THE MANIFEST July/August 2018



Greetings All:

I must apologize for the lateness of this newsletter, I am afraid this month snuck up on me like a thief in the night. I will make this one short and sweet, but please get me any stories you wish to put in and I will be sure to start putting them in beginning in September.

Thank you **Allen Dobney** for sending out email on the show for the meeting, due to my failure to get this newsletter out on time.

We have had a great year so far, albeit lots of smoke, which lowered our attendance at the last run day, but all in all it has been a great season and I wish to thank everyone who comes out to help not only on run days, but in between also.

We are now signed up on **Amazon Smile**, so please use it whenever you buy something through Amazon. Tell all your friends; share the link below with them. The society gets 1% of all sales. That may not sound like a lot, but every little bit helps.

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BOARD OF DIRECTORS MEETING MINUTES

Due to being out of town for my son's wedding, I was not at the last meeting in July, however thanks to Allen Dobney, here are the minutes from that meeting.

Southern Oregon Railway Historical Society Board of Directors Meeting Minutes of July 10, 2018

- Call to Order: Meeting was called to order at 7: 30 PM by President Bruce Kelly
- Roll Call: Bruce Kelly, Allen Dobney, Jerry Hellinga, and 10 other members were present. Chris Manley and Rice Walch were absent.
- 3. Consent of the Agenda: The agenda was approved by consensus.
- 4. Approval of June, 2018 minutes: Minutes were not available.
- Treasurer's Report: Jerry Hellinga presented the Treasurer's Report. Good news, Jerry reported that we ended the fiscal year with a surplus. Allen Dobney moved to accept the treasurer's report. Bruce Kelly seconded. Motion passed.
- 6. Committee Reports:
 - a. Medco 4: Jerry Hellinga No update.
 - Burger Shack: Allen reported that Jerry did an excellent job replacing the worn out ramp. Allen has completed painting the trio of the Burger Shack and removed the

rotted steps and handrails on the SW corner of the Burger Shack.

- c. Newsletter: No update.
- d. Website: No Update.
- e. Butte Falls: No update.
- f. Excess Sales: Allen Dobney reported that we are over \$3200.00 of proceeds from slide & other item sales. A new set of auctions will start this Saturday.
- g. RR Park: Bruce reported that the committee is working on park wide emergency plan.
- 7. Old Business:
 - a. None.
- 8. New Business

Our next meeting is Tuesday, August 14, 2018, 7:00 P.M.

Meetings are in the Model Railroad Building.

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UPCOMING CHAPTER EVENTS

The entertainment for the **August 14, 2018** meeting will be courtesy of *Allen Dobney*, "Burlington Northern in Northern Oregon, Vol. 3

If you know of any other events that should be added to our newsletter, please email, me at (chrismanleysteam@gmail.com)/call, (541-291-1705), with the details.

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