



2020 Western Pacific Photo Calendar

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The 2022 Western Pacific Photo Calendar will soon be available! This 14 month calendar features a mix of black / white and color photos from the FRRS archives, plus a few photos from around the museum in 2021. The calendar features a total of 29 photos, plus historic events from the history of the WP system are noted in each month.

To order your calendar now, go to the new Western Pacific On-Line Store. You can find it at shop.WPLives.org. Retail price is \$18.95 each plus tax and shipping. Supplies are limited so order yours today!

FRRS Officers for 2021-2022

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Elections for FRRS Officers were held at the August 2021 Board Meeting. All sitting officers were nominated for their positions and were reelected. Therefore the officers for 2021-2022 are:

- President – Greg Elems
- Vice-President – Steve Habeck
- Treasurer – Bart Hansen
- Secretary – Eugene Vicknair

CANCELLED: 2021 Western Pacific Convention and Special Events

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Due to the ongoing uncertainty caused by the COVID-19 pandemic, the FRRS Board has made the difficult choice to once again cancel the Western Pacific Railroad Historical Convention, which had been scheduled for September 2021 in Reno, Nevada. We are hoping to schedule a new date, keeping the location in Reno, for spring of 2022.

In addition, it was decided to not hold the Pumpkin Patch or Santa Trains in 2021. With COVID infections rising in Plumas County and neighboring regions, we felt that the uncertainties and liabilities were too much to ask our volunteers to participate in these events. Since making these decisions, we have also seen the devastating Dixie and Beckwourth Fires ravage the surrounding areas, adding further impediments to visitorship in Portola.

The regular museum volunteers are working their hardest to continue improvements to the museum and restoration projects such as the Western Pacific 165 work are still ongoing. Our plan is to enter 2022 ready for a full slate of events, if possible.