

Feather River Rail Society
Preliminary Calendar 2016

January

- 1 New Year's Day
- 1-31 Director Nominations open for 2016 elections
nominations go to Nomination and Election Committee
- 9 Board Meeting - 1 PM Portola
- 18 Martin Luther King Jr. Day

February.. Grounds Clean-up

- TBD Election - Candidates Statements and Payments due
- 13 Board Meeting - 1 PM Portola
- 15 President's Day
- 28 Train Sheet Deadline

March..

- 1 Election Withdrawal Deadline
- 12 Board Meeting - 1 PM Portola
- 13 Daylight Savings Time Starts
- 19 Winterail Corvallis, OR
- 27 Easter

April.. Prepare for Operating Season

9 Board Meeting - 4 PM Portola

9-10 Crew Training/Rules Exam
RAL Meeting

TBD Facilities and Track Work Session

11 Election Ballots mailed to membership

20-24 NMRA / Western Pacific Historic Convention – Modesto, CA

30 Train Sheet Deadline

May.. Prepare for Operating Season Museum Hours: 10 AM – 5 PM

TBD Steam Department Work Session

6 Media Day

7 Museum opens to public
Volunteer Day – mandatory training 2 PM – 5 PM, dinner 6 PM

8 Mother's Day

14 Board Meeting - 1 PM Portola Appoint Election Tellers
Crew Training / Rules Exam
RAL Engineers Meeting

21 Chili Cook-Off Event (tentative)

28 Ballot Return Deadline – 5 PM
Operating Season Opens
RAL Engineers Meeting

30 Memorial Day

June.. Caboose Trains Museum Hours: 10 AM – 5 PM
Train Operations: 12 noon – 4:05 PM

4 Board Meeting - 1 PM Portola
Members Bar-B-Que - 5:30 PM

Annual Membership Meeting - 7:30 PM Election Results

19 Father's Day

30 Train Sheet Deadline

July.. Caboose Trains Museum Hours: 10 AM – 5 PM
Train Operations: 12 noon – 4:05 PM

4 Independence Day

9 Board Meeting - 4 PM Portola Installation of New Board

28 Union Pacific Historic Society Convention bus tour from Sacramento

TBD Steam Department Work Session

August.. Caboose Trains Museum Hours: 10 AM – 5 PM
Train Operations: 12 noon – 4:05 PM

2-7 Hot August Nights

13 Board Meeting - 5 PM Portola Appointment of Committees & Officers

19-21 Portola Railroad Days

31 Train Sheet Deadline

September Museum Hours: 10 AM – 4 PM, Friday-Monday

5 Labor Day
Operating Season Ends

10 Board Meeting - 4 PM Portola Calendar Review

TBD Steam Department Work Session

October.. Winter Prep Museum Hours: 10 AM – 4 PM, Sat-Sunday

- 8 Board Meeting - 4 PM Portola Budget Deadline
- TBD Facilities and Track Work Session
- 22-23 Pumpkin Patch Trains (tentative)
- 29-30 Pumpkin Patch Trains (tentative)
- 30 Museum closes to public
- 31 Train Sheet Deadline

November.. Winter Prep

- 6 Daylight Savings Time ends
- 11 Veterans Day
- 12 Board Meeting - 1 PM TBD
- 24 Thanksgiving

December.. Santa Trains

- 3 Santa Trains - 5 PM
- 10 Board Meeting - 1 PM Portola
Santa Trains – 5 PM
- 17 Santa Trains – 5 PM
- 25 Christmas
- 31 Train Sheet Deadline / New Year's Eve