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From the President's Desk.....



As is probably the case with most KL&L members, I am also a member of several other transportation organizations and online groups. One of those is the National Association of Timetable Collectors, and I trade timetables with other collectors on an unaffiliated Facebook group. Over the last couple of years, I've noticed a growing interest in timetables from Penn Central, Amtrak, and other modern-era railroads.

I like to collect really old stuff, but newer material brings back fond memories of raiding the timetable rack at the Amtrak station and studying schedules in the back of my grandfather's camper while we waited for the arrival of the next train. Although I'm envious of the KL&L members who were able to ride behind steam locomotives and choose from dozens of different railroads' timetables at a city ticket office, the early years of Conrail and Amtrak are the "good old days" of railroading to me.

The above photo was taken in July of 1980, after I rode the Amtrak *Empire State Express* from Buffalo to Rochester. The train was early and was waiting on its time, so the engineer invited me up into the cab to take pictures. For an 11 year old kid who loves trains, there isn't a much bigger thrill!

It recently put a smile on my face to see former Amtrak F40PH locomotive #406 passing through in its 1980's paint scheme, left over from its days on the Amtrak exhibit train. It recently picked up an extra digit in its number and is now the 9406, assigned to *Downeaster* service as a cab car. It is yet another type of equipment that most of us remember as new, but is now a part of history.

I like pulling out an 1840's Mohawk & Hudson Railroad timetable from one of the many albums on my shelf, but in some ways that single shoebox filled with Amtrak timetables gave just as much enjoyment back in 1980. I suppose that is the nature of collecting!

Don't forget to put May 8-11, 2025 on the calendar for the next KL&L convention. Also, the next magazine is racing toward completion at the speed of a hump engine - I'll announce on the website when it goes to press. As always, thanks for everyone's ongoing support of KL&L!

Dave Hamilton

KL&L President & Editor

Railroad Event Calendar



Upcoming historical society conventions, special events, railroadiana shows & auctions. Listings subject to change. Check show web sites before traveling and visit www.klnl.org for updates. See submission guidelines at the end of the calendar.

Look for Advertisements in this Issue & on the Key Lock & Lantern Website for [Events Shown in Blue](http://www.klnl.org)

- Nov 23** **Albany, NY**- TTOS Fall Albany Model Train Show
Info: <https://www.albanypcc.com>.
- Nov 23-24** **Buffalo, NY** - Greater Buffalo Train Show.
Erie County Fairgrounds Event Center.
Info: www.wnyrhs.org.
- Nov 23** **Ft Wayne, IN** - Maumee Valley Railroad Club
Model Railroad Show & Swap Meet..
Info: <http://maumeevalleyrailroad.com>.
- Nov 23** **Monaca, PA** - Beaver County Model Railroad
& Historical Society Train Show.
Info: <http://bcmrr.railfan.net/>.
- Nov 30** **Boonsboro, MD** - Hagerstown Railroad
Museum Train Show.
Info: www.antietamstation.com.
- Dec 4-5** **Lafayette, IN** - Railroadiana & Railroad Slide
Auction. Rail & Road Auctions.
Info: <https://rarauctions.com>
- Dec 7** **Columbus, OH** - Buckeye Railroadiana Show.
Golden Spike Enterprises.
Info: www.gserr.com.
- Dec 7-8** **Marlborough, MA** - New England Model
Train Expo.
Info: www.hubdiv.org.

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Front Cover: Amtrak cab car #406, still in the 1980's paint scheme from its Exhibit Train days, is now assigned to the *Downeaster*.

Fall Brookline Auction Offers a Variety of High Quality Railroad Memorabilia

A variety of rare and unusual railroadiana continues to flow through the Brookline Auction Gallery, with several large collections being sold. While many auctions have shifted to an online-only format, Brookline continues to hold onsite sales, with online bidding also offered. *Photos and prices realized courtesy of Brookline Auction Gallery and do not include buyers premiums and shipping.*



A Maine Central silver plate tureen with pine cone logo by Rogers Brothers sold for a high bid of \$1550.



A Fitchburg brass top bell bottom lantern by CT Ham with "FRR" green cast globe sold for a reasonable \$900.



A \$425 bid purchased this East Broad Top Railroad brass heart lock by G&K of Baltimore, Maryland.



A \$475 bid was needed to take home this steel switch key by Bohannon from the Central Vermont Rutland Division.

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Railroadiana Auctions - Spring & Fall - Brookline, NH

Railroadiana Consignment Auctions Held Each Spring & Fall
Brookline Auction Gallery LLC - 32 Proctor Hill Rd, Brookline, NH 03033

www.brooklineauctiongallery.com

Scott Czaja - Sales Manager

Next Sale: Spring, 2025

Featuring Consignments & Several Prominent Collections

Some Highlights of the Recent Sales



Lehigh & Hudson River Lantern:
Sold for \$4600



Northern Central Railway Lock:
Sold for \$2100



Erie Lantern With Green Cast
Globe: Sold for \$2000



Chateaugay Railroad Baggage
Tag: Sold for \$425



Lackawanna Railroad High Voltage
Catenary Sign: Sold for \$1000



Boston & Albany Police Badge:
Sold for \$375

Now on LiveAuctioneers.com - We also accept absentee bids via: e-mail & mail
Quality consignments are welcome for future sales - email Scott: sczaja@hotmail.com

Railroad Memories Fall Catalog is Filled with a Selection of Scarce Memorabilia

Railroad Memories continues to offer high end railroadians in its catalog and online auctions, with several well known collections gradually being dispersed to new owners. There is much more to come in upcoming sales, with the usual selection of western material and some from the east coast. *Photos and prices realized courtesy of Railroad Memories Auctions and do not include buyers premiums and shipping.*



A parlor car smoking stand with Rio Grande tag on the base went to a new collector for a \$920 bid.



Eastern collectors showed some love, bidding this New York Susquehanna & Western lantern by Star up to \$4200.



A \$420 bid was needed to purchase this Denver & Rio Grande Western Railroad metal step box.



West was still best, with this 1889 Otto Mears silver pass from the Silverton Railroad bringing \$3900.

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RAILROAD MEMORIES RAILRODIANA AUCTIONS

Recent Auction Highlights



Southern Pacific Adams & Westlake with Amber Cast SPRR Globe: \$14,250



Union Pacific Denver & Gulf Railway by Union Lock & Hardware: \$11,750



Northern Pacific by SG&L with Green Cast NPRRGlobe: \$5,000



Union Pacific Denver & Gulf Railway Switch Key: \$8,750



Great Northern Railway Porcelain 24" Logo Sign: \$1,350



SP&S / OERY / GNPY Dater Die from Portland, Oregon: \$1,000



AT&SF & Colorado Midland 1894 Joint Annual Pass: \$1,900



CM&STP RY Cooke Works Builders Plate: \$2,300



Chicago & Northwestern "Lunch Room" Bowl by Shenango: \$975

www.railroadmemories.com

Information about consigning: 303-569-5189 or railroadmemories@gmail.com

Fall JM Hobby Supply Auction Features Railroad Artifacts for Every Collector

The fall auction by JM Hobby Supply & Railroad Artifacts had something for every collector, from top shelf memorabilia to reasonably priced lots. A large collection of model trains rounded out the two day sale. There are more collections on deck for the spring auction, and consignments are still being accepted. *Photos and prices realized courtesy of JM Hobby Supply & Railroad Artifacts and do not include buyers premiums and shipping.*



An aluminum Hiawatha logo from a Milwaukee Road passenger car went to a new owner for \$2300.



A \$475 bid was needed to buy this Post & Co. No. 2 conductors lantern, with fount but without globe.



A \$70 high bid took home this Louisville & Nashville Railroad porcelain spittoon with typical moderate wear.



A Chicago Rock Island & Pacific advertisement featuring New York's Dewitt Clinton locomotive sold for \$160.

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JM HOBBY SUPPLY & RAILROAD ARTIFACTS

Railroadiana Auctions

In Conjunction with Ihander Auctioneering

NOW ACCEPTING CONSIGNMENTS FOR 2025

Several Auctions to Continue the Sale of Several Large Collections With the Addition of Many New Consignments

Highlights of Recent Sales



Sold for \$550



Sold for \$4000



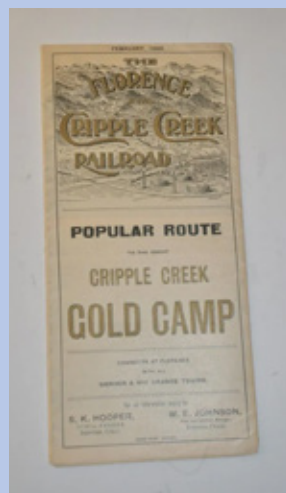
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Rail & Road Auctions Continues Nonstop Schedule with Multiple Fall Sales

Rail & Road Auctions is not slowing down, with live online auctions held monthly, featuring memorabilia of every sort from all over the country. From higher end artifacts to bargain lots for newer collectors, there has been something for everyone in recent auctions, with plenty to come in upcoming sales. *Photos and prices realized courtesy of Rail & Road Auctions and do not include buyers premiums and shipping.*



A Louisville & Nashville logo silver teapot by International Silver was purchased for a high bid of \$550.



A \$3300 bid purchased this Cape Fear & Yadkin Valley Railroad No.39 brass top wire bottom lantern by Ham.



A \$1400 bid was needed to purchase this Pere Marquette System logo 9" dinner plate by Syracuse China.



A Chicago Great Western graniteware marbled porcelain drinking cup went to a new home for a \$500 bid.

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RAIL & ROAD AUCTIONS

Railroadiana "Smalls" - December 4, 2024

Railroad Slides - December 5, 2024

2-Day Railroadiana - January 9-10, 2025



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53rd Key Lock & Lantern Convention To Be Held May 8-11, 2025 in Carbondale, PA

Mark your calendar now for the weekend of May 8 through May 11, 2025, for the 53rd annual convention of Key Lock & Lantern. The Hotel Anthracite in downtown Carbondale, Pennsylvania will once again serve as headquarters, with the show, programs, room hopping and dinner all taking place in this excellent venue.

The convention committee is currently working on the details of various activities, including a train ride or tour, and more information about registration will be announced soon. Watch the Key Lock & Lantern website at www.klnl.org (and sign up for the email list), and follow the KL&L Facebook page to receive information when it is available.

The 2024 convention had record attendance, and we are looking forward to an even bigger event in 2025. As in the past, all collectors and transportation history buffs are invited to attend, and enjoy the dozens of tables of exhibits and memorabilia for sale, programs, and camaraderie. Watch for more details coming soon!



Don't Send in Your Key Lock & Lantern Membership Renewal for 2025 Yet!

It is getting to be the time of the year when our mailboxes and email inboxes start filling up with membership renewal notices for the various organizations to which we belong. Although KL&L is not a group with membership based on a calendar year, some members automatically send in their dues for the coming year, even though KL&L has not sent out a notice. While such support is appreciated, it is NOT necessary to send in your dues payment yet.

The Key Lock & Lantern membership year is generally timed to begin in conjunction with the annual convention, which takes place in May each year. Regardless of the date, membership renewals are not requested until four issues of the magazine have been published (which we hope will take place right around convention time). So, use that money to buy a switch key or timetables at a holiday train show, and we'll be in touch in the spring!



Help Promote Key Lock & Lantern Through KL&L Social Media Sites

Although Key Lock & Lantern is an organization dedicated to the preservation of transportation history and memorabilia, the use of modern technology is nevertheless essential in achieving our goals. From expanded website content, online archives, and digital newsletters, to Facebook and YouTube pages, KL&L has embraced the digital world that we live in today.

These online tools not only provide resources to members of KL&L, but they are an excellent way to introduce the organization to prospective members and other transportation history buffs and collectors. KL&L members can help spread the word about KL&L simply by interacting with these web sites. All of the social media sites have algorithms that control how their content is displayed and distributed, so the participation of members has a direct impact on how visible KL&L is in the vast internet.

Several easy steps will help the Key Lock & Lantern online presence grow. First, whenever possible, use the links pages on the KL&L website to access other sites. This builds site traffic and makes it more visible to search engines and other websites. Sharing links to the online newsletters also helps to build site traffic.

Facebook users can help increase the visibility of the KL&L page by "Following" it, and sharing KL&L posts on their personal pages and hobby-related groups. Be sure to share the entire original post, and not just copy the picture, or the link to KL&L will be lost. "Likes" and comments on posts also help make them more visible.



When watching videos on the KL&L YouTube channel, be sure to sign in and subscribe to the KL&L channel. "Likes" and comments on the videos also make them more visible in search results. Once the KL&L YouTube page reaches a certain level of subscribers and traffic, the organization will begin receiving a portion of the advertising revenue (we aren't there yet, so YouTube currently keeps it all).

The bottom line is that the more visibility that Key Lock & Lantern has on the internet, the faster that its visibility will grow. So, as they say in YouTube videos, don't forget to hit that "Like" and "Subscribe" button!

Western New York Railway Historical Society to Hold Train & Toy Show

The Western New York Railway Historical Society will hold its annual late fall Train and Toy Show over the weekend of November 23rd & 24th. The Events Center at the Erie County Fairgrounds in Hamburg, NY will be filled with operating model train layouts, railroad displays, and over 350 tables of exhibits and vendors.

Some of the groups scheduled to set up layouts at the show include the Niagara Orleans Model Railroad Engineers, and the FCTT HiRailers. Five layouts will be in operation, representing HO, N, O and S scales. There will also be Lego train layouts and a “Thomas the Tank Engine and Friends” play area for the kids.



Several guest speakers are lined up to give presentations on both days, and other local historical societies are expected to exhibit at the show. Representatives of the Niagara Frontier Chapter of the National Railway Historical Society, the Nickel Plate Historical Society, and the Salamanca Rail Museum will be on hand to give updates about their activities.

While most vendors typically offer model trains, books, and videos for sale, several railroadiana collectors (including



A recently restored Lehigh Valley locomotive on display at the WNYRHS Williamsville, NY depot museum.

members of KL&L) are expected to attend. There is usually some interesting memorabilia to be found among the many tables, and some good deals for those who arrive early.

The show is open from 10am to 5pm on Saturday and from 10am to 4pm on Sunday, with an \$8 entry fee for adults and children under 12 admitted for free. All proceeds will benefit the many significant preservation projects of the Western New York Railway Historical Society, which operates the Heritage DiscoverY Center in Buffalo and has restored depots and rolling stock at several locations in western New York. For more information, visit the WNYRHS website at



The society's cosmetically restored Pennsylvania Railroad I-1s Class Baldwin decapod steam locomotive No. 4483.

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Gaithersburg Show is Still a “Must Attend” Event for Railroad Collectors

When online auctions and internet swap groups began to grow in popularity, there was talk that technology might mean the end of railroading shows. Although the internet has continued to play an increasing role in the antique market, railroad hobby and memorabilia shows are still going strong.

The big Golden Spike show at Gaithersburg, Maryland has a slightly smaller footprint these days, but it is still a “must go to” event for most collectors. This year’s show was well attended, and the KL&L members who we spoke with were all pleased with their sales and purchases. There is still something to be said about checking out memorabilia in person, and wandering around rows of tables full of artifacts.

Times may have changed, but Gaithersburg is still an essential part of the collecting hobby!



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A baggage tag from Adirondack Mountain shortline Chateaugay Railroad sold for a \$300 high bid.



A \$400 bid purchased this New York Lake Erie & Western RR Emigrant baggage tag to Council Bluffs, Iowa.



An Atlantic & Saint Lawrence Railroad fixed globe lantern by New England Glass sold for a high bid of \$775.



An Illinois Central Railroad Creole Blue pattern coffee pot by Bauscher sold for a high bid of \$275.



An \$1150 bid sent this 1884 Sodus Bay & Southern Railroad annual pass home to a new owner.



A 23" aluminum Santa Fe lounge car Kachina plaque went to a new home for a high bid of \$8250.



A \$3700 bid sent this Denver & Rio Grande Railway Train Box six lever lock by Miller home to a new collection.



A \$380 bid was needed to purchase this Burlington Route Conductor cap badge with no makers marks.



An Alco Brooks Works builders plate from Union Pacific Mikado steam locomotive No. 2298 sold for \$1550.



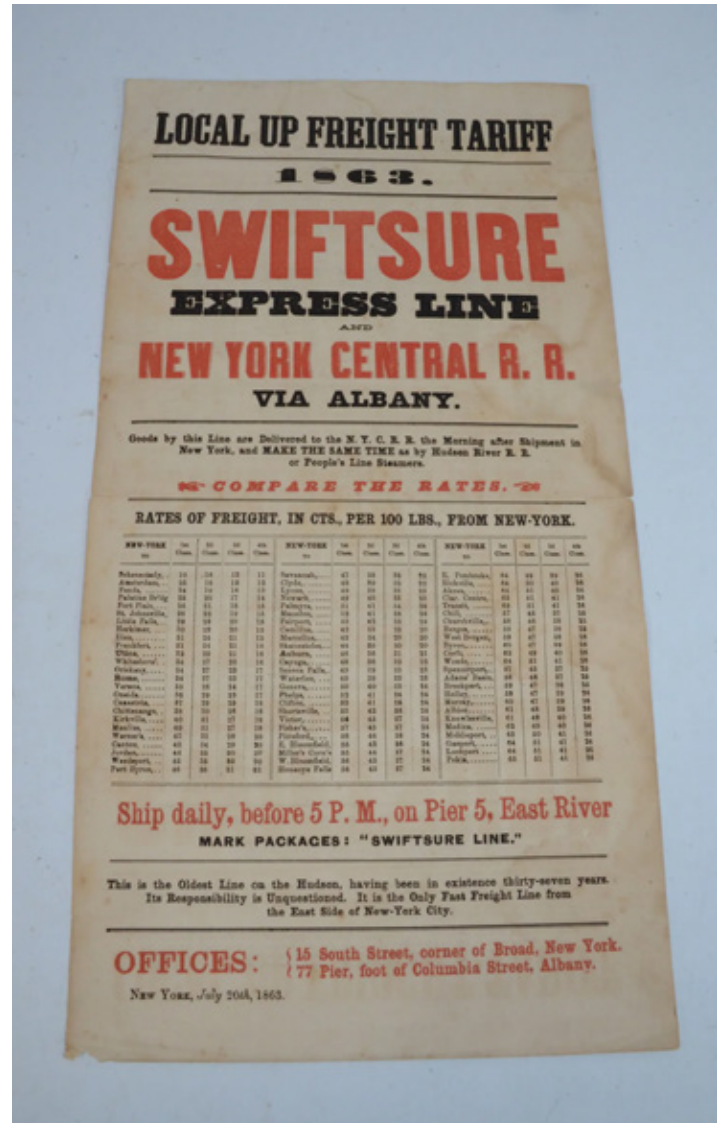
A Chicago Burlington & Quincy Blackhawk service plate by Bauscher sold for a high bid of \$5750.



A \$230 high bid purchased this framed 1874 Colorado Central Railroad Company stock certificate.



A \$210 high bid took home this Norfolk & Western Railway Centennial service plate by Lamberton - Scammell.



An 1863 New York Central Railroad broadside express tariff went to a new owner for a high bid of \$150,



A 1931 Pennsylvania Railroad Griff Teller calendar with complete date pad went to a new collection for \$375.



A \$140 bid purchased an instant collection of Union Pacific Railroad Nebraska Division employee timetables.



A \$60 bid was needed to buy this pair of New Haven Railroad timetable change announcement placards.



A 15" bronze bell, believed to be from a Southern Railway steam locomotive, sold for a high bid of \$1500.



A 20" inch 3-chime Crosby steam locomotive engraved as a gift from the Southern Railway sold for \$11,250.



A \$2850 bid purchased this Alco Richmond Works builders plate from Winston Salem Southbound engine #716.



A Lackawanna Railroad Phoebe Snow waiter's jacket with stains and missing buttons still sold for \$225.



A \$2250 bid was needed to buy this Keystone Casey lantern from the Atlantic & North Carolina Railroad.

CLASSIFIED ADS

Classified ad listings are free for Key Lock & Lantern members. Ad size must fit in four lines, and must include a name and contact email address (the word "at" may be substituted for "@" in the email address, if desired) or website address. A maximum of two ads per person may be run at the same time. Send ads to Dave Hamilton at transportsim@aol.com.

Auctions

Brookline Auction Gallery. Brookline, NH. Railroadiana consignment & estate auctions. Contact sales manager Scott Czaja at sczaja@hotmail.com or visit www.tagtown.net.

JM Hobby Supply & Railroad Artifacts. Luxemburg, WI. Railroadiana consignment & estate auctions. Contact John DeBeck at jmhobbysupplyandrrartifacts@gmail.com or visit www.jmhobbysupply.com.

Railroad Memories. Georgetown, CO. Online consignment & estate auctions. Contact Sue Knous at railroadmemories@gmail.com or visit www.railroadmemories.com.

Rail & Road Auctions. Lafayette, IN. Online railroadiana auctions. Contact Derek Thomas at info@RARauctions.com or visit <https://rarauctions.com>.

Locks & Keys

Wanted: Switch Key from the Baltimore Transit Company (B T Co.) Will pay a good price for a key in decent condition. Dan Allen: [NJSRR\(at\)aol.com](mailto:NJSRR(at)aol.com).

Wanted: Locks - fancy cast back railroad switch locks. Warren Nyerges: email warrennyergesjr@hotmail.com or visit www.antiquerailroadlock.com.

Locomotive & Rolling Stock Hardware

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Railroadiana Dealers

Times Treasures Railroad & Country Collectibles on Ruby Lane. All types of railroadiana, with new items added on a regular basis. <http://www.rubylane.com/shop/timestreasures>

Timetables & Paper

Wanted: Interested in buying railroad paper collections, especially pre-1950 public and employee timetables, passes, name train and travel brochures and dining car menus. No collection too small or large to be of interest. Willing to travel to purchase and pick-up. 45 years in the railroadiana collecting hobby and strict confidence assured. Please contact Doug McIntyre at dm021949@aol.com.

Wanted: Delaware & Hudson RR Employee Timetable #3 dated April 28, 1940. Also, anything related to Wayland, MA, on the Boston & Maine and Central Mass Railroad. Contact Rick Conard at RRConard@earthlink.net

Trolleys & Transit

Wanted: Photos of Syracuse, NY trolley car #1024 & trolley cars around Syracuse University & Archbold Stadium. Dave Hamilton: transportsim@aol.com.

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Info: www.gtealbany.com.
- Dec 14-15** Rochester, NY - RIT Tiger Tracks Train Show
RIT Model Railroad Club.
Info: <http://ritmrc.org>.
- Jan 9-10** Lafayette, IN - Railroadiana Auction. Rail & Road Auctions.
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- Jan 11** DeLand, FL - Florida Rail Fair. Golden Spike Enterprises.
Info: www.gserr.com.
- Jan 18** Atlanta, GA - Atlanta Railroad Show. Golden Spike Enterprises.
Info: www.gserr.com.
- Jan 19** Utica, NY - TTCS Annual Train Show. Utica Union Station. <https://www.facebook.com/TTCSUticaTrainShow>.
- Jan 25-26** Springfield, MA - Railroad Hobby Show. Eastern States Expo.
Info: www.railroadhobbyshow.com.
- Jan 26** Griffith, IN - Blackhawk NRHS Swap Meet.
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- Feb 8** Boonsboro, MD - Hagerstown Railroad Museum Train Show.
Info: www.antietamstation.com.
- Feb 15** Houston, TX - Greater Houston Train Show. San Jacinto Model RR.
Info: <https://www.sanjacmodeltrains.org>.
- Feb 21-22** Fletcher, NC - Asheville Train Show. WNC Agricultural Center.
Info: www.asheville-trainshow.com.
- Feb 22-23** Colorado Springs, CO - Train Expo Colorado Train Show.
Info: www.tecoshow.org
- Feb 23** Buena Park, CA - California Express Railroadiana Show.
Info: www.californiaexpress.net.
- Mar 8** Harrisburg, PA - Harrisburg NRHS Railroad Show & Collectors Market.
Info: <https://www.harrisburgnrhs.org/>
- Mar 15** Corvallis, OR - Winterail Photo Expo & Railroad Collectibles Sale.
Info: www.winterail.com.
- Mar 23** Kingston, NY - Railroad Hobby Show. Murphy Midtown Center.
Info: www.kingstontrainshow.com.

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There is no charge for calendar listings. Train shows must include dealers of authentic railroad memorabilia or related material, and auctions must include at least 20 lots of railroadiana. Other events must be directly related to railroad history (special exhibitions, lecture programs, conventions, limited excursions, etc.). Regular monthly group meetings, model train meets & scheduled tourist train trips are not eligible, unless related to a special event. Events are listed space permitting, at the editor's discretion. Listings are subject to error or change. Always check show web sites before traveling.

Visit www.klnl.org for More Listings

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