

News from the San Luis Obispo Railroad Museum

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UP Inspection train visits SLO

Caboose is loose!



Former Southern Pacific caboose 1886 has been returned to San Luis Obispo. It is sitting on the siding behind The Graduate restaurant on Sacramento Drive.

Badges? We got badges!



Pin-on badges featuring the red, white and blue SLORRM emblem are now available. Printed by Bill Pyper and assembled by Brad LaRose, the plan is to sell the buttons for \$2.00 each as a beginning fundraising effort. Anyone wishing to purchase a badge can get one from Bill or Brad. We are looking for locations to sell them.

Upcoming Railroad Tours

Silverado Tours will be conducting bus tours as fundraisers for the museums in the coming months. A minimum of 25 passengers are needed to make each trip possible. The maximum number of passengers that can be accommodated is 44. Contact John Turrill at 544-7812 for more information.

North County Rail History Tour

Santa Margarita to King City, including Brad LaRose's and Mike Wilson's 15" gauge Saturday, June 22, 1998 • Departs 7 a.m., Returns 6 p.m. • \$29.00 Lunch at King City or bring your own

Roaring Camp & Big Trees Railroad Santa Cruz, Big Trees & Pacific Railroad

Saturday, August 1, 1998 • Departs 7 a.m., Returns 7:30 p.m. • \$49.00 Lunch at Roaring Camp or bring your own

Pacific Locomotive Association, Niles Canyon Railway Train Rides!

Ardenwood Historic Farm, Fremont • Kelly Park, San Jose Sunday, October 18, 1998 • Departs 7 a.m., Returns 8 p.m. \$49.00, photo run by, \$6 per person donation included.

Timetable

Monday, May 18 - 6:30 p.m.

Avila Valley Railway Museum Meeting at the Museum, located on Ontario Road at the San Luis Creek Bridge in Avila Valley

Tuesday, June 2-7:00 p.m.

San Luis Obispo City Council Meeting San Luis Obispo City Hall 990 Palm Street

Thursday, June 11 - 7:00 p.m.

San Luis Obispo Railroad Museum Meeting Embassy Suites Hotel, Madonna Road, San Luis Obispo

For more information regarding the Railroad District Master Plan contact the City of San Luis Obispo Community Development Department at 781-7170.