

ALL ABOARD

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We were supposed to have had an eclipse earlier this month. But, since I couldn't see it, it must not have happened. All kidding aside, the last total solar eclipse visible from San Antonio was in 1397. The next possible one will be around the year 2399 at the soonest.

In brighter news, we held election last month for three board positions and ended up with 4 board members. But Uncle Bob, how is that even possible. Well we were voting on reelection of Bill's position, Kevin's position and my position. We also had Joshua who wanted to be in the election. But, before we could bring the slate before the voters for a vote, we had an unusual event occur. Ray Bennett vacated his position, opening up a fourth spot on the Board. With no one else wishing to run for a Board position, we had four nominees for four positions on the Board. The club voted for the four candidates and Voila, Democracy in action. The Board then quickly met following meeting adjournment and before he knew it, Josh is our new President.

We have a train show this month. The New Braunfels Spring Train Show and Jamboree. Tentatively, we will be setup on the stage and connected to the New Braunfels TTrak layout. Kevin will update the club with the latest news concerning that layout.

Bob Williams
Secretary



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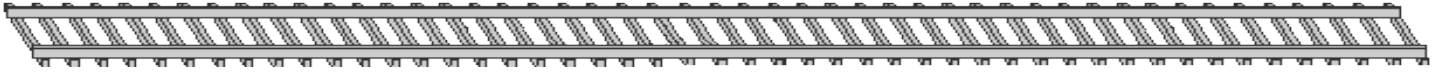
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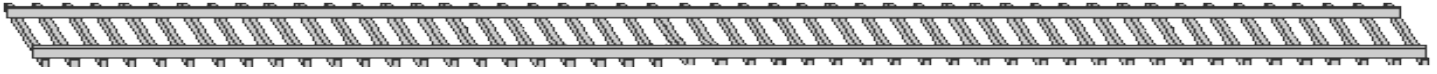




APRIL 2024

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
	1 April Fools Day	2	3	4	5	6
7	8 Total Eclipse of the Sun	9	10	11	12	13 Santrak Meeting 0900 TTM
14	15	16	17	18	19	20 NBRRM Train Show 9AM to 5PM
21 NBRRM Train Show 9AM to 4PM	22	23	24	25	26	27
28	29	30				

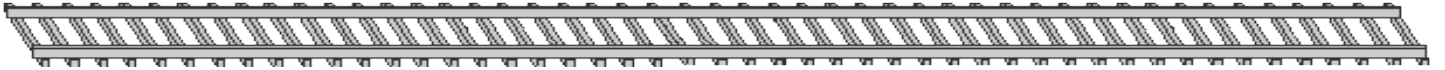




May 2024

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
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5	6	7	8	9	10	11 Santrak Meeting 0900 TTM
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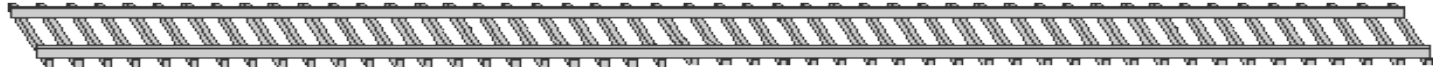


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INFORMATION**

If you change an address, e-mail, phone #, etc.,
please let us know.

If you don't tell us, we don't know!





SANTRAK Business Meeting Agenda
09:00 AM

April 13, 2024
TTM

Standing Business

1. Review Minutes: Review minutes from March meeting
2. Financial Report
3. Membership Report
4. Train Show Participation
New Braunfels Show April 20 and 21, 2024.
5. Clinics All Clinics currently on hold. When continued we may open them to the TTM members and possibly general public.
2024 Schedule **All Clinics currently on hold**
Locomotive maintenance
Open Loads Kevin and Bob Rescheduled
Animation Rebecca and Frank Rescheduled

Possible subjects
Basic Airbrushing (Bob W)
Airbrush Weathering
CAD Signage
Tree Workshop (Kevin)
Static grass (Bob W)
3D Printing (Kevin and/or Bob)

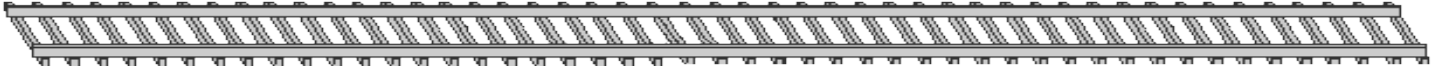
Old Business

1. Summary of participation in March
2. Layout update
3. April show update

New Business

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- 2.





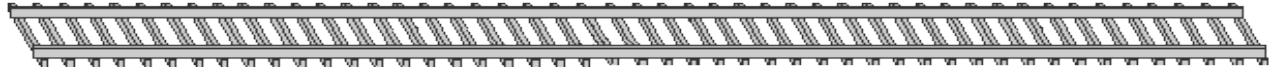
Superintendent's Corner

Joshua Gallardo

My office is always open.

No report this month





SANTRAK General Membership Meeting Minutes March 9, 2024

Call to Order 0905

Members present: Ray, Bill, Bob W, Mark, Kevin, Joshua, Frank, Gary, Eric and Dave
Minutes were approved as written
Financial report read by Bill
Membership report shows 21 current paid members

Train Shows
New Braunfels Railroad Museum Show April 20th and 21st 2024

Clinics:
No current clinics scheduled

Old Business:
1. Layout update
2. SAMRA show review. SAMRA show was a good show on Saturday, but visibly slower Sunday.
3. NBRRM Show will be April 20th and 21st. Kevin is show lead for this one.

New Business:
1. Elections for Board Members. We have Bill, Kevin and myself running for the Board. Joshua has also express interest in the Board. As such Ray has decided to step down from Board and the slate of four nominees was elected. The three incumbents will assume their previous positions while Joshua was made President. This was decided at the Executive Board meeting which followed the regular meeting adjournment.

Meeting adjourned: 0933

R Williams
Secretary





REGIONAL TRAIN SHOW SCHEDULE 2024

List of shows compiled by Contributing Editor Kevin B

New Braunfels Railroad Museum Show and Jamboree
April 20th and 21st, 2024
New Braunfels Civic Center
New Braunfels, TX

