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The Holiday Season is Here!!!





The last week has seen three tour groups come to the Museum. We thank the Cuesta Crankers Model A Club, the Friends of the Santa Maria Valley Railroad and an energetic Tiger Scouts group who all came to see us in the last few days. You can see the boys above as they wave at the Surfliner, learn about the unusual history of the velocipede and find out how engineers got their train orders in the old days. Thanks to all of you. We hope you'll come back to see us again.

Join Us for Our Holiday Celebrations!

Saturday, December 6th, is our **Decorating Day**. Bring all the decorations you can donate to the Museum and join us in making it ready for our holiday visitors. We can also use plastic bins for storage.

The next Saturday, December 13th, is our **Holiday Open House**. We'll be decorated and ready for visitors, so bring the whole family and your friends, too. There will be holiday treats for everyone, and we'll have toy Christmas trains running. Visit the Gift Shop for your holiday shopping. We have many kid's items, ornaments, and attire. And as our present to all you railroad fans, we are having a...

HALF-OFF VINTAGE BOOK SALE

The Museum has a large and diverse selection of vintage railroad books. We keep the ones that should be part of our archives. But we have many beautiful books that are not about Central Coast trains, or are duplicates of ones we already have. As part of our holiday celebration, we are putting them on sale. If you have a train fan on your holiday present list, this could be the perfect place to

find that interesting and welcome piece that will make their day!

Finally, on Saturday, December 27th, after close of business at 4 pm, we'll be having an end of year potluck member mixer. This is open to all members and we encourage you to come by, especially if you haven't been in to the Museum for a while. You will be amazed at the changes in the model area and on the La Condesa. Bring a dish to share and whatever you want to drink, and come mix and mingle with other members while we reflect on how much we have accomplished this year. So much has happened at the Museum in 2014, we have good reason to celebrate with each other and look forward to 2015.

Keep watching for information about our fundraisers next year. We have some great events coming up that will help us with all the projects we want to accomplish, and we will depend on our friends and members to make these events fun and successful.

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