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NOW OPEN EVERY SATURDAY, 10am to 4pm



THANKS! to all the participants and visitors who enjoyed the Central Coast Railroad Festival the first weekend of October. Fantastic layouts and lots of fun activities. Plan to join us for next year's Festival.

SPECIAL EVENTS

If you are in Templeton for their Founders' Day Celebration on Saturday, October 24th, look for Tom Mitchell, manning the SLO Railroad Museum booth. Or, if you are in Guadalupe for their Kids' Day in the Park on Sunday, October 25th, say hi to Diane and John Marchetti, manning the Museum booth for that event.

And - if you didn't have a chance to see the wonderful PCRy exhibit at the History Center - take heart. We've been asked if they can hold it over for an extra month. So you have until the end of November to see it at the old Carnegie Library. Then it will be coming to the RR Museum.

HALLOWEEN SPECIAL

Free admission to all children who arrive at the Museum in costume on Halloween, Saturday, October 31st. Bring your little ghosts and goblins so we can see how cute they look. And, if you like, we can take their photo in costume to put on the Museum website so everyone else can ooh and aah over them, too.

HOLIDAY DECORATORS - WE WANT YOU !!!

Join us on FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 27th and/or SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 28th, to share some treats and decorate the Museum for the Holidays. We'll be putting up lights, swags, stockings, and anything else that our generous members can donate. We got lots of donations last year, but the Museum is a big place and we can always use more. See you there.

THANKS!

TWO PRIVATE CAR EXCURSIONS

Saturday, December 12th

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Give your family a holiday gift they will always remember!!!



HOLIDAY EXCURSIONS

We'll bring the donuts as you leave SLO at 6:50 am on the morning

Surfliner, travel to Santa Barbara, and return on the luxurious Pacific Trail Streamliner (see above left). Arrive back about 1pm and have the afternoon to visit the Railroad Museum.

As a holiday bonus, SANTA will be boarding in Grover Beach and will arrive in SLO on your train. Cost is only \$85 per person round trip.

Or board the beautifully restored Overland Trail Lounge Car (see above right), leaving SLO at 1:55 pm. Buy an optional pre-ordered dinner when you arrive in Santa Barbara and eat as you enjoy the return trip on the evening Surfliner. Return to SLO at 8:30 pm. Cost is \$100 per person round trip.

HOLIDAY ACTIVITIES

See the Museum's Train Float in the Grover Beach Holiday Parade on Saturday, December 5th. It starts at 10 am.

Join us during the month of December to see the Museum decorated in holiday style. There will be treats for the whole family and holiday model trains. Get a two-for-one admission on **Saturday, December 5th**, with every new, unwrapped toy. Toys will be donated to the **SEASON OF HOPE** toy drive.

And - there will be a special treat on:

Saturday, December 12th

SANTA WILL BE ARRIVING ON THE 1 PM SURFLINER.

Forget the sleigh. Bring the kids to see Santa arrive BY TRAIN and make his way to the historic Lounge Car at the Museum, where he will be seeing children who want to share their holiday wishes with him. Bring your camera to remember this one!

MEMBERS: Please renew your membership before 2016 begins.

MEMBERS: If you are a friendly, outgoing person, we need you as a docent at the Museum. A few hours of your time once or twice a month can make a big difference. You don't have to be an expert on trains. More important is the desire to share our facility with the families, travelers, and railroad fans who come to our Museum. Thanks! Contact Diane at media@slorm.com

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