Donations
Warren Hannas - Various publications SER SouthErneR, Trains magazine, Classic Toy Trains Supplement, 5 Track Plans for Toy Trains, NARP magazine 1995-2005, Mid-South Live Steamers Southern Steam Newsletter, 2 issues

2006-2007 Cumberland Div-TCRM Schedule
Oct 14 Super Fall Foliage Trip I to Cookeville
Oct 19 Thursday Night Meeting at TCRM Willow St Nashville
Oct 20 Watertown-Gordonsville HS Football Special Trip
Oct 21 Super Fall Foliage Trip II to Cookeville
Oct 28 Super Fall Foliage Trip II I to Cookeville
Nov 4 Fall 2006 Cumberland Division Meet at TCRM
Nov 11 Murder Mystery Trip to Watertown
Dec 2 Polar Express Trip I to Watertown
Dec 9 Polar Express Trip II to Watertown
Dec 14 Christmas Road Kill Buffet at TCRM Willow St
Dec 16 Polar Express Trip III to Watertown
Mar 17 Spring 2007 Cumberland Division Meet at TCRM
May 4-6 Mid-South Live Steamers Spring 2007 Meet

Program Notes
Oct 19, 2006 - History of commuter trains in Middle Tennessee by Ralcon Wagner.
November 2006 - TBA
December 2006 - Road Kill Buffet Dinner
January 2007 - Car host certification class
February 2007 - TCRM 2006 financial report

New Members
Tommy & Pat Jones, Nashville TN (Family)
Dave Shay, Columbia TN
Leo Williams Jr, College Grove TN

Host Committee - October 19, 2006 Meeting
Jim Adair
Nathan Baker
Harry Batey
Dan Westphal
Josh Winstead
Jimmy Akers
Craig Barnes
Brandon Baxter*
Rita White
Steve Wright
Steve Arnold
Adolfo Barros
Chris Wehman
The Wilsons
Nicho Young

* = Host Committee Chair

TCRM Excursion Train News
By Bob Hultman
Our next 3 public excursion trains are the Oct 14-21-28 Nashville-Cookeville Super Fall Foliage Trips. Notify Bob Hultman at 615-833-5158 or E-mail hultman@bellsouth.net
These trips are 8 am departures with return to Nashville around 6:00 pm.

Model Train Show Nov 4
By Bob Hultman
Our next model train show and Cumberland Division Meet is Saturday, Nov 4, 9 am to 3 pm at TCRM’s Willow ST building.
Jim Adair is recruiting clinicians and there will be several dealers setting up tables plus the Company Store and operating HO scale RR. With the demise of the Great American Train Shows and its successors, our local shows should do well.

Hobby Shop News
Many new items in the shop……. Stop in the shop and see what else is new!

Sick Call
By Bob Hultman
Ben Gerth is undergoing some medical tests and has marked off the remaining excursion trains in October. Please keep Ben in your thoughts and prayers.

TCRM Membership Renewals - 2007
By Bob Hultman
Another calendar year is coming to an end….. so it’s time for renewal of your TCRM membership. The activity fee for 2007 will stay at $30/individual or $35 for family members of the same household. Please make your checks payable to TCRM and mail to TC Ry Museum Attn- Jenny Smith at 220 Willow St in Nashville TN 37210-2159. TCRM will acknowledge your renewal via E-mail or USPS.

One Saturday at TCRM…
By Charles Owens
A good day today (Oct 7) - Many visitors all day from California, Mass. Texas, St. Louis, Atlanta and from Nashville and a few other locations on folks I did not get to talk to. It was busy all day long even in the hobby shop with Tom Staggs. We were so busy Tom and I did not even get to eat lunch.

Nashville Chapter, RHS News
by Herb Roth
The 2006 NRHS Annual Convention was held this year in mid July at New Philadelphia, Ohio - about 70 miles south of Cleveland. There are some fine photos and other info on the Convention on pages 10 & 11 of the October issue of “Trains”.
For those interested in steam recordings - Bud Swearer has eight (or more) tapes he made in 1958 and 1959 in various locations on the N & W. They are supposed to compare favorably with E. Winston Link’s early recordings. Swearer is presently working on reissuing his tapes. He can be reached by e-mail- buds65@aol.com. I have no info on costs.

NEXT MEETING TCRM Willow St Building Thursday Oct 19, 2006 7:00 PM
Nashville Ntrak News
By Tom Staggs

Nashville Ntrak continues to grow. We added two new members this month—David Shay and Leo Williams Jr. Both are retired and came to live in Nashville from Kansas City. Both were active with the "N"gineers Ntrak club there. We are fortunate to have them join TC Ry Museum and Nashville Ntrak.

We have set up a layout at the TC Ry Museum after a very successful 10-day run at the TN State Fair. We are displaying the layout on Saturdays and entertaining the passengers of the Excursion trains. Last Saturday there was over 500 riders and 25 visitors to the Museum; they viewed the N scale trains running until 3:00 in the afternoon. We are preparing for the Whistle Stop weekend at the Adventure Science Center by repairing and upgrading our modules. The upgrade on the yard has been a real treat - all the turnouts on our yard can be remotely controlled by DCC and Tortoise switch motors.

Mid-South Live Steamers News
By Hank Sherwood

We had a great 3-day turnout with good weather on hand for all three days. Lots of steam locomotives from 0-4-0's to 2-8-4's that burned everything from coal, oil, propane and corn cobs! The gas, diesel and electric trains were also well-represented.

We now have new operating and riding rules for all train operators and all passengers. EVERYONE has to sign a waiver to take part in the activities regarding the operation of the trains and riding on these trains. It is for liability insurance purposes, naturally. Everyone abided by this and the general public took it in good stride.

The next Spring Meet will be held May 4-6, 2007.