

The Cajon Order Board



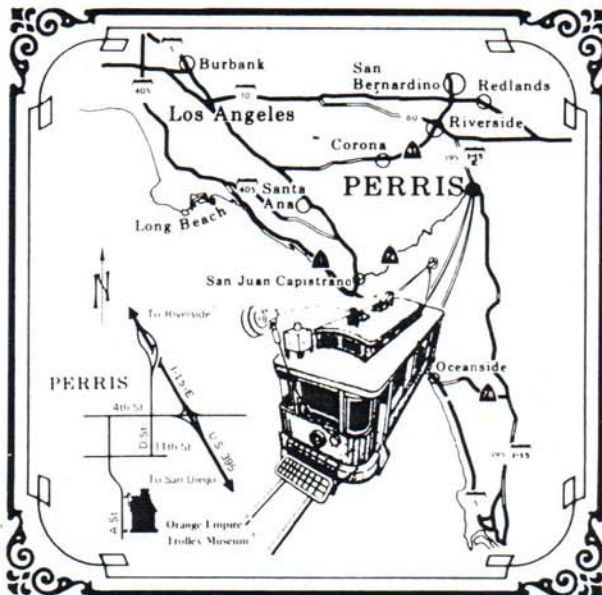
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THE
CAJON
DIVISION
FALL MEET
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This "Extra" issue is devoted entirely to this meet.

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This Meet is being held at The Orange Empire Trolley Museum, now known as The Orange Empire Railway Museum, in Perris Ca., on Sunday, Nov. 16, 1975

The new name came about when the Trolley Museum merged, with its neighbor, The California Southern Railroad Museum. As a result, this has streamlined management and operations. Plans now include the expansion of trackage into the ex Santa Fe RR station (now Museum property), in Perris. More expansion plans call for trackage, going in the opposite direction from, the Museum, ending up with a loop in a county park. Shades of the days of yore - when the trolley line ended at a park.

Further plans are to restore some steam locomotives and railroad cars - along with the car barns full of trolleys and traction equipment. Truly, this Museum is rich in rolling stock. It's just a matter of time and money to get some of these lovelies restored. Surely you traction buffs will enjoy carousing among these treasures.

The Museum offers trolley rides for a donation of \$1 per person. All day rides for \$2. This is thrilling for those of us who remember the trolleys.

Additionally, there are Museum and shop tours. Now that the Museums are combined, these should be more interesting.

This meet is to be a balanced one - with something for each member of the family. The details, following, spell out all of the events planned. This adds up to a lot of family-fun.

FAVORITE MODEL CONTEST: As a wide range contest, a modeler can enter any railroad model - freight, passenger cars, cabooses, steam or diesel locos, structures and buildings. Kit built, kitbashed, scratchbuilt, in any scale. Come modelers, enter and show your stuff. Awards will be made by popular vote.

LIVE CLINICS:

Weathering - Tom Cummins.
Rock Casting - Frank Barone.
Scenicking - Ted Van Klaveren
Preparation of contest forms - Frank Barone.

These clinics are about 30 minutes long and are informative. They'll help take the "difficult" out of your modeling.

SWITCHING CONTEST: This is a new event. This is the famous switching layout designed by John Allen. It was featured in the November 1972 Model Railroader. This judged contest will have timed problems ranging from 3 to 7 minutes. Dig back into your old M.R.'s, find that article and get familiar with the layout. Then work up your game plan. This event is a challenge - and fun.

SPIKE DRIVING CONTEST: This is another new event. Here, the combination of skill and strength counts. The idea is to see how few blows are needed to drive a railroad spike into a railroad tie. So rails moisten the hands, roll up your sleeves and show the little lady that you still have plenty of steam. This is a judged contest.

PHOTO CONTEST: Has four parts;
Black & white - Prototype.
Black & white - Model.
Color Print - Prototype.
Color Print - Model.

The only prerequisite is that the photos are no larger than 8"x10"; mounted on display boards no larger than 11"x14". To be evaluated by popular vote.

PASS CONTEST: Has two parts; prototype & model. They should be mounted so they may be tacked to a display board. Awards by popular vote

MOVIE AND SLIDE SHOW: Subjects will be narrow gauge, steam and diesel railroading. Some slides will show local models and layouts.

CERAMIC SESSION: This is an extra special event by Peggy Riggles. She will show how to paint a loco. The loco is a cartoon - like plaster casting. Peggy will provide all the materials. For this event, there is a 50¢ fee to cover the costs of the materials. Come raillettes, do one up - good to add to the train room.

CAKE DECORATING CONTEST: Another new event. This one should be, both, fun and delicious. Decorate, at home, any cake, from a cup cake to a 9"X12" or two layer 9" cake. Make the decorations railroad - a comic train - station - a caboose - or what ever. If you wish, you may donate your creation, to the division. to be auctioned off (A wonderful way to fatten our coffers as well as our bellies.) Awards by popular vote.

CRAFTS CONTEST: Enter anything that you have made, that is railroad - sewings - needlepoint - drawings - painting - collages - leather stuff etc. Awards by popular vote.

TREE MAKING CONTEST: Raillettes, choose your scale - choose your season - make 'em tall - make 'em short - make lots of 'em. Please "plant" them on a display base so they can be judged better - by popular vote.

SWAP MART: Sell or swap anything railroad. Supply your own table and chair. Make a \$1 donation for the use of the space.

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LIL' STEAMERS: Children, that is - there are these events for them:
Balloon dart game, 3 darts for 10¢.
Ring-the-spike game, 3 hoops, for 10¢.
Draw a loco contest: At home, draw up a loco as you see it. Doesn't matter if its steam or diesel. Show it off - you may win. Prizes for all events.

WHITE ELEPHANT AUCTION: All those goodies that are part of your registration fee (and the others you may want to donate) are auctioned off to help fatten the divisional coffers. Articles should be useful and railroad - minimum value - 50¢ wrap it up in plain wrapper please.

RAFFLE: There will be prizes, yet to be announced, for the winning tickets. There will be something for the rails and the raillettes. Tickets will be sold at the registration desk. Proceeds go to the divisional treasury. Please buy a lot of tickets. It's more fun that way.

DOOR PRIZES: Just for registering, these prizes will be drawn:
1st. Prize - A case of soda pop.
2nd. Prize - McDonald's gift cert.
3rd. Prize - A pair RR coffee mugs.
Everyone plays in this one.

LUNCH: Bring your own or have some of our refreshments.

REFRESHMENTS FOR SALE:

Hot Dogs 30¢
Potato Salad dime a dip
Baked Beans dime a dip
Snack Chips 10¢
Soda Pop 20¢
Popcorn 15¢
Baked Goods - priced per piece

REGISTRATION:

Members; 50¢ plus white elephant.
General registration 75¢.
Lil' steamers under 12 FREE.

MORE INFO: Send SSAE to:

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RAIN: It wouldn't dare. Should it, everything moves indoors.

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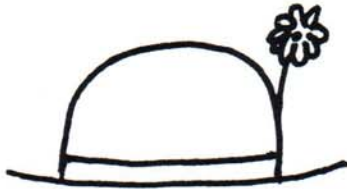
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