

Meeting Notice

Friday, June 16, 2017, 7:15 PM

Presenting this month: Ronald Yee

The May meeting of the Electric Railroaders' Association will be held on Friday, June 16, 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 42nd 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

Ron Yee takes ERA on a railfan's photo tour of the rail mass transit systems of Hong Kong, Singapore, and Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia. He was there in December, 2016 photo-documenting at some of the best photo-locations, their great blend of light rail, people-mover, rapid transit, and commuter rail systems that are coordinated into one mass transit service for the entire region. If there is time, there will be a brief overview of the opening of the Second Avenue Subway on New Year's Day 2017 as well as the vintage train operations on NYC Transit celebrating the 2017 Opening Days for the NY Mets (Train of Many Colors (TOMC) on 7), the NY Yankees (Low-Vs on 2 and 4), and the Centennial of the 7 elevated line on April 21 with the TOMC. Be there!

Next Three Presenters

September 15, 2017 – Paul Gawkowski; October 20, 2017 – John Pappas; November 17, 2017: Gary Grahl (no meetings in July or August)

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Regional Trip Plans for 2017

Here are our planned trips for 2017: (a) Shore Line Trolley Museum and Railroad Museum of New England – Sunday, June 25 (see flyer in May mailing); (b) NYC Transit 207th Street Shop Tour – Saturday, August 5 (see flyer in this mailing); (c) Steam Train Ride/Phillipsburg Museum – Saturday, September 9 (changed from September 16); (d) 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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