



MOTORCAR OPERATORS WEST

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MOW Sightseeing Board Meeting

The MOW Board of Directors is holding their next meeting in San Luis Obispo, Saturday, February 11, 2017. All MOW members are welcome to attend. It was decided that for fun and comradery the Board would take the opportunity to ride the Amtrak Surfliner from San Luis Obispo to Santa Barbara and return prior to the afternoon Board meeting. This is a very scenic part of the coastal train line which skirts the ocean in areas that have no public access. Details for the train ride, Board Meeting and a Sunday scale railroad outing are as follows.

The meeting will be held on **Saturday, February 11, 2017** at the San Luis Obispo Railroad Museum following our optional ride in the morning on the Amtrak Surfliner. The following is the train schedule for that day and those attending will be in charge of their own tickets. \$70 Round Trip www.amtrak.com

Saturday Morning

Train #774 Pacific Surfliner -Departs San Luis Obispo 6:55 am Arrives in Santa Barbara at 9:24 am

Saturday Return Trip

Train #1761 Pacific Surfliner -Departs Santa Barbara 10:22 am Arrive in San Luis Obispo at 1:00 pm.

Saturday Lunch Lunch will be on your own. Food is available on the train or at one of the best sandwich shops in San Luis Obispo that's within walking distance of the train station and museum.

Board Meeting The San Luis Obispo Museum has a private Pullman/observation car on the tracks in front that will be our Board meeting location. Board meeting will be held from 2:00 pm to approximately 5:00 pm.

Saturday Evening

The evening will begin at 5:00 pm with a short social gathering and tour of the San Luis Obispo Railroad Museum. www.slorm.com Dinner will be on your own with a possible single location if the group should choose to dine together.

Sunday Optional Fun Activity

We will be hosted by Karl Hovanitz at the 7 ½" gauge Bitter Creek Western scale railroad located 20 miles from SLO in Arroyo Grande, CA We will have the opportunity to enjoy the railroad and converse over a hot dog lunch. If you haven't seen this gem of a scale railroad you won't be disappointed.

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