



WAKEFIELD RAILWAY MODELLERS SOCIETY

62nd Exhibition
12th – 13th October 2025

Layouts

A

Prime Cereals

O – 1/48th scale, 32mm gauge

Wakefield RMS

Inspired by the Post Foods' cereal factory in Battle Creek, Michigan, Prime Cereals represents a small part of large rail-served site in the 1970's when the rail traffic was at its peak.

All the buildings and track are bespoke and hand made. Trains and turnouts are operated by DCC with servo operation.

We wanted to build a layout that was a bit different than most, I think we achieved that.

B

Queens Road Sidings

P4 – 4mm scale, 18.83mm gauge

Keith Bradbury

An under-construction extension to Steve Hall's Halifax King Cross, showing the construction materials and methods in building a layout.

C

Chatsworth Road

P4 – 4mm scale, 18.83mm gauge

Allan Atherley

Based on the Peak District in the 1970s.

D

Gusslingen

HO – 3.5mm scale, 16.5mm gauge

Roger Epps and Nathan Bridge, Wakefield RMS

Set on the border of what was East and West Germany.

E

Lacota Grain

HO – 3.5mm scale, 16.5mm gauge

Roger Nicholls, Wakefield RMS

Set in the mid 1980s, this is the latest layout in Roger's 40 years of exhibiting.

F

Ashwood

OO - 4mm scale, 16.5 mm gauge

Steve Saxby

A new layout designed to show that trains can run in snow!

G

Cyril Street

OO 3-rail - 4 mm scale, 16.5mm gauge

John Taylor

Remember those days of 3 rail? If you're of a certain age, relive those days of table top layouts. Based upon the Minorities track plan.

H

South Millfields

OO - 4mm scale, 16.5mm gauge

Pauline McKenna

BR in the Network South East era.

I

Stanley Ferry

OO - 4mm scale, 16.5mm gauge

Wakefield RMS

Developed to showcase the past industrial heritage of the area, Stanley Ferry shows Newland Basin where coal from St John's Colliery, Normanton was loaded into Tom Puddings to be taken down the Aire & Calder Navigation to Goole Docks.

We'd be delighted to hear any memories that can add to the story.

J

Boston and Frodsham

P4 - 4mm scale, 18.83mm gauge

Mike Knowles

1975-1985(ish), based on the swing bridge at the entrance to Boston Docks and also the wharf at Frodsham in Cheshire

K

Thomas

OO - 4mm, 16.5mm gauge

Wakefield RMS

Thomas is back once more giving young and old the opportunity to catch up with Thomas and his friends. Drive your own train and at the same time donate money to the Wakefield Hospice.

L

Oakley Park

OO - 4mm, 16.5mm gauge

Allan Wiggins

A compact preservation layout .

M

Roydburn Mills

OO - 4mm, 16.5mm gauge

Chris Burnage, Wakefield RMS

The latest modern layout from our Chairman, using sections salvaged from the society's Troutons. An example of how being a member of a model railway club gives access to other members' skills and expertise.

N

Nafferton

O - 7mm, 32mm gauge

David Wellington

1960s nostalgia on the Hull - Scarborough line by. The senior scale at its best.

O

Inchyra Paper Mill

OO - 4mm scale, 16.5mm gauge

Tony and Graham Bucknall

Inchyra Paper Mill is located in Fife in East Scotland, served by a branch line which in turn leads to the Edinburgh and Dundee main line. Buildings are mostly scratch built and based upon the Auchmuty and Rothes Paper Mills in Glenrothes, Fife. It is based upon the 1958 to 62 transition period. Track is hand built using Exactoscale and C & L components. The layout is wired for conventional analogue control. Point control uses Tortoise motors. The layout is also fitted with a Faller car system allowing road vehicles to pass through the factory.

Locos and wagons are mainly RTR but detailed and weathered with some kit-built examples. These represent the types of traffic seen serving the Fife area papermills including timber logs, Esparto Grass and paper pulp. Coal, chemical and the finished products also feature.

P

Edenbridge Town

OO – 4mm scale, 16.5 mm gauge

Mark Bateman

Built by the LBSCR as part of the Oxted and Groombridge railway, Edenbridge Town station in Kent was opened in 1888 eventually having trains to and from London, Tunbridge Wells West, Brighton and Eastbourne. With the closure of the line beyond Uckfield (1969) and Tunbridge Wells West (1985) Edenbridge now serves only stations to Uckfield and London. LBSCR built Edenbridge station in a classical style architecture with polychrome brickwork and it included a 90 foot Goods shed and wagon weighing scales within the goods yard.

Edenbridge Town, as modelled, is a OO Gauge DCC layout loosely set in the SR period just pre-war with Olive green livery or post war with sunshine black/Early BR. All buildings are scratch built based on the originals and are fitted with internal furnishings, DCC controlled working lighting and fireplaces. Point work is DCC controlled via servo's as is the working yard crane. A lighting board enables sunrise, daytime, sunset and moonlight settings. A DCC controlled sound board provides background atmospheric sounds.

Q

Hudson Street

EM - 4mm scale, 18.2mm gauge

Peter Fletcher

A small parcels yard inside the York city walls, based on the first station in York.

R

Kayeton

N - 2mm scale, 9mm gauge

Kevin Tonks, Wakefield RMS

BR blue, inspired by the Settle and Carlisle. An excellent example of what can be achieved in this smaller scale.

S

Hartley Bank Screens

EM - 4mm scale, 18.2mm gauge

John Burgess

1960s industrial depicting coal loading from colliery screens.

T

Trevago Dries ECC

OO - 4mm, 16.5mm gauge

Mark Murray

Cornish china clay dries in the steam era.

U

Chicago 31st Street Yard

HO- 3.5mm, 16.5mm gauge

Neale Burrows

Chicago 31st Street Yard is set in the industrial area near the Chicago River to the west. The period is from 1995 to present day. The area is run down and becoming derelict as the industries move away from the city area and apartment dwellings are taking over.

The railroad still has a few customers left here and are still being served but the site is beginning to become overgrown by vegetation and decay.

The area is served by the Burlington Northern and Belt Railway of Chicago, over belt railway lines found around Chicago as traffic is interchanged and switched close by with other railroads.

The main customers left are the cold store, the furniture factory and the Milling plant with a few storage warehouses. Roads cross the site one being the interstate highway on the overpass and the others to the residential apartments overlooking the river to the north passing under the Chicago EL tracks. Action is usually slow with cars being switched in and out of the industries but is still reasonably busy. The layout is DCC controlled.

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