## **NEMES Model Engineering Show**

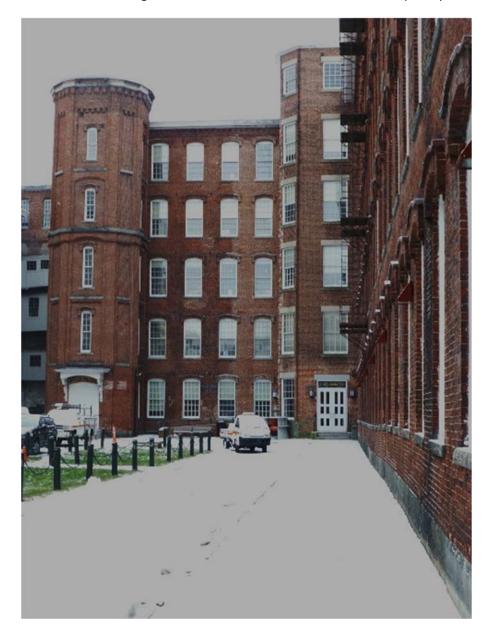
The 19<sup>th</sup> Annual NEMES Model Engineering Show will be held on Saturday, February 28<sup>th</sup> show at the Boot Mill, Lowell National Park in Lowell Massachusetts (see maps below). The show will run from 10-4, and we hope to begin setting up at 8 AM. Please bring your latest models and displays.

The Lowell National Park in the Boot Mill and is focused on the mills and mill machinery, with some very nice displays of mill equipment. There is a trolley barn underneath the room we will be using to display, but that area is not open to the public. There should be a good synergy between the Model Engineering Show and the National Park exhibits.



The actual location of the show will be at 115 John Street in Lowell. Parking is at 75 John Street, between French St and Page Street. Take Interstate 495 to Route 38 North. Follow Route 38 towards Lowell for 2 miles, and turn left on E. Merrimack St. Drive ½ mile and turn right on John St. The garage will be one block down on the right. When you walk out of the parking garage, turn right

towards French Street. Walk down John Street past the guard shack and over the bridge. Turn right in the mill courtyard, and walk to the end, 115 John Street. Enter the doors and take the elevator to the 4<sup>th</sup> floor. We will be exhibiting in the room to the left of the elevator and perhaps in the lobby.



If you are exhibiting, drive past the parking garage on John Street through the intersection with French St, and continue to the guard shack. Tell him that you are dropping off your exhibits, and continue over the bridge to the mill, turn right, and drive to the end. The tower is labeled 115 John Street. Enter those doors and take the elevator to the 4<sup>th</sup> floor. The door has a ramp and is handicap accessible. There are two elevators, so moving equipment to the show area should be easier than the Jackson Room. Be sure to move your car to the parking garage once you have unloaded.

There is electricity in the room. The Park Service has an air compressor on the 4<sup>th</sup> floor, we are checking to see if it will meet our needs. Norm has the air manifold to distribute air to the models. Our NPS application also included alcohol flames. But we did not request permission to run Internal Combustion engines this year.

The National Park Service does not allow any money to change hands, so there will not be any Shirt nor Membership sales. Exhibitors are requested to bring their own lunch (Arthur's Diner is located next to the Boot Mill, but only open until noon). NEMES will provide coffee, tea and hot chocolate.

The room is a cafeteria during the week, and already has tables that we plan to use. We may need a little help at 8 AM to arrange the tables.



The National Park Service is open to helping us with publicity, but we could use your help getting the word out. With a new location and date, please help to get both exhibitors and the public to our show.

