

# *Lake Shores Limited*

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**Next Lakeshores Division Meet – September 29, 2012 – Medina, NY**



Model railroad at the Medina Railroad Museum, Medina, NY, site of the next Lakeshores Division Meet September 29, 2012. The layout is 14 feet wide and 204 feet long. Control is NCE DCC.

## **Lakeshores Division 2012 Summer Picnic**

**News from the Division Superintendent** by Ray Howard

**LSD Meet – Medina Railroad Museum – September 29, 2012**

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**News from the LSD "Super"**

Looks like summer is drawing to a close soon. That means most of us will be heading back down cellar or out to the garage to our layouts to continue creating our miniature worlds!

We had a "Farmer's Dozen", thirteen people who came and had a great time at the summer picnic which included a tour of the restoration shop at the R&GV RR Museum! Well, 14 if we include Trolley Driver Dave Coon who stopped in and had lunch with us. Hope next year to see more of you folks at the picnic!

**Two exciting news items from National for you:**

First, National will be soon announcing the name of a new Director of Marketing and his team. They will be developing a program to recruit and retain membership in the NMRA.

Second, the BOD has requested that Jim Six (President, Michiana Division) chair a new Education and Training Program Committee within the NMRA. Jim's division has been doing some great things with program over the past few years and has seen some tremendous growth in interest and membership in that division as a result. They are looking for one person from each Region and Division in the NMRA to become part of a working group to build the program and the courses the committee will administer. I will send you more info about this if you request it from me, and yes we are looking for someone to be a part of this from the Lakeshores Division.

Make sure you have **September 29<sup>th</sup>** on your calendar for the next LSD Meet to be held in Medina. More information can be found on the next page.

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**Lakeshores Division, NFR, NMRA  
Fall Meet at the  
Medina Railroad Museum  
“Past, Present and Future”  
Saturday, September 29, 2012**

**Location:**           **Medina Railroad Museum**  
                                  **530 West Avenue**  
                                  **Medina, NY 14103**  
                                  **(am – in the old depot 100 yards east)**

**Morning:**

8:30 to 9:00   Registration, Meet and Greet, register Models for Contest  
9:00 to 9:05   Welcoming remarks – Ray Howard  
9:05 to 9:50   **Clinic:**   Dick Senges, MMR – “*Medina RR Museum Scenery*”

9:50 to 10:05   Break and Voting on Popular Choice Model Contest  
10:05 to 10:45   **Clinic:**   Jim Otto - “*Extreme Modeling Techniques*”  
10:45 to 11:00   Break  
11:05 to 11:45   **Clinic:**   Marty Phelps -- “*The New York Central Railroad*”  
11:45 to 12:15   Announcements, Awards, Elections – Ray Howard

12:15 to 1:30   Lunch - on your own.

**Afternoon:**       1:30pm

Join a private tour of the RR Museum given by the  
Museum Director Marty Phelps.

**Note:**

Cost: \$6.00 (Museum fee)

We will have a “Modelers Choice” Model Contest. Please bring a model.

Also, a Photo Contest, so bring in those images!

And door prizes so bring in those unwanted Model RR items!



# Scenes from the Lakeshores Division Summer Picnic, Sunday July 29, 2012

**New York Museum of Transportation**



**Fourteen LSD folks attended the Lakeshores 2012 Picnic. All had a great time seeing the Museum and meeting other LSD members.**



**Lakeshores Division members enjoying riding the street car.**



**Lakeshores Division member Dave Coon, acting as conductor, instructs the group on street car safety and Museum history.**



Models by Lakeshores Division members.

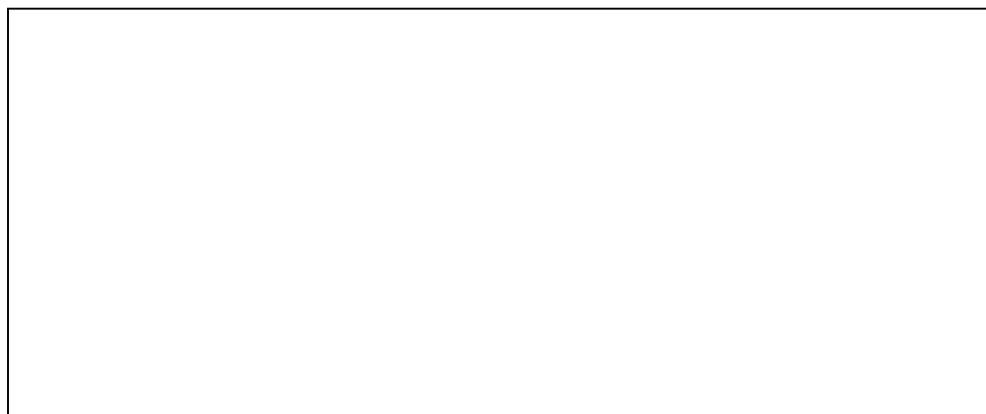


Lakeshores Division members enjoying the Museum's model railroad.



**LSD members enjoying their picnic lunch in the Museum's dining car.**

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## **Next LSD Meet**

**September 29, 2012**

**Medina Railroad Museum**