

## **NMRA Palmetto Division 2024 Spring Division Meeting**

**When: March 23, 2024**

**Where: Central, SC Railroad Station located at 413 Gaines Street, Central, SC, 29630.**

**Registration Fee: \$10.00 per person which includes a barbeque lunch.**

- **8:30 – Doors open for Registration, Swap Meet and Socializing**
- **9:00 – Call to Order and Review of Day’s Activities – Roger Liska**
- **9:05 – New Member Recognition – Roger Liska**
- **9:10 – Present Popular Models, Popular Photos & Tips/Techniques Contestants – Chuck Jenkins**
- **9:25 – Break**
- **9:40 – Three Concurrent Mini Clinics – Each of the following three clinics will be held concurrently for 15 minutes each. Following each 15 minute clinic attendees will rotate to the next clinic and so on. John Kelchner and Tony Ratola will present a mini clinic on scratch building and kit bashing old/historic structures; Walter Laseter will give a mini clinic on weathering and Markus Weller will present a clinic on static grass.**
- **10:25 – Break & Contest Voting**
- **10:40 – Other Clinic Topics of Interest – All Attendees**
- **10:45 – Future NMRA Division and Other Meetings**
  - **Summer 2024 Palmetto Division Meeting – Date and Location – TBD**
  - **2024 SER River Rails Annual Convention – Decatur, AL – June 20 – 23, 2024**
  - **Surfliner NMRA 2024 Annual Convention – August 4-11, 2024 - Long Beach CA**
  - **Fall 2024 Joint Palmetto/Carolina Mountain Division Meeting – October 5, 2024 Northgate Baptist Church, Greenville, SC**
  - **Other**
- **10:55 – 10 Minute Break and Complete Contest Voting**

### **Business Meeting**

- **11:05 – Superintendent’s Report – Roger Liska**
- **11:10 - Treasurer’s Report – Myron Pensyl**
- **11:15 – Free Military Memberships and Mentor Program Updates – Ken Majchrzak**
- **11:20 – What’s On Your Work Bench Update – Jack Varadi**
- **11:25 – Division T-Trak Layout Update – Dave Winans**
- **11:30 – AP Update – Howard Garner MMR**
- **11:35 – Local Model Club Updates**
- **11:40 – Contest Winners, Railpass and Member Drawings – Chuck Jenkins**
- **12:00 – Meeting Adjourn**

**Barbeque lunch to be served at the Central Railroad Station**

**Afternoon Layout Tours - Central Railroad Museum layouts of various scales, Rob Seel – HO Shelf Layout, Howard Garner, and Bob Folsom.**