

To: FRRS Board of Directors
From: Paul Finnegan, Webmaster
Re: Museum Web Page
Date: October 9, 2024

Mailtrain

We continue to have society members and the public sign up on our “*WPRM News*” email distribution list on Mailtrain. We currently have 696 active email addresses on the list. Last month we had 693, so we had a net increase of three subscribers this month. Six people unsubscribed this month.

On Tuesday, October 1st, I sent a “*WPRM News*” email blast to 702 subscribers promoting the 2024 Pumpkin Express event.

Google Review – QR Codes

On Sunday, September 22, 2024, we received the following review on Google:



Seth Burger



Interesting experience. They have QR codes for recorded explanations of various trains which is nice. Not a lot of them are open, but you can walk through a dozen or so which is interesting.

DNS Renewals

Our DNS domains recently renewed:

Name	Expires	Cost
runalocomotive.com	Jul 16, 2025	renewed for \$12
runalocomotive.info	Oct 4, 2025	renewed for \$22
runalocomotive.net	Oct 4, 2025	renewed for \$12
runalocomotive.org	Oct 4, 2025	renewed for \$12
runalocomotive.us	Oct 4, 2025	renewed for \$12
sacramentonorthern.org	Oct 4, 2025	renewed for \$12
wplives.org	Dec 15, 2025	renewed for \$12

General Items

- 9/13/24 – Posted September BOD Preliminary Agenda.
- 9/13/24 – Posted 2025 Crew Training date on [Register for Crew Training](#) web page per email from Kerry Cochran.
- 9/14/24 – Posted September Board Meeting Material to [Minutes & Reports web page](#).
- 9/15/24 – Removed Norm Holmes from Mailtrain “FRRS Board Meeting Material” list.
- 9/15/24 – Posted Approved Minutes for August Board meeting to [Minutes & Reports web page](#).

- 9/16/24 – Updated website to match updated Department and Committee List R-29 240915 document from Kerry Cochran.
- 9/16/24 – Updated 2024 Pumpkin Patch Express news item to have “*We Cook For You*” food truck will be at the museum for the October 19-20 Pumpkin Patch Express trains. per email from Eugene Vicknair.
- 9/17/24 – Added a photo of Emanuel Petrisor to the [crew photo roster](#).
- 9/17/24 – Updated website to show Nicholas Manos as CMO.
- 9/18/24 – Added two photos from Greg Elems of the painting progress on SP 2873 to the [Around the Museum 2024 gallery](#).
- 9/21/24 – Added a photo from Greg Elems of WP 501 and WP 608 staged for RR Days to the [Around the Museum 2024 gallery](#).
- 9/23/24 – Added two photos from Greg Elems of the SP 2873 paint project to the [Around the Museum 2024 gallery](#).
- 9/25/24 – Posted *Train Sheet* Jul/Aug/Sep 2023, #198 to [Train Sheets web page](#).
- 9/28/24 – Posted a photo from Greg Elems for Portola RR Day to the [Around the Museum 2024 Gallery](#).
- 9/29/24 – Posted 10 more photos of RR Day to the [Around the Museum 2024 Gallery](#).
- 9/29/24 – Removed 2024 Portola RR Day promotions from website and Google search results web page.
- 9/29/24 – Recoded Craig Simmons as retired on [Crew Roster page](#).
- 9/30/24 – Added photo of David Elems and Nick Manos painting the red on SP 2873 to the [Around the Museum 2024 Gallery](#).
- 10/1/24 – Updated *From the archives...* and *For the modeler...* links in latest museum news.
- 10/3/24 – Added three photos from Greg Elems from the Portola Railroad Day Evening Photo event to the [Around the Museum 2024 Gallery](#).
- 10/4/24 – Added ten photos from Patty Clawson of Big Fish Creations from the Portola Railroad Day event to the [Around the Museum 2024 Gallery](#).
- 10/6/24 – Added two photos from Greg Elems to the [Around the Museum 2024 Gallery](#).
- 10/6/24 – Added a link to an article in the Plumas Sun about 2024 Portola RR Day in the Latest Museum News Column and the [News Archive](#) page.
- 10/7/24 – Updated website to show us closed for the winter except for special events.
- 10/7/24 – Added photo of SP 2873 painting progress from Greg Elems to the [Around the Museum 2024 Gallery](#).