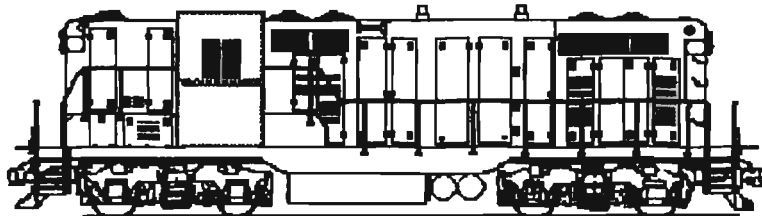


Would you Enjoy Working on the Railroad?



The museum operates trains EVERY week-end between Memorial Day and Labor Day. If you have always wanted to have a taste of "working on the railroad," such as connecting air hoses, giving hand signals to the engineer, pulling pins on couplers, or yelling, "All aboard," then this is your opportunity.

Members who would like to participate in the museum's operating crews are required first to take a rules examination which consists of 100 questions on the FRRS General Code of Operating Rules and is an open book test, with no time limit. A passing grade is 75% or above. Members may take this examination on any weekend during the summer. Just come to the museum and talk to any officer. If you do not have a copy of the rules book, you may obtain one from any officer at the museum on any weekend during the summer. You must have a rules book in your possession to take the examination.

Upon your successful completion of the rules examination, you must be instructed in giving hand signals, getting on and off of moving equipment, coupling of air brake hoses and other safe and correct operating procedures. The museum officer who administers the rules examination will see to your instruction on this.

For safety reasons, we also require you to have heavy work boots that lace up over your ankles to prevent ankle injuries; and we require work gloves.

Members who wish to participate in operations or any other work at the museum are required to sign a Release of Liability. This can be done at the time of taking the Rules Examination. If you are interested only in work other than operating, then the Release of Liability can be signed at any time before you begin. See any officer at the museum on any weekend during the summer.

Where to Send Things —

Dues payments, raffle money, raffle tickets, donations, requests for membership applications, changes of address WITH dues payment to:

Feather River Rail Society
P.O. Box 8
Portola, California 96122

Train Sheet articles, advertisements for Train Sheet, membership questions, changes of address withOUT dues payment to:

Ed Warren
110 Date Palm Drive
Sparks, Nevada 89436
(702) 673-3610
or CompuServe #71251,2705



Portola Railroad Museum First Sub Club

The First Sub Club is a group of Bay Area members of the Portola Railroad Museum with an interest in planning trips to and projects at the Museum in Portola. It is NOT a separate organization with dues or voting rights. All interested parties are most welcome.

All meetings will be held at the historic Niles Depot Museum, located at 36997 Mission Blvd., in the Niles District of Fremont, California. Information meetings start at 8:00 PM.

The meeting dates for 1990 are:
Friday, July 13, 1990
Friday, September 7, 1990
Friday, November 30, 1990

The Friday, July 13, 1990 meeting has a barbeque planned before the meeting.
The Friday, September 7, 1990 meeting

is a planning session for Railfan's Day. Anyone interested in assisting in this event on the following weekend (September 15, 1990) should attend this important meeting.

For more information, call (415) 591-4997.

FRRS Southern Regional Meet

We are planning an FRRS Southern Regional Meet and the tentative date is Saturday, November 10, 1990. Among the scheduled attractions will be: modeling and operations clinics, guest speakers, slide presentations and plenty of hysterical information! Watch for further details in upcoming Train Sheets. If you would like to get more information about it from a real live person, call Pete Solyom at (213) 691-4139; or if you would like to write to this real live person then write Pete Solyom at 440 Portola Avenue, La Habra, CA 90631-5464.