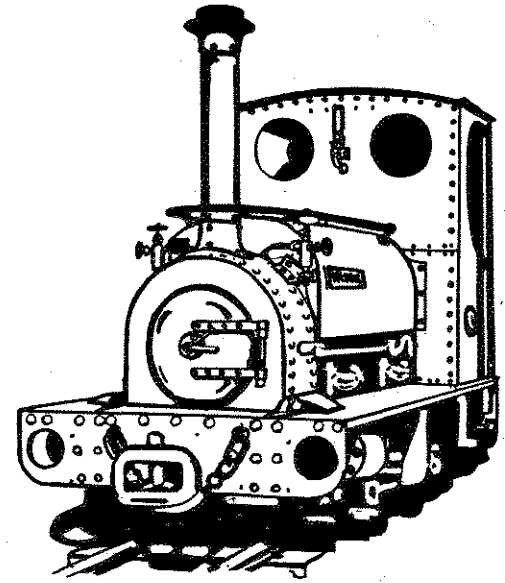


WEST LANCASHIRE LIGHT RAILWAY

SO YOU'D LIKE TO JOIN US ?



Station Road, Hesketh Bank
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The West Lancashire Light Railway

Any Railway, even one as compact as ours requires a lot of upkeep and development.

It requires some dedication, be it 2 hours a week, 1 day per month, as little or as much as you wish to offer.

But its not all grease, grime, soot and muck, there are a lot of small but essential tasks and projects that can be undertaken at the Railway on weekends, or the Thursday workshop night and also from home in the armchair.

Training is available for most aspects of running and operating the Railway, so why not offer to lend a hand.

Becoming a member is the first step, this entitles you to several benefits, and also enables you to join our active volunteers, in maintaining and operating the Railway.

Remember the Railway requires volunteers to enable it to operate its weekly train services during the season, as well as carry our its many ongoing projects

**"MANY HANDS MAKE LIGHT
RAILWAYS WORK"**

Name:

Address:

Post Code: Telephone Number:

Date of Birth (Junior Members)

	I Wish to Apply For	Please Tick
Ordinary Life Membership	@ £ 200-00
Family Life Membership	@ £ 250-00
Ordinary Membership	@ £ 15-00 per annum
Family Membership	@ £ 20-00 per annum
Junior Membership (14-18 Yrs)	@ £ 7-50 per annum

I enclose cheque for £ payable to 'West Lancashire Light Railway Association'

Please complete this form and send it, with your subscription to: W.L.L.R. - Membership,
c/o West Lancashire Light Railway, Station Road, Hesketh Bank, Lancs PR4 6SP Issd 08/2006

SOME EXAMPLES OF THINGS THAT NEED DOING

- Driving
- Firing
- Guarding
- Cleaning
- Ticket Checking
- Shop Sales
- Catering
- Painting
- Joinery
- Bricklaying
- Gardening
- Welding
- Track Laying
- Skilled Engineering
- Unskilled Engineering
- Publicity Distribution
- Sales Stand Representation
- Model Railway Support
- Car Park Supervision
- Leaflet Folding
- General Cleaning
- Boiler Repairs
- Fabrication
- Signaling
- Telecoms
- Artwork
- Sign writing

IF YOU CAN HELP WITH ANY OF THE ABOVE, OR FEEL THAT YOU HAVE A SKILL THAT MAY BE USEFUL TO THE RAILWAY, THEN PLEASE CONTACT US ON 01772 815881 (24 Hours).

OUR RAILWAY NEEDS YOU !

As you can appreciate the Railway needs assistance from volunteers to continue in existence. Without assistance from our society members, the railway would be unable to open its doors to the public, and therefore be unable to operate trains, the revenue from which pays the bills. The contribution from all members is vital in running the Railway. You could be the person that keeps our Railway running.

We are always looking for interested persons who can spare some time, however little. There is a wide range of activities to be undertaken. You don't need any specific skills or previous railway experience, as full training is given. You can turn your hand to anything, gain worthwhile skills and a real sense of achievement. Our present volunteers come from all over the country, and cover a wide age range, from retired persons through to schoolchildren.

The footplate is a popular choice for those who like getting dirty, getting up in the morning, and a reasonable amount of hard work. Starting as fireman you can progress through the various stages to become a steam driver. You could be driving our fleet of steam locos on passenger trains.

The operating department offers a variety of activities, you may wish to train as a Guard or for the less active the booking office may be the order of the day, with additional catering, car parking and shop staff required

on the busy event days, this may suit the member who cannot offer a regular commitment to the railway.

For those who like to get their hands dirty, there are a range of tasks available, from engineering, loco restoration, painting, building work and tracklaying. Together with the never ending task of maintenance of the infrastructure,

Assistance with such tasks as leaflet distribution, representing the Railway at exhibitions, assisting in the production of the society magazine and other such administrative tasks may be of interest to some members.

Naturally, all members are guaranteed a warm reception, and simply **becoming a member is a positive step to assisting the Railway.**

Benefits of Membership include:-

- 'Short Axle' Magazine
- Quarterly mailings keeping you up to date with the progress and events at the railway
- Free Travel

For more information on the Railway why not visit our web site; www.westlancs.org

To Join Simply complete the Form on this leaflet and send with the appropriate membership fee.

YOUR SUPPORT WOULD BE VERY MUCH APPRECIATED