

Chicago And North Western Historical Society Invitation For Model Display and Photo Contest 2017

Model Display:

The C&NWHS encourages all modelers to bring some of their own work to display at the 2017 Annual Meet. Modelers of any scale and all levels are welcome – beginner to professional and everything in between. Models still under construction are encouraged also. If you have any supporting photos or information about a model you plan to display, please bring that as well. This is a great opportunity to show off your work to other modelers and discuss it at the Modeler's Round Table. In addition, everyone participating in the Model Display will receive a \$10 gift certificate to the C&NWHS Company Store.

Model Display entry forms can be found at cnwhs.org. If you wish to fill out your entry form ahead of time, you are welcome to do so, just please leave the Entry Number fields blank, as those will be filled out when you enter your models in the display. Blank forms will be available at the meet as well. Meet attendees vote for their favorite model for the Best of Show award and a panel of judges will select what they feel is an exceptionally built model to receive the Lloyd Keyser award.

Photo Contest:

The C&NWHS encourages all photographers to bring some of their work to be entered in the 2017 C&NWHS Photo Contest. Entries from any era are welcome, as long as they are relevant to the C&NW (or predecessor road) and match the category they are entered in. Photos must be your own work to be entered in the contest. The “People” category is the only exception. Photos in the “People” category must focus on a person or people (such as employees or passengers). Photos taken of or by relatives of C&NWHS members are acceptable in this category. Entries can not be marked with your name on the front side. Each entrant is allowed one photo per category. A light box will be provided for slides. In addition, everyone participating in the Photo Contest will receive a \$5 gift certificate to the C&NWHS Company Store. The 2017 Photo Contest categories will be:

- 1. Best Black & White Print**
- 2. Best Color Print**
- 3. Best Slide**
- 4. Structures**
- 5. People**
- 6. Rockford Area**
- 7. Rare/Unusual**

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