



## Scalefour Society Press Release

### *Scaleforum 2010 Workbenches*

The Scalefour Society is pleased to announce that a number of practical workshops on finescale modelling will be run at the Society's annual exhibition, Scaleforum, to be held in September 2010.

Following the successful soldering workshop that took place at Scaleforum 2007, two workshop sessions will be held on both days. The Society feels that it is important to help develop skills and these two workshops have a specific purpose in helping the less experienced modeller gain confidence and knowledge of finescale modelling.

#### *Workshop 1 - Converting ready-to-run locomotives to P4 using drop-in replacement wheels*

Run by Mike Ainsworth, this workshop is free to those attending and will last about one hour.

This workshop will show what is involved in converting a variety of smaller steam locomotives and some simple diesel types to P4 using Ultrascale wheels. Those attending can bring with them a suitable locomotive and a set of Ultrascale wheels and will be able to convert the loco under Mike's guidance.

#### *Workshop 2 - Track and turnout construction using components from the P4Track Company*

Conducted by Dave Hawkins and Tony Sullivan, this workshop will take about three and a half hours. There will be a charge of £25.00 to attend this workshop to cover the cost of materials used and participants will take away items of track with them afterwards.

This workshop will show you how to construct plain track and a turnout using the kits available from the P4 Track Company. Dave and Tony will guide you through the process and by the end of the session you should be well on the way to having a finished turnout built to P4 standards. Those attending will need to bring to the workshop a few simple tools and further details will be given to those who book a place.

Both workshops will be run twice during the Scaleforum weekend: each will be held once on Saturday and once on Sunday.

Come to Scaleforum, be inspired by what you see, attend both workshops and go home with a working P4 loco and some track to get you started on your first P4 layout.

Applications to attend either workshop should be made to Terry Bendall by email to [terrybendall@scalefour.org](mailto:terrybendall@scalefour.org) or by post to 123, Plantation Road Leighton Buzzard, Bedfordshire, LU7 3HJ. Please note that there is a limit of 10 people for each workshop.

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A simple drop-in conversion of a Bachmann Jinty from OO to P4

