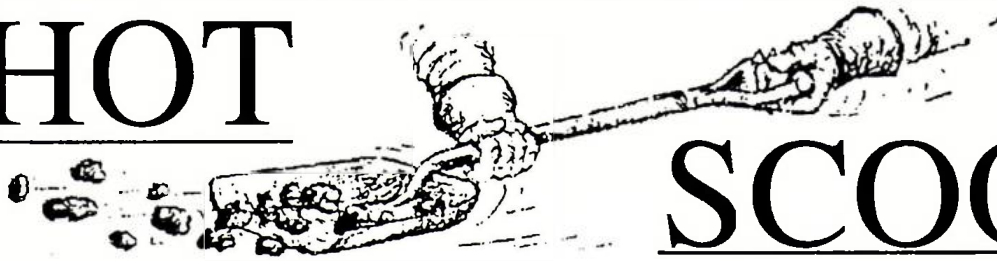


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Message from the director

Barney Barnier

For those who haven't heard, we operated a freight train for a commercial for TACO BELL on Monday the 16th of July, earning the museum a new \$5170.00. This was another in their *Run for the Border* series, and involved a piano and piano player on the flat car in a 5 car + caboose freight train powered by the Alco 2098, and being chased on the frontage road by the Border Patrol in three Black & White units. Some shooting on the flat car, and some from a helicopter alongside. Lost of fun, and the money's not bad either.

Bill Neidrich found another Government Surplus gem for us, a front end loader with a four way bucket. (Acts as a bucket or a blade). We should have it at Campo by the time you read this.

As I write this, we are still waiting for the word from Santa Fe on the Rail donation we requested for the new east entrance to the Campo yard. It has been approved locally, but the president has to give the final OK. Keep your fingers crossed.

Listen for our messages on KCBQ starting in August, and tell your friends. There will be ticket give-a-ways for the train ride.

Remember, the budget for 1991 is in work *NOW*, and if you have input, be sure to see your superintendent.

Trolley Tours Suspended

Due to congestion caused by new construction, trolley tours have been suspended. They will resume as soon as construction is complete.

Badges

Diana has a new supply of cap badges (Trainman, Brakeman & Conductor) in stock as well as SD&A collar pins

She also has SDRM name badges for sale in the gift shop. Everyone who deals with the public should get one. Stop by and take a look at one, they are quite impressive. Cost is \$5.00..

Change of address

The addresses used for the *Hot Scoop* mailing list come from the membership database. If your address changes, all you have to do is to **notify the museum office**.

Getting the Hot Scoop

To get on the Hot Scoop list, call or write Bobbie at the museum office.

Getting into training!

by Dick Ruppert, Director of Volunteer Training

Help recruit! No doubt you are asking from time to time how people can get into training. Tell them, "It's easy!" There's a letter that tells how to get started. People can get the letter at the gift shop at Campo, or they can get copies from the Museum Office (619)-291-9220.

On the Job Training People do not need to wait for the New Member Orientation to begin. They can start on the job training as a trainman or tour guide and work with an experienced

Help Wanted and Thank You's

I could use some help from experienced museum members in a number of areas. If you can help with any of the following call Dick Ruppert 459-2573.

Volunteer Handbook. Another person or so is needed to help *Lew Wolfgang* create an orientation handbook for new museum volunteers.

Volunteer Orientation, Campo. Four or five people are needed to take one Saturday a month and be available to orient newcomers and help them get off to a good start with projects they'll like.

VOLUNTEER OF THE MONTH

Robin Becker

This month I would like to honor Robin Becker as our Man of the Month. Robin recently changed employers and his work hours have increased, but he still finds time to lead the Steam Department forward in their quest for a working engine. Thanks, Robin and thanks to his wife Sue for her understanding and support.

SDRM Museum Department Heads

Museum Office

2870 4th Avenue Suite C
San Diego, CA 92103
291-9220

Library

John Muir Elementary School
69th & Mohawk

Phone numbers

Museum Phone (Recorded Message)	697-7762
Business Office (Bobbie Ringersma).....	291-9220
La Mesa Depot.....	465-8444
Campo Depot/Gift Shop Diana Wood	478-9937
Campo Car Shop.....	478-9917
Campo Caretaker Tom Wood	478-5301
Executive Director Albert B. (Barney) Barnier	271-1197
Facilities(Assistant Sup.) Don Getz	229-0386
Mechanical Dept. Mike Reading.....	277-5168
Operations Dept. David DiGiorgio	280-3989
Equipment and Restoration Dept. Norman Hill	442-6922
Administration Dept. Harry Doering.....	465-7261
Museum Services Charles Alban.....	941-1397
Hot Scoop Submissions Steve Oualline.....	538-0304
Interpretive/Exhibits Rich Borstadt	447-3297
Steam Department..... Robin Becker	481-9028

Facilities meeting first Friday of each month at the Library building.

Operations department meeting third Saturday at Campo after second train. (About 4:15).

Work day each Tuesday at Campo. Contact Jim Hammil 277-2626.

Interpretive Committee, last Friday of each month, Library. Rich Borstadt 447-3297

Hot Scoop subscriptions: San Diego office, Bobbie 291-9220

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