

# **Meeting Notice**

Friday, April 21, 2017, 7:15 PM

## Presenting this month: Max Diamond

The April meeting of the Electric Railroaders' Association will be held on Friday, April 21, 2017 on the second floor (Vanderbilt Suite) of the Roosevelt Hotel, 45 E. 45th Street (at Madison Avenue) in Manhattan. The Hotel is convenient to the 42<sup>nd</sup> Street stations of the Lexington Avenue and Sixth Avenue Subways, the Grand Central station of the Flushing Subway, and Metro-North's Grand Central Terminal. The doors open at 6:30 PM, and the meeting commences at 7:15 PM.

#### Program

The April show will be presented by Max Diamond. Max will present a combination of photos and videos that will delve in to unusual reroutes, non-revenue transfers, and work trains throughout the New York City Subway. To complement this, he will also show us a variety of photos and videos from other transit systems, making brief stops in cities from San Fransisco to Ulaanbataar.

Max is one of the youngest ever to present at ERA! Please join us for a wonderful presentation!

#### **Next Three Presenters**

May 19, 2017 – Nicholas DiBari; June 16, 2017 – Paul Gawkowski; September 15, 2017 – John Pappas (no meetings in July or August)

#### **Information & Updates**

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### **Regional Trip Plans for 2017**

Here are our planned trips for 2017: (a) Metro-North Harmon Shop Tour – Saturday, April 22; (b) Shore Line Trolley Museum and Railroad Museum of New England –Sunday, June 25 (not Saturday, June 24 as previously noted); (c) NYC Transit 207<sup>th</sup> Street Shop Tour – Saturday, August 5; (d) Steam Train Ride/Phillipsburg Museum – Saturday, September 16; (e) Pittsburgh Weekend – Saturday-Monday, October 14-16.

#### **Meeting Room Reminder**

If you carry a cell phone or beeper with you, we must ask that you not use it in the meeting room. This is very rude and inconsiderate to the speaker and everyone else in the room. PLEASE KEEP IT OUTSIDE.

#### **Reminder to Membership**

Any current member of the Electric Railroaders' Association can invite another person to attend our monthly meeting as their guest. Welcome aboard! – THE BOARD

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