

YOU!

Can Operate a Diesel Locomotive!

for one hour with your own private instructor included

at the

Portola Railroad Museum

in

Portola, California

Fulfill your wildest dream!

Details inside...

The Ultimate Experience!

You can operate one of our vintage diesel switchers or road-switchers for only

\$75

Our world famous "Combo" package includes a one-hour standard rental PLUS one hour with our Western Pacific EMD F7 "Covered Wagon" 921-D, all for only

\$175

A handsome certificate suitable for framing is awarded after every rental.

- Because of continuing restoration work, the roster of locomotives in use is always changing.
- Rentals are done 7 days a week year round (weather permitting) by appointment.
- We reserve the right to select the locomotive to be operated on any given day.
 - Up to 4 people at a time can share rentals.
 - Also, there are no age restrictions.

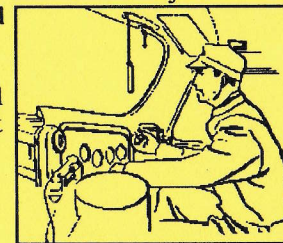
Phone number for information and for all appointments:
(916) 832-4532

The Portola Railroad Museum is located in the Sierra Nevada Mountains, and is a living museum in the form of a small diesel locomotive facility typical of the 1950's and 60's. Our visitors enjoy an "up close and personal" experience of what it was like to be around such a railroad facility. The 37-acre grounds include a 16,000 square foot, 220 foot long shop building and two and one half miles of trackage.

The Feather River Rail Society now has at Portola, one of the largest and most historic collections of diesel locomotives in the United States. The total number of locomotives exceeds 30 and the number of passenger and freight cars exceeds 80.

Unlike other railroad museums, visitors to Portola are encouraged to climb up into the cabs of locomotives, to sit in the engineer's seats, and to browse through the many cabooses and passenger cars that are on display.

The Museum maintains an interesting and well-stocked gift shop located inside the diesel shop building. In stock are mementos specific to the rental locomotives.



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... the historical society for the Western Pacific Railroad and operator of the Portola Railroad Museum.