



The Tucson Garden Railway Society

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November 7, 2013

General Meeting November 16, 2013

The meeting will be from 3:00-4:00PM approximately. The meeting is preceded by a General Open House from 10:00AM to 3:00PM. And For those who have RSVP'd the buffet meal will be served around 4:00PM.

Address: 4625 E. Cerro de Aguila Tucson, AZ 85718

Board of directors Meeting,

November 14 2013 at the Martin's

TGRS Christmas Party December 7, 2013

At the Golden Corral On Thornydale just south of Ina Rd. beginning at 12:00 N.

The cost this year will remain unchanged at \$11/person, including drinks and tip.

Ruth will be collecting money for the event at the November 16 general meeting at Gary's. If you are unable to attend the November general meeting, you can send a check to Ruth. Ruth will also be collecting the day of the event, but it really helps if you have paid in advance. Regardless, you need to let Ruth know if you plan to attend, so we can let the Golden Corral know our headcount in advance.

Ruth can be reached at e-mail:

taylor1985@comcast.net; ph (520) 668-4318, mailing address: 4081 S. Tarantula Hawk Place, Tucson AZ 85735

Christmas Setup At the VA Hospital

December 26-30 with two days off on the weekend. Get full info and sign ups in the December Newsletter and Meeting.

Minutes of the Board Meeting from October 15, 2013

Meeting was called to order by President Gary Martin at the home of the Martins. Hosts were thanked for opening up their home.

Minutes from the September board meeting were approved.

Ruth Taylor reported that as of 10/15/13 checking account balance is \$8,743, saving account is \$17,225 for a total of \$25,967. Revenues from 9/13/13 are \$693, expenses are \$675 leaving a gain of \$18. Year to date revenues are \$1257 with expenses of \$2499 leaving a net loss of \$1242. Total dues received to date for 2013/2014 are \$2102.

Vice President Willis Fagg reported

McCormik/Stillman could use more people on the bus. The bus leaves at 8:00 AM from Foothills Mall on OCTOBER 10TH.

ABTO Tour on Nov 2nd has 16 people signed up so far. Instructions will be e-mailed to everyone. There are 6 layouts and lunch. It was suggested we meet at Oracle and McGee to caravan up to Phoenix.

December 20th is the second Christmas event for the children at the UMC Diamond Children's Center. Setup will at 10:00AM. Trains will run from noon to 1:30 or 2:00PM.

December 26-30 is the set up, running and tear down at the VA Hospital. Sign ups are needed.

Swap Meet is November 8th and 9th. Sign ups are badly needed.

Pinal County Historical Museum is having a Historical Day in Florence. They would like us to participate. The board decided the linear layout would work and would not be hard to transport.

No Meeting Minutes for October

McCormick-Stillman Pictures

January and May are still open for hosting the meetings. Gary will approach the Botanical Garden for May and possibly see if Cap Pearson will be available in January as he has just had bi-pass surgery.

Committee Reports

Clinics - Gary said the clinic on logs may have to wait until January as November is his open house and December the Christmas Party.

Education - There is a CD of Christmas in August from UMC which we can show at the February meeting.

Maintenance - Gary thinks an engine may be down at the Botanical Gardens. It seems to keep breaking down.

Membership - Jerry Tulino reported 94 members - 18 not paid. Gary will check with them as most are active.

Off Site Status

TMC - Norm reported the layout was down and stored. They are looking at a site inside the hospital possibly in the lobby. They will be designing a new layout.

Rodeo Museum - People for display are needed. May look on line at "Just Plain Folks" for some. Also, need a clinic for tent city. Nick Buchholz is still working on cutting out the pieces.

UMC - Running OK.

Rails in the Garden - We have six layouts and should have at least eight. We may have to get a couple from the west side.

Other - Jerry Tulino suggested that we may want to look at the Sands (So. Arizona Network for Down Syndrome) event for 2014. It is held annually at Reed Park. We did it a few years back and can use the children's layout. He also suggested that we might like to do Ronald McDonald House again sometime this winter. He will pursue both events.

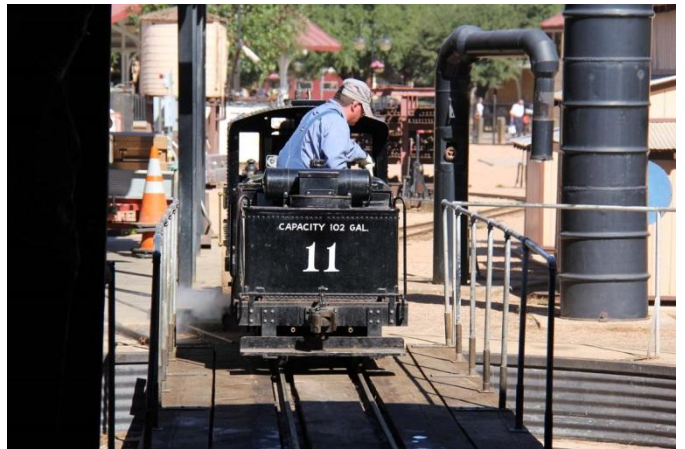
Botanical Garden Luminaries - Gary reminded everyone about the Botanical Garden Luminaries December 6th, 7th and 8th. Also the Holiday Party is December 7th.

Next board meeting will be at the Martins on November 14th at 7:00PM

Respectfully submitted.

Pat Somerhalder

Secretary





ABTO Pictures







ALL ABOARD

**You are invited to the 10th annual
Open House
AT
Gary and Peggy Martin's
EAGLE MOUNTAIN GARDEN
RAILROAD**

Date: SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 16, 2013

Place: 4625 E. Cerro de Agulla, Tucson Az.

- 1. TGRS November Meeting will be begin at 3.00pm**
- 2. General Open House 10:00AM to 3:00PM
Open to general public**
- 3. Food and beverages will be served after 4:00PM for club members, their families, and other special guests.
If you plan to stay for the food and beverages, please RSVP by November 11th with numbers who plan to attend.**

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From the Editor

My apologies for the late delivery of the Newsletter. I was stuck in Paris and Normandy for almost two weeks and forced to have a great time visiting Museums and historical sites. On top of that I didn't get to ride a single train and even missed riding the Metro

The Tucson Garden Railway Society is a non-profit corporation incorporated in Pima County, Arizona. Society members are interested in all areas of garden and modular large scale railroading. We welcome new members and hope you will consider joining. Members help each other build layouts and learn about railroading and modeling. The TGRS dues are \$30.00 per year and are due on June 30th of each year. For new members dues are pro-rated at \$2.50 per month remaining in the year until June 30th, the first year. Additional name badges cost \$1.00 for each badge after the first.

If you are interested in the TGRS please contact one of the officers at the e-mails listed below. If you wish to join immediately, send a check and your name, address and telephone number and the names for any additional badges to:

Jerry Tulino
6911 E. Baker St.

Calendar

Thursday November 14, 2013

Board Meeting-Martins

Saturday November 16 2013

Martin's Open House 10:00-3:00

General meeting 3:00-4:00

Saturday December 7, 2013

TGRS Holiday Party

Saturday December 6-7-8, 2013

TBG Luminaria Nights

Thursday December 26 2013

setup for VA Hospital Layout

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