THE GRAIL

The Newsletter of the Mid Wales and Marches Group of 'G' Scale Society
January 2016



Tony Dingley setting up his layout in the Hall

You can't beat a good natter with friends



Group Running Sessions in Castle Caereinion Community Hall

All running sessions will be on the second Saturday of the month. The dates are :-

9th January 13th February 12th March 9th April

All sessions will be 10am to 3pm.

Christmas Dinner

The Christmas Dinner held in the Hall on Saturday 12th December was a great success and a very big thank you to Chris Millichamp and her helper Harry for putting on such a lovely meal. In fact there was so much to eat that Chris took some back home as we could not eat it all. We all knew what Alan was going to be eating for the next couple of days!

Next Meeting in the Hall

At the next meeting in the Hall on Saturday 9^{th} January we will be discussing the possibility of extending the layout to create longer passing loops. We already have two doors which can be used and if it is feasible we may start to do some of the work at the next meeting. However we have less than £1 in the kitty (see Accounts below) so we cannot buy any more materials etc.. out of the current funds.

2016 Open Days

Sunday 27th March 2pm onwards John Wenlock Eyton Nr Wrexham

Sunday 17th April 11am onwards Dave Dowling Llanfair Caereinion

Sunday 8th May 2pm onwards John Wenlock Eyton Nr Wrexham

Sunday 22nd May 11am onwards Alan Millichamp Llandre Nr Aberystwyth

Sunday 12th June 2.30pm onwards Mike Thornhill Leominster

Sunday 26th June 1pm to 5pm Ivan Byng Newbridge on Wye

Sunday 24th July 11am onwards Dave Dowling Llanfair Caereinion

Sunday 7^{th} August 11am onwards Tony Hayward Market Drayton

If any one else would like to hold an open day next year can you please let Dave Dowling know so that he can include the date in the Calendar for everyone to see.

HELP needed for Stafford Show Sunday 20th March 2016

Steve Parberry is organising the Stafford Show next year and he has asked for members who are prepared to act as Stewards on the day to contact him so that he can include them in his plan. Stewards will get free entry to the show as well as other benefits. Steve can be reached on

Minutes of Area Group Leaders Meeting held on 17th October 2015 at Hobs Meadow Solihull.

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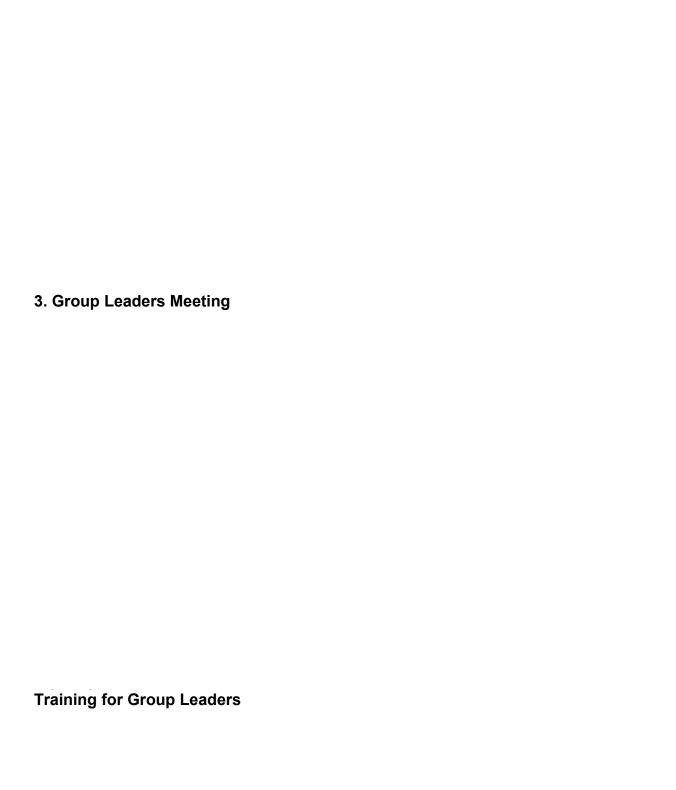
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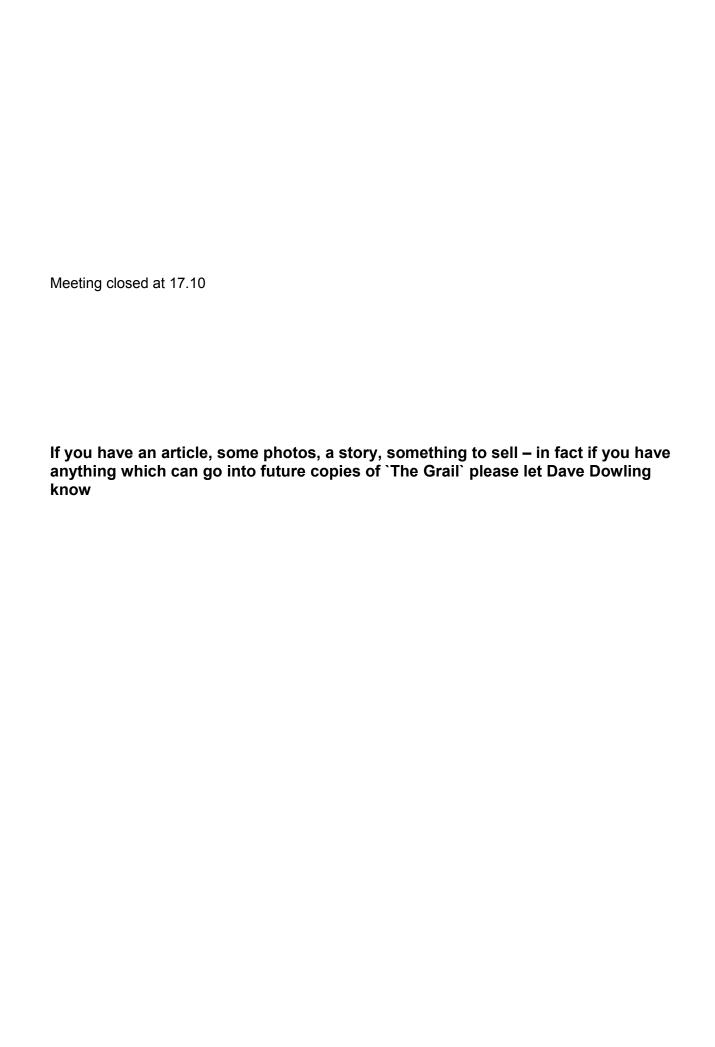
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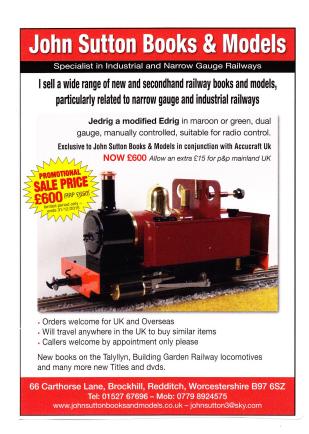
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