

Great Falls Model Railroad Club

Modeler's Forum

2025 Square Footer Contest

The square footer contest is open to all Great Falls Model Railroad Club members. There will be three classes for entrants this year (outlined in the rules below).

Classes:

- Novice – Anyone who has never entered a prior square footer contest or who has never won first place in this class
- Intermediate - Anyone who has won a prior square footer contest in the Novice class
- Master – Anyone who has previously entered in this class or has won a prior square footer contest in the Intermediate class

Note: the organizers reserve the right to categorize entrants of known ability as “Intermediate” or “Master,” even if they have never previously entered or won a Square Footer contest.

Rules:

1. A square footer entry may be constructed in any scale.
2. Entries may be any type of model/display/structure or diorama. The theme for 2025 is “**Working on the Railroad.**”
3. There is no height limit for entries.
4. Entries must be constructed on 12” by 12” (one square foot) base. **NO** part of the entry may protrude beyond the base boundary on any side except tree foliage. Entrants wishing to use rotating bases must provide their own battery-operated base for that purpose.
5. All entries must be brought to the clubhouse **prior to** the opening of ExTRAINaganza 2025 on Saturday, November 22nd.

Winners in each class will be chosen by a People's Choice vote at ExTRAINaganza 2025 and announced at the close of the event on November 30th.



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