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This series is to help answer the many questions about Kadee® products and to provide "Helpful Hints" to modelers using our products. Sam the Answer Man will only be available after 1:00 p.m. PST Mon-Thu to answer your Kadee® related questions.

## "Trainfest & Bachmann dove tailed coupler arm" Sam the Answer Man: #120 December 2016

6381 D&H #29178 ..... \$38.95

Well, did you have a great Thanksgiving? If you did that's great and if not then why not? Most of us free Americans had four days off to be with our families and spend quality time with them which is the most important thing we can do. Hopefully, you were able to help some of your family enjoy model railroading and get them interested in this hobby, which can be enjoyed by the entire family.

Now if Thanksgiving worked out well you should be planning a fabulous Christmas Holiday with your family which, of course, includes some family model railroading. Don't just hide in your basement, garage, attic, or spare room playing with your trains alone. If your family is not interested in your model railroading do something uniquely special to show them that they'd want to come and see. But if they are still not interested, set your trains aside and spend the time with them because your trains will still be there later but your family may not be.

In November we attended two train shows, Trainfest in Milwaukee, WI and our local train show here in Medford, OR. I took note of how many families came to these shows just for the entertainment. When you see kids crying when they have to leave you know they loved the trains.

While at Trainfest I did take a close look at the new all metal Bachmann Spectrum G scale 2-6-0 Mogul. I've had a number of calls asking what Kadee® coupler to use on this loco. After taking a close look at their coupler mounting on the tender I could see it has their "dove tail" connection so you can change the coupler head, because they offer an option of using two coupler heights with a center set coupler or their lower coupler head to match the passenger cars that goes along with this loco. This mounting will use our "G" scale #916 coupler or our #1 scale #1916 coupler. We designed these two couplers to fit on their dove tailed connection which is found on many of their models in their Spectrum Series, however, it does not fit all of their models. So where you see the #916/#1916 listed for Bachmann models it's only meant to connect to their dove tailed coupler arm.

The #916/#1916 will also work on the Bachmann Spectrum 2-4-4 Froney, 2-6-6-2 Baldwin Articulated, and the 1:20.3 Spectrum rolling stock.

I clarified a few rumors and issues that were brought to me at Trainfest and some we have addressed before.

We are"NOT" discontinuing the #5 coupler, it is still the backbone of our coupler line and although the #148 whisker is catching up in sales

we will keep the #5 in production for as long as there's a market for it.

The Twin Rail Spiker is not available and has not been for a very long time. We still have a limited supply of parts and we still make the spikes for it.

We do not make nor will we be making cabooses in the future.

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We do not make passenger car trucks but only freight car and caboose trucks.

We do not make N or Z scale products since Micro-Trains and Kadee split in the early 1990s.

Presently our RC Remote coupler system is for G and #1 scale only and an HO version will eventually be coming but it's not a priority.

We do not announce new products until they are ready to release to the market.

We wish you a very Merry Christmas and Happy New Year, enjoy model railroading.

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9009 FBCX #99

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