

KOMOKA RAILWAY MUSEUM

NEWSLETTER



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Of the Government of Ontario

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**Monthly meetings are held at the museum on
the third Thursday of each month at
7:30 p.m.**

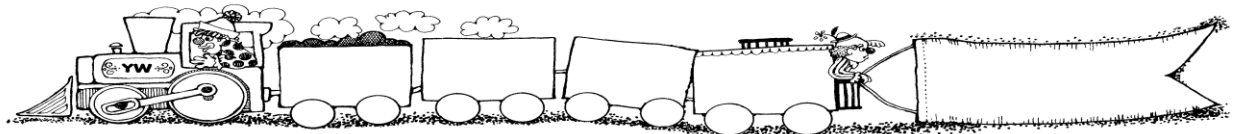
The next meeting will be on

Thursday, July 24, 2014

SPECIAL INVITATION

The Komoka Railway Museum members are invited to a special running of a LPS car at the Radial Museum on Thursday, July 24, 2014, meeting at the Radial Museum about 11:00 am. This is a joint event sponsored by the Elgin Railway Museum and the LPS. Plan to attend!

For further details, contact Dave Harding.



COMING OUR WAY

A very exciting addition to our collection has been donated.

As you can see from the picture above, the acquisition is a circus train.

More details will follow later in future newsletters.

There will be transportation costs in getting the collection to the museum from New Brunswick **which will arrive on July 16, 2014.**

You are being invited to contribute toward the transportation costs. All donations are eligible for tax receipts. Please make sure that donation is marked for ***Circus Train acquisition*** in order for your donation to go to this project. Thank you for your contribution.

June was a busy month at the track, Ticket Inspector Mari-Ann successfully completed the Diesel/Electric Operator course and is now qualified for passenger hauling, next step is steam locomotive firing and driving, stay tuned.

We had a welcome but unexpected visit from Russ Milland of the Golden Horseshoe Live Steamers whose track is in the grounds of the Pump House Museum at Hamilton and arrangements have been made to exchange newsletters. The Hamilton track is well worth a visit even if you don't have a loco to run.

July is already shaping up to be a busy month with steaming scheduled for Saturday the 5th, Sunday the 20th, a tentative birthday party on the 6th, a seniors outing on the 8th. The remainder of the season being; Sunday August 3rd, Sunday August 31st, Saturday September 13th and Sunday September 28th.

The p/way came back from vacation (reluctantly) and work has resumed around the track, the weeds being a particular nuisance but will be dealt with as a priority.

Ed Spencer



TENTATIVE STEAMING SCHEDULE FOR 2014

July and August 2014 Schedule

Sat. July 5th, Sun. July 20th, Sun. Aug. 3rd, Sun Aug.31st

September 2014 Schedule

Sat. September 13th, Sun. September 28th

Approximate times are from 11:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.

The schedule is subject to weather conditions and locomotive availability.

Other times can be arranged by appointment. 226-973-4462

Welcome to Hayley, our summer student



FUTURE EVENTS

There is now a new website with all the shows listed on it, please check it out.

Here is the link <http://www.collectorshows.ca/>

Toy & Collectibles Shows

July 20, 2014 Woodstock Toy & Collectible Show

Model Train Shows

October 19, 2014 Woodstock Model Train Show and Sale

Nostalgia & Small Antique Shows

September 7, 2014 Woodstock Nostalgia Show and Sale

ABERFOYLE JUNCTION MODEL RAILWAY

The model railway is now open to the public on the times listed below.

May to December 2014 Every Saturday and Sunday

Check out their website at: www.stjacobsmodelrailway.com.

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Submissions due by July 28, 2014 for August 2014 newsletter

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You can now receive the newsletter via email instead of via Canada Post. Let me know if you want to be added to the email list.

July 2014

Some pictures from July 5-2014

