

Layout Evaluation

Layout RR Name The Mountain Railroads		Owner name Blaine Holbrook			
Website N/A	Scale HO, Hon3, Hon30	Multilevel? # of decks 3			
Mainline run	Minimum radius 18"	Typical Aisle Width 36"			
Benchwork L girder and box	Height	Accessible?			
Theme, prototype, era, and location of the layout: Lower 1935 to 1965 Middle 1900 1965 Upper 1890 to 1940	Special Layout Design Features Hand laid switches	Documentation, Orientation and Signage: <input type="checkbox"/> Fascia mounted track diagrams <input type="checkbox"/> Station names / MPs on fascia <input type="checkbox"/> Handout describing layout and op session purpose x <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Timetable if appropriate			
Purpose of the railroad and/or operating session Mountain industries including mining, Lumber, cattle and dairy, farming, oil and gas	Scenery methods and % .plaster cloth over cardboard structure Backdrop None	Car Forwarding Scheme x <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Car Cards <input type="checkbox"/> Switch list <input type="checkbox"/> Computer generated <input type="checkbox"/> Tacks or markers on cars <input type="checkbox"/> Other: _____ To be determined.			
Size 23X27	5 500 sq ft. plus Large home or club sized	4 400 sq ft. 20' by 20' Garage or basement	3 200 sq ft. 10' by 20' Half a garage	2 100 sq ft. 10' by 10' Small bedroom	1 50 sq ft. 5' by 10' Half a bedroom
Scenery Just starting	5 Full scenery, exceptional detail	4 Full scenery	3 2/3 rd Scenery	2 1/3 rd scenery	1 Plywood Central
Prototype /theme Mountain mines	5 Full fidelity to prototype	4 Some compromises with prototype or freelance.	3 Attempts to evoke specific era/time	2 Generic era/RR	1 Mix of eras, railroads and locations
Rigorousness 3	5 Tightly structured per prototype.	4 Closely adheres to prototype practice	3 Purposeful operations	2 Attempts at prototype operations	1 "Holler and Hope" operations
Operating scheme: <input type="checkbox"/> TT&TO <input type="checkbox"/> CTC <input type="checkbox"/> Track Warrant/DTC <input type="checkbox"/> ABS/Rule 251 <input type="checkbox"/> Other: _					
Control system: <input type="checkbox"/> DC / Block Control x <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> DCC / System: <input type="checkbox"/> Other: _____					
Communication system: <input type="checkbox"/> 5 Channel radio <input type="checkbox"/> FRS Radio <input type="checkbox"/> Telephone <input type="checkbox"/> Other: X <input type="checkbox"/> None					
Number of crew positions Other important features of operations:					