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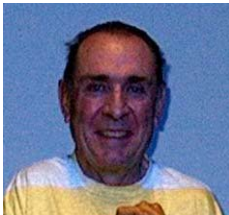
Scheduled and Unscheduled Society Events, Timely News, and Notes of Interest

AUGUST, 2005

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Mike Morgan Elected To SCRVRHS Board of Directors

Mike Morgan, a Fillmore resident since 1993 and a SCRVRHS member since 1996, was elected to the board of directors to fill the vacancy left by 'retiring' President Pat



Askren. Mike is an instrumentation and electrical systems technician with Imation in Camarillo. 'Big' Mike and his entire family have been very active in

SCRVRHS since their joining. Wife Joyce and daughters Shelly, Susan, and Michelle have all volunteered their time and dollars to the Society over the past many years. You may have noticed that our new digital theatre is named after the Morgan's in recognition of their service. Please congratulate Mike in his new position!



Pictured at top left on July 16th are some of our members enjoying their meal. Bottom left to right: Chief Cook and tri-tip master Director John Gartman; onion man President Rick Swanson and homemade chili pro Vice President Ron Lewis.



Our support for the fireworks fundraiser over the July 4th week was much improved over last years operation. SCRVRHS members turned out with little hesitation and much dedication to staff our stand. Preliminary results show a net profit of nearly \$20,000. Thanks to Gary Phillips, Mike & Joyce Morgan, Jim & Sue Mendrala, Fred Ervast, Tim Mason, Stan Hurst, Jeff Stine, Jim Treloar, Ron Lewis, George Roberts, Ken Van Fleet, Gerry Mathews, Jeff & Carrie Knight, Dave Jeffery, Don Ellis, Joyce Velarde, Mike Tettlebalm, Leo and Hamilton O'Biecnas, Joe Kern, Cameron Stewart, Jeff Trimble, Rick Swanson and Don & Barbara Hatch. If we missed anyone please accept our apologies along with our sincere thanks! — Don Hatch, Fireworks Chairman

CAR ATTENDANTS

JOIN US AUGUST 6, 7, 13 & 14 FOR OUR ONCE-A-YEAR OPPORTUNITY TO CREW THE VENTURA COUNTY METROLINK FAIR TRAINS! MEET IN UNIFORM AT THE MOORPARK METROLINK STATION AT LEAST 90 MINUTES BEFORE THE LISTED CHATSWORTH DEPARTURE TIME FOR YOUR TRAIN. CALL DON HATCH AT 805 484-8624 OR EMAIL HIM AT DHATCH@SCRVRHS.COM FOR SIGN-UP & COMPLETE DETAILS. FREE FAIR ADMISSION AND LUNCH PROVIDED BY THE VENTURA COUNTY TRANSPORTATION COMMISSION

Departs:	TRAIN #1		TRAIN #2
Chatsworth	9:00am	1:05pm	11:00am
Simi Valley	9:15	1:20	11:17
Moorpark	9:29	1:34	11:33
Camarillo	9:41	1:48	11:50
Oxnard	9:53	2:06	12:05

Arrives Fairgrounds

10:20	2:35	12:25
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Departs Fairgrounds

10:30am**	6:10pm	3:30pm
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** Deadhead back to Chatsworth

DISPATCH BOARD

AUGUST 2005

Join us for an informal breakfast every Saturday morning at 8:00 am at the Fillmore Cafe on Santa Clara Street across from City Hall.

- 3rd** **SCRVRHS Board of Directors Meeting**
7:00 p.m. Railroad Visitor Center 455 Main Street, Fillmore
Members are always welcome to attend
- 6th & 7th** **METROLINK COUNTY FAIR TRAINS &
F&W WEEKEND EXCURSION TRAINS**
Car Attendants Needed call Don at 805 484-8624
- 10th** **GENERAL MEMBERSHIP MEETING**
7:00 pm Railroad Visitor Center—Fillmore
Cool refreshments & hot train digital videos in surround sound!
- 13th & 14th** **METROLINK COUNTY FAIR TRAINS &
F&W WEEKEND EXCURSION TRAINS**
Car Attendants Needed call Don at 805 484-8624
- 20th & 21st** **F&W WEEKEND EXCURSION TRAINS**
Car Attendants Needed 11:00 am — 4:00 pm
call Don at 805 484-8624 or email at dhatch@scrvrhs.com

26th, 27th & 28th **F&W SPECIAL EXCURSION TRAINS**



Support the F&W
CAR ATTENDENTS NEEDED
10:00 am to 3:00 pm
Contact Don Hatch
805 484-8624

(The 'Little Engine' will also run on
September 3rd & 4th)

AROUND THE ROUNDHOUSE . . .



LAST CHANCE — to get your \$110 in for the Pony Express private car trip to San Diego on Saturday, September 10. Many have expressed interest but we only have the money from three (3) members. We need 20 for the trip! So if you plan to go, mail your check by August 15th to SCRVRHS attn: Rick Swanson P.O. Box 492 Fillmore, CA. 93016-0492. Do it **TODAY!**

TURNTABLE — due to the recent illness of Project Engineer Roy Payton, we are contacting outside engineering firms to provide the two final pieces necessary to go out to bid. Those items are a 'sequence of construction' for the construction and installation of the turntable and an electrical plan from the street to the electrical panel. Efforts to have this completed since last February have encountered disappointments, miss information and missed deadlines. As frustrating as it has been to finish this process, we press forward!

THANK YOU: TWICE —to the Fillmore & Western Railway for their donation of a Whiting Car Mover. The four cylinder, propane powered 'mover' will be used to pull/push railcars on and off of the turntable, to and from the roundhouse (photos will be in the next issue). Thanks also for cutting the monster weeds that grew up around the turntable property. With stems over an inch thick, our weed whacker couldn't handle it! Much appreciated!

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