



Trojan Owners' Club

Gathering at Battlefield Heritage Railway

9th. June 2018

Courtesy of Bob Cooper
our Member in Leicester
you are warmly invited
to join this TOC Gathering
at this Heritage Railway.

"There's so much more to see and do on the Battlefield Line than first meets the eye. Climb aboard one of our trains and you're transported back in time on an historical journey, courtesy of a country railway in the heart of rural England.

The Battlefield Line is the last remaining part of the former Ashby and Nuneaton Joint Railway which was opened in 1873. It runs from Shackerstone via Market Bosworth to Shenton in Leicestershire and is operated by the Shackerstone Railway Society.

Shackerstone Station is at the northern end of the line, and is the headquarters of the railway with museum, Victorian tea room souvenir shop, loco shed and main rolling stock located here. There is ample free parking, and the Ashby Canal is just a stones throw away.

Our remarkable railway captures the very essence of a country line, with steam, diesel and railcar train services along with small stations meandering along a single track line. It really does convey something of the feeling and atmosphere of heady days past.

For anyone who retains a sense of nostalgia for times gone by, you'll be pleasantly surprised at this place - one of Leicestershire's best kept secrets, not just a train ride but a journey into history as well.

Whether you visit us on one of our special event days or on a more quieter day there is plenty to see and do on your visit. Why not extend your stay and join us for the weekend many of our special events run for several days and there is also plenty of other attractions near by to suit all generations."

Venue - The Battlefield Line Railway, Shackerstone Station, Shackerstone, CV13 6NW

Trojan Owners' Club Members and guest are invited to attend the above event kindly organised by Bob and Julie. If required, trailer parking will be in the Station yard . A selection of accommodation venues is available for those who may wish to stay overnight in the area. Please contact philpotter2@sky.com.for details.

The general format of the day will be:

- Arrive at station 10.30 am onwards (Station Cafe available for refreshments).
- Arrange return train ride to Railway museum.
- Travel, hopefully by Trojan, to local Hostelry for a 'social' lunch.
- Following lunch, a short run to Bobs home to meet on the local green, with tea, biscuits and cake.
- Close of day .

I/We intend to come to the Battlefield Heritage Railway Gathering on 9th. June 2018

Names:	
Tel. No	
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I will be bringing my Trojan
YES / NO - Please advise (or return
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