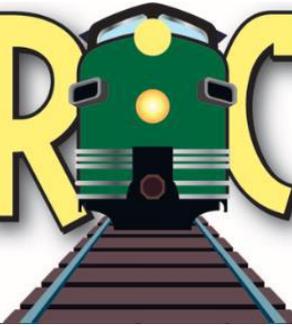


PGRS TRACKIN'



Newsletter of the Piedmont Garden Railway Society

October 2021

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Happy Fall PGRS members!



All Scales Model Railroad Show

www.fbe-nscale.org/autumn-rails/

Friday Oct 1, 12 to 6 pm and Saturday Oct 2, 10 am to 4 pm

Admission \$6 Adults both days of the show

Kids under 12 and scouts in uniform-Free Admission

Hours of Show: Friday ,October 1 12 noon-6:00pm

Saturday, October 2 10:00 am-4:00pm

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Congratulations Don 'Doc' Watson. Once again...

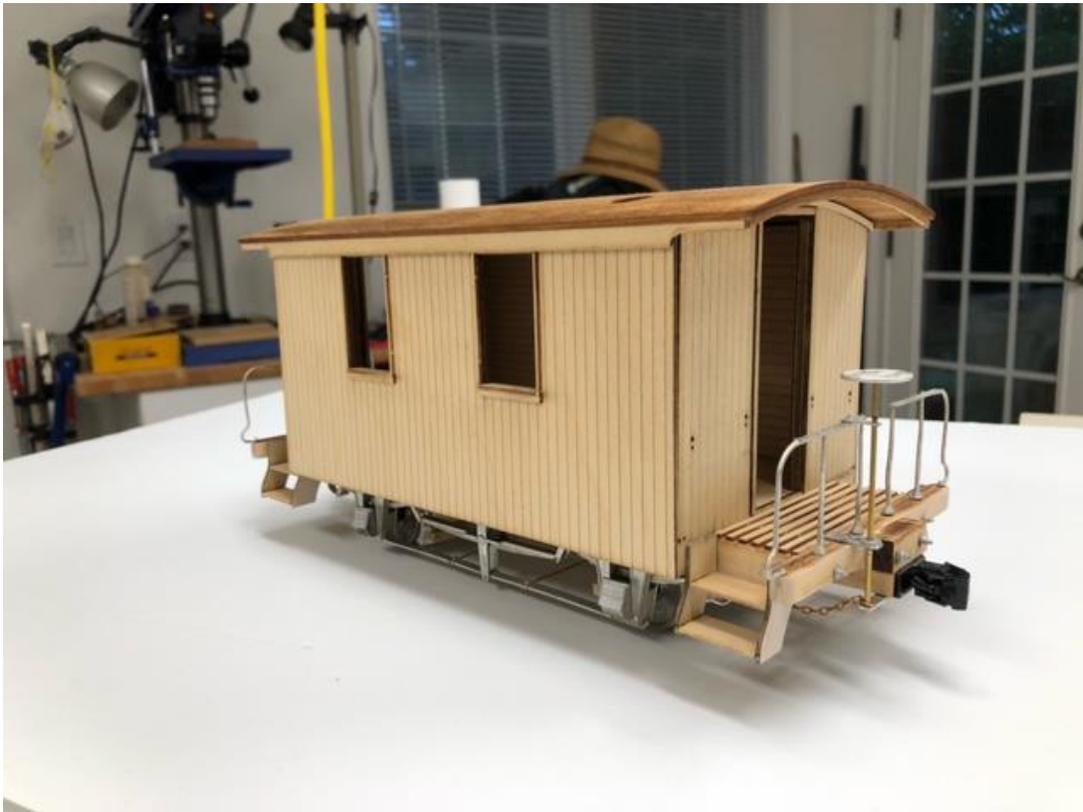




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And Don is already off on the next project...

With my renewed interest in the DSP&P railroad, I decided to dig out an old Hartford kit that I started a few years ago. It's a 1:20.3 DSP&P Way Car/ caboose. It's a 2 axle bobber with no cupola. That's unique to that railroad. Several were sold to the C&S and they added cupolas. Mine will have have a detailed interior of course.



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Normally I'm just jealous of Doc's modeling efforts. Now I'm jealous of how clean his work room is.

Following a couple of years of intensive model construction, one should be willing to take some time and do a little cleaning up.

Of course that's generally a laugh.

Before:



After:



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For Sale:

Bridgewater's 15 Amp power supply with twin remote controllers capable of running two track at same time. Contained in a weather proof box for easy transporting to and from layout. All wired for operation including plug for external power cord and banana plug receptacles for connecting to track. To be sold locally (pick up please).

Contact Don Watson; 703-899-8373 or docwatson@morrisbb.net







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I really need to look in to doing something like this...

<https://www.cnn.com/travel/article/rocky-mountaineer-train-route-united-states/index.html>

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Suncoast Center for Finescale Modeling.

This looks like an interesting place to visit in Odessa Florida.

[Welcome to the Suncoast Center for Fine Scale Modeling](#)

Home of the Sundance Central Large Scale train layout, 3 other train layouts and other finescale modeling exhibits.







Here's a video of their layout that ran on a television newscast.

[Good Day Tampa Bay Video \(finescalemodeling.org\)](http://finescalemodeling.org)

SUNCOAST CENTER FOR FINESCALE MODELING

2645 SUCCESS DR.

ODESSA, FL 33556

(813) 230-6620

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MEMBER PHOTOS:

I have begun modelling On30 scale trains which should be a good indoor project for the winter and a smaller scale to model the rest of my life. I am building my layout in modules so they can be moved around and modified and also so I can disassemble the layout and move it to a new home at a later date. The first section I'm working on is a long thin 2' x 8' module and it has the coal mine and will eventually be a connector

between the lumber mill module on the right and a town and factory module to the left. I haven't modelled an indoor layout in quite a few years and I'm also doing DCC for the first time.

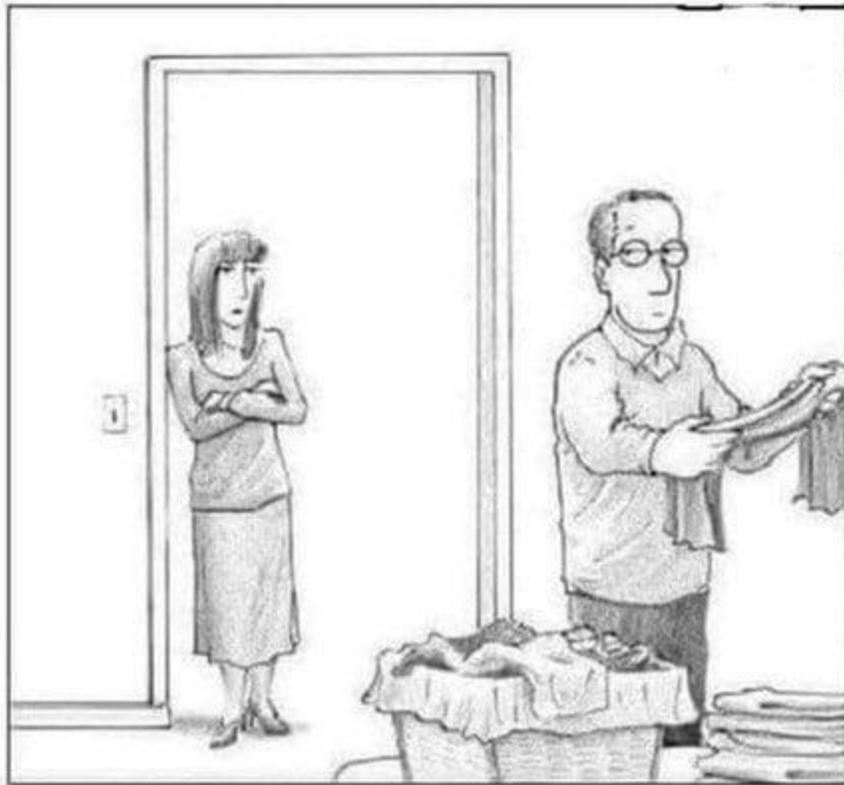


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Please send any idea, project, photo, something you found surfing on the Internet, etc., no matter how great or small they may be to your newsletter editor. We all love trains so...if it's about trains, and you've got it on your computer, chances are you won't be the only person who might enjoy viewing it.

Send your photos to: srwavl@outlook.com

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**"OK, LAST NIGHT YOU WASHED DISHES,
TODAY YOU ARE FOLDING LAUNDRY.
SO HOW MANY TRAINS DID YOU BUY?"**

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Membership:

Please consider sharing this newsletter with friends who might be interested and if they wish to become members ask them to contact our PGRS Secretary/Treasurer for a membership form.

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Train Lovers Luncheons:

The Asheville group luncheons on every 2nd Thursday of the month at the Post 25 restaurant in Arden, NC at 11:30.

The other areas are encouraged to begin their luncheons also.

Pete Gendron announces that Columbus Luncheons at Rural Seed have started up again at 12:00 on the Third Thursday of each month.

Please let Scott Williams know your time and place when you're ready to be posted in the Newsletter.

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Businesses associated with our club:

	<p>Jim's Train Sales O & G Gauge New & Used Trains Jim Hendley Etowah, North Carolina 28729 <i>Lionel, MTH, USA Trains, PIKO, LGB Bridgwerks Power Supplies, Bachmann Split-Jaw Rail Clamps, O & G Gauge Track</i></p> <p>Email: jhh1218@att.net Phone: (828) 891-7570 Fax: (828) 890-3346</p>
<p><i>Garden Railroad Design Old Trains Wanted</i></p>	

**** Jim Hendley has moved.** To reach him use the following number:

828-333-2523 and if the email above does not work try hendleyjim4@gmail.com

	<p>Peggy Keyes Owner / Chief Conductor RightTrackTrainMuseum@gmail.com 828/625-5551</p>
<p>The Right Track Toy Train Museum A non-profit museum to benefit Pancreatic Cancer research 2414 Memorial Hwy (Rte 64/74) Lake Lure, NC 28746 Find us on Facebook!</p>	

Peggy Says: New Hours for 2021:

no Wednesdays in 2021, so:

Thur. - Sat 1PM -5PM
Sun. 2PM-5PM

2021 - EVERYTHING that is for sale in the museum will be 10% off.

FUTURE PLAN:

2022 - everything that is for sale in the museum - 20% off. Closed Thurs.

2023 - everything that is for sale in the - 30% off. Closed Fri.

2024 - EVERYTHING in the museum 40% off. Closed Sat.

My plan is to close the museum at the end of the 2024 season and sell the building