



# Delaware SeaSide Railroad Club

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## Upcoming Events:



April 19 is "York Train Show Day" If you would like to join us in the trek to York, let us know at the April meeting. We plan on meeting at the Georgetown Walmart at 8:00a.m.

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.....F.A.C.E.S. Grant - Once again we have applied for a grant from the Josh Freeman Foundation. Lynn Hooker has written the grant application. We are asking for \$5,000 towards our building fund. Bill Mixon had applied twice in the past. Although we were not awarded a grant, we have been encouraged to re-apply.

.....S-Gauge - The S-gauge committee met last week at John Hodges' garage to work on the new S-gauge modules. The modules are complete, and 80% of the track has been laid. The remainder of the track will be laid on March 29. The group also plans to complete the track wiring.. The skirting is being made by Kathy Hodges.

.....Clean-up day - Thursday, April 12 will be a clean-up day at Jean Layton's garage. Much help will be needed. The following activities are planned:

1. Clean up the rear of the garage.
2. Build new shelves across the back of the garage.
3. Power-wash the floors.
4. Trim trees along the garage.
5. Organize the material on the shelves.
6. Install a new lock on the garage door.

.....Hartly Show - This was a good day for us. We received a \$150.00 donation from the Hartly Fire Company for displaying our trains. We also received \$40.00 in donations from the public. The selling team, under the direction of Bob Hodges, sold over \$600.00 of surplus merchandise.

.....Volunteer hours - As a 501(C)(3) organization, we are being asked to keep a record of volunteer hours. A form is being developed. If you are conducting club business, try to keep a track of the hours involved. This information will assist us in obtaining grants.

## Seen at the Hartly show:



Our new secretary, Jim LeGates, buying trains from Bob Hodges