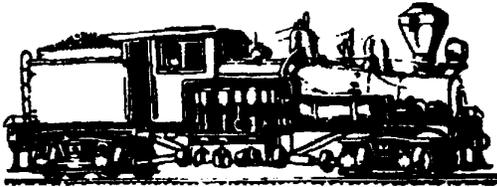


Tuolumne County Railroad Weekend
WEST SIDE REUNION &
SIERRA RAILWAY SEMINAR



Saturday & Sunday, April 29 & 30, 2017
West Side Reunion, Elks Club, Sonora - Saturday
Sierra Seminar, Sonora Senior Center - Sunday

Planned Activities

Friday afternoon: Visit Patrick Karnahan's 7 ½" gauge ride-on Table Mountain Railroad for a BBQ, train rides and spectacular views Only available for those preregistering for the West Side Reunion and/or the Sierra Seminar

Saturday 9 AM to 5 PM - West Side Logging & Mining Reunion

Clinic Presentations, Slide shows/Videos, Large Vendor Area, Contest, Door Prizes, Refreshments Available

Sunday 9 AM to 5 PM - Sierra Rwy History & Model Seminar:

Presentations, Display and Swap Area, Fellowship & Discussions, Slide Shows/Videos, Pizza meal included, visit to Railtown 1897.

Patrick Karnahan's Table Mountain Railroad:

Noted railroad artist and musician Patrick Karnahan has built a 7 ½" gauge ride on railroad on his property on the top of Table Mountain with commanding views high above Jamestown. His locomotives include two live steamers, a 4-4-0 and a 2-8-2 and two diesels. This activity is only available to those who preregister for either the West Side Reunion or the Sierra Seminar. A fee of \$10-\$12 for the BBQ will be collected at the event.

West Side Logging & Mining Reunion:

This is the 30th year for this seminal West Side Reunion. The 2017 edition will have all the things so many have come to enjoy over the years. A light lunch will be available for a nominal charge and the day will be filled with a chance to meet with others of a shared interest, sit in interesting presentations by presenters such as Joe Piazza, Jim Blaine, Joel Bragdon and Dave Connery), participate and vote in the contest (those bringing a contest entry will receive an additional door prize ticket) and shop in the vendor area. Advance registration for this event is \$25 dollars. Vendor tables are \$35 each and include one admission. Vendors providing Door Prizes of a value greater than \$35 will have their table fee waived. The event will run from 9:00 AM until about 5:00 PM

Sierra Historical and Modeling Seminar:

This is the 8th annual seminar and will feature outstanding presentations by Dr. Nick Muff, MMR on his experiences exploring the West Side 1960-63, Larry Jensen on the Sierra Railway and the Movies, Nicholas Seidner on Anne Rikert and the Woman's Railroad, Sierra photos from the Western Railway Museum Collection among others. Attendees are encouraged to bring displays or sale items related to the Railroads of Tuolumne County and will have an opportunity to explain their items. Registration for this event is \$15 in advance or \$20 at the door. We will end the day at Railtown 1897 for a ride behind newly rebuilt Sierra #28 (extra fare), watch it turned on the turntable and put away and hear a discussion of the work recently completed while standing alongside the still hot locomotive.

We ask that you pre-register so we can plan space requirements. Fees for the West Side Reunion are payable to Frank Markovich, 1904 Chula Vista Drive, Belmont, CA 94002 and fees for the Sierra Seminar are payable to Glenn Sutherland, PO Box 124, Mariposa, CA 95338

We will confirm registrations a week or two in advance of the event with more details on planned activities. Thanks for your interest - we look forward to seeing you in April.

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