



# DETROIT MODEL RAILROAD CLUB, INC.

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## MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_ E-mail: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Emergency Contact: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Active Model Railroader: Yes No Home Layout: Yes No Scale: \_\_\_\_\_

Member of other Model Railroad Clubs: Yes No NMRA Member: Yes No

Model Railroading Interests (Check all that apply):

_____ Track Construction	_____ Scenery	_____ Structures
_____ Electrical Controls	_____ Rolling Stock	_____ Operations
_____ Train Dispatching	_____ Club Building Maintenance	

Type of Membership (Check applicable category):

\_\_\_\_\_ Active - \$20.00/month with \$50.00 Initiation Fee.

\_\_\_\_\_ Associate - \$10.00/month.

\_\_\_\_\_ Junior (age 10-17) - \$10.00/year.

Sponsor Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
(Active or Associate)

\_\_\_\_\_ Friend of the Club - \$30.00/year.

### DMRRC USE ONLY:

Application Date: \_\_\_\_\_ Application Received By: \_\_\_\_\_

Date Approved: \_\_\_\_\_



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## MEMBERSHIP INFORMATION

Membership in the Detroit Model Railroad Club is open to anyone interested in model railroading who would like to help build and operate one of the largest model railroads in the country.

**No experience is required.** If you have never worked on a model railroad, we can teach you everything you need to know about tracklaying, scenery, electrical work, building rolling stock and structures, and railroad operations.

**We welcome model railroaders of all scales.** Even if you model in a smaller scale at home, come learn how to do things in 1/48<sup>th</sup> first. Then you can do things right the first time at home. By having such a diverse membership, the club has experts in every part of model railroading that would be happy to help you enjoy our hobby.

All members can attend club activities (like trips to visit other layouts) and everyone receives the club's newsletter, the *Puffer Chuffer*, to stay informed of these events. Every member receives a club membership card which can provide discounts at participating hobby shops.

## MEMBERSHIP CATEGORIES

There are several types of membership, depending on your level of participation.

**ACTIVE** members are the lifeblood of the Club. They are actively involved in the Club and participate in the business decisions about the Club. Active members can hold office, serve on committees, and vote at club meetings. Active members participate in the planning and construction of the railroad. Prospective Active members serve a one-year probationary period before final approval by the membership.

**ASSOCIATE** members can enjoy the benefits of membership without being involved with the details of operating the club. Associates can work on the railroad and operate trains under the supervision of an Active member. Associates have limited operation and visitation privileges and cannot vote.

**JUNIOR** members are 10 to 17 years of age and are sponsored by an Active or Associate member. The sponsor, or other Active member, supervises the Junior member at all times. Juniors have limited operation and visitation privileges and cannot vote. Juniors can become Active or Associate members when they turn 18 years old.

**FRIENDS OF THE CLUB** are members who want to support the club but cannot be actively involved. Friends of the Club have free admission to Open Houses.