

Site News - May 2010

Locomotives

Montalban Currently at Welsh Highland Heritage Railway at Porthmadoc , and is to remain there until late July, we have opportunities to steam the loco whilst at Porthmadoc (Should Anyone be interested then contact Alan Frodsham)

Motor Rail 5906 (Breadbin)

Work on this locomotive continues, with the ballast weights having been fitted an oil leak repaired, and the frames having been needle-gunned and wire brushed and primed

Joffre Loco (Kerr Stuart 2405)

Work on the ashpan continues, with the item having been tacked together and a trial Fitting made. The ashpan is now being fully welded, prior to despatch for Galvanising Along with the smokebox and chimney The boiler has had the inner firebox fitted and was having the stays fitted, theoretically all that remains is the fitting of the tubes and it should be ready for steam test .

Wagons

Work has been undertaken on some six ex Gathurst flat wagons recently in the hope That they will form a representative train for the Diesel Gala Work has also commenced on the repair and restoration of the two ex Penistone skips With the aim of restoring them to their former glory

Portable Track Our Portable Track is to go out again, this time at the request of the Ffestiniog Railway

For installation at Tyseley Works (Birmingham) for an open day event on the 25/26th June , using Lilla and Brittomart Installation will take place on Sunday 20th June, anyone interested in assisting should contact Alan Frodsham

Next Event Day

SATURDAY 25TH JUNE 2010 - DIESEL DAY - Volunteers Required

NMC