

# ALL ABOARD

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September 2017

Well as usual this months newsletter is late due to lifes interference.

First off we have the Temple train show cominh up in a week. It won't be a huge layout but it will include three other people from Austin's TTrak group. Terry Nathan is trying to garner some prize support and we will see how that goes when I get an updated report. The layout is going to be 14 x 20 in the main room and we hope to showcase some really nice modules.

Then next month we have the 9th Annual NBRRM Fall Train show at the end of the month, the 28th and 29th. We will be on the stage and Ray will be the show coordinator.

We still have our ongoing search for a club house and some day we will find a home.

I will get with Kevin and we will start some work on the raffle layout. Since we don't have a club house we will have to do the work at someone's house.

Well that's about it news wise.

Bob Williams  
Stationmaster



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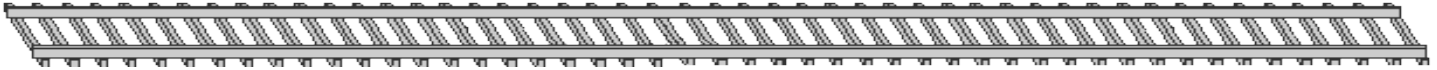
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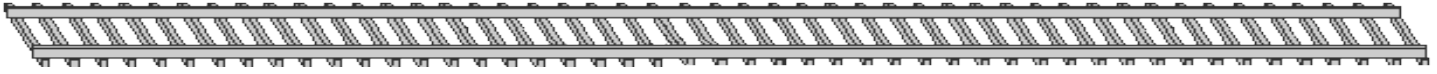




# September 2017

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
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3	4 Labor Day	5	6	7	8	9 Meeting at Hobbytown USA @ 10:30
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24	25	26	27	28	29	30

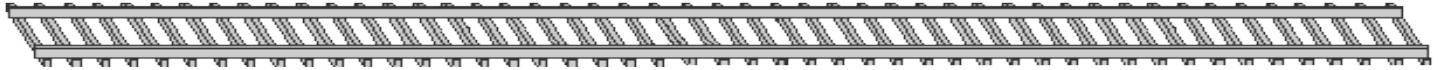




# October 2017

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
8	9	10	11	12	13	14 Meeting at Hobbytown USA @ 10:30
15	16	17	18	19	20	21
22	23	24	25	26	27	28 9th Annual NBRRM Fall Train Show
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**CHANGES IN CONTACT  
INFORMATION**

If you change an address, e-mail, phone #, etc., please let us know.

**If you don't tell us, we don't know!**

This space available for general ads for members in good standing or whatever. Please note this is to see if you really read the newsletter. We have not approved any of this, its just an idea.

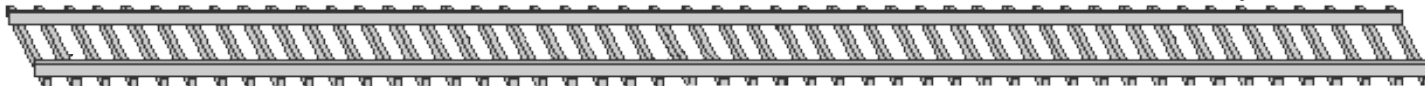
I am selling some N Gage track and bridges. I have some Kato and some Atlas. If any of your members would like to know what I have please call. I am not getting out of the hobby. I am currently building a 4 track N Gage rail road on a 14ft by 8ft. I am still in the process of building and have way too much track as of now. Again if any one needs track, bridges, roadbed I have it. Please call.

Michael Groff

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**SANTRAK Business Meeting Agenda**  
**10:30 am**

**September 9, 2017**  
**Hobbytown, USA**

Agenda for Next Meeting

Standing Business

1. Minutes of August Meeting
2. Financial Report –
3. Membership Report
4. Train Show Participation
  - Sep 16th and 17th 35th Annual Temple Train Show
  - Oct 28th and 29th 2017 NBRRM 8th Annual Fall Train Show
5. Clinics and such
  - No scheduled clinic
6. Raffle Layout – The raffle layout design will be worked on this year for work And completion for sales to begin in early 2018. We will go with a 3x5 one piece layout concept. Kevin is coordinator

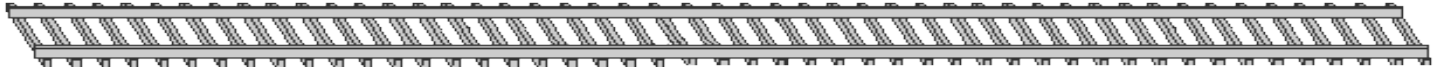
Old Business

1. Clubhouse Search – Frank – Ongoing.

New Business

1. Trailer repair
2. Raffle Layout
3. Bulverde/Spring Branch 2 day setup in November.





**SANTRAK General Membership Meeting Minutes July 15, 2017**

Call to order 1030 am

Members present: Bob W, Dick, Ray, Kevin, Nathan, Eric, Bill, Bob A, Mark, Jim, Tom and Susan

August minutes approved as written.

Financial report given by Bill

Membership report 26 members. 16 Full, 10 Associate/Student

TRAIN SHOWS

Temple Centra-Mod Train Show September 16th and 17th, Temple Texas

New Braunfels 9th Annual NBRRM Fall Train Show Oct 28th and 29th

Old Business

1. Clubhouse search ongoing
2. Trailer repair October 7,8,9 at Franks place weather and space permitting.

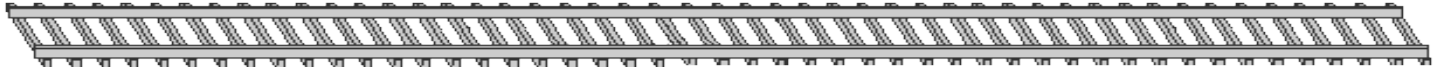
New Business

1. Raffle Layout
- 2 Bulverde/Spring Branch Library setup in November, This will be a two day setup.

Meeting adjourned 1118 am

B Williams  
Stationmaster





## Superintendent's Page

From the Superintendent's Desk:

This Saturday's meeting will be very important and I hope everyone can make it. We are only one week away from the Temple show and there is still a lot to do, including:

- Finalize the track plan - no word yet on if we will be stand alone or have other clubs participating but I think Robert is ready to go it alone.
- Pull the modules out of storage.
- Load the modules on to racks for transport in Frank's trailer. Three racks gives us 15 trays and if the four large radius corners take up two trays we will have room for the equivalent of 39 doubles. This is likely more than we have room for at Temple.

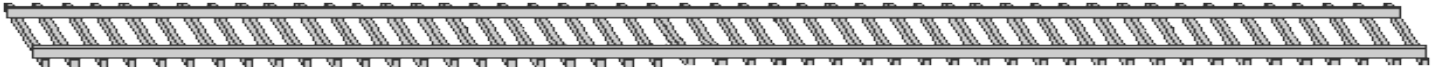
Fortunately we will have six weeks to recover and get ready for the New Braunfels' show. For the NB show we will have an L-Shaped layout with large radius curves. We also will need to decide what we are taking to the Bulverde library in November but we can decide that at the October meeting.

I would like to schedule a work session for the raffle layout at my house in October. The original plan was to have the raffle layout finished this year so we could display it for ticket sales next year, but the lack of a clubhouse has limited progress on the layout.

Thanks to those of you who came to my house last weekend. I got some good feedback on a couple of parts of my home layout.

If you have any questions please feel free to Email me or call me in the evenings ([210-884-6863](tel:210-884-6863))





**REGIONAL TRAIN SHOW SCHEDULE 2017**

Temple Centra-Mod Train Show  
September 16th and 17th, 2017  
Frank W. Mayborn Civic Center  
Temple, TX

9th Annual NBRRM Fall Train Show  
October 28th and 29th, 2017  
New Braunfels Civic Center  
New Braunfels, TX

