2013 Cumberland Div-TCRM Schedule

Sep 19  TCRM Life After Thomas Dinner at TCRM
Sep 26-28  Mid-South Live Steamers Fall Meet Maury Co Park
            Columbia TN
Sep 28  Fall Mile-Long Yard Sale Excursion Train to
            Watertown
Oct 5  Train Robbery Excursion Train to Watertown
Oct 12  Excursion Train- Spring Dogwood Festival Monterey
Oct 19  Super Fall Foliage I Excursion Train to Cookeville
Oct 26  Super Fall Foliage II Excursion Train to Cookeville
Nov 2  Cumberland Div Fall Meet-Model Train Show at
            TCRM
Nov 9  Murder Mystery Excursion Train to Watertown
Nov 16  Fall Excursion Train to DelMonaco Winery at Baxter
Nov 16 trip is SOLD OUT
Nov 30  North Pole Express Excursion Train with Santa to
            Watertown
Dec 7  North Pole Express Excursion Train with Santa to
            Lebanon – 2 Trips
Dec 14  North Pole Express Excursion Train with Santa to
            Lebanon – 2 Trips

September 2013 Program – Life After
Thomas Dinner

Our September 2013 program is our traditional Life After
Thomas dinner. This year the dinner is at TCRM with Uncle
Bud’s catering all-you-can-eat fried catfish & fried chicken.
Dinner starts at 6:00 pm, a ½ hr earlier than our normal start
time.

Anyone wanting to present a program at our Thursday night
meetings, please contact Bob Hultman 615-833-5158, cell 615-
513-7187 E-mail hultman@bellsouth.net

New Members

Amanda, Bella, Daniel, Emma & Landon Divona Old Hickory
TN (Family)
Welcome to our new members as they take part in our activities.

Excursion Train News

By Bob Hultman

Our next trip for 2013 is the Fall Mile-Long Yard Sale Trip to
Watertown on Sep 28. Safety meeting starts at 7 am, with
departure at 9:00 am; return to Nashville should be about 3:15
pm or so. Sign-up sheets for the Sep 28 Yard Sale Trip and the
October trips will be at our Sep 19 meeting.

We are already working for TCRM members to help work
these trips. To do so, contact Bob Hultman at 615-833-5158;
cell 615-513-7187 or E-mail hultman@bellsouth.net

Mid-South Live Steamers Fall 2013 Meet

On Sep 26-28

By Hank Sherwood

The Mid-South Live Steamers Fall Meet is Sep 26, 27, 28,
2013 with train rides 10 am - 4 pm each day at Maury Co Park in
Columbia TN.

TCRM Hobby Shop News

By Ed Minnic

We’re now taking reservations for Intermountain 1937 AAR
40’ Box Cars and other items to be released in March 2014.
These cars will be available in 6 numbers in roads such as
NC&StL (45768-x, 65768-x), N&W (45788-x, 65788-x) and M-
StL (45786-x, 65786-x) to name a few. Retail is $29.95 for HO
and $21.95 for N Scale. Member discount eligible. Just let us
know what and how many and we’ll put you on the list.

Bower is releasing its C430 HO locos in October. These
locos will be available in L&N, SCL, Reading, to name a few.
Most are available in three road numbers and retail for $199.95
in DC only, and $299.95 DCC w/sound. The L&N item numbers
are 23895-97, DC; and 23898-23900 w/sound and are eligible
for member discount. It’s not too late to grab one!!

For you N&W fans, BLI is bringing out the Class A in road
number 1218 and 7 others this October. The classic #1218 along
with the Queen of Locos #611 are quietly resting at the Virginia
Transportation Museum in Roanoke. The Class A was home-
grown and built in Nd&W Shops in Roanoke. BLI’s rendition of
this housework of the N&W coal fields retails for $499.99.
Expensive, yes! Classy, absolutely!!! Eligible for member
discount.

For those of you who may not know, TCRM member Joey
Bryan served an internship at the Virginia Transportation
Museum this summer. His project…."Fire Up 611". If you
haven’t contributed, consider throwing some money their way to
re-steam this classic passenger locomotive. Brochures detailing
the program are in TCRM's office.

All of the hobby shop crew will be present and accounted for
at the DOWT event. We’ll see you there!!

Sick Call – WO Greene

By Bob Hultman

TCRM member Bill Strong notified TCRM on Aug 24 that
WO Greene had been in Nashville’s Baptist Hospital’s intensive
care unit since Monday, Aug 19. His doctors diagnosed his
problem to be some form of autoimmune disease. He also had
pneumonia. On Aug 29 WO told TCRM he would be
hospitalized another week recuperating. If you’d like to send
WO a card or note, his mailing address is 6048 Robin Hill Rd in
Nashville TN 37205.

Sad News – Passing of Bruce Baggett

By Bob Hultman

On Thursday Aug 22 Marilyn O’Neal sent along the sad
news of the passing of Bruce Baggett. Many of you know him
as a dealer at our semi-annual Division Meets & model train
shows. He joined TCRM as a member in late March.
If you would like to send a card or note to the family, here’s his address - 395 Devon Chase Hill #2601 in Gallatin, TN 37066 and a link to his obituary that appeared in the Tennessean - http://www.tributes.com/show/Edward-Bruce-Baggett-96296248

Upcoming Conventions & Shows

Cumberland Division Meet & Model Train Show Nov 2 at TCRM