



Meeting Notice

Friday, October 21, 2016, 7:15 PM

Presenting this month:
Ron Yee

The October meeting of the Electric Railroaders' Association will be held on Friday, October 21, 2016 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 presents a look at rail operations in two of "The Lands Down Under," Australia and New Zealand. In March-April, 2015, he visited, rode, and photographed the trams, rapid transit, commuter, and tourist railroads of Melbourne, Sydney, Brisbane, and Gold Coast in Australia and Wellington, Auckland, and the tourist operations of the Taieri Gorge Railway in Dunedin and the Trans Alpine Express near Christchurch in New Zealand. If time permits, there could be a brief look at current scenes in London and Paris from this past summer.

Next Three Presenters

November 18, 2016 – Gary Grahl; December 16, 2016 – Andrew Grahl; January 20, 2017 – Jack May

Information & Updates

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Regional Trip Plans for 2016

Here is our tentative list of trips for 2016: (a) NYCT E. 180th Street Yard Tour – Saturday, November 12; (b) Penn Station Behind the Scenes – Saturday, December 17 (see notice in this package)

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Meeting Room Reminder

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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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