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APRIL NEWS

Greetings!

On March 23 the Board of Directors of the Little Rhody Division (LRD) met via teleconference to discuss future events. These are subject to change, but as of this date, the Board has decided on the following actions:

- April 4 Meeting: CANCELLED
- May 2 Model Train Display at Cumberland Library: POSTPONED. Tentatively scheduled for Saturday, September 12.
- Elections: AS PLANNED
- June 10 Annual Meeting & Dinner: AS PLANNED
- July 18 Summer Picnic in Westerly: AS PLANNED
- November 8 Train Show: AS PLANNED

The Board will meet again next month and make changes as needed.

ELECTION OF OFFICERS

Our Election of Officers will take place at the Annual Meeting on June 10. Superintendent Sue Osberg has appointed a Nominating Committee chaired by Director, David Kiley. All positions are open: ***Superintendent, Assistant Superintendent, Paymaster, Chief Clerk and Director***. If you would like to run for one of these positions or would like more information, please Contact David Kiley.

FUTURE EVENTS

April CANCELLED

May POSTPONED - See below

June

Little Rhody Division ANNUAL MEETING AND DINNER

ON Wednesday, June 10th at The Nelson Event Center (Lang's Bowlarama), 225 Niantic Avenue, Cranston, RI. Details to follow as date approaches.

July

Little Rhody Division SUMMER PICNIC on Saturday, July 18th at the home of Mike and Jane Wlochowski, Westerly, RI. Details to follow as date approaches.

August

Annual Planning Meeting. Date TBD. Let us know what you would like us to include in next year's programs. Clinics, speakers, field trips, etc. Call or e-mail me with your ideas.

September

Saturday, September 12th (tentative) at Cumberland Public Library, Diamond Hill Road, Cumberland, RI. A regular monthly meeting open to the public. Our *Rhode Island and Old Colony* N-scale T-TRAK layout, David Kiley's G-scale *Hogwarts Express*, and *The Polar Express* will be on display for the public to view.

November

Little Rhody Division TRAIN SHOW on Sunday, November 8th at the Coventry Community Center, 1277 Main Street, Coventry, RI. . Setup on Saturday, November 7. Mark your calendar now!

In these unprecedented times, please stay safe, and take care of yourselves and your families. Hopefully, we will be together again soon. In the meantime, build model trains.

I'm sure we will have a meeting in the fall where you can share what you did during the COVID-19 "lockdown".

As always, please contact me with any questions or issues. If I don't know the answer, I will pass it to someone who can.

Stay well,
Linda Bergemann