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The occasional newsletter of the
Operations Department of the
Pennsylvania Trolley Museum

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Spring Training

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Dennis F. Cramer - Editor

Sign-Up Now

PENNSYLVANIA TROLLEY MUSEUM OPERATOR TRAINING 2015



Enrollment
January 5- March 6, 2015

Requalification for returning **revenue operators, maintenance,** and those **student operators** who are actively working toward revenue status will be conducted in March. All operators will pick a date, as well as a **second choice.** **Instructors** do not need to return this form, you will be contacted at a later date. Class size is limited to fifteen (15) operators. The cost is \$10.00. Preference will be given to those living farthest away from the museum. If you turn 65 before May 1, you must submit a certificate of visual acuity and then every other year thereafter. (65-67-69-71-73-75-etc.)

Please identify your first and second date choice and your operating classification. You will receive confirmation from me once I have your form, but no sooner than January 2.

Mail to: **PTM Operator Training, Dennis Cramer, 147 Sherwood Drive, Kittanning, PA 16201**

Make checks payable to: Pennsylvania Trolley Museum

Contact businessmanager@pa-trolley.org to use a credit card or pay cash in person

PLEASE PRINT CLEARLY

Name _____ Member Number _____

Address _____ Phone _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____ Cell Phone _____

Email _____

Birthday (M-D-Y) _____

OPERATION CLASSIFICATION		
Revenue	Maintenance	Student

RETURNING (\$10) Choice

Fri Mar 13 9:00-4:00 _____

Sat Mar 14 9:00-4:00 _____

Sun Mar 15 9:00-4:00 _____

Fri Mar 20 9:00-4:00 _____

Sat Mar 21 9:00-4:00 _____

Sun Mar 22 9:00-4:00 _____.

THERE WILL BE A 30 MINUTE LUNCH BREAK LUNCH WILL BE PROVIDED

RETURNING OPERATORS BRING YOUR RULEBOOK, TRAINING MANUAL & TOUR GUIDE MATERIALS WITH YOU Rulebooks may be printed from the Operations Website
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Spring Training

Once again it is time to register for Returning Operator Training at the Pennsylvania Trolley Museum. All Revenue, Maintenance and Student Operators must complete the training. Select a date and a second choice. There are fifteen slots for each training day, so get your form in early to secure your first choice. You will be contacted once I have received your form to confirm your date and to provide additional information.

Instructors do not need to schedule, you will be contacted shortly to confirm your availability to work the sessions. Instructors should forward their contact information to Dennis Cramer via email.

New Operator Training will be held over two weekends (four days total) in April. See Trolley Fare for the form if you have a friend interested in volunteering.

Those of you who live more than 100 miles from the museum will have the opportunity to schedule an alternative date if none of the listed dates work for you. Fill out the form, enclose your registration check and mail it to Dennis Cramer with a notation that you need a different date. We will accommodate you as we have done in the past.

Any operator not actively running for two years must undergo New Operator Training. Contact Chris Walker, Operations Manager for details

Questions may be addressed to:
Dennis Cramer
training@pa-trolley.org
724-548-5225

Students who went through New Operator Training in 2014 must sign up for the class.

PLEASE MAKE SURE TO CIRCLE YOUR CLASSIFICATION ON THE FORM

The VISUAL ACUITY FORM is located on the "OPERATING ORDERS" section of the OPERATIONS WEBSITE Bring it with you to your training date.

**YOU WILL BE SENT THE EXAM ONCE YOU HAVE
REGISTERED FOR TRAINING**

See page 4 for slots available as of January 31, 2015.

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Requalification Training 2015 9:00-4:00

	March 13	March 14	March 15	March 20	March 21	March 22
	Friday	Saturday	Sunday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday
1	Fred Schneider	Dave Hamley		Jack Simich	Ray Lonabaugh	
2	Rich Trudel	Steve Kuznetsov		Doug Mahrer	Charles Brown	
3	Jim Herron	David Moffett		<i>William Kiehl</i>	Andrew Lynn	
4	Mike Kendlick	Frank Bobro		Jim Herrington		
5	Joe Warkany	Tim Moffatt		Bob Powischill		
6	Scott Davis			Jack Sutherland		
7	<i>Barrie Baker</i>			Bob Alexander		
8	Tony Schill			Ed Lybarger		
9	David George			Bill Jones		
10	George Gula					
11	Ray Janosko					
12	Jim Toepfer					
13						
14						
15						
	Instructors	Instructors	Instructors	Instructors	Instructors	Instructors
A						
B						
C						
D						

A= Paper Work/Lead Instructor

B= Track 11 to McClane Loop

C= Richfol-Arden Loop

Italics = student operator

Carleton Weber, Don Bailey requal later

Instructors	Instructors	Instructors	Instructors
April 11	April 12	April 18	April 19