



The Tucson Garden Railway Society

TIMETABLE

February, 2020

Please email all articles, photos and announcements to:
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February Meeting

Saturday February 8th

12:00pm Run Trains and Board Meeting

1:30 pm General Meeting

Short Switch Workshop to Follow
RCW - 4555 S Mission Rd, 85746

Mini Sandwiches and Cookies Provided



SOCIAL LUNCHEON

Our monthly outing will be to our favorite spot, The Red Garter Saloon, located at 3143 E. Speedway just east of Country Club. The date is Wednesday February 19th. The food is always great, the service excellent, and the conversation varied and fun.. Be there at 11:00 for pool (no rules, loose scorekeeping and lots of fun), or 11:45 for lunch. Call Chuck Cook at 977-7673 with any questions.

Additional Info for February Meeting

There will be a short workshop/discussion about switching and switch choices by Chuck Haight after the February Meeting and there will be switches and maybe some other items for sale at the February meeting in the meeting room.

There will be Misc. LGB items for sale by RCW member Gail at the house right across the street from the layout.

Sally's Mini Layout will be running after the meeting at space 504 for any viewers.

Rails in the Garden 2020



UNDER CONSTRUCTION

RITG Lineup 2020

Averill's, Carmichael/Papas's
Fennema's, Jacunski'S Mini
Koehler's, Mitchell's
Nelson's Mini, RCW
Rodeo Museum



Layout Helpers Still Needed

If you are not hosting for Rails in the Garden this year, please think about which of our generous hosts you could provide assistance to. Sign-ups will be available online

<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/10C044AAFA729A4F85-rails>

and at the February meeting.

We still need some helpers at a couple of locations. There are jobs for every capability. Let's all work together to make this a great year.



Host Packets and signage will be available at the February meeting, please pick yours up if you are a host.

TUCSON GARDEN RAILWAY SOCIETY GENERAL MEETING

January 18, 2020 at Bob & Sue Averill's home

Thirty (30) members signed the attendance sheet. There were no guests or new members presented.

The minutes from the December 2019 meeting were approved as published in the Newsletter.

The Vice-President, Claudia Nelson, read the Treasurer's Report in Ruth Taylor's absence.

Checking: \$ 2,051
Savings: 15,808
Total: \$17,858 (sic)

Receipts: \$267 (dues & luncheon)
Expenses: \$943 (luncheon, insurance, modules)

Fiscal Year to Date Recap (2019-20):

Receipts: \$2,336
Expenses: 2,903
Net Revenue: \$ -567

Vice-President's Report: Tires on the small trailer had to be replaced; Dennis Maher took care of it. He and John Fennema are refurbishing the children's layout.

The ABTO Roundabout is scheduled for February 22 and it is hoped that Chuck Cook will be available to coordinate the trip to the Phoenix metro area.

Jim Miller has been repairing the Rodeo Parade Museum layout – getting it ready for Rails in the Garden (RITG).

A Percy train set has been purchased by Willis Fagg through Upland Trains for the raffle.

RITG: Carmichael/Pappas needs additional help as well as the Koehlers on Sunday. John Fennema needs 2 more volunteers. The Rodeo Parade Museum needs help on Sunday. Please see Claudia to sign up. Host packets will be ready for pickup at the next General Meeting

on February 8. There will be posters at each layout. Wally Gazdzik announced that he has posters with him and to help yourself.

Signup sheets and the online signup are available for the County Fair. Claudia has spoken with Julia and hopes to have advance notice of the school field trip days for scheduling volunteers. We will unload the trailers on 4/2 and 4/3.

Committee Reports:

Website: Jerry has set up the RITG maps, Etc. and it is now on the website.

Maintenance: Glenn Mitchell has been documenting the electrical setups for the public layouts and will leave the pertinent information at each layout and/or possibly post it in the "members only" portion of the website. It was reported that the Board approved expanding the new small layout and going ahead with the repairs on the children's layout.

Clinics: There may be one in April and possibly at the next General Meeting.

Mentor: Bob Averill has had no requests but he is willing to help, just call him.

Old Business:

The Board approved expanding the new small layout and repairs for the older Children's layout. The iMac used at the last VA display needs to be stored in a temperature-controlled environment. Byron Skinner volunteered to store it.

New Business: There was no new business presented.

The next meeting will be at Rincon Country West on February 8. Please bring chairs.

Respectfully submitted,

Gina Blackwell
Secretary

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<http://tucsongrs.org/ClubInformation/HowToJoin.html>

PRICE LIST FOR CLUB REGALIA

PINS	\$5.00 EACH
DECALS	\$1.50 EACH
PATCHES	\$2.00 EACH
HATS	\$12.00 EACH
SILK TOUGH SHIRTS (LIGHT IVORY COLOR)	\$22.00 EACH
DENIM SHIRTS (SHORT OR LONG SLEEVE)	\$26.00 EACH

NOTE: Shirts are available in ladies' or men's sizes. (Size 2X and up are an additional \$3.00 per shirt)

Contact Ruth Taylor phone or email for purchase
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CALENDAR

Saturday, February 8, 2020
Monthly Meeting-RCW
Wednesday, February 19, 2020
Luncheon Red Garter
Saturday, March 14, 2020
Rails in the Garden
Sunday, March 15, 2020
Rails in the Garden
Saturday, March 21, 2020
Monthly Meeting - Fennema
Thursday, April 2 - 3, 2020
Unload trailers at the Fair
Thursday, April 16-26, 2020
Pima County Fair
Saturday, May 2, 2020
Monthly Meeting - GPDTTM

Welcome New Members



2019-2020

Craig Anderson

Now Online



January Board of Directors Minutes