



Western New York Garden Railway Society

November 2010 Newsletter

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2010 Officers:

President: David Downs
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V. President: Jack Henderson
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Treasurer: Rich Dulski
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Dennis Marrone
Bob Rodgers (Inventory)
Newsletter: Gary Tebo
Web site: John Krakowski &
Matt Stolzenfels



Nov. 2010 Meeting

The next meeting will be on Wednesday, Nov. 17th at Ebenezer UCC. The meeting will start at 7 pm.

Directions:

Take the I-90 to the W. Seneca Union Rd exit. Go right on Union to Main St. (First Niagara on corner). Turn left to 630 Main on the left. The meeting is in the lower level to the right. Park in the lot across the street.

Minutes from October 20, 2010

The meeting was called to order at 7 pm by President David Downs. Members present included: W. Bath, D. Downs, M. Flynn, Jack & Marilyn Henderson, G. Ludwig, T. Malecki, D. Marrone, Bill & MaryAnn Robins, M. Stolzenfels and G. Tebo.

Charles Bartel attended his 2nd meeting and was accepted into the club membership. Glad to have you on board, Charles!

The treasurer and secretary reports were accepted.

Correspondences included a note from Erin Grajek from the Botanical Gardens, a thank you note from the Mortellaro's, and a summary of a discussion with Mike Dessel (trains and overhead track system for sale).

The web site was discussed and noted that things are up to date, loading quickly and looking good. We still need more pictures from club members from meetings and open houses. Project pictures and directions would be greatly appreciated. Bill Robins has some pictures for a Garden Railways article.

Remaining meetings include the meeting at EUCC on Wed. November 17th and the Holidays meeting at The Barrel in Fort Erie on Dec. 15th. It was accepted that the club

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will pay for members' food (not alcoholic drinks). We may be treated to a tour of the Flynn Depot- more information at the November meeting.

The January 19th meeting will be held at the EUCC at 7 pm and will include election of officers to include: VP, Treasurer and one Member at Large.

Agricenter (Event Center) train show: we will be setting up our layout on Thursday, Nov. 18th and Friday, Nov. 19th. Times will be shared by Gary Ludwig at the 11/17/10 meeting. Members who will be helping in some capacity include: Ludwig, Downs, Tebo, Rodgers, Bartel, Henderson and Robins. Any others who would like to help will be greatly appreciated. The bridge is all spiffed up with sound and lights (completed by David Downs). John and Sam Krakowski will set up the Thomas area. We can use more buildings and figures for the 2 days.

Botanical Gardens layout: we will set up the layout on Monday 11/22 through Wed. 11/24. We will open the display on Friday, 11/26/10 and run until the tear down on Jan. 2, 2011.

Members who have volunteered for daily maintenance include: Dulski, Downs, Tebo, Marrone and Henderson. Other volunteers will be welcome.

The theme will be the same as last year's (Wild West). Members voted in favor of spending up to \$100 for 2 new sound systems for the Indian area and blacksmith shop.

The raffle (boxcar) was won by Bob Rodgers.

The meeting was adjourned at 8:30 pm.

Respectfully Submitted by Gary Tebo- club secretary

Next meeting is Wed. November 17th at Ebenezer United Church of Christ at 630 Main St. in West Seneca, NY.

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