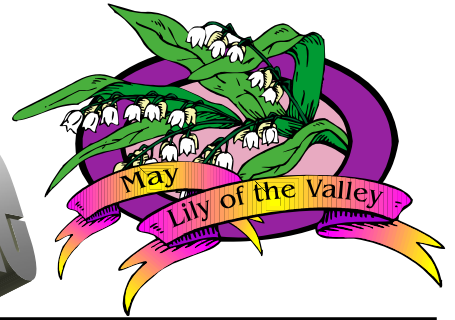


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Dear Fellow Enthusiasts,

Train Mountain is proud and glad again to be literally crawling with volunteers who love the hobby.

Barbara and Dana are quite a team out raking, loading and dumping pine needles as well as fixing lunches with Pam's help. Peg is still raking and some days, manning the office phone. Larry DaBroi is mowing lawns. And raking. Dennis and Tom are doing registrations, phone and track work along with Boyd, Burt, Russ and Charlie Bill. And raking.

Bill Dobbs is moving the Containerville project along with the help of the afore mentioned people, and Steve **and Pam** Panzik. Yes, with five guys around, she was the first to crank the jack up ...it's true! They have also been doing the maintenance for K&W along with Jim and Sabra, who have been doing great marketing for us all. Thanks to FTM, Dustin and Richard have been replacing the air pressure line to the loading area. The Kitsap Krew was here doing **all** sorts of tasks. John Cooper installed a new light signal in the Central Yard. Debra has been doing her great gardening maintenance and Boyd has been clearing the right of way from protruding limbs and 'in the wrong place' little trees. The whole place near Central Station looks so alive now! **Many thanks for each effort!**

Dustin is also checking & maintaining the TM gators. The vendor barn is going to see the wine bottles go bye-bye as they are 'free' recyclables. (All the recycling efforts are paying off well). Bill Shepherd has raked Elizabeth Loop, but more help shall be needed to the North. The Triennial Committee is handling the planning well. **All outstanding accomplishments!**

A Mothers' Day ride is being organized for this Saturday evening after the Taco Salad Welcome Dinner to the Narrow Gauge work-week.

The weather has been wonderful. Come soon and enjoy helping.

On behalf of, and with love for, the Train Mountain experience;

Sharon Breen

Narrow Gauge Meet Schedule:

- **First Narrow Gauge Work Week Begins**— Saturday, May 12th!
- Taco Salad night: Saturday, the 12th @ 6:00pm in Central Station: *Hosted by Sharon Breen & Sharmoni Addington*
- Spaghetti night: Monday, the 14th @ 6:00pm in Central Station: *Hosted by Dennis, Barbara & Dana Ward*
- Dinner night: Tuesday, the 15th @ 6:00pm in Central Station: *Hosted by Dennis, Barbara & Dana Ward*
- Cheap Pizza and Beer night: Wednesday, the 16th @ 6:00pm in Central Station: *Hosted by Russ & Linda Woods*
- Thursday, the 17th @ 4:00pm: **Narrow Gauge Meet Begins!**
- Hamburger and Hot Dog night: Thursday, the 17th @ 6:00pm in Central Station: *Hosted by Bert Newberry*
- Saturday, the 19th:
 - K&W Meeting in Hall of Flags @ 3:00pm
 - Triennial Meeting in Hall of Flags @ 4:00pm
 - Banquet in Hall of Flags @ 6:00pm
(No potluck due to banquet)
- Sunday, the 20th: **End of Narrow Gauge Meet**



April Showers brought May Flowers– and LOTS of pine needles!!



Raking and Loading



Mowing too!!



Burn Pit



Moving and Dumping

**Much Work,
And long
Hours,
Tired and
Satisfied
Volunteers
Do make!**



Heading up for another load....

Available for Purchase during the Triennial!!



All cars come *without* couplers and trucks!



Usable, Un-Certified Propane cars- \$1400



Log Cars- \$575



Firewood/Flat Cars- \$500

Current News:

The NMRA Tour on May 3rd, was a great success for all involved, despite the occasional snow/hail/rain shower! Thanks to all!!

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