

MEMBERS' NIGHT

THURSDAY 25TH AUGUST 7 pm

ALL PAID-UP MEMBERS ARE INVITED TO OUR ANNUAL MEMBERS' NIGHT WHEN YOU WILL BE ABLE TO SEE AROUND THE DEPOT AND HAVE THE OPPORTUNITY TO DRIVE THE 3 OPERATIONAL TRAMS UNDER SUPERVISION.

ENTRY TO THE SITE IS BY THE MIDDLE GATE.

THERE WILL BE A BUFFET AND AND A RAFFLE.

THE COMMITTEE DO HOPE YOU WILL BE ABLE TO COME AND ENJOY TRAM DRIVING AND SOCIALIING WITH OTHER MEMBERS.

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SUMMER 2011 REPORT.

I would like to start this report by paying tribute to Bob Stewart who passed away in March. Bob had a long association with Summerlee as an Office Bearer with the Friends. He only joined our Group a couple of years ago but very quickly became one of our stalwarts covering many driving duties and readily passing on his engineering skills on Thursday work nights. He was a man that easily made friends and is sadly missed by all associated with the Park.

Thanks to all who attended our AGM this year, it was a good turnout which demonstrates to the Park staff the tremendous support we have within our Group. Before the meeting started, Operations Manager, Tommy Gallagher addressed the Group and thanked us for our support and advised us of future developments in the Park. The meeting itself was very useful with members of the Thursday night squad explaining in great detail what had been happening in the workshops over the previous year. We received a great deal of useful feedback and information which will be put to good use. The existing committee was re-elected with the addition of John Kennedy and Ross Fulton who have both contributed a great deal to the Group over the last few years. The meeting ended with the chance to catch up with old friends over tea and buns prepared by Andy Jamieson and Marjory Broom in the tram depot. Many also took the opportunity to view the horse tram which has been stored for many years unseen in the boat shed.

This is my opportunity to welcome our new members who have joined recently. I hope you can take part in some of our activities and please make yourself known to other members of the Group, so that we can welcome you properly.

Thanks to all who have promptly renewed their membership. If you have not already done so please regard this edition of Trolley as a final reminder, we would rather keep you informed about what is happening than waste money sending out reminder letters. If you are thinking of letting your membership lapse I hope that by reading through this issue we can convince you to renew. If not, thank you for your support in the past.

The Park Management have adopted the very positive initiative to meet volunteer groups, find out what their wants and frustrations are, and then work to resolve issues. Learning & Access Manager Lu McNair has taken time to meet the Thursday night team to discuss the work we are doing and advise us what is happening in the Park. These meetings have been very constructive and we appreciate the fact

