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The Himalayan Express Loco in Xian China

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Next Committee Meeting 7:30 Monday 12th July 2010

Stawell Exhibition

Sat 10^{th} – Sun 11^{th} July 2010 SES Hall Stawell

We have been accepted for this. We could still use more volunteers for this activity. We will be leaving Adelaide on the morning of Friday July 9th and returning on Monday July 12th There has been a change and exhibitors will be able to stay overnight in the clubrooms and some billeting may be available. If you are interested please tick the list on the notice board.

Swapmeet

Friday 23rd July 2010 7:30 pm – 9:00 pm NMRI Clubrooms

Please notice that this is a Friday night event. Numbers will be limited by available space\$10 per 900 mm x 750 mm table (supplied) or take advantage of the early bird discount, \$5 if paid in advance.

Bookings events@noarail.com Strictly one person entry

Open Day and Swapmeet

Sunday 7th November 2010 10:00 am – 1:00 pm NMRI Clubrooms

Numbers will be limited by available space. \$20 per 1800 mm x 750 mm table (supplied) or take advantage of the early bird discount, \$10 if paid in advance.

Bookings events@noarail.com Public entry at 10:00 am \$2

Our Exhibition Sat 9th Sun 10th October 2010 9:30 – 5:00/ 9:30 – 4:00 Seaview High School Seacombe Road, Seacombe Heights

Planning is coming along quite well with a very full venue; the floor plan has gone through several reshuffles. There is a helper list on the notice board please add your name to indicate your availability so that we can set up a roster to share the workload evenly so that everyone can enjoy the weekend.

Our Next Aged Care Display Reynella Lodge Sunday 25th July 2010 Old Reynella

Our next outing is to Reynella Lodge where Maurice lives. We hope he will be well enough to show us off to his new friends. We are going there on Sunday 25th July as Paradigm will already be in the trailers because of the swap meet on the Friday night. Come along you might enjoy it.

Vale

We were all saddened by the death of our founding member Graham Harvey 1.2.1932 – 18.5.2010. Our thoughts and sympathy go out to Leora, Barbara and Tamra.

It was Graham's wish that Leora remain involved with the club and the committee has agreed to make her an honorary member.

We will miss his big booming voice and all the raffle tickets that he excelled in selling for us and other groups. Rest In Peace Graham.

Library News

Our librarian has suggested that only financial club members may borrow and for a period of two weeks. If necessary, return and re-sign for further two weeks. Members must get their signature in the loan book countersigned by any other member who should check the borrowed item has been entered correctly. When returned, it should also be countersigned and the item sighted. This should avoid items 'disappearing', like the numerous videos and DVD's which seem to have gone AWOL.

The committee has endorsed these new rules. Steps will be undertaken to secure some of our more valuable books in a cabinet which can be easily accessed by asking any committee member to open it for you. We appreciate your cooperation with the new system.

Badges

We have been asked to please wear name badges at the aged care displays, so the residents know who they are speaking to.

Kapara Aged Care

On Sunday 6th June we took Paradigm to Kapara. They were really well organized when we arrived, the BBQ was sizzling and there were helpers there eager to assist us. We set up in their comfy common room which even had a bar, and then were offered sausages and drinks. A train DVD was playing in the background, and then the families began drifting in. Of course the children were excited and even the grandparents loved Thomas.

Carers wheeled in residents confined to chairs or beds, some dear souls had to view the fiddle yard because they really wanted to know how it worked. They then enjoyed Devonshire tea (which was yummy). A couple of ladies said it was good to have something different to do on a Sunday as normally they just stayed in their rooms. It was a nice place and we reminded one of our members that security might not let him out!

It is events like this that put us in good stead with the council when applying for grants. Community involvement especially with the aged is looked upon favourably. Next summer when you enjoy our air-conditioned club rooms just remember that the council helped us with a grant.

Bedford Industries

We have had two locos and two controllers donated to the layout we have for Bedford Industries.

This gesture is another way of gaining credibility with the council for future grants. The layout will be delivered to Bedford Industries by the free orange express.



The Himalayan Express

End Of The Line Hobbies

Your One Stop Hobby Shop

End Of The Line Hobbies is offering club members a 5% discount off all purchases. To be eligible you must be a current financial member and mention your club membership at the time of purchase. The club will receive the same amount as a voucher for use as we see fit. So you can help yourself and the club at the same time. Delivery can be arranged anywhere in the world and orders may be placed in person at the shop, via e-mail, snail mail, phone or fax. There is a stock hold option and payments can be made by Visa Card, Master Card, EFTPOSand good old fashioned cash

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