

Meeting Notice

Friday, January 17, 2020, 7:15 PM

Presenting this month: Jack May

The January meeting of the Electric Railroaders' Association will be held on Friday, January 17 on the second floor (Vanderbilt Suite) of the Roosevelt Hotel, 45 E. 45th Street (at Madison Avenue) in Manhattan. The hotel is conveniently located near the 42nd Street stations of the Lexington Avenue and Sixth Avenue subways, the Grand Central station of the Flushing 7 train, and Metro-North's Grand Central Terminal. The doors open at 6:30 PM and the meeting commences at 7:15 PM.

Program

Noted rail photographer Jack May will be the presenter of our first 2020 meeting. Jack's travels over the past year centered on North America, although he did make two overseas trips. His program will feature the new streetcar systems in Milwaukee, Oklahoma City and El Paso, plus light rail in Dallas, Houston, Charlotte, Buffalo, Toronto and San Francisco. On those travels he also sampled operations on the new dMU services from Fort Worth to DFW Airport (TexRail), and two similar operations just outside of San Francisco. Jack will also show a smattering of operations at the two trolley museums in Connecticut, and the new commuter rail link between Warehouse Point (Hartford) and Branford (New Haven). On the foreign side there will be slides of Innsbruck, Linz and Gmunden in Austria, three tram systems in Belarus (including Minsk), plus rail operations in Israel and — a surprise to him — Jordan. Please join us in the new year for a wonderful presentation!

Next Three Presenters

February 21, 2020 – Eric Oszustowicz March 20, 2020 – Jeffrey Erlitz April 17, 2020 - TBD.

Regional Trip Plans for 2020

Please watch this space for the 2020 program.

Information & Updates

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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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