



World's Greatest Hobby on Tour

Our mission is to grow the hobby of model railroading

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31,276 people attend 2012 Indianapolis World's Greatest Hobby on Tour Show, setting a new record for an Indiana train show!

On the weekend of January 7 & 8, 2012, the World's Greatest Hobby on Tour returned to Indianapolis, Indiana. The record setting weekend attendance for this show was 31,276, surpassing the 2007 World's Greatest Hobby on Tour Indianapolis Show by 709 people. This World's Greatest Hobby on Tour show set a record for public attendance at a model train show for all of Indiana, breaking the previous record held by the 2007 Indianapolis World's Greatest Hobby on Tour show.

The World's Greatest Hobby on Tour continues to introduce the general public to the hobby of model railroading in an exciting, family-oriented atmosphere. The show includes the hobby's major manufacturers, hobby shops, operating displays, interactive activities, workshops and provides an in-person introduction to the World's Greatest Hobby.

The next four World's Greatest Hobby on Tour shows in 2012 are:

Schaumburg, Illinois (Chicago area) • January 14 & 15, 2012 – Last visited 2007

Sandy, Utah (Salt Lake City area) • February 4 & 5, 2012 - Last visited 2006

Portland, Oregon • February 25 & 26, 2012 – a new venue in an area last visited 2007

Cincinnati, Ohio • March 10 & 11, 2012 – A new area for the show

The World's Greatest Hobby on Tour shows have attracted 874,662 attendees since the show was founded in 2004. In addition, the television advertising for the event has showcased model railroading to over 50 million people.

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