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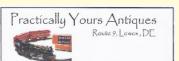






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Wow, is it August already? I don't know about you, but it seems I've been running around all summer long. It was very encouraging to see the great attendance at our special Sponsor's Appreciation Night and also at the Grand Opening on July 18th. Since then, we've had three more open house dates. We are obviously catching some of the beach-travelers as they head back north on Route 113, as many of our guests have said that they either saw newspaper notices or had seen our Steam Engine sign out front!

We have established an easier procedure to sign-up for our members to help cover the club on our opening dates each Wednesday (5pm to 8 pm) and Saturday (10 am to 3 pm). If you go to our web site at www.delawareseasiderailroadclub.com and access the "MEMBERS ONLY" tab on the home page, you will see a new link called VOLUNTEER. Every time we have a date set up either for a work project, open house dates, Roxana Shows, etc., we will have those dates listed, and you just type in your name and the times you can work, and an E-mail will be sent to our events coordinator. If you find you cannot make your commitment, call myself (302-945-1627) or Dave Lawrence (302-537-9114) to arrange for someone to take your place.

Our next meeting is not until September, but in the mean time, we have things to discuss regarding our commitments for 2015. A select group recently met to plan the holiday schedule for this December. We are now planning to take the O and HO layouts, plus the Thomas Train table, to Georgetown Library for a schedule that will include 7 opening dates, including two weekday dates for school field trips and senior/special needs groups. The club will also stay open on those same Saturday dates with the S gauge and G gauge displays being manned. Basically we'll need nearly the same number of people for minimum coverage as we would if all layouts are in one place.

Enjoy the remaining summer days and hopefully we'll see you at the club! Remember, this is YOUR club, so be sure to stop in and check it out.



John Hodges

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