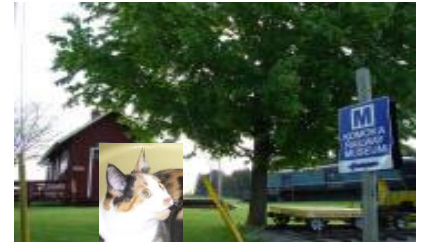


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# KOMOKA RAILWAY MUSEUM



## NEWSLETTER



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***There will be no regularly monthly meetings till March 2016  
The museum will be closed till April 2016***

### NOTE FROM THE PRESIDENT

The Museum is planning on a lot of projects, large and small for 2016. Some projects will require contractors while others are ones that volunteers can make happen. Consider giving a few hours in 2016 to accomplish those tasks.

Here is some of what is happening for the year

-Application has been made for the floor and door to the large exhibits building. We should hear soon on the success of the application.

-Quotes gathered for replacing the deck and hopefully can be submitted for the next grant submissions for April 2016.

-An application has been made for a one time grant for painting the station from the municipality

-Hopefully in the fall, we can get the grants to complete the baggage car to repair the roof and install the HVAC system

Also excited to receive donations from EMD as it closes down and from the CN pensioners. More details to follow in next newsletter.

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**FROM THE TRAFFIC DEPT.**

**TENTATIVE STEAMING SCHEDULE FOR 2016**

Saturday April 30<sup>th</sup>, May 7<sup>th</sup>, May 14<sup>th</sup>, May 28<sup>th</sup>,  
June 4<sup>th</sup>, June 11<sup>th</sup>, Sunday June 19<sup>th</sup>, Saturday June 25<sup>th</sup>.  
Friday July 1<sup>st</sup>, Saturday July 9<sup>th</sup>, July 16<sup>th</sup>, July 23<sup>rd</sup>, July 30<sup>th</sup>.  
Saturday September 3<sup>rd</sup>, September 10<sup>th</sup>.

Subject to weather, contact for verification 226 973 4462.

Times approximately 10 am to 1 pm.

The whole month of August has been left available for family re-unions, birthday parties, car clubs etc arrangements can be made by calling the number above.

**FACEBOOK GROUP CREATED**

Please look for Komoka Railway Museum Inc in the Facebook search

**NOTE:** There is a group Komoka Railway Museum that is not connected to the museum. Requests to the individual directly and an email request to take down the site has not happened. Hopefully, this will not create confusion.

Please be sure to look for INC at the end.

Look for postings and pictures and other news on the site.

Visit the link below to see the latest on the St. Jacobs & Aberfoyle Model Railway

Visit <http://www.stjacobsmodelrailway.com/>

Visit the link below to see the Toronto Railway Museums hours

Visit <http://www.trha.ca/news.html> to learn more!

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Commemoration of the Official Opening

On July 1, 2016, the Canada Day celebrations will be in Komoka.

This July will mark the 30<sup>th</sup> anniversary of the official opening on July 1, 1986.

Plan to come and celebrate with us.

Looking for ideas on how we can celebrate this special occasion.

#### **FUTURE EVENTS**

For more details check out website with all the shows listed on it, check out the link below

<http://www.collectorshows.ca/>

#### **TOY & COLLECTIBLES SHOWS**

February 21, 2016 Kitchener Collectibles Expo

February 28, 2016 Woodstock Toy And Collectibles Expo

March 6, 2016 Ancaster Collectibles Extravaganza

March 25, 2016 London Collectibles Expo

#### **MODEL TRAIN SHOWS**

March 20, 2016 Kitchener Model Train Show And Sale

March 26, 2016 Brantford Model Train Show And Sale

#### **NOSTALGIA & SMALL ANTIQUE SHOWS**

February 7, 2016 Ancaster Nostalgia Show and Sale

February 21, 2016 Kitchener Nostalgia Show And Sale

March 13, 2016 Woodstock Nostalgia Show And Sale

***Submissions due by February 23, 2016 for March 2016 newsletter***

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