

Don't Forget...

The FRRS

SANTA TRAINS

The FRRS at its best...

Following the great success of our previous evening Santa Trains, we will be eagerly running them again this year. Come see and ride the train with its bright Christmas lights throughout. The schedule is as follows:

- **Train Rides Saturday, December 3, 1994 beginning at 5:30 PM.**
- **Train Rides Saturday, December 10, 1994 beginning at 5:30 PM.**

Again this year, the FRRS will serve free refreshments including coffee, hot chocolate, hot cider and cookies in the Beanery.

Santa will be on hand to greet the kids and give them candy canes.

There will be no charges of any kind for the rides or refreshments.

Our gift shop will be open for your Christmas gift selections, also.

This is truly the FRRS at its best, doing good for people. Without any charge, we operate trains and serve refreshments. The look on the kids' faces is just great. Come join in the good will created by these events. It will make you feel good.

We will be looking for helpers to work on train crews, and in the kitchen. Also we need people to arrive on Saturday morning December 3 to help with stringing up the many Christmas lights on each of the cabooses and the locomotive. If you can help, contact Gordon Wollesen at the Museum.

Come on up and join the fun.

THE FIRST SUB CLUB

of the Portola Railroad Museum

will hold a meeting on Friday, December 2, 1994 starting at 7:30 PM at the Historic Niles Depot.

The Niles Depot Museum is located at 36997 Mission Blvd. in the Niles District of Fremont, California.

The First Sub Club Meetings are intended as a means for people who live in and around the Bay Area and who cannot travel to Portola as often as they wish, to socialize and to find out what's happening at Portola.

A short meeting will convene by 7:30 PM to take care of First Sub Club business, and to discuss what's new at the museum and the coming year's operations.

Besides Feather River Rail Society members, First Sub Club meetings are open to anyone interested in the activities of the Portola Railroad Museum, fans of the Western Pacific Railroad or current Union Pacific operations on the WP, modelers, and other rail historic organizations.

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7TH ANNUAL

Fund Raising Drive and Free Trip Drawing

By Chris Skow

Trains Unlimited, Tours and the Feather River Rail Society are pleased to announce the 7th Annual drawing for a free trip in 1995. The winner of this drawing will receive two free spaces on any Trains Unlimited, Tours North American trips in 1995. This would include the British Columbia Spectacular, Nevada Northern Spectacular or Fall Colors Express.

Fund raising tickets are \$5 each, or 5 for \$20. All sales from these tickets will go towards the Building Restoration Fund at The Portola Railroad Museum. The drawing will be held at The Portola Railroad Museum on May 22, 1995. Five drawing tickets are included with this issue of the Train Sheet, please help YOUR museum grow by buying all five tickets.

If you have any questions about Trains Unlimited, Tours, please call (916) 836-1745 or write: P. O. Box 1997, Portola, CA 96122. If you want to buy more raffle tickets, Trains Unlimited, Tours can supply these.