sup>th</sup> Annual Train Show</b> <a href="https://www.springcreekmodeltrains.com/show-schedule/">https://www.springcreekmodeltrains.com/show-schedule/</a>	Deshler, NE.
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## November

15 <sup>th</sup> & 16 <sup>th</sup> Sat & Sun	<b>Oklahoma City Train Show</b> <a href="https://www.okctrainshow.com/">https://www.okctrainshow.com/</a>	Oklahoma City, OK.
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