

Train Mad Grandad

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What's new on the TMG Website this month?

- Editor's Railway Bucket List
- Oxford Canal and Railway History
- Fenny Compton Railway Station (disused)
- Banbury Railway Station
- Legend of Eggy Joe
- Loco favourites B17 Footballer Class
- Lydney Model Railway Show, with the unusual Layout in a Car Boot exhibit, below



Message for Exhibition Managers

Would you like to receive a batch of A6 flyers for your future show table plus a laminated flyer for your club noticeboard?

If I can attend in person, can TMG have a small table, chair and power socket for a Septugenarian to promote this website, (Going for the sympathy vote?)

Recent You Tubes of the Week

- Narrow gauge railway in rural Surrey
- Fully Automated Railroad Crossing
- BR Advert - HST v Class 37 Police Car!
- Beach Train Ride 2023
- Helston Railway

[Check out more You Tubes on our **Backtrack** page](#)

Texas law once said: When two trains meet each other at a railroad crossing, each train shall come to a full stop, and neither train shall proceed until the other has gone. Huh??

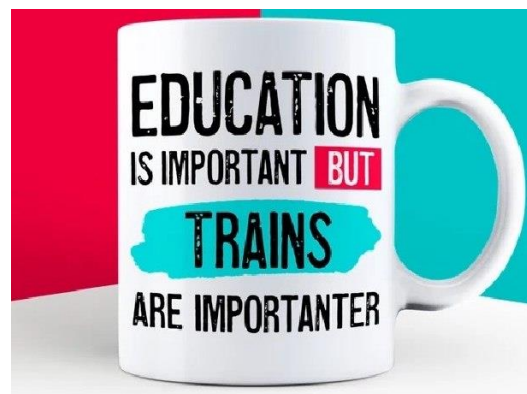


TMG would love to broaden its appeal by publishing online your stories, photo albums, railway bucket lists and more. Contact TMG at [prescotian31 \(at\) btinternet \(dot\) com](mailto:prescotian31@btinternet.com)

The Editor has put some of his own examples as a guide for budding storytellers. If you are concerned about how it looks, TMG can present it in a way of which you can be proud!

Oxford Canal and Railway History Cruise

Lynne and I recently enjoyed a two-week holiday on our share narrow canal boat, the Huxley, based at Dunchurch Pools Marina near Rugby. The marina sits on the North Oxford Canal. Another shareholder had left an updated copy of the Pearson's Canal Companion volume based on the Oxford/Grand Union canals and often refers to railway features such as The GCR "Lonesome Signal", Disused BR station at Fenny Compton, and the crossing of the HS 2 works!



How can you help Train Mad Grandad?

Tell your railway enthusiast friends and club colleagues as soon as possible! Many thanks to the Alnwick Model Railway Club for adding us to the website links page! How about your organisation doing the same? It would be very much appreciated!

One liners to fill the space left!

A friend got to the final of the local model railway competition. He lost on points. Got a couple of railway buffers going cheap. It was an end of line sale.