

NORTHEASTERN REGION of the NATIONAL MODEL RAILROAD ASSOCIATION
Fall 2010 NER Convention
Hosted by Green Mountain Division Sept 9 - 12, 2010 Burlington, VT

Primary Registrant				Registrant 2			
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Address _____				Address _____			
City _____		State _____	Zip _____	City _____		State _____	Zip _____
Telephone () _____				Telephone () _____			
NMRA # _____		Division _____		NMRA # _____		Division _____	
Is this your first convention? Yes No Circle One				Is this your first convention? Yes No Circle One			
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Special Requests:				Special Requests:			
Email address _____				Email address _____			
Total Primary Registrant \$ _____				Total Registrant 2 \$ _____			
Registrant 3				Registrant 4			
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Email address _____				Email address _____			
Total Registrant 3 \$ _____				Total Registrant 4 \$ _____			

Fees and Activity Numbers are Listed Below

Payment in US Funds only. Sorry, NO credit cards. Make check payable to "NER Conventions. Terms and Conditions are on page 2.

Total (add all registration and activity fees) \$ _____

REGISTRATION

11	Early Registration – Prior to August 15, 2010	\$ 30.00
12	Late Registration – After August 15, 2010	\$ 35.00
13	Registration for non NMRA members (Prior to August 15, 2010) ¹	\$ 40.00
14	Registration for non NMRA members (After August 15, 2010) ¹	\$ 45.00
15	Registration for Spouses / Family members	\$ 15.00

SUBSCRIPTIONS

21	NMRA Bulletin Subscription	\$ 22.00
22	NER Coupler Subscription	\$ 7.00

MAP PACKAGE ADVANCE MAIL

31	Map Package Advance by Mail	\$ 5.00
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Everyone planning to drive to an op session WILL NEED TO ORDER this item.

BANQUET (Saturday Night)

No Banquets Sold after August 27, 2010

101	Grilled 6 oz NY Strip Steak with Peppercorn Demiglace	\$ 29.00
102	Grilled Breast of Chicken topped with Parmesan & Tomato & Lime Herb Sauce	\$ 29.00
103	Penne Primavera with fresh Vegetables & a light Parmesan Cheese Sauce	\$ 29.00

Meal includes tossed garden salad, rolls, fresh vegetable, rice or potatoes & chocolate mousse pie

EXTRA FARE ACTIVITIES

201	McNeil Wood Chip Generating Plant Tour (includes light snack)	Limit 49	\$ 20.00
202	Vermont Railway rail yard in Burlington Saturday Morning	Limit 49	\$ 18.00
203	Champlain Valley Flyer (includes box lunch – <u>Choose one below</u>)	Limit 110	\$ 45.00
203A	Box Car Willy: Turkey with cranberry mayo, lettuce, and red onion on whole wheat		
203B	Box Car Mary: Grilled chicken, lettuce, and tomato, served in a wrap		
203C	Coal Car: Baked ham, Swiss cheese, tomato, and garlic mayo served in a wrap		
203D	Caboose: Bagel with tomatoes, cream cheese, lettuce, cucumbers & hot peppers		
203E	Caesar Salad with Chicken: Romaine, grated Parmesan & Romano cheese & croutons		
203F	Caesar Salad: Romaine, grated Parmesan & Romano cheese & croutons		

Lunches come with chips, cookie & drink

Limited Edition Raffle

301	Fine Scale Miniatures Avram's Bakery (Limit 1/person; Only 50 will be Sold)	\$ 5.00
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Make & Take Clinics

401	Gluing with the Good Guys	Limit 20 Friday 8:30-12 Noon & 1-4:30 PM	\$ 20.00
402	Animated Warehouse Roll-up Door	Limit 20 Saturday 8:30-10:30 AM	\$ 15.00

Non-Rail Clinics

410	You're Framed	Limit 10 Friday 7:00-8:30PM	\$ 10.00
411	Decorative Boxes	Limit 10 Saturday 1:00-2:00PM	\$ 10.00

OPERATING SESSIONS (Pre Registered)

YOU MUST PRE REGISTER TO GET AN ADMISSION TICKET

Operating sessions will be assigned in order of convention registration number (the lower the number the higher the priority). Given that there are other activities, such as tours, which happen at the same time as some operating sessions. The following priorities will be used in making assignments unless you request otherwise (see box below regarding making such requests).

Contact OPSIG Coordinator Al Oneto who is making the assignments at aloneto@optonline.net, tel. 203-255-1331, or 327 Springer Rd., Fairfield, CT 06824 by **Aug 12, 2010**.

Thursday Sept 9		Host	Miles	Crew	Time
150	Boston & Maine	Roger Robar	86	5	1-4 PM
151	Delaware & Hudson	Kip Grant	92	6	12-2 PM
152	Pennsylvania Maryland & Chesapeake	Bob Durkin	32	10	7-10 PM
153	Northern Vermont	Paul Allard	12	5	7-10 PM

Friday Sept 10

154	Adirondack Rail	George Bissell	43	8	1-4 PM
155	Georgetown Fordham & Burlington	George Bissell	43	4	1-4 PM
156	Great Northern	Jim Ferguson	72	6	1-4 PM

Hotel Information

Reservations are made either through the exclusive web site or by phone. Reservations can be made through the following exclusive web site,

<http://www.starwoodmeeting.com/Book/Champlain2010> or by calling 800/325-3535 and using the key words "National Model Railroad".

Cut off date for hotel convention rate of \$123.00 is 5:00PM on August 10, 2010

Send your completed registration form and payment to:

John Campbell Jr.
63 Alexander Drive
East Hartford, CT 06118

E-mail: john_ner@yahoo.com
Telephone: (860) 568-5075
Fax: (860) 568-5075

All activities are ala carte including the banquet. Parking is FREE at the Hotel.

¹ Non-NMRA member's fee includes a 6 month NMRA Membership (Rail Pass Program).

Non-NMRA members attending, who pay the \$9.95 NMRA introductory fee, will receive a 6 months NMRA Membership.

Payment must accompany registration form.

Bounced checks will not be put through twice - you will be required to pay your entire fee by money order or cashier's check through the mail or in cash at the convention. You will be responsible for all bank fees charged. DO NOT enclose hotel room reservation requests with your registration. If you pre-register and later need to cancel, a full refund will be given only if the registrar receives the request by

AUG 27, 2010.

Allow 4 - 6 weeks for the processing of your refund.

DO NOT mail a registration after **August 27, 2010**; register at the door. DO NOT staple your check to your registration form.

- You will first be assigned to tours and other activities.
- Then you will be assigned to your highest choice (just ONE) operating session available that does not conflict with your tours and other activities.
- Needing a month to finalize operating session groupings, deal with special requests and get lists and tickets out as needed, August 12 will be the cutoff for primary operating session assignments.
- On August 12 any remaining operating session slots will go to people (in registration number order) who have requested a second op assignment.
- If any openings still remain, people will be assigned (in registration number order) to their third choice.
- If any openings still remain they will go to late registrants.

Examples of special requests

Person "X" and I are driving together, could we be assigned to the same operating session(s). (This may be done if space is available when we get to the person with the higher number).

I prefer operation at my first requested layout to my tour or "Modeling." request. Please give me the operating assignment and take me off the other.

Office Use Only

_____ **Check/Amount** _____ **M** _____ **I** _____ **D** _____

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