

# THE ORDER BOARD

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## Donations

**Dr Art Cushman**- \$200 cash  
**John Kennedy**- \$300 cash  
**Bill Strong**- \$1,000 cash for TC 102 restoration

## 2010 Cumberland Div-TCRM Schedule

Jan 14 TCRM Thursday Nite Meeting TCRM Nashville TN  
Jan 18 Op Session LA&SL Ry Nolensville TN 7 pm - 10 pm  
Jan 23 Board of Directors Meeting 9 am CST at TCRM  
Jan 30 Op Session LA&SL Ry Nolensville TN 9:00 am- 1:00 pm  
Feb 6 Murder Mystery Trip to DelMonaco Winery Baxter TN  
Feb 13 Valentines Day Murder Mystery Trip to Watertown  
Feb 15 Op Session LA&SL Ry Nolensville TN 7 pm - 10 pm  
Feb 27 Op Session LA&SL Ry Nolensville TN 9:00 am- 1:00 pm  
Mar 20 Spring 2010 Cumberland Div Meet-TCRM Open House  
Mar 27 Easter Bunny Trip I to Watertown  
Apr 3 Easter Bunny Trip II to Watertown  
Apr 17 Spring Mile-Long Yard Sale Trip to Watertown  
May 1 TC Ry Spring Festival Trip to Cookeville  
May 15 Train Robbery Trip to Watertown  
July 10 Murder Mystery Trip to Watertown Jazz Festival

## Program

Program for the January 14 Thursday Night Meeting will be our annual car host safety class and test presented by **Terry Bebout**. Contact **Terry Bebout** 615-479-5758 [terry.bebout@earthlink.net](mailto:terry.bebout@earthlink.net) or **Bob Hultman** 615-833-5158 [hultman@bellsouth.net](mailto:hultman@bellsouth.net) if you want to present a program at our Thursday Night Meetings.

## Host Committee

Jim Eddins	Fred Enters	Don Gage
Jack Garner	Don Garrison	Al Gerth
George Gilbert	Warren Goodwin	John & Misty Graves
<b>Jerry Gray*</b>	WO Greene	Bill Griffith
Jimmie Guthrie	Steve Head	Allen Hicks

\*-Host Committee Chairman

## New Members

**Frank Parrish**, Nashville TN Mbr #978  
Please welcome our new members as they get to know us and take part in our activities.

## Hobby Shop News

By **Bob Hultman**

The end-of-calendar year inventory in the hobby shop started Jan 4. **Eddie Justice & Charles Owens** worked the first day. On Tuesday, **Len Hollinger, Bob Hultman, Charlie Campbell, Eddie Justice & Charles Owens** worked. On Wednesday **Marvene Bilbrey, Bob Hultman, Eddie Justice & Charles Owens** worked. We expect the inventory to be completed by COB Friday, with the shop open for business Saturday, Jan 9.

## TCRM Now on Facebook

By **Bob Hultman**

TCRM member **Jennifer Dawson** has created a Facebook page for TCRM..... Here's the URL-  
<http://www.facebook.com/home.php?#/pages/Nashville-TN/Tennessee-Central-Railway-Museum/61777617417>  
There are now has 33 fans on this Facebook page. Thanks to **Jennifer** for taking the initiative to create the Facebook page.

## Excursion Train News

By **Bob Hultman**

Our first trips for 2010 are the Murder Mystery Trip to DelMonaco Winery on Feb 6 and the Valentines Day Murder Mystery Trip on Feb 13. If you want to work either or both of these trips, please contact **Bob Hultman** at 615-833-5158 or cell 615-513-7187 E-mail [hultman@bellsouth.net](mailto:hultman@bellsouth.net). Ticket sales are picking up after the holidays for both the February trips plus our trips later in the spring. Also, **Jennifer Dawson** has completed ticket numbering for the rest of our trips up through the July trip.

## Activity Fee for 2010 - Renewals

By **Bob Hultman**

Please mail your activity fee renewals (the fee remains \$30 individual, \$35 for family members of the same household) payable to TCRM to TC Ry Museum at 220 Willow St in Nashville TN 37210-2159 Attn – Amy Hannah. If you prefer to renew via credit card, please call Amy at 615-244-9001 or stop by the Museum to do so in person. Also, be sure to include any updated roster information (name, address, phone numbers and current E-mail addresses).

## NRHS News

Reported by **Herb Roth**

Use the envelope and card in the 2010 NRHS dues renewal package to pay **Ron Musick** if you have not already done it. Or send it in your own envelope to him at 291 Benders Ferry Rd, Mt. Juliet TN 37132-2626.

## Nashville Ntrak News

By **Tom Staggs**

Nashville Ntrak is continuing to work on its permanent layout at the TC Ry Museum. This layout was built for **Barry Beckett**, one of our members. When **Barry** passed away last year, Diane Beckett donated it to Nashville Ntrak. It has been enlarged by adding additional area so the tracks are not running to close to the edges. While adding the fascia, a keeper board was added so Plexiglas can be slid into a slot all around the outside of the layout.

The layout is envisioned to include, at the beginning, a turntable with round house, coal mine, passenger station next to a large city and icing facilities for reefers in one of its yards. It also has a river

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**Thursday Night Meeting – TCRM Willow St Nashville TN 6:30 pm January 14, 2010**

running through it that will include a lot of entertainment and some industry on its banks.

Many of our group, are leaving this weekend to go to the *Great Train Expo* in Louisville, KY. We will be using, for the first time, our new 42 foot yard and other modules in a combined Ntrak layout with the KSONS Ntrak club of Louisville.

## Cumberland Division Donation to NMRA

By **Bob Hultman**

Cumberland Division has received acknowledgment from the National Model Railroad Association in Chattanooga TN of our donation of \$800 to support NMRA activities. Cumberland Division has been making this donation for several years since we have been financially able.

## Tennessee Rail Route in Trains

By **Ralcon Wagner**

In the next issue of Trains Magazine (March 2010) due to hit mailboxes and newsstands in about three weeks, there will be a 5-page article about one of Tennessee's busiest rail corridors, the CSX Chattanooga Sub. The piece includes several photos made in Bridgeport, Cowan, Tullahoma and Nashville. It's nice to see that in recent years, Trains and other rail-oriented magazines are doing better at covering our region. The fact that Trains ' current editor, Jim Wrinn, is originally from North Carolina may have something to do with it.

## Video Shoot at TCRM



This video shoot was Tuesday afternoon Jan 5 in nice cool air. Location is just east of our shop building. Photo by **Terry Bebout**

## L&N E6s in Cincinnati



Photo sent by TCRM member **Dave Homer** in Mooresville NJ. No information available on who the photographer was. Year was 1956..... Looks like Western Av viaduct in the background.