



On the Right Track

DECEMBER 2019

LINK TO CLUB PHOTOGRAPH GALLERY



CLUB NEWSLETTERS

The following link will take you to the archived copies of the newsletters that reside on the Google Drive.



LINK TO BACHMANN 2019 CATALOGUE



LINK TO MANUALS

A selection of manuals and guide documents.



CLUB HOURS

Tuesday 7:30 pm to 10:00 pm

Thursday 2:00 pm to 5:00 pm

Saturday 12:00 pm to 5:00 pm

Saturday - First Saturday in the month

Public Open Day 1:00 pm to 5:00pm

At least one committee member must attend each session. Depending on demand, an earlier closing time may occur.

The club will be closed on Christmas eve 24/12/2019

Normal hours will in operation over the Christmas and New Year period for other days

New Years Eve 31/12/2019 is a Tuesday. Celebrate the arrival of the New Year at the Club. We will be running from 7:00 pm. Bring a plate to provide refreshments throughout the evening,

Club Open Days

1:00 pm to 5:00 pm

The club holds a public Open Day on the first Saturday of each month

Members to be available from 12:00 pm and trains to be running for the entire afternoon

LAYOUT DEVELOPMENTS

Lakeside extension is proceeding a quite a rapid rate. John Cutler and his assistants are well involved in the wiring side of things.

Lakeside will not be available for use over the Christmas and New Year Period. John Cutler is busy converting the wiring to all DCC and making the connections to the new extensions. Scenery work has started on the new extensions thanks to the efforts of Allan Smith. I am sure any assistance in this endeavour will be greatly appreciated.

A great effort by all of those involved in the work!

The main layout will be available for use during the outage of Lakeside.

FUND RAISING

Apart from membership subscriptions, the major sources of fundraising are: the occasional Bunnings Sausage Sizzle and Revenue from Swap Meets and Exhibitions. The weekly dibs help with some of the minor expenses.

Remember, if you can assist in volunteering for some of these club activities it helps to make the club a better place and eases some of the

pressure on those members who contribute on a continual basis.

The club also has some quality merchandise for sale. Club Logo pens and Computer Mouse Pads. Pens \$4.00 and Mouse Pads \$6.00.

VIDEO LIBRARY

The efforts of former club member Vic Tilling in providing a great selection of videos that show both of our layouts are greatly appreciated.

A selection is displayed on the club Web Site.

www.noarlungarail.com

Vic also has his own Web Site

www.videowombat.net

This site provides links to Vic's YouTube videos of both model railways and general Train videos.

TRADE SUPPORTERS OF THE CLUB

The following suppliers provide continuing support for the club's activities. Please use their services when you can.

Drakes Foodland Community Dollars

Tokens

Are you still using your Drakes Foodland Community Dollars token? Using the token at any Drakes Foodland store builds funds onto a gift card for the club: the more that you use the token, the more valuable is the gift card... See Jeff Kohler, AKA Frosty, if you do not have one.



Web Link: www.papworthsecurity.com.au

CLUB CHRISTMAS FUNCTION



This year's Christmas function will be held on Saturday 21st. December at the Thaxted Park Golf Club, 1 Golf Course Drive, Woodcroft.

6.00pm for a 6.30pm start.

The venue was paid in advance on 7th. December 2019.

Looking forward to catching up with those who will be attending.

MEMBERSHIP SUBSCRIPTIONS

If you intend to renew your membership, the last day for paying your subscription is the end of December. A renewal after this date will incur an additional \$25.00 joining fee.

If you do not wish to renew please advise the Secretary and your details will be archived in the club records.

Those people who have not renewed by the 31/12/2019 will be removed from the active club records.



FUTURE EVENTS FOR YOUR DIARY

PORT ELLIOT TOY FAIR

Institute Hall
164 The Strand
Pt Elliot

SUNDAY 5TH JANUARY 2020

9AM – 3PM

**Toys, games, models, dolls, diecast,
collectables**

Something for everyone

\$\$ GOLD COIN ENTRY FEE \$\$

PH 0447 136 468 for more details



**NOARLUNGA
MODEL
RAILROADERS**

Model Railway Swapmeet

When: Sunday 15th. November 2020
10:00 am—1:00 pm

Where: N.M.R.I. Club Rooms
163 Old South Road
Old Reynella
(Next to Bus interchange)

What: Model trains, track, magazines,
buildings, kits, cars, books etc.
Tea, coffee and cold drinks
available
Sausage Sizzle BBQ

Cost: Admission \$3.00

Sellers: \$25 per table, size 1800x750mm
Maximum two persons per table please

Bookings and information:

Email: admin@noarlungarail.com

Club phone: 8322 7047 (101 messaging)

Post: PO Box 707, Morphett Vale, SA 5162



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Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year



FUTURE DEVELOPMENTS

At the committee meeting on Monday 9th.
December, discussion was held relating to:

1. The future of the tram track on the main layout – when time permits the tram track will be converted to allow for operation with normal trains. A section will still be available to allow tram operation on the outside line.
2. Due to a kind donation, the club now is able to set up an N gauge layout for members to use.

Expressions of interest or comments from members will be appreciated prior to any final decision being made.

It is envisaged that if established this layout will provide for an additional portable layout for use at exhibitions. To provide the appropriate space this will not occur until we have been able to

establish external storage for the trailers and other items.