



The Flagman



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Tri-State Model Railroaders, Inc.

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MONTHLY MEETING: Monday, May 2, 2022 at the Depot or On Line thru Webex, 7:00 PM

We will hold our meeting with the regular format, but please be as concise as possible so that we may keep the meeting as short as possible and yet cover everything we need. I will send out a meeting format prior to the meeting. We are limited to 50 minutes. If we run short on time, we will close the meeting and restart.

NEXT OPERATING SESSION: Saturday, May 14th & Wednesday, May 18th, 2022 Crew Call at 12:30

NEXT PUBLIC OPEN HOUSE: Saturday, May 28, 2022

WORK SESSIONS: Work on scenery continue touch up painting and adding small features and lighting. We are also working on weathering cars. Station Masters Perch is complete and a fun place to observe the OPS. The new backing for pictures of member layouts on the wall just inside the door is about complete.

AMAZON SMILE: When making a purchase – When ordering from Amazon, don't forget to use Amazon Smile instead and make TSMRI the charity you wish to donate to. Simply log into <http://smile.amazon.com> and make Tri-State Model Railroaders Inc. your charity.

OPEN HOUSE RESULTS: For April 23rd, 2022 Members attending – 12 Guests – 15 Donations \$69 -
Thanks for those who gave their time.

Birthdays for April; Cochran, Meyer, Tarrant, Tuenge, Watkins, Yarbrough

TSMRI SOCIAL;

Please see attachment for information about our TSMRI social the 21 of May at the home of Teryn and Larry Romaine.

PICTURES; Attached a is a picture of the new "Members Layout Board". We need pictures of you layout, finished (is it ever?), or underconstruction (always). Picture needs to be in a simple black 8x10 frame with the name of the RR and your name across the bottom either on the picture on on the frame. Any questions, ask Ron.

Landscaping; Attached is a picture of the landscaping that Teryn and Larry Romaine and the members of the North Georgia Mountain Chapter of the Georgia Native Plant Society have created in the plot beside the Depot. The picture does not do it justice. Our thanks go out to this group of folks for their time and effort to enhance the Historic Mineral Bluff Depot.

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to call me for meeting information or Phil for Webex info.

Thanks and stay safe.

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