

WNY Layout Tours 2025

Saturday, October 25

Saturday, Niagara County

Layout # 1

Name: Jim Z. (NMRA member)

Address: 4691 Creek Road, Lewiston

Hours: **9 am to 2 pm enter by back door**

Layout name: New York Central

Scale: O gauge, Atlas track

Size: Medium

Track: 100%

Scenery: 80%

Location: NYC Water Level Route

Era: 1940s to present diesel

General info: Scratch built Ford plant, Seneca Foods, grain mill, heavy industrial switching theme

Control: Lionel Legacy

Saturday, Niagara County

Layout #5

Name: Frank P. (NMRA member)

Address: 7362 Balla Drive, North Tonawanda

Hours: **9 am to 5 pm**

Layout name: Allegheny Central Railroad

Scale: HO, code 83, code 100

Size: Large

Track: 100%

Scenery: 90%

Location: West Virginia

Era: Late 1950s to 1960s

General info: Shelf style layout with Appalachian mountains, main yard, 2 staging yards, 40' branch line with swing gate, car cards/waybill operations, large industrial buildings. Many structures include interior details and lighting.

Control: Digitrax wireless radio DCC

Saturday, Niagara County

Layout # 7A

Name: Mitch F. (NMRA member)

Address: 1344 Tanglewood Drive, North Tonawanda

Hours: **9 am to 2 pm**

Layout name: Conrail, Niagara Southern Division

Scale: HO code 83

Size: Medium/Large

Track: 100%

Scenery: 90%

Location: Freelanced Upstate NY

Era: 1990s

General info: Engine facility, coal generation power plant, grain silo, cement facility, farm area, car cards and waybill operation

Control: Digitrax DCC

Saturday, Niagara County

Layout # 7B

Name: Mitch F. (NMRA member)

Address: 1344 Tanglewood Drive, North Tonawanda

Hours: **9 am to 2 pm**

Layout name: Freelanced

Scale: O Gauge

Size: Medium

Track: 75%

Scenery: 20%

Era: Freelanced

General info: Bridges, small industries, located under HO layout

Control: Conventional Lionel

Saturday, Orleans County

Layout # 4

Name: Dan W.

Address: 3798 Culvert Road, Medina (program GPS to enter from route 31 NOT 31A off of a dirt road)

Hours: **9 am to 3 pm**

Layout name: Lackawanna

Scale: N Scale

Size: Medium U shaped 10'x 8' x 9'

Track: 100% code 80

Scenery: 85%

Location: Parts of southeast side of Buffalo and Erie, PA

Era: 1940s to 1960s

General info: Detailed structures with lighting, street running, furniture plant, oil & gas, warf scene, many scratch built structures, shadow box design.

Control: DCC with sound

Saturday, Niagara County

Layout #23

Name: Frank B. (NMRA member)

Address: 1600 Sweeney Street, North Tonawanda

Hours: **10 am to 4 pm**

Layout name: None

Scale: O gauge

Size: Large

Track: 100%

Scenery: 100%

Location: typical Americana

Era: 1950-1970, plus modern

General info: city scenes, 2 farms, industrial areas, mountains

Control: Lionel Legacy, MTH

Saturday, Niagara County

Layout # 35

Name: Steve C. (NMRA member)

Address: 4560 Day Road, Lockport (**look for large stone at the end of the driveway**)

Hours: **12 pm to 5 pm**

Layout name: North Central Oklahoma

Scale: N

Size: medium

Track: 100 %

Scenery: 60%

Location: Oklahoma plains

Era: early 1980s

General info: short line, grainger county, pasture area, open landscape

Control: NCE DCC & DC

Saturday, Niagara County

Layout # 22

Name: Ron K. (NMRA member)

Address: 7018 Lakeside Drive, Niagara Falls

Hours: **10 am to 4 pm**

Layout name: NYC Belt Line

Scale: S

Size: Large

Track: 50%

Scenery: 35%

Location: Buffalo

Era: 1950-1960

General info: Buffalo belt line, industrial buildings, switching areas, painted backdrop.

Control: AC

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Sunday, Erie County

Layout # 16A & 16B

Steve B. (NMRA member)

Address: 16 Milford Street, Buffalo

Hours: **10pm to 4pm**

Layout name: Freelanced

Scale: N scale layout, New HO shelf layout set up for switching operations under construction

Size: Medium

Track: 100%:

Scenery: 75%

Location: freelanced western Oregon country style

Era: 1970s to 1980s, diesels

General info: many structures, street lights, people, vehicles

Control: Broadway Limited DC , DC

Sunday, Erie County

Layout # 25

Name: Paul M. (NMRA member)

Address: 57 Wellington Court, Williamsville (park on street enter through garage)

Hours: **10 am to 4 pm**

Layout name: Sodus Point, branch of the Pennsylvania RR

Size: Large

Track: 100%

Scenery: 70%

Location : Sodus Point, NY

General info: point to point switching operations, coal trestle and dock at Sodus Point, new structure in Canandaigua

Control:: Digitrax DCC

Sunday, Erie County

Layout #38

Name: John S. (NMRA member)

Address:136 Sheffield Ave, Buffalo

Hours: **10 am to 4pm**

Layout Name: Dining Room Central

Scale HO

Size: Small

Track: 100%

Scenery: 50%

Era: 1950s diesel

General Info: main line, lots of switching

Control: DC

Sunday, Erie County

Layout # 12

Name: Hugh G. (NMRA member)

Address: 160 Parkledge Drive, Amherst

Hours: **1 pm to 4 pm**

Layout name: Andover Junction Railroad

Last time to view this layout. Layout and rolling stock FOR SALE

Scale: HO

Size: medium/large

Track: 100%

Scenery: 100%

Location: Northwestern Pennsylvania

Era: Early 1950s

General info: Point to point operation, coal mine, online industries, town of Andover, lots of details, people, lighting

Control: Atlas/Lenz DCC

Sunday, Erie County

Layout # 34

Name: Mike G. (NMRA member)

4543 Camp Road, Hamburg 14075 (Villages of Mission Hills Apartments) After turning off Camp Road take 1st left, park in center median lots only. Layout is in a small building located in center median.

Accessible: No Stairs/Ground level

Hours: **10 am to 2 pm**

Layout name: Sylvanville Division of former PRR. (Fictitious)

Scale: HO

Size: Medium

Track: 100%

Scenery: 50% older scenery being redone

Location: Central PA, North-South route with interchange

Era: Early Conrail, PC, LV, Amtrak RDC

General info: point to point with reverse loops, single track mainline

Control: Digitrax DCC

Sunday, Erie County

Layout # 26

Name: Ken Z

Address: 26 Rolling Woods Lane, West Seneca, (ring bell, enter through front door)

Hours: **10 am to 4 pm**

Layout name: None

Scale O gauge

Track: 100%

Scenery: 100%

Location: None

Era: 1950s to current

General info: steam to diesel, farm scene, pond, ski resort, houses, vehicles, airport, large staging yard. 7 ¼" Pennsy caboose, tank car and box cab on display

Control: Lionel Legacy with sound units

Sunday, Erie County

Layout # 18

Name: Gary P. (NMRA member)

Address: 3982 Harvard Street, Hamburg

Hours: **10 am to 4 pm enter through front door**

Layout name: CSX

Scale: HO

Size: Large

Track: 90%, code 100

Scenery: 90%

Location: WNY Buffalo division & south

Era: modern freelanced

General info: many towns, coal mine, large lumber company, car cards and waybill operation

Control: MRC wireless cab DCC

Sunday, Erie County

Layout # 10

Name: Gary R. MMR, (NMRA member)

Address: 48 Gray Birch Court, East Amherst

Hours: **9am to 4 pm**

Layout name: Grand Allegheny Railway, subsidiary of Erie Railroad

Scale: HO code 83

Size: Large

Track: 100%

Scenery: 95%

Location: North Central Pennsylvania

Era: 1950s transition era

General info: Many craftsman kits, detailed city scene, coal mine, one large city, 4 towns, staging yard

Control Digitrax DCC

Sunday, Erie County

Layout # 36

Name: Joe K. (NMRA member)

Address: 4940 McKinley Parkway, Hamburg (park in driveway all the way up to the garage. Enter through garage)

Hours: **12 pm to 4 pm**

Layout name: KJ & J

Scale: HO

Track: 95%, code 100
Scenery: 40%
Location: Southern Tier
Era: Early Diesel
General info: Switching, industries, future town, point to point operations
Control: Digitrax DCC

Sunday, Erie County

Layout #13A

Name: Buffalo Model Railroad Club
Address: 54 Riverdale Ave. Tonawanda (located on the 2nd floor of the Boys & Girls club. Use the Edger street entrance

Hours : **12 pm to 5 pm**

Layout name: Buffalo Central

Scale: HO

Size: 20 x 70

Track: 99%

Scenery: 85%

Location: South Western, PA

Era: Set in the 70's, plus modern ops sessions

General info: Power plant, large steel mill under construction, chemical plant, large city scene, paper mill, refinery

Control: Easy DCC, Rail Command, Dispatcher

Sunday, Erie County

Layout # 13B

Name: Buffalo Model RR Club

Address: See Above

Hours: **12 pm to 5 pm**

Layout name: Great Lackawanna Railway

Scale: O scale, On30

Size: 20 x 20 double deck

Track: 100%

Scenery: 90%

Location: Generic Appalachian area

Era: 1940s

General: Trolley, large scratch built trestle, coal loads out

Control: Digitrax DCC

Sunday, Erie County

Layout # 40

Name: Greg T. & WNY Train Masters HO Scale Model Railroad Club

295 Amherston Drive. Williamsville, NY 14221

Between Wehrle and Main St. Gold brick house on the curve, left side door, left inside, down to the basement.

Hours: 9am to 2pm

Layout Name: Larkinville & Lakeview district of the Buffalo, Erie, & Niagara RR

Scale: HO

Track 100%, Code 100

Scenery: 60%

Era: 1960s – 1980s, Buffalo road names plus a freelanced line, the Buffalo, Erie, & Niagara.

General Info: 26' x 8' Modular Layout with plenty of switching, Car card/waybill operations and a small staging area. Many scratchbuilt/kitbashed areas. Yes, you can fit a turntable in a small space.

Operations focused, Digitrax DCC.

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Thank You