

# Marlow, Maidenhead & District MRC

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## About us:-

The Club was formed in 1968 and provides a focal point for a friendly and active group of modellers from as far afield as Wokingham, Earley, Twyford, Reading and High Wycombe, as well as the more local areas in and around Maidenhead and Marlow. With many members coming some distance, lifts are often available.

We meet weekly in Maidenhead, where the club has a small library of books, workshop, club store and test tracks in all the main gauges up to and including O and G, as well as 4 current layout projects:-'

Our members' modelling interests cover most scales and eras, from early steam to modern diesels, N gauge to G gauge, (via the popular 4mm scales - OO/EM/P4) and not forgetting HO interests in European and North American as well as British railways! There's always someone to give guidance or lend a helping hand.

During the course of the year, we have a limited program of events to entertain and inform including the annual modelling and photographic competition. The competition has a number of categories and all members are encouraged to enter regardless of perceived abilities.

Our club is always looking to recruit new members, so if you would like to get involved with one of our projects you would be made most welcome. In the first instance please contact us via the website and one of the committee will invite you to one of our club nights as a guest.

Membership is payable annually with the membership year starting at the AGM. Members joining part way through a year pay pro-rata for the remaining period.

## Don't miss our next **Annual Exhibition.**

MMDMRC Annual Exhibition will take place at Cox Green Community Centre on **Saturday 4th January 2020, 10am - 4:30pm**. We hope you will be able to attend and enjoy the wide variety of both exhibitors and traders we have assembled.

2020 - Entry Prices: Adults £5.00, Children 5 - 14 £3.00, Under 5's free, Family (2 Adults + 2 or more children) £13.

Cox Green Community Centre, 51 Highfield Lane, Maidenhead, Berkshire, SL6 3AX

**Please Note: There is limited parking on site, it may be necessary to park in the side streets during the morning period.**

# Maidenhead '0' 2019

**Presented by Marlow, Maidenhead & District Model Railway Club**  
**Knowl Hill Village Hall, The Terrace, Knowl Hill, RG10 9XB.**  
**Saturday 19th Oct 2019 10am - 4:30pm**



OLD ELM PARK

Welcome to our inaugural 0 Gauge Exhibition which comprises for your delight four layouts by club members, one guest layout and three traders to tempt you to buy.

All the layouts are built to 7mm finescale standard gauge and are DCC controlled.

Please feel free to ask questions and to take photographs of the exhibits if you wish.

Light refreshments are available in the main hall or for those who would like more substantial fare we recommend Flic's Cafe which is just a few short steps to the right as you leave the venue.

## Side Hall

### **Little Hister:-** Chris Pye

A Southern Region (LSWR) branch line terminus located on the South Coast of England. The period is set in the late 40's early 50's. The station supports a thriving seaside town and it's rural community.

## Main Hall

### **Barton Hall:-** Andrew Wren-Hilton

Welcome to this compact portable layout which was originally conceived to fit in a friend's garden shed. This fictitious branch being built to serve the private estate of Barton Hall which is located just to the North of Preston with services primarily supplied by the Lancashire and Yorkshire Railway Co. The layout design was inspired by and bears a resemblance to Bembridge on the Isle of Wight. It contains the classic "Inglenook siding" with added release turntable, supplemented with 2 additional sidings which link to the three road sector plate.

### **Polcombe Depot:-** Mark Polard

The layout is an imaginary locomotive depot in the late 50s through to the end of steam. The location is somewhere on the south coast and towards the end of the Somerset and Dorset line so that there is a mix of Southern, Western and Midland region locomotives along with the odd unusual visitor which would have brought a summer Saturday special service to the coastal holiday area. Many different classes of locomotive can be seen visiting the depot for coal, water and a quick service before being turned for their next duty.

### **Old Elm Park:-** Mark Polard

This is how I think a roundhouse could have been like. The idea has come from Old Oak Common but being both a Southern Region and Western with a little Midland Region interest and locomotive stock moved the location to Reading hence the name. The Old from Old Oak and Elm Park being the name of Reading Football Club's old ground. With Reading being a crossroads with many inter-regional train movements a mixture of locos would need to be shedded.

### **Cromwell Road Bridge:-** MMDMRC Layout.

BR steam and diesel period, although preserved locos and stock may appear.

The concept of the club layout was to be either a large wagon fed warehouse or possibly a wagon repair facility - the requirement being to exhibit a wide variety of wagons and do plenty of shunting. Baseboards are conventional ply construction.

Trackwork has been built using C&L fine scale components by club members - most of whom have not attempted such work before, therefore a series of instructional sessions led by the most experienced member were held.

The layout is still evolving and we are now in the process of building a lower relief back scene. As you will see much work has still to be done.

## The Traders

### **Connoisseur Models** :- [www.jimmcgeown.com](http://www.jimmcgeown.com)

Jim McGeown produces a range of etched kits for locomotives, coaches and wagons in 0 gauge, 7mm scale. The range contains a number of simple wagon and loco kits that are specifically aimed at the new and less experienced modeller. Jim also likes to be able to offer information and advice about building etched kits.

### **CPL PRODUCTS** :- [www.cplproducts.net](http://www.cplproducts.net)

Supply a range of etches, transfers, couplings, buffers, name & number plates, under frame parts and line side.

### **Buzz Models**

Sells a continually expanding range of kits, bits, and accessories, for most eras.