

THE PENNYRAIL

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WEST KENTUCKY CHAPTER OF
THE NATIONAL RAILWAY HISTORICAL SOCIETY

May 2022 Meeting
Innovation Station
Monday, May 16
7:00 PM

Program by
Blair Terry
Refreshments
by
Bill Farrel

President-Keith Kittinger

Vice President-Steve Miller

Sec/Treas-Bill Farrell

Chapter Rep-Will Kling

Director at Large-Cooper Smith

Editor-Bill Thomas

Hey folks, take some time this coming month and tell me how you got interested in railroading and/or railroad history. Another topic may be something like, "What was the most dangerous thing I ever did while trying to see or chase a train. I've got a couple of my own! -ed.



Minutes from April 2022 Meeting

Western Kentucky Chapter/NRHS

Minutes April 18, 2022

President Keith Kittinger called the meeting to order at 7:00 pm, April 18, 2022. There was a total of 10 members and 3 guest present for the meeting.

The minutes from the March 21, 2022 meeting were approved as read by William Farrell club Secretary. Motion to except the minutes by Bill Thomas, seconded by Jim Pearson. The minutes were approved by the members present.

The treasurers report was given by William Farrell, of 3,350.64. There was a total of two deposits of 22.00 and one debit for 7.16. Motion to except the treasures report was made by Ricky Bivins and seconded by Bill Thomas. The treasures report was approved by the members present.

Old Business:

Jim Pearson showed the members present the photo entries for the March contest. Jim also encouraged the members to go out and take pictures for the may contest.

Bill also noted there were still two members that had not paid their 2022 dues. Those members were reinviced in March.

New Business:

Bill Farrell had reported that he received a phone call from Larry Levin about setting up the club modular layout in Evansville next November. The consents was that it would take more time to set up then it would have time to run. Jim Pearson reported that an organization called Virtual Rail Fan had contacted him about setting up a track side camera in the area of Crofton. People who subscribe to this organization can watch trains in real time a crossed the nation. Jim is going to contact Danny Lacy, Mayor of Crofton to see what he might think about a camera alongside the tracks in his city. With no further business at hand Steve Miller made a motion to adjourn the meeting, seconded by Ricky Bivins. Motion passed by all the members present. Business meeting was adjourned.

Respectfully;
William Farrell
4/23/2022

NEWS BRIEFS



Photo Contest Winners 2022



MAY PHOTO CONTEST



1st Place winner of the West Kentucky Chapter of the NRHS January 2022 Photo Contest - A BNSF Manifest is running westbound on BNSF's Fallbridge Subdivision which follows the Columbia River on the Washington State side. The Columbia River is unusually calm in this stretch. This location is Lyle, Washington. March 18, 2022. Photo by Bill Grady

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MAY PHOTO CONTEST



2nd Place winner of the West Kentucky Chapter of the NRHS January 2022 Photo Contest - Montana Rail Link's Day Gas Local is headed railroad east out of Thompson Falls, Montana loaded towards Missoula, Montana on March 16, 2022. This location is called Eddy, MT. Photo by Bill Grady

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MAY PHOTO CONTEST



3rd Place winner of the West Kentucky Chapter of the NRHS January 2022 Photo Contest - March 19, 2022: Raging through a field north of Adams, TN, I026 catches the final few minutes of sunlight as it runs north. Photo by Cooper Smith

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-ed.

PHOTO GALLERY



March 14, 2022: USAX 6520 slowly pulls from the CSX Interchange Point at Hopkinsville, KY with a load of military equipment bound for Fort Campbell. Photo by Cooper Smith.



Railroad Interchange

Free back issues of O Gauge Railroading, ranging from 1996-2002, and a Norfolk Southern Station list from May 1996.

Also looking for HO scale railroad junk parts such as barrels, diesel parts, tools, etc. for an engine house diorama scene.

Call, text, or email Bill Thomas, billtrainthomas@gmail.com, 270-339-9482.

N scale Atlas Snap Track - enough for an oval with a couple of switches and short trestle set. Free to a good home. Contact Bill Thomas

