Junction Gang News   August 31, 2012

(Tips and links for model railroaders and railfans!)

My web page has been updated!
–new Layout at a Glance Page
–"Junction Gang News" newsletter has been archived as well!
All at www.junctionwestsub.ca

NMRA WOD Trestle Clinic [pdf attached to email]

Lakeshore MRC Flea market.
 September 9, 2012. Milton, ON. John Tonelli Sports Centre,
217 Laurier Avenue. 10:00am to 3:00pm.

Sunday Sept. 23 10:00 - 3:00 PM   "O" Gauge Flea Market, Komoka Community Centre

Thanks for the mention regards **THE MUSKOKA TOUR September 30**. We have added more
layout videos and photos plus the explanation of our pass system this year. This is new as we have relied on
donations and some members were uneasy with asking for donations. We hope this will make it easier for all
concerned. We have lost a couple layouts this year but have gained about 5 new ones not seen before including
John Brown MMR and his great looking coal road.
ALSO THERE IS LIVE STEAM 7 1/2 " and at the other end of the spectrum is a large under construction
COMPUTER OPERATED SYSTEM capable of operating 10 trains on timetable at one time. It even makes
allowances for added extras; something for the real techies.
Info: www.modelrailroad-infoguy.com/muskoka-tour.
Thanks again Al Crisp MMR

London Model Railroad Association Layout Tour on Saturday October 13/12
More info: **jameslg@amtelecom.net** and all are welcome. Registration packages are free and
will be posted online soon at **http://londonmodelrailroadersassociation.blogspot.ca/**

Fall International Division Meet [pdf attached to email]
NMRA ID guys will be putting on a fall clinic with Greg Shinnie and LED lights and a talk on
prototype operations by an ex CP dispatcher. Several layouts will also be open for viewing!
October 20, 2012. Burlington, ON.

Many modelrailroaders think that it is difficult to carve rock…No, it´s easy, look at the video!
cheers, Paul http://youtu.be/8qlTvoawSZk

3 Page short DCC Explained simply

http://www.hollywoodfoundry.com/Docs/DCC%20Explained%20Simply%20Part%201.pdf

Soldering Tutorial - Part 1 -
http://www.hollywoodfoundry.com/Docs/Solder%20Tutorial%20-%20Part%201%20-%20Choosing%20Your%20Iron.pdf

An article by Geoff Bunza, where he took an old Athearn wrecking crane and (you can see how to animate it here): **http://tinyurl.com/9jhwa4e**

watch a video of it here: **http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=RXpvp5mIXvU**

Jimmy's Tips & Techniques from Monster model & laserworks
http://monstermodelworks.com/index.php?main_page=page&id=13

The CRO SEPTEMBER issue is now on line! http://www.canadianrailwayobservations.com/

Sonic Buddha performs "Love Thing", originally recorded by Johnny Reid, at the Railway Museum in St. Thomas, Ontario. Sonic Buddha plays funky, dancy, soulful music for audiences all over South Western Ontario.
http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Fic5_ER85sg&feature=youtu.be

The HOMES Club announces that the **12th Annual Hamilton & District Layout Tour will** be held on Saturday, November 3, 2012. We will have more than 20 layouts in various scales, including several that have never been on the tour before, from Burlington to Beamsville, and Smithville to Caledonia, plus Hamilton itself. The tour will include the last public running of Richard Chrysler's great Hamilton-Port Dover layout.
Admission $5.00. Guide books will be available at local model railway shops in mid October, and from the HOMES Club on the day of the tour (460 Wentworth St North in Hamilton). For more information, contact Brad Peters 289-656-0499 or visit our website at **www.trainweb.org/homesclub**

Here is a 1930's film that explains how a mainline steam engine works...its from the New York Central public relations department...
http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=ZBFdpBol3l4&feature=g-vrec

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P.S. Let me know if you wish to be removed from the list or of anyone who might wish to be added!