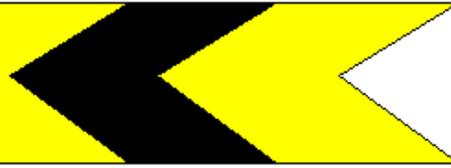


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EAST ANGLIAN GROUP NEWSLETTER



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Editorial

Call to arms!

I have been asked to remind all readers of the support required to run the Santa specials at Bressingham for this Xmas, Keith is willing to coordinate but to date has had no takers. So if you are able to help out could I ask you to contact Keith ASAP, his details are below, many thanks.

Also Keith is putting together another clothing order with the combined 16mm association and SBLR at Bressingham logo. If anyone is interested the again please contact him.

Christmas

For the last couple of years we have done a really good job in having something running on nearly all, if not all, the days. The children really do enjoy it and it is a worthwhile event at which to run. The days this year with admission times are:

Saturday 3 rd Dec.	1400 to 1700
Sunday 4 th Dec.	1400 to 1700
Saturday 10 th Dec.	1400 to 1700
Sunday 11 th Dec.	1200 to 1700
Saturday 17 th Dec.	1200 to 1700
Sunday 18 th Dec.	1200 to 1700
Wednesday 21 st Dec.	1400 to 1700
Thursday 22 nd Dec	1400 to 1700
Friday 23 rd Dec	1400 to 1700
Saturday 24 th Dec	1100 to 1400

So there you have it; Christmas is on a Sunday! As before, Keith is prepared to act as co-ordinator. It would be very helpful if you let him know if you are going to run and when (01449 672670 or keithffroom@gmail.com). Those who have had their arms twisted because it was thought no-one would be there are not usually entertained to find that there was someone there after all! Many thanks.

Suffolk and Borders Light Railway at Bressingham

If this is your first visit, you are most welcome; if a return, then good to see you again. Thanks for your support.

Bressingham ask us to sign in at the office behind the café, presumably so that they know who is on site in the event of an emergency. If you have not yet done so, please pop across the way in order to sign in as soon as you can. We also have our own book, kept above the tunnel, so that we know (and have the evidence) as to how much the circuit is used. Please enter your name whenever you attend. Thank you.

The steaming up area for the outside track is at the rear of the layout, for the inside track both at the rear and next to the locoshed. Anyone working there, steaming up, servicing a loco or just running a train, is encouraged to speak to members of the public, in fact we all are, to try to encourage more to join the hobby and to increase public awareness of the 16mm Association.

When running, please be considerate of others i.e. it is your responsibility to ensure that your train does not collide with another, to remove your rolling stock if it is in the way, and so on. Common sense really. You are more than welcome to use the slate wagons resident at the layout.

Finally, there is no funding for the layout, its maintenance or development, other than is contributed by those using it. If therefore you have enjoyed steaming your train here, please consider making a small donation. There is a tin lid under the circuit, roughly under the rear steaming area. Thank you.

Above all, have a good time!