

# The Ghost Train Journal

The Monthly Newsletter for the members of the Connecticut Eastern Railroad Museum

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## Photo from last year's Night Photo Shoot

This year's shoot should promise to be as good!

Photo by R.A. LaMay



Tom Nanos Photo

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## From The Editor's Desk

Well, here I am again. Mr. LaMay is up riding the rails in Alaska taking pictures of everything in sight (hopefully he'll be kind enough to share in a future issue), so he asked that I step back in and take the controls on this issue of the Ghost Train Journal.!

### Any Banner Printers?

We've got a new sign for the summer concerts that not only show the name of the band, but also acknowledge the sponsor(s) for that particular day. Janet Atkins is looking for some help on maintaining the signs. Below is a note from her about what she's looking for and how to contact her.



The new sign used at a "Rhythm on the Rails" concert. If you can help out with making the inserts for this, contact Janet Atkins (info to the left). Tom Nanos photo

In an effort to upgrade the signage for the concert series I would like to find someone who is able to print continuous signs, probably no longer than 33 inches in about a 2-3 inch height.

Call Janet Atkins at 860-423-5930 or email me at wardloghomes@charter.net. We can discuss the details.

Thanks for considering this small contribution to the museum program."

**More pictures than you can shake a stick at**  
Well, maybe I'm exaturating a bit, but this issue will be short on text, and heavy on photos from around the museum. Also, my "Budd" Bob left me with a "Remember When" photo. Check it out, and you'll get the really bad joke.

### Night Photo Shoot

Well, as you get this, the third annual Night Photo Shoot will be history. As of press time, 12 of the 15 spots were sold and the weather was looking promising. Looking like another successful night shoot! Next issue should

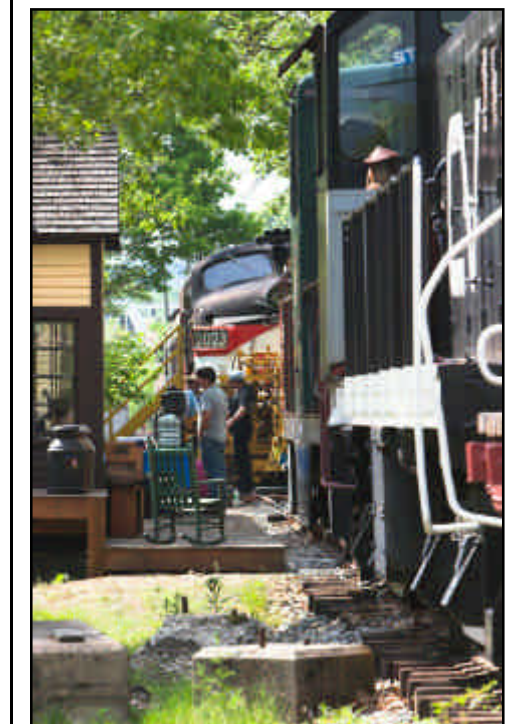
### Happy Birthday To You...

During the "Rhythm on the Rails" starring John Clark, it was brought to the attention of the



band by Ray Axelrod that we had a birthday in the house. It was none other than President Mark Granville's birthday! The band graciously honored him by singing a few bars of "Happy Birthday."

Thanks for reading & enjoy the issue!  
-Tom Nanos & Bob LaMay (in abstensia)



Looking down the tracks through the Museum Village. The band takes a break in between sets. Tom Nanos photo

have a complete recap and some photos from the shoot.

"Are you able to print banner signs on your computer or do you have access to such equipment?"

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A view of a baggage cart next to the boxcars on the Groton Freight House siding. Tom Nanos photo



Cutting rail for the new switch. Tom Nanos photo



“Remember When” - Here’s a photo of a Budd car rounding the bend behind where the roundhouse is now.  
 Note - I’m having some problems with my Yahoo Mail folders, and I can’t access the message that Bob sent me with the exact caption & credits for this photo. This is from memory - I’ll make sure that Bob prints the proper information and credit information. Sorry! -Tom



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## Rhythm on the Rails - May 27, 2006

John Clark

Photos by Thomas J. Nanos



### Calendar of Events

- Jun 10 Night Photo Shoot
- Jun 11 Buisness Meeting
- Jun 17 Concert - “Charter Oak Bluegrass”
- Jun 18 Father’s Day
- Jun 24 Concert - “The Scissormen”
- Jun 25 Membership Meeting
- Jul 8 Concert - “The Quiet Corner Fiddlers”
- Jul 9 Buisness Meeting
- Jul 15 Concert - “Tara’s Thistle”
- Jul 23 Membership Meeting

### The next scheduled meeting of the Connecticut Eastern Chapter, National Railway Historical Society will be at

Windham Community Memorial Hospital  
 112 Mansfield Ave., Willimantic, CT  
 on Sunday, June 25th @ 7:00 PM.

Please note: The monthly business meeting will be held on Sep 11th at the same location.

All members are welcome and encouraged to attend!

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