



Meeting Notice

Friday, December 16, 2016, 7:15 PM

Presenting this month:
Andrew Grahl

The December meeting of the Electric Railroaders' Association will be held on Friday, December 16, 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

The December meeting will be presented by ERA Program Chairman Andrew Grahl. Andrew has a wonderful slide show planned covering the following subjects:

2016 STREETCAR OPENINGS! Visit Washington DC, Kansas City and Cincinnati and see their Opening Day festivities. Views of legacy trolley systems in the 1950s will also be covered.

CANADIAN TRACTION NEWS! A look at Montreal's new Azur subway trains and pictures of Toronto's new Bombardier Flexity streetcars and a ride on the new 514 Cherry Street to Distillery Loop will be shown.

A RIDE AND VISIT TO NORTHERN QUEBEC AND LABRADOR! See the Quebec North Shore and Labrador Railway, the former Cartier Railway, the electric mining operation at Carol Lake, Labrador, and take a 357-mile ride on the Tshuëtin Rail Transportation train from Sept-Îles to Schefferville.

CLASSIC KODACHROMES! Views of NYC subways, elevateds, and trolleys from the 1950s!

Other highlights including Amtrak's Autumn Express, SEPTA's leased trains and newsworthy views on the NYC Subway, LIRR and Metro North will be shown.

Join us for a special end-of-year show that will have something of interest for all!

Next Three Presenters

January 20, 2017 – Jack May; February 17, 2017 – Eric Oszustowicz; March 17, 2017 – Max Diamond

Information & Updates

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Regional Trip Plans for 2016

The only remaining trip in 2016 is Penn Station Behind the Scenes – Saturday, December 17. Please note that tickets are no longer available for this trip – we are mentioning it here as a reminder to those of you who already reserved space.

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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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