

STEAMLINES

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Annual General Meeting	2 nd Friday	13 th Nov.
Railway Museum run	Sunday	15 th Nov.
Club Day	3 rd Saturday	21 st Nov.
Club run day	Last Sunday	29 th Nov.
Christmas party	to be advised	? Dec.

Post Office Box No.681 Balcatta 6021

Monthly meetings :- Museum building in Laurie Strutt Park, Elvira St Waterman. at 7:45pm.

A.G.M.

It is that time of the year again where it your turn to alter the make up of the committee. Please give some thought to who you would like to guide the club for the next year (possibly you)! Also Club subscriptions are due at the A.G.M. You need to be financial to vote!

Yearly membership subscriptions are due prior to the A.G.M. All positions fall vacant.

We will be attending the Railway museum (Bassendean) open day on the 15th. Nov, a low key event where we will be basically showing the flag and having a good time. If you would like to join us, just contact a committee member !!!!!!!!

Also just passed was the Bassendean fair at the Mary street reserve, a good day was had and the coffers had a timely injection of funds.

It was remise of me in the last news letter to fail to mention that Ken Dines has steamed his Super Simplex engine, it performed well and we hope that it will be a regular participant at the track --- Well done Ken.

Hot Air Engines

A small special interest group has been formed to discuss Stirling Cycle and Hot-Air engine projects, sources of materials and construction methods. We currently meet once per month on the Wednesday evening following the monthly General meeting. If you are interested in attending and contributing please call John Martin in the first instance for details on:

Telephone (Home)- 9448 8843 or (Work)9273 8221

Brain Teaser

No claim is made to the originality of this problem and some of you may have seen it before. What you may have is an original to add to an existing list of possible answers. So here goes:

A model engineer was given two hollow steel balls, both of the same size and weight but made of steel of differing specific gravities. They were given to him on the understanding that he would distinguish one from the other and could explain how he came to his conclusions.

He did so in a number of ways, each way confirming his initial findings. Can you think of any ways he was able to tell one from the other?

Please list as many ways solving the problem and you can either bring it along to the next meeting, send it to a Committee member or pass it on to another member who is likely to attend. Your ideas will be discussed as will the existing list of possible answers.

The more ideas we have, the better! A full listing can be included in a subsequent Newsletter.
John Martin.

Included in the list of dates, is a mention of club day. This is a work day when most members should try to assist in the construction of your facility, and not leave it to the few stalwarts who attend regularly. There are many projects on the go and if you wish you can be a team leader (yuppie talk) and organise the project.