

# Youth Individual and Team Specifications



## HO and N CLASS YOUTH INDIVIDUAL or TEAMS

### AGE

Open to individuals or teams fourteen (14) years old or younger at the time of entry.

### ELIGIBILITY

*Void in Colorado, Maryland and North Dakota due to state regulations surrounding contests*

### SCALE

**HO or N**

### PURCHASE REQUIREMENT

Purchase of a \$50 kit from [Walthers.com/NMRBO22](http://Walthers.com/NMRBO22).  
Choose from multiple themes in either HO or N scales.

### SCENE DIMENSIONS

**2'W X 2'D**

### BACKDROPS

Backdrops are not required. However, a thoughtfully designed backdrop that enhances the theme and brings a scene to life could count towards the overall appeal and creativity. Should you decide to include a backdrop, there are no specifications or requirements for size or construction.

### FACIA

A fascia is not required. It is recommended that you think about how you finish the edges of your scene so as not to detract from the overall presentation.

### BASE

Base. We are not specifying, nor recommending base requirements or construction. A simple foam insulation base is adequate as is a sheet of plywood cut to size. There is no need for elaborate bench work as this is an area that will not be judged. The entry does not require electrical work or a functioning train however the inclusion of a train element is encouraged.

### TEAM OPTION

You can enter as an individual or a team. The specifications do not change. One prize will be awarded for first, second and third place and can be divided among team members as you see fit. If awarded prize money, person listed on entry will be responsible for tax documentation – see official rules.

### MINOR PERMISSION

Minors (under 18) must have parent, or guardian signature and contact information. If submitting as a youth team, all participants must submit individual permission forms. See instructions in complete rules.

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