

Volunteers keep history alive

While Greater Sudbury does not have a central museum to celebrate its heritage, there are several "regional" museums that are well worth the visit, especially when entertaining out-of-town guests.

One of these is the Northern Ontario Railroad Museum and Heritage Centre in Capreol.

The museum is located in the former home of the first CN superintendent in Capreol. It is located at 26 Bloor St. Train buffs from around the world come to Capreol to see this treasure chest of history that is lovingly cared for by volunteers.

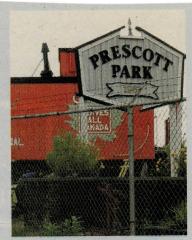
The museum is a good example of what people can do to keep the stories of their community alive.

Currently volunteers are working on upgrading Prescott Park. Recently they placed 400 feet of new track to place additional rolling stock: two Inco electric locomotives, a steel caboose, a snow plow car, a warehouse car and a molten copper car.

Visit NorthernLife.ca for photographs of volunteers hard at work. There is also information about the museum's current fundraising program.

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PRESCOTT PARK



CAPREOL'S RAIL MUSEUM