

St. Croix Railroad



2016 Invitational Spring Meet

May 27th 28th & 29th 2016

Open to General Public Sunday the 29th Noon to 4:00 PM



Come and help the St. Croix Railroad celebrate its 45th year of model engineering. The SCRR will be open from Friday May 21st through Tuesday May 31st. Enjoy private steaming and running, displays, fellowship, and food. Come share and make some memories with your fellow hobbyists from close to home and far away. It is the best value for your travel dollar. Bring family, friends and guests.

How Much?

\$5.00 Registration for all

Propane for locomotive use ONLY is available for a charge based on tank size.

Coal is available for a nominal charge per bag or bucket

\$5.00 electrical fee for Electric Locomotive chargers

Where: The St. Croix Railroad is located 4 miles south of I-94 at exit #2 County Road F "Carmichael Road" then West on South Cove Road to "T" intercession then right which is north to bottom of the hill. Left turn back west on Croix Ridge Drive. Our parking lot is first drive on left side. **315 Croix Ridge Drive, Hudson, WI. 50416**

What: Enjoy private steaming, running, displays, fellowship, and great food on the 45th St. Croix Railroad spring meet. Come make some memories with your fellow members from close to home and far away. Bring guests, friends and family. The railroad will be open from Friday May 21st through Tuesday May 31st. Tracks are available to all registered attendee's usage between 6 AM and 1 AM. Night running on any night, weather permitting. No whistle or horns can be used after 9:30 PM or before 9:00AM. You must display a headlight and a "FRED" (red lights face rear). See rules at posted at the railroad site.

ST. CROIX RAILROAD Spring MEET 2016 MENU



BREAKFAST

Cost \$7.00 per person

Thursday & Friday

Eggs Served to order, Sausage, Bacon, Hash browns

French Toast or Pancakes, Coffee, Juice

Saturday

SCRR Biscuits and Gravy Egg Bake

Pancakes, Coffee, Juice

LUNCH

SERVED "A LA CARTE" AT MODERATE PRICES

Orders will be taken for burgers, Brats, hot dogs, etc. Costs per item will be posted at the Shack.

DINNER

**** Thursday Dinner ****

Cost \$8.00 per person

Swedish Meat Balls over Egg Noddle's

Green Beans

Caesar Salad

Dinner Rolls

**** Friday Dinner ****

Cost \$10.00 per person

Boneless Grilled Chicken in a Sherry Mushroom Sauce

Buttered Corn

Garlic Mashed Potatoes

Caesar Salad

Dinner Rolls

**** Saturday Dinner ****

Cost \$13.00 per person

Roast Pork Loin with Orange Marinade Glaze

Grilled Vegetable Medley

Cheesy Au gratin Potatoes

Fresh Fruit

Dinner Rolls

BREAKFAST 9 to 10am

LUNCHEON Noon to 1:00pm

DINNER 6:00pm

All Meals served at **"Maureen's Canadian Cook Shack"**

Breakfast and Dinner must be paid for at the time of registration



Facilities: The SCRR has three tracks

- An elevated track supporting 2½", 3½", 4¾" and 5" gauge tracks.
- A ground level 4¾ inch featuring a 2,200' 1.5% up grade
- A ground level 7½ inch gauge

Track clearances and specifications are documented on the SCRR website.

Steaming bay facilities with water, compressed air and 120V electricity are available. Coal and propane are available onsite at cost. Unloading facilities include an electric hoist and willing hands! Check the posted notice at the registration building for more info.

Covered areas will be available for stationary equipment and displays. Please contact us with your needs.

Safety Inspections:

- All locomotives and rolling stock are subject to be checked for gage prior to being run at the SCRR. The SCRR conforms to IBLIS standards for wheel profile, thickness and flange depth. Non-conforming equipment will not be allowed to operate on the track due to the potential for track damage. This includes SCRR domiciled locomotives and rolling stock.
- All steam locomotives, steam tractors and stationary boilers must have up-to-date boiler inspection documentation meaning the last boiler inspection cannot be more than two (2) years old. If you need a boiler inspection the SCRR will have inspectors on site. Upon registering please let the registrar know that you need a boiler inspection. Note that an SCRR inspection for visiting equipment is a safety action on behalf of the SCRR; we do not purport to be any form of certifying organization and will not be issuing any certificates for visiting equipment.

Railroad Operations:

- All tracks open for operation after 6 AM No whistles or horns may be used before 8 AM.
- Night running on any night, weather permitting. No whistles or horns may be used after 9:30 PM. You must display a headlight and a "FRED" (red lights face rear). See rules posted at the railroad

Volunteers are needed; Local and Distance Members are sought to help with the meet in food service, cleaning, loading, unloading, steaming bay and roundhouse duty. Contact Meet chairmen at the email address or phone number listed below or at the Meet when you arrive.

Friends and Guests: Of members are welcome at the Meet. All attendee's including members must register and pay a registration fee. Members are responsible for their guests and friends behavior and adherence to the safety rules of the St. Croix Railroad.

Animal Friends: Are allowed on a leash. The pet owner is responsible for the behavior of the pet. Any pet owner who's pet is deemed to be a nuisance or unruly may be requested to remove the pet from the property. Pet owners are responsible for picking up after the pet.



Accommodations at or near SCRR

Limited camping, motor home and trailer camping space is available at the SCRR. Maximum overall length is 30 foot. You must call or email Jim Culver prior to May 1st to reserve a spot. Limited electric hook up is available on a first come first served bases. Heated bathrooms and showers are available on site for campers. Please limit you shower time as a courtesy to other campers and also to insure hot water for all. We suggest a \$10.00 per night donation towards utility costs.

Nearby RV and Camping:

St. Paul East RV Park 568 Cottage Grove Dr. Woodbury MN, just 10 minutes from the Railroad.
<http://www.stpauleastrvpark.com/>

Local Accommodations:

Local motels are in Hudson, WI and their phone numbers are shown below. The SCRR does not have any relationship with any of these businesses and cannot guarantee that space will be available so please call in advance. The SCRR is four miles south of Hudson which is approximately eighteen miles due east of downtown Saint Paul.

Hudson House	(715) 386 2394
Fairfield Inn	(715) 386 6688
Super 8 Motel	(715) 386 8800
Holiday Inn Express	(715) 386 6200
Comfort Suites	(715) 690 2500
Quality Inn	(715) 386-6355

The Twin Cities are served by Minneapolis-St. Paul airport (MSP) and Amtrak (the Empire Builder which calls at Saint Paul Union Depot)

Contacting us

Email	meet@stcroixrr.org
Phone	715-386-1871 Leave a message

www.stcroixrr.org