



# OrderBoard

## Newsletter of The Calgary Model Railway Society



*Photos by John Morphy*

***Ken Clark brought a display of a Bucyrus Steam shovel and some ore cars along with a steam engine to the Spring Mini Meet.***



***Ken also brought a model of a 70 ton Bucyrus shovel loaded on a heavy haul flat car.***

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## CMRS Board of Directors

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## Directors Reports

After 7 1/2 years of being a member of the CMRS Board it is time to say goodbye. While I have enjoyed every minute, and the friendships made, it is time for new blood to take over, therefore please welcome Alex Pinto to the full time position as our Treasurer. While I will still be around to assist as needed, it will be nice to be JUST A PLAIN OLD MEMBER!!.

Thank you

Selwyn Morris

***On behalf of the CMRS Board of Directors we want to thank you Selwyn for all your hard work and dedication!!!***

John M Editor

## Mini Meets

Mini meet held on March 2<sup>nd</sup> along with the CMT Flea Market. Had a good turnout along with three speakers after the Flea Market was done. A big thanks to everyone that attended along with the vendors who bought tables to sell their train related wares.

Display of Modellers Projects Ken Clark and Rae Teal. And speakers were Rhod Hubbard, Bernhard Gielau, and Michael Marquardt. Big thanks for helping out showing off your models and speaking about projects you have been working on.

Lucas Park  
Minimeets

[MiniMeets@calgarymodelrailway.ca](mailto:MiniMeets@calgarymodelrailway.ca)

## CMRS Memberships

Since the last report, it was a very busy month for membership with 22 renewals, 9 new, 2 extensions and 4 re-joins to bring our membership to 259 members. Most of these transactions occurred at the flea market and mini-meet.

Membership renewals will be available at **SUPERTRAIN** at the CMRS booth, and credit cards will be accepted at this event ONLY.

The membership link is <https://www.calgarymodelrailway.ca/join.html> for anyone that wants to renew before **SUPERTRAIN**.

Mark Wittrup  
Memberships

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## SUPERTRAIN 2025 – Update

Almost there. New venue, lots of exhibitors (106), more space used (76,000 ft<sup>2</sup>) than we have ever had, more parking. Teams are ready. Floor plan and details are on the [supertrain.ca](http://supertrain.ca) website. Everything looks good.

The Volunteer schedule is now published on the [supertrain.ca](http://supertrain.ca) website indicating the filled and available positions. Be sure to respond soon to get a suitable role – satisfying to be able to contribute to **SUPERTRAIN** success, rewarded with free show entry, and free parking on the day(s) of volunteering.

See you all at a super **SUPERTRAIN**.

Jim Ironside  
Registrar  
SUPERTRAIN 2025

### Coming Events

Moose Jaw Model Train Show	March 22&23/2025 Western Development Museum 1-306-693-5989 <a href="https://wdm.ca/event_manager/modeltrainshow/">https://wdm.ca/event_manager/modeltrainshow/</a>
<b>SUPERTRAIN 2025</b>	<b>April 5&amp;6/2025</b> Olympic Oval University of Calgary <a href="http://supertrain.ca">supertrain.ca</a>
<b>Fall Mini Meet</b>	<b>October 5/2025</b> Glenmore Inn CMRS AGM

*Red text indicates these are CMRS sponsored events.*

*Send an email to [orderboard@calgarymodelrailway.ca](mailto:orderboard@calgarymodelrailway.ca) with submissions for coming events!*

**Deadline for the next issue is April 15, 2025**

## Ads and Advertising

Do you have some Model Railroad related items for sale, or perhaps something rare you want? Consider an ad in the OrderBoard. Text ads run free of charge for members (provided the ad is relatively small), we can run the ad a second time if requested. Commercial ads are \$15/year for a business card size ad, more for a larger size.

Contact Editor at [orderboard@calgarymodelrailway.ca](mailto:orderboard@calgarymodelrailway.ca) for details. Deadline for next issue April 15,2025.

**John Morphy**  
**OrderBoard Editor**  
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**For Sale:**All PECO code 100

1 SL-97 Small Radius Y Turnout. \$5.00

1 SL- 88 Curved Turnout Right Hand. \$20.00

2 SL-87 Curved Turnout Left Hand. \$20.00 ea.

2 Ground throw kits - offers

Used, in good condition e-mail address: [ringingrails@shaw.ca](mailto:ringingrails@shaw.ca)

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**Wanted:** Lionel Style O-Gauge track, especially curved sections,  
and Lionel O-Gauge Turnouts for use with O-31 and O-72 inch curves.

I am also looking for O-Scale Cylindrical Grain Hoppers that are blue  
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Contact email address: [mrvinylab@shaw.ca](mailto:mrvinylab@shaw.ca)

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The following models are all from Rae Teal presented at the Spring Mini Meet. They tie together to form “Campbell’s Cove”, a fictional harbour on the Great lakes. The fish plant is kitbashed from a Hamilton’s Dinghies kit (Campbell Scale Models) and sits on the Norm’s Landing Fishing Pier (also Campbell Scale Models). The fishing tug (a Great Lakes term for fishing boats) was kitbashed from a Kibri tug kit.



*Photos by John Morphy*



These two buildings were built stock from the Waterfront kit (Builders In Scale) and are attached to The Wharf (Campbell Scale Models). The stone walls are from Chooch Enterprises.



*Photos by John Morphy*

This is mostly the Tidewater Wharf kit (Builders in Scale) except the lighthouse which is entirely scratch built from wood, styrene and brass (rails). All buildings are lit with LEDs and the lighthouse flashes



A close-up of the warehouse from the Waterfront kit (Builders in Scale).



# CANADA'S LARGEST MODEL TRAIN SHOW

## NEW LOCATION



Olympic Oval  
at the University of Calgary  
288 Collegiate Blvd NW

**Saturday & Sunday April 5 - 6, 2025**  
**9am to 5pm**

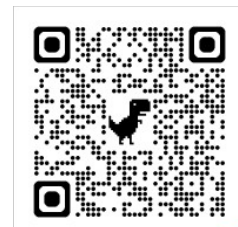
### Admission:

**6 and under - Free • Youth (7-16) - \$5 • Adult - \$15**

\* 12 and under must be accompanied by an adult



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