News from the WPRM – Spring has arrived!

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Spring has finally arrived at the museum in Portola and we are getting ready for another season of railroading.

There are several things coming up that I wanted to bring to your attention.

We are holding the first **crew-training class** of 2022 on Saturday, April 9, at the museum. If you would like to join the Operating Department in running trains this season, please register at https://wplives.org/register for crew-training.html.

The **museum opens** for the 2022 season on Thursday, April 14. We will be open noon -4 p.m. Thursdays and Fridays and 10 a.m. -5 p.m. on weekends until October 2.

We are hosting the **2022 Western Pacific Railroad Historical Convention** in Reno, May 12 – 14, with special events open only to the convention delegates at Portola on Sunday May 15. For more information about attending, please see https://wplives.org/news_items/2022_Convention_News.html.

Although the museum has been closed, several projects/events took place over the winter. There were several milestones reached on the **WP 165 Steam Restoration Project**. There are photos and videos of some of them on our gallery page, https://wplives.org/wprm_gallery.html.

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