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2004-2005 Schedule

Feb 10 TCRM Thursday Night Meeting Nashville TN
Feb 12 Watertown Valentines Day Murder Mystery Trip
Feb 26 Watertown Mother Goose Fairyland Trip
Mar 10 TCRM Thursday Night Meeting Nashville TN
Mar 12-13 GATS Show Nashville TN Municipal Auditorium
Mar 19 Watertown Easter Bunny Trip I
Mar 26 Watertown Easter Bunny Trip II
Apr 2 Spring 2005 Cumberland Div Meet/TCRM Open House
Apr 9 Watertown Train Robbery Trip
Apr 23 Watertown Mile Long Yard Sale Trip
May 7 Cookeville TC Ry Spring Festival Trip
May 27-29 SER Regional Convention in Montgomery AL
July 9 Watertown Murder Mystery Trip
Sep 3-4, 10-11 Day Out With Thomas The Tank Engine- TCRM

Program Notes

February- Financial review of TCRM's 2004 operations and improvements for 2005 presented by **Terry Bebout**.

February 2005 Meeting Host Committee

Don Garrison	Ben Gerth	Bill Griffith
Jimmie Guthrie	Warren Hannas	Russ Hart
Bill Hemrick	Ken Herrell	Allen Hicks
James Hicks	Frank Holt	Bob Hultman*
Barbara Hutton	Jerry Jones	James Jones

*- Host Committee Chair

Hobby Shop News

By **Eddie Justice**

In stock- **Atlas HO NC&StL Ry GP7 diesels** 2 road numbers
Atlas HO L&N GP38-2 diesels 2 road numbers
Branchline HO L&N blue & gray 12-1 sleeper heavyweight passenger car kits, 3 names
Lifelike P2K TC Ry 40' Mather box cars, 2 road numbers RTR
Atlas HO NC&StL Ry & L&N pulpwood cars, 2 road numbers
2 new FOS HO wood structure kits
New book- **Louisville & Nashville Color Guide to Freight and Passenger Equipment Vol 2** by former TCRM member **Steve Johnson**. Also stop in & see what's been added to the sale pile.
Still available- the **Cumberland Division HO scale TC Ry 40' box car kits 500 series & 7900 series** produced by Red Caboose- Price for local delivery (no shipping involved) is \$16.50 each, \$64/set of 4. Mail-order price is \$17.50/car postpaid, \$68/set of 4 postpaid.

NRHS 2005 Membership

Attention, NRHS Members - Dues cards for 2005 have been mailed to you. Please return them with your check to **Herb Roth** at 8135 Devens Dr in Brentwood TN 37027-7130.

Sick Call

Allen Hicks has completed physical therapy for his hip replacement surgery and is now building strength in his new hip joint, looking forward to a full range of activity at TCRM.
Charles Owens underwent emergency appendectomy surgery a week and a half ago and is now recovering from the surgery. He will be at TCRM this Saturday but has to watch how much he lifts.

2005 Activity Fee Now Due

The activity fee for 2005 stays at \$30 for individuals, \$35 for family in the same household. Please send/give your renewal to **George Gilbert**, our membership director. Also be sure to tell **George** in writing of any changes in your address, phone number or E-mail address. We can also accept payment via American Express, Discover, MasterCard & VISA credit/debit cards. Be sure to inform **George** when you renew by credit card and tell him the date you paid via credit card. **George's** home address is 750 Rodney Dr in Nashville TN 37205-3016.

Meeting Room Improvements

Our meeting room improvement program pays off at the February meeting with the new epoxy floor covering applied the week of January 10. We were able to start moving items back into the meeting room on Monday January 17. When using the meeting room, please be careful to not gouge or scratch the floor covering. It really looks nice now and please help keeping it look nice for our members and guests.

Also the 100 new gray folding chairs with vinyl padded seats and seatbacks will be fully deployed for the February meeting. Please be careful when using the new chairs. We need to keep them free of spray paint, glue, spilled soft drinks, footprints, etc.

Excursion Train Work During the Week

Some of our members come down to TCRM during the week to work on various projects on board the excursion train. When they do so, they usually expect the standby electric power to be turned on inside the cars. TCRM needs all the help it can get, so anyone coming down to TCRM to work is always welcome. However, to make sure your time is not wasted, please notify **Terry Bebout**, **Bob Hultman**, **Tabatha Mainord** or **Jenny Smith** a day before you come down to TCRM. The power is not always turned on for the trainset because of a variety of reasons- reduce the electric bill, someone working under the cars, switching of the trainset, temperature not cold enough to require freeze protection, etc.

NEXT MEETING Willow St Building Thursday February 10, 2005 7:00 PM