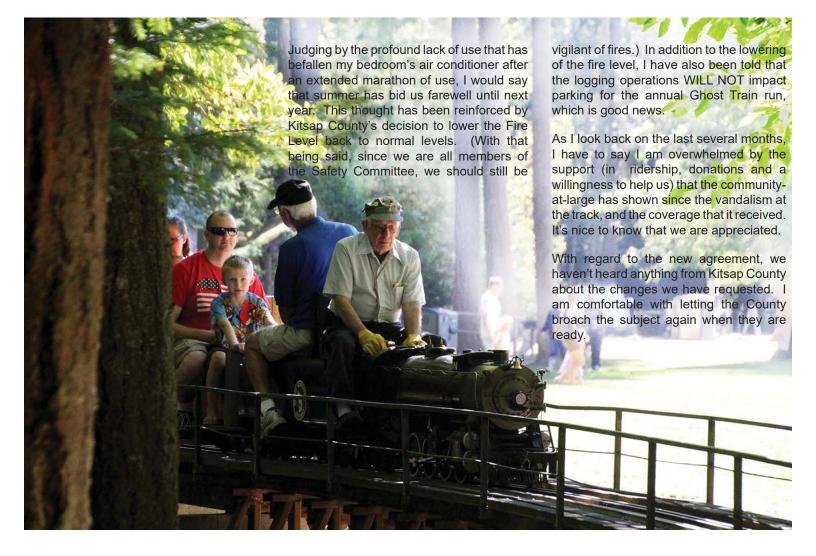




## The Publication of the Kitsap Live Steamers

President's Message by Erik M. Meehan

## A Change in Seasons, and a (possible) Season of Changes



Next Meeting: October 5, 2015, 7:00pm Poodle Dog, Fife

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Happy August Birthdays to

Andrew Frame (09/13), Jana Meehan (09/15), Ted Karanson (09/15), Eric Jones (09/27) President's Message Continued

I have received an e-mail from Caden (who is one of our most active Members--though he is not old enough to drive a car yet) that he would like to have an Operations Meet up here in KLS, presumably during a Fun Run day. I am looking forward to his presentation at the October monthly meeting. Personally, I would like to give it a try. During the September monthly meeting, several possible changes were brought up. The result of the discussion is that we are fielding a committee to review the by-laws, and come up with recommendations for any changes that may be deemed necessary due to changes in technology and other circumstances. This is a perfect opportunity for those who may feel disenfranchised or otherwise marginalized to get involved, and improve on our railroad.

Be safe, have fun, and please remember that this is YOUR railroad.

#### Superintendents

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4:00 PM to 9:00 PM	

Dennis Weaver Dan Simmons OPEN Tom Huffman OPEN OPEN KLS Board

Kitsap County Parks Advisory Board 2015 Meeting Schedule

Meeting Time – 6:00 PM

October 21, 2015 Long Lake 5448 Long Lake Rd SE Community Center Port Orchard WA

November 18, 2015 Eagle's Nest 1195 NW Fairgrounds Rd Bremerton WA

December No Regular Meeting Scheduled







#### **Building and Grounds**

By Tom Caparrella

Nelson and Barbara have had to do a lot of work around their house so they have not been able to be at the track as much lately. They have been able to keep the Thomson Building cleaned and maintained. Don Rogers has been keeping the yard raked and cleared of much of the debris. He has been disposing of the debris as well. Don has also blown the center of the mainline. The parking lot needs much attention.

#### Membership

By Carole Moss

KLS will provide one name tag for an Individual Membership, and two are provided with a Family Membership Additional or replacement name tags can be ordered for \$7.00 each. Please contact Carole at: membership@ kitsaplivesteamers.org or 253-566-3843 for replacements or additions. Please notify us if you have a change of your contact information. The Membership/renewal form is also downloadable from our website www. kitsaplivesteamers.org. Remember Family membership is only \$60 and we now have the option of payment by credit card.



## Bulletin Board Station Report

By Barbara Lanchester

August was an absolutely awesome month, at the depot. The weather was great, we didn't need coats and gloves, or umbrellas.

We had a total of 2,421 riders. These are very faithful riders who come out regardless of the weather. They are very patient and wait for the trains. Once they have ridden the train, the majority of them get back in line for another ride. A big Thank You to each and every one who comes out and rides with us!

We are hoping the weather continues to be good. We only have 3 more Run Days this season. Hope you will be able to come out and enjoy them with us.

#### **Printable Roster**

A complete printable Membership Roster is now available. From the Home Page follow the green menu strip to Membership Directory. Two options are available; the first is a quick search providing phone number and if the member has email, a link. The second option will provide a comprehensive roster including member's mailing address, phone and email. Click on the first line, titled "KLS Membership Roster (date)," and it will automatically load. This can be printed for your future reference, however, you will need a pdf program such as Adobe.

If you would like to have a printed copy sent to you, or there is an error in a listing, please let me know, 253-566-3843 or <u>withane65423@gmail.</u> <u>com</u>.

#### Sunshine

By Carole Moss

Please encourage our members that we miss. You can send a card, email, call or drop an encouraging card. It's just nice to know someone is thinking about you! Also, please remember the caretakers, if appropriate. If you know of someone who needs encouragement, please contact Carole at membership@ kitsaplivesteamers.org or 253-566-3843

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For Sale: Bob's Two Trains 7 1/2 inch gauge, 1 <sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub> inch per foot.



Pacific 4-6-2 Locomotive complete and running with prints. Passed all tests for 10 years. Steel boiler and tubes.



Mountain 4-8-4 Locomotive chassis. All wheels turned and mounted on frame. Some rods completed.

Tender truck wheels turned and mounted on shafts. Several castings for engine and tender plus prints.

Craftsman Lathe Model 101.28970, approximately 1962. 12 by 36 inches in excellent condition. Thread cutting and many tools.

Jet Mill Drill Model JMD-15 plus tooling. Jet Band Saw/Cut off Saw. Lots of nuts, bolts and stuff for trains. Engine Hoist

Call Interested Bob Fuchs at 253-631-8377





#### Special Sale of KLS Shirts

"Get them while they last! Adult KLS Shirts on sale \$5.00 each. The larger sizes listed in the past for as much as \$26.00! There are a few grey t-shirts left and lots of polo shirts in blue with and with out pockets, "

Contact Jana or Barbara Lanchester to make a purchase. Limited to stock on hand!

For Sale: Smithy mill/lathe combo, including a quick change tool post, three axis digital-read-out, spare drive belts and other accessories. Price is \$500

Bill Hartung, 206-498-1503 hartungbnc@comcast.net



#### **KLS Anniversary T** Shirts

Selling to the members at cost including sales tax

Basic Shirt: Youth and Adult	7.90
Hoodie sweatshirt	19.00
Long sleeve T-shirt	12.00
Sweatshirts	17.00
Polo Shirts	16.50
Long sleeve polo	20.25
V Neck Bella shirt	10.50
Long sleeve Bella Shirt	14.00

XXI is 2.00 more per shirt and xxxI is 3.00 more per shirt

The basic shirts come in a rainbow of colors. Call me on colors for the other shirts. We have had requests for more feminine t-shirts. The Bella shirts are slim cut. For me I will order a size larger.

Call me, facebook me, e-mail me if you have any questions. meehos@aol.com 253-756-7868.

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# Kitsap Live Steamers Calendar

September	26	Run Day in the Park AM - Dennis Weaver PM - Dan Simmons
October	5	Board Meeting - Poodle Dog 7pm
-	10	Run Day in the Park AM - PM - Tom Huffman
	24	Run Day in the Park AM - PM - TBD
	31	Ghost Train - KLS Board GN
November	2	Board Meeting - Poodle Dog 7pm
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December	7	Board Meeting - Poodle Dog 7pm
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