FEATHER RIVER RAIL SOCIETY

Events Report – August 2026

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2026 WESTERN PACIFIC RAILROAD HISTORICAL CONVENTION - Oct 1-4

We have confirmed Randy Morton as our banquet speaker. Some initial registrations have come in. Oroville Dam and layout tours are being finalized. Mail out registration notice is in process of being printed. Version for Train Sheet in progress.

WESTERN PACIFIC HISTORY DAY – Sept 26

Greg Elems and I are working with UP to get the WP Heritage Locomotive. Waiting to hear back from West Coast Railroaders Group about motorcars for the event. I am planning to do some more social media blasts this weekend and create a mini poster to be put up around the area.

PUMPKIN PATCH EXPRESS and SANTA TRAINS

I highly recommend we put together a committee or committees to start planning these. Note that if my plans work out, I will not be in the state for the last half of October and so will be unable to help with Pumpkin Trains. Also, with the convention and my work schedule, I likely will not be able to do much to help set the event up beyond helping with promotion. We should set a committee this meeting or very soon after. I suggest we have the same committee handle both events.

HERITAGE RAIL ALLIANCE NATIONAL CONVENTION – Nov 3-7

HRA has opened registration for its national convention. Cost per attendee is $495. As I am planning to be in the area just before the convention, I am willing to attend to represent the FRRS and will also be representing the N-C-O Ry. N-C-O has agreed to cover ½ of the registration if FRRS covers the other half. I would pay my own travel and lodging expenses.

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