

DRIFFIELD & EAST YORKSHIRE RAILWAY SOCIETY.

A Note from our Chairman

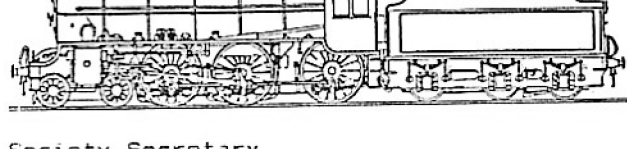
At the start of a new year, it was great to see so many of you at the January meeting, - we must still be getting things right! I am pleased to see that we are still receiving enquiries from people wanting to join our society, many of these being the result of member's recommendations. Please keep up the good work in this respect.

Another promising note is the number of people who have come forward with offers of use of materials for future society evenings. All such offers are very welcome, and will be incorporated into the programmes of future evenings at the earliest opportunity.

For April we have a change of programme to a 'Quiz Night' with a Pie & Peas supper! Please bring your 'good ladies', family & friends as the quiz will include both general knowledge as well as railways questions.

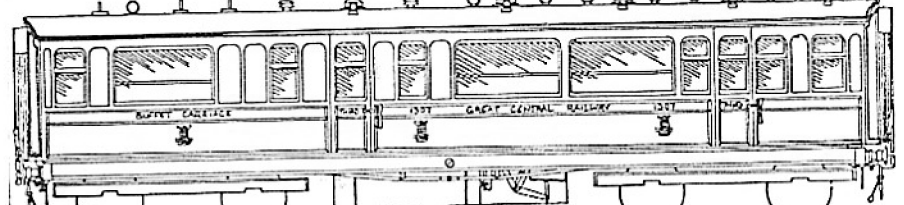
I am pleased to see the support so far at meetings, and functions - the more we all contribute, the more enjoyment we will all receive! I will have to shut off steam now or the 'Newsletter' editor will think that I am about to write a book!

ANGUS SCOTT.



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Thank You

Many thanks to all those who made the January meeting such an enjoyable time; to Alwyn Pulleyn for his 'East Lancs' video, and interesting talk on the pitfalls & fun of garden railways, to John Birchenough for the talk on the parallels between ourselves & the early stages of the Blackburn Society, to Stephen Uwbridge & Jonathan Longbottom for the photographic display on the Scarborough Line, to Charles Williams for the slide show, to Ian Wolstencroft for the cine films.

As ever we are deeply indebted to the Bell Hotel for the use of their excellent facilities, so generously provided, And not least to all those members whose participation brings the event to life.

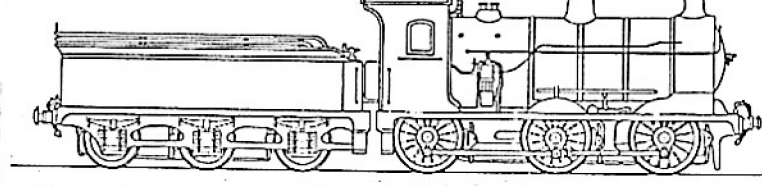


Suggestions Box

We are pleased to report that the Suggestions Box is receiving greater use - this is the way to tell us what YOU want. All suggestions are carefully considered by the committee, and are most helpful in organising Society evenings, & outings, & provision for our Junior members. More please!

Quiz Night

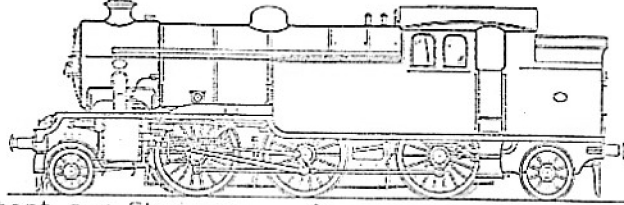
As mentioned in our Chairman's note, the April meeting will be devoted to a Quiz Night with questions on general knowledge as well as railways. Please bring along family & friends - the entry charge is only £1.00 per head, with any proceeds to benefit Society funds. Prizes will be given, and a Pie 'n' Peas supper will be available for a modest extra charge. Entrants may be individuals, or teams of up to four people - more details at the next meeting.



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Constitution

The proposed Constitution was adopted unanimously at the January meeting. If anyone has any further queries relating to the Constitution then please contact any committee member, who will give, or arrange for, any clarification needed. Full copies of the Constitution will be provided on request.



Outings

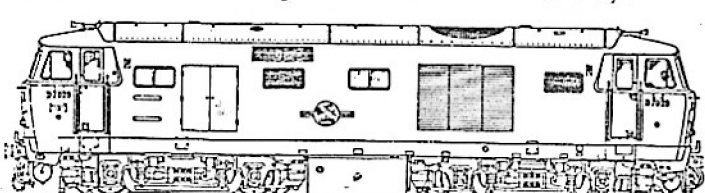
Please would you contact our Chairman - Angus, at the next meeting if you wish to book for our May weekend outing. To refresh your memory this trip includes two nights in quality accommodation, and visits to three preserved railways (or to the shops for ladies who fancy the trip, but can live without railways).

A further outing is proposed for the summer. This would be to the East Lancashire Railway, as featured on video at our last meeting. It would be most helpful if we could have an indication of numbers interested as soon as possible.

A suggestion has been received concerning the possibility of visits to British Rail depots or workshops. If there is sufficient interest it may be possible to organise such an outing later in the year.

Notice Boards

It has been proposed that a 'bring & buy' stall could be run by the Society. We do not feel that we have the capacity to organise such a facility at present, however Society notice boards will soon be available, on which members will be able to advertise items wanted, or for sale. Questions & answers on technical topics could be organised in the same way.



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SOCIETY EVENING

MONDAY 3rd FEBRUARY

7.30pm - 10.00pm

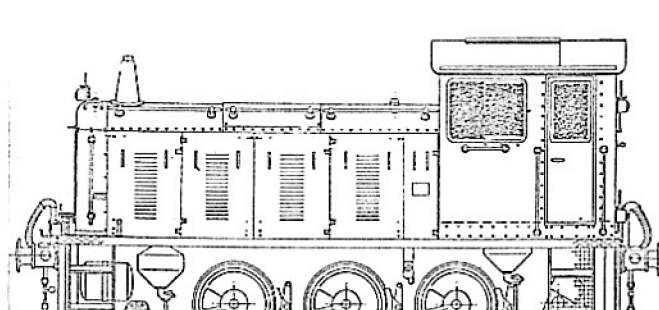
THE BELL HOTEL - DRIFFIELD (Precise room to be advised).

PROGRAMME

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| 7.30 | VIDEO
(The rest of the East Lancs Railway) |
| 7.55 | MODELLING DEMONSTRATION |
| 8.20 | TALK
(Railway Photography) |
| 8.30 | SOCIETY NEWS & ANNOUNCEMENTS |
| | INTERVAL - PHOTOGRAPHIC DISPLAY & VIDEO
PROVIDED FOR YOUR ENTERTAINMENT! |
| 9.00 | TALK
(Model Engineering - David Shimmin) |
| 9.30 | "SOMETHING DIFFERENT"
(A surprise from Peter Price) |

Admission - Adults £1.00
- Under 16's 50p

NON MEMBERS WELCOME
BRING A FRIEND!



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