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## PRESIDENT'S REPORT

Thank you to all who attended the April meeting; we had a small crowd of around 60 people but still lots of trains, a great auction and a superb lunch! Thank you to all the members who donated to the treasury auction as these sales help off-set meeting costs.

Thank you to those members who ordered the beautiful new Weaver White Pass & Yukon trailer on a Canadian National flat car. If you did not pay at the April meeting, **please either pay at the next meeting or drop a cheque in the mail to Mark**. The cost is \$80 CDN which includes shipping which is a really good deal just for the CTTA members. The club is eating the drop in the Canadian dollar as this is the same price as last year even though our dollar has dropped an additional 15% since last year. The cars have already been made so please order ASAP. We require the payments as we need to pay Weaver. Please email me if you wish to order.



Also, our British Columbia Railway Budd Car project with Sunset / 3<sup>rd</sup> Rail has been a huge success with over 50 orders to date. This should be a gorgeous model. Please email me if you wish to order.

Please remember these club project, in addition to providing excellent Canadian trains, really help to fund our club. Please support these project if you can.

See you at the end of the month.

Mark

## 2015 CANADIAN CLUB MEETS

all meets at Charles Rummel Community Centre, 3630 Lozells Ave.  
Burnaby B.C. [doors at 11am, meeting 12:30]

UPCOMING MEET DATES: **MAY 31, 2015**

**JUNE 28, 2015**

**SEPT 27, 2015 [AGM]**



OLD FRIENDS  
&  
OLD TRAINS



APRIL  
DOOR  
WINNERS





## Nickel Plate Berkshire keeps on truckin'



More about old 765 at the  
Fort Wayne Railroad Historical Society  
Inc.

<https://fortwaynerailroad.org>

thanks for both to Don Stull of Ohio

## Steam in China videos from Hami

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=MKcCMa6Ato4>

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=ljXMGQviAbM&feature>



an historic TTOS Vancouver Island gathering:

taken at Bill Stevenson's in early 1980's

left (back to front)

right (back to front)

John Smyly  
Ken Showers  
Jim Sutherland

Ron Girard  
Bill Stevenson  
George Nelligan  
Scotty Burns  
Mac McPhee

Thanks sleeveless pullover guy (aka Jim) for this flashback moment.

*Does this look familiar?*

[http://fborfw.com/strip\\_fix/](http://fborfw.com/strip_fix/)

A wall of Trains  
Standard Gauge  
collection of  
John Constible.

[and more where this  
comes from]

thanks John, and who  
else has trains to show?



# UPCOMING EVENTS

May 24, Victoria, BC Info: Ted Alexis 250 595-4070  
Victoria Model Show 2015 1767 Island Highway, Colwood.

June 7, 12 Noon, Nanaimo BC COOTS meet - see ad-->  
Info: Robin Dodson [Collector390@shaw.ca](mailto:Collector390@shaw.ca)

don't forget to check the website for updates  
[www.canadiantoytrains.org](http://www.canadiantoytrains.org)

Coming to COOTS in June:  
Robin says: we will have a collection of Hornby O gauge for sale, as well as a rare O gauge Marklin baggage car and a few post war Lionel, including a Lackawana FM Trainmaster in OB. Again, see below for details. The owner of the collection Rodney Maennling, is an accomplished modeller as well as Gauge One steam enthusiast, and he will be bringing some samples of his gems for show and tell.



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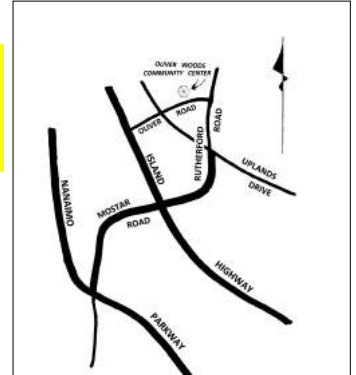
THANKS TO PETER TOFIELD FOR THE MEET PIX, ROBIN DODSON FOR THE COOTS MEET PREVIEW, JOHN CONSTIBLE FOR THE PHOTO OF STANDARD GAUGE TRAINS, AND FRIEND DON STULL FOR THE CHINESE AND AMERICAN STEAM SITES.

## Canadian Toy Train Association Nanaimo Train Meet

Nanaimo  
Sunday

June 7, 2015  
12 noon-  
4pm

Open to  
Collectors and  
Operators of  
Lionel, Flyer,  
Ives,  
Marx, K-Line,  
Hornby, MTH,  
Williams, Weaver,  
Marklin, etc.



Oliver Woods Community Centre  
6000 Oliver Road  
Nanaimo, B.C. Admission \$5.00

Table Sales, Displays, Show and Tell, Door Prizes, Refreshments.  
Bring Trains to Sell!!

## WANTED

Marx 21913 hopper with trucks



need 5-6

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World's Simplest Electric  
Train: on youtube watch it  
go — then see the sequel.

[https://www.youtube.com/  
watch?v=J9b0J29OzAU](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=J9b0J29OzAU)



## Reif's B.C. Railroads Survey

1. What's your favourite B.C. Station?

- CPR Vancouver...
- Vernon...
- Cranbrook...
- other

Why?

2. What's your favourite rail tunnel in B.C.?

- Othello + on the Coquihalla...
- Spiral tunnel...
- other

Why?

3. Favourite B.C. view from the rails?

- Cheakamus Canyon...
- Mt. Robson...
- other

Why?

email your answers to [creif@shaw.ca](mailto:creif@shaw.ca)

### Canadian National Railway Flat White Pass & Yukon Railway Trailer

The Canadian Toy Train Association is pleased to announce that Weaver has manufactured a scale White Pass & Yukon trailer on a brown Canadian National Railway flat car. This very limited production "O" gauge car comes in three road numbers in both 2 and 3 rail.

This is the fourth car in our Canadian series – our first three cars SOLD OUT.

The Canadian Toy Train Association member cost is \$ 80.00 CDN per car including shipping within the lower mainland and Vancouver Island. This is the same price as last year's car. With the drop in the Canadian dollar this is a real deal for our members.

Questions: email or telephone 604-560-4028



If you wish to order please let me know at the meetings, or complete the following order form, and mail your payment (payable to "Mark Horne") to:  
**Canadian Toy Train Association, c/o Mark Horne, 16266 – 26<sup>th</sup> Avenue, Surrey, BC Canada V3Z 6Z3**

Name			
Address			
City	State	ZIP	
Email _____			
Quantity	_____ Flat w/ Trailer	_____ 2 Rail	_____ 3 Rail

