## MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION / INFORMATION FORM

(continued) Please make checks (US \$ or international reply coupons) payable to Teen Association of Model Railroaders Please answer a few questions for our member directory.

Name of layout:

<u>Scale:</u> □ Z □ N □ HO □ S □ O □ G □ Other\_\_\_\_\_

## EQUIPMENT

- □ Steam
- Diesel
- D Electric
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- Passenger
  Traction

Intermodal

□ Freight

When completed, please send to: TAMR Treasurer Hans Raab

## THANK YOU VERY MUCH!!!!!!!



Photo By TAMR member Michelle Tomlinson



TAMR Membership benefits: As a member of the TAMR, you get:

12 issues of The Hotbox

- 4 issues of your regional newsletter
- A TAMR directory listing all TAMR members
- TAMR conventions
- Participate in the TAMR video exchange
- Vote in TAMR elections and hold office
- Free admission to Great American Train Shows
- Contribute photos to our website

## WE WILL PUT YOU ON THE RIGHT TRACK



SO JOIN THE TAMP NOW!!!! TAMP Promotions Dept. November 2000 Andrew Matarazzo Promotions Mgr.



**TEEN ASSOCIATION OF** 

# MODEL RAILROADERS Youth Model Railroading at its Finest!

A club for young model railroaders and railfans.

Meet other people the same age with the same interests

**Modeling tips** 

#### **Monthly Conventions**

Adult and pre-teen members are welcome too!

See what the TAMR has to offer and join today !!! Visit our website at: www.TAMR.org

## What is the Teen Association of Model Railroaders?

The Teen Association of Model Railroaders (TAMR) is a group dedicated to the advancement of youths in the hobby of model railroading and railfanning.TAMR members help each other out with their model railroads, give them tips on photography, watch trains, and more! TAMR Conventions, newsletters, and access to our website help TAMR members make friends that share the same interests.

#### CONVENTIONS

The TAMR holds many conventions throughout the year. Here are the several types of conventions:

#### SUMMER NATIONAL:

The Summer National Convention is held in a different city every year. Typical activities include model and photo contests, railfanning, layout tours and operating sessions, clinics, and slide shows. It's a great place to meet other TAMR members **WINTER NATIONAL:** 

The Winter National Convention is held in Springfield, Ma every year in conjunction with the Amherst Railways Society's Big Hobby Show which occupies three buildings. Activities include railfanning the massive West Springfield Yard, attending the show, clinics, slideshows, and the annual pizza party!

## **REGIONAL CONVENTIONS:**

The TAMR knows that not all members can attend the national conventions, so the regional conventions are there to promote activity in a more local area. The TAMR has five regions - Central, International, Northeastern, Southern, and Western -which hold regional conventions throughout the year.

## **DIVISIONAL CONVENTIONS:**

The TAMR has several very active divisions. As of the writing, the most active divisions are the New York City Metro Area Division, which spans southeastern New York and northern New Jersey; the Great Plains Division, located in North Dakota and Minnesota; and the Heartland Division in the St. Louis area.

#### THE HOTBOX

The Hotbox is the monthly official publication of the TAMR. Members receive 12 issues which contain a wide variety of of articles. You'll find topics like:

- Model railroad construction techniques and tips
- ✓ Features about members' model railroads
- ✓ Product reviews
- Inexpensive improvements for model railroads
- ✓ Drawings, photos, cartoons
- ✓ Prototype railroad news
- ✓ Convention reports
- ✓ Your letters
- ✓ Lots more!!!!!

#### **Regional Newsletters**

Each region of the TAMR produces a regional newsletter that comes out quarterly and is filled with local content.

#### TAMR WEBSITE

The TAMR has a website, located at http://www.tamr.org/. On the website, you'll find information about the TAMR, links to TAMR members' web pages, an online photo album, and more!

## Teen Association of Model Railroaders MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION / INFORMATION FORM

Fill out this form (front and back) for more information on the TAMR or to Join

Please check appropriate box:

I want more information on the	3 IAMR
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OR

#### I want to join the TAMR GENERAL INFORMATION

Name	
Address	
Address (2)	
City	_ State/ Prov
Zip / Postal Code	
Country	
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Date of Birth / / (ex: 11/28/1999)

If you want to join the TAMR please fill out the following. If you just want information on the TAMR, leave the rest blank, and send it to the address on the opposite side.

#### **MEMBERSHIP TYPE:**

Regular (under age 21)	\$15
Associate (21 and up)	\$18
Sustaining (extra contribution)	\$20+
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