

## **PRESIDENT'S REPORT**

November 2019

Another busy month with the Pumpkin Patch Express. We had a good two weekends with good pumpkin sales. 1503 was well received as the power for the Pumpkin Patch train. Ethan Doty has been busy cleaning up the pumpkin patch, which is pretty well complete with the decorations put away in storage box cars.

Work on the Santa Train has started in earnest with lights going. Thursday we switched and the Santa Train is all ready to go. The baggage car and diner are in the shop now and the Habeck family will be working on decorations soon. A decision was made to add the 2873 to the train for extra cab seating on the trains and 1503 will power the train.

Bob Sims has been at the museum for a while, working on wood window covers for the Silver Hostel. Great looking job so far Bob.

Loren Ross and I have taken on the SN 1643. So far we have one side scraped and put 30 tubes of caulk and 7 lbs of wood filler applied. Loren started the painting of the wood and got 2/3rds and I finished the job the last week of October. So as long as the weather stays warm we'll work on the ends and get some paint on them.

David Elems has been inspecting the 512. Work continues, thanks for the great job David.

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