

GATEWAY FARM TOY CLUB
41st Annual MODEL & DISPLAY CONTEST
SATURDAY, January 31, 2026

Gateway Mid-America Toy Show @ Sheraton Westport Chalet Hotel, St. Louis, Mo.

RULES AND REGULATIONS

SCRATCH BUILT: TOY STARTED FROM SCRATCH (NO MANUFACTURED TOY START)

CUSTOMIZED: STARTING WITH A MANUFACTURED TOY WITH ADDITIONAL FEATURES ADDED

Previous Award Winning Items not eligible to compete in 2026. Previous Winners may enter new item

- 1 Registration** from 11:00 am to Noon. All entries to remain until trophy presentations. All entries must be cleared by 6pm on Saturday
- 2. Display Contest: Depicting a farm scene or collection.** Entry not to exceed two 8' tables (8'x8' area). Entries must be in place by Noon for judging.
- 3. Model Contest:** Entries must be in place by Noon for judging. Entry may include additional item to support the entry.
All entries must be in the model contest area, not in with a display.
- 4.** You or Your designated representative must be present during the judging.
All Judges Decisions are final!
- 5. Remember** that the purpose of this event is not only to provide friendly competition, but also to show toy collectors your ability to create and to display originality not available from manufactures. Just by entering you are a winner because you have shown your ability, courage and enthusiasm.
A spirit of fun, education, fellowship and friendly competition should prevail!
- 6.** All Model & Display Entries Must Be Farm Related to be Judged.

Adult Division (20 Years & Older)
DISPLAY CONTEST
MODEL CONTEST

Junior Division (13-19 years of Age)
DISPLAY CONTEST

1A 1/64th Layout

1AA 1/16 Layout

2A 1/16 Scratch built

3A 1/16 Customized

4A 1/64 Scratch Built

5A 1/64 Customized

6A 1/64 Truck

7A 1/16 Truck

8A 1/16 3D Printed

9A 1/16 3D Printed

1B Layout

MODEL CONTEST

2B 1/64 - 1/16 Customized

Youth Division (12 & Under)

DISPLAY CONTEST

1C Layout

MODEL CONTEST

2C 1/64 - 1/16 Customized

1D UGLY TOY: NO RESTRICIONS ONE ENTRY PER PERSON

HALL OF FAME WINNERS ARE ELIGIBLE TO ENTER ANY OF THE ABOVE CLASSES WITH A NON-PREVIOUS ST. LOUIS AWARD WINNING ITEM.

The Gateway Farm Toy Club provides the trophies.
Club members participate in many ways with the Gateway Mid-America Toy Show.

Any questions call: Elden Niemeyer 618-939-7982