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The 2019 Nürnberg Toy Fair - Part Two

We continue Tim Mulhall's review of the new arrivals introduced at this iconic event last winter

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Lima - www.hornby.com/uk-en/shop/brands/lima-h0-1-87/new-for-2019.html

Lima were a surprise return with the competitively priced Expert range, with all new tooling. The ETR610 4 car set is offered at £174, the 3 coach add on £120, four liveries are offered.

- HL1671 SBB RABe 503 – Swiss Cities branding.



- HL1672 Cisalpino ETR610.

Rivarossi - <https://www.hornby.com/uk-en/shop/brands/rivarossi-h0-1-87/new-for-2019.html>

Returning to the market after a long absence is the BLS Re4/4, with retooled roof detail. In diecast metal, and already available, it led a range of ten new items including:



- HR2734/5/6 BLS Re4/4 Three different body variants, DC, DCC Sound and AC options.
- HR6459 Wascosa Silver tank wagon.

Tillig - www.tillig.com

Another closed booth, but with plentiful leaflets on offer. They produce a few items in HO in addition to their larger TT system.

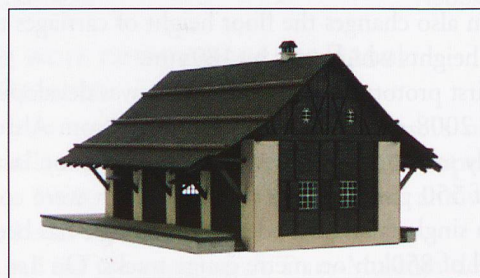
In HO this year we have three new liveries on the Zürich S Bahn coaches plus an SBB Eanos open wagon.

- 70038 Zürich S Bahn coach set.



Unique Scenery Products www.sceneryproducts.de

The fair also had mini booths for small companies – sometimes a firm appears on a regular basis, whilst some are new each year. I discovered right at the bottom of this quiet area a company with a nice range of Swiss buildings. All laser cut kits, these are really something different. My pick being:



- 01-02-004 Zernez Freight Shed.

Piko - www.piko.de

Piko operated a closed booth, so opportunities to obtain brochures and inspect items were limited. Strangely the new items were also not on their website at the time of writing and images could not be saved!

- G scale – some new liveries and industrial locos but nothing specifically for Switzerland.
- In HO scale, comes a new starter set, 5 liveries on cross border locos and one Die Post wagon.
- 59110 Sersa Construction Freight set.
- 59456 BR101 Swiss Travel Graubünden.

Arnold - www.hornby.com/uk-en/shop/brands/arnold-n-1-160/new-for-2019.html

Thanks to representing thirteen brands, the N scale brand within the Hornby portfolio offered one of the three largest stands. There were six wagon items and four diecast food trailers including:

- HN6435 Wascosa gas tank wagons.
- HN7002 Bratwurst Food Trailer.

Editor's Note: This is a slightly edited version of the article on our website. The website article contains further pictures, including Tim's own, which I have unfortunately had to omit for reasons of space.