



# Feather River Rail Society

Preserving "The Feather River Route"

The FRRS, a tax exempt public benefit California Corporation, is the HISTORICAL SOCIETY for the WESTERN PACIFIC RAILROAD and operates the PORTOLA RAILROAD MUSEUM in Portola, Calif.

Formed in February, 1983 with the purpose of preserving railroad history in general and Western Pacific Railroad history in particular. With 22 locomotives, 7 cabooses and over 45 differant types of equipment at the Portola Museum the FRRS is a outstanding society. Steam service is provided by the Feather River Short Line Railroad.

The WP LIVES in Portola.....

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Single membership dues are \$15.00 per calendar year, and Life memberships are \$300.00

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Our Mailing address is.....

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## From the PRESIDENT'S DESK

It was recently brought to my attention that someone representing himself as a member of our rail society while visiting another railroad museum, made himself obnoxious and unwelcome in his attempt to convince them that former Western Pacific equipment should be transfered to our museum. We are new in this museum business and would like to maintain the good reputation we enjoy. Unauthorized contacts by persons using the society's name cannot be condoned. As stated before in this column, anyone wishing to help our society with equipment acquisition, donations, etc. is asked to please clear their efforts before making contacts. Many members have gotten many items for us and we need all to work together for a common goal.

Norman Holmes

## SPECIAL MEMBERSHIP MEETING

There will be a special membership meeting May 16th at 7:30 PM in our diesel house meeting room to discuss several ByLaw changes.... This is the same weekend as the Work Weekend so please plan to attend and be a part of the museum operations.....see you in Portola....

## UPCOMING CALENDAR

Saturday and Sunday May 16th & 17th First Annual Spring Work Weekend.....  
Grand Opening May 23-24-25th.  
Second Annual Feather River Rail Festival July 11th 1987.....

Please check your yellow 1987 calendar for all the events in Portola, if you need one or an extra please drop us a note.....

## SEASON OPENING

May 23, 24, 25: Opening for our third season of operations. We will need everything to be in order for this event. The Portola Rotary Club has offered to put on a pancake breakfast for us on Sunday morning. These breakfasts usually attract a large number of local people, profits will be donated to our museum. Breakfast will be served from 7am to 11am in our museum meeting room. Cost is \$4 per adult \$2 per children, maximum \$12 per families. A free train ride ticket comes with each breakfast ticket.

