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KOMOKA RAILWAY MUSEUM

NEWSLETTER





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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, August 15th, 2013

A Note from Bill Osborne:

Museum members should make an effort to pick up a copy of the August issue of TRAINS Magazine, which has a great article about the CASS SCENIC RAILROAD in West Virginia, home of several operational Shays.

HISTORICAL AUTO SOCIETY OF CANADA

There will be a car rally at 11:00 am on Thursday, August 15, 2013 at the museum with approximately 85 cars. This should be exciting to see and also a special welcome to the visitors that day. For more information on the group see the website below

http://www.historical-automobile-society.ca/index.html

Anyone who can volunteer to help, please contact Al Ward

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Do you remember this picture from the May newsletter showing a young girl with one of the engines from the Key Valley Railway in the 1930's? Well, she did attend the open house and brought along her picture album (which she donated to the museum) and shared her memories of railroad experiences with her father, Daniel Wood, a CPR employee as a fireman and engineer from 1909 to 1943 and their summers at Lost Channel, home of the Key valley Railway, one of the homes of our Shay engine.



That guest was Kae Oatman, my mother, as seen below, delighting in ringing the train's bell once again.



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Welcome to Holly Scott, our summer student



STEAMING SCHEDULE FOR 2013



August 2013 Schedule

By appointment for special events e.g. car clubs, family reunions, birthdays etc. September 2013 Schedule

> Sat. September 14th, Sun. September 22st, Sat. September 28th **October 2013 Schedule**

Sat. October 12th, Sun. October 20th, Sat. October 26th

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

The schedule is subject to weather conditions and locomotive availability

Submissions due by August 28, 2013 for next newsletter

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

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SOME HIGHLIGHTS FROM JULY 1, 2013 OPEN HOUSE





