



# Rocky Mountain Train Show

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## For Immediate Release-

The Rocky Mountain Division of the Train Collectors Association is pleased to announce our Spring Rocky Mountain Train Show at the Denver Mart, Saturday and Sunday, March 4<sup>th</sup> & 5<sup>th</sup>, 2017.

The show is truly a model train extravaganza covering 2-1/2 acres. You'll find trains ranging from antique American Flyer and Lionel to modern HO and N scale models and Thomas the Train. This family-oriented event features 30 operating train layouts, manufacturer and hobby store displays, a marketplace of over 600 tables of trains for sale, how-to clinics and appraisal opportunities for your old trains. There are hourly drawings for door prizes ranging from Thomas the Train toys to complete train sets.

Our Kids Corner features hands-on train layouts, story time, face painting, children's railroad theatre, a ride on train, kids engineer portraits and train races. Our Build-A-Layout program provides an opportunity for children to learn the skills to build a train layout, which will be given away as the grand prize on Sunday. Our Kid-In-A-Cab program features numerous opportunities for kids to run trains on their own.

Ed Dickens, Jr., Senior Manager of Heritage Operations for the Union Pacific Railroad will be doing a presentation Saturday on the status of the restoration of Big Boy 4014 and the travel schedule for 844. Trains Magazine Editor Jim Wrinn will be on hand with a presentation entitled "Railroading at a Crossroads in the Early 21st Century". ColoRail President, Jim Souby will be doing a presentation on the history and return of the Ski Train. There will also be a number of new how-to and historical clinics.

The Adams County Sheriff's Department will be on hand with their Adams County Sheriff's Identification kit to help parents keep your kids safe.

Adult admission is \$10; children under 12, scouts in uniform and active military personnel with ID are free. Parking is FREE. Admission is good for both days. You can avoid the wait by purchasing your tickets online at- [https://events.admitoneproducts.com?event\\_id=302617](https://events.admitoneproducts.com?event_id=302617) or at Caboosie Hobbies, Colpar's Hobbytown stores, the Forney Museum of Transportation and the Colorado Model Railroad Museum or at the door on show days.

The Denver Mart is located at 451 East 58<sup>th</sup> Avenue in Denver, Colorado- I-25 at 58<sup>th</sup> Ave. exit. Show hours are 10 am to 5 pm on Saturday and 10 am to 4 pm on Sunday.

Full show details may be found online at [www.RockyMountainTrainShow.com](http://www.RockyMountainTrainShow.com)

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