

MOW WEEKLY UPDATE!

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Greetings and Salutations to all the wonderful MOW Weekly Update folks out there in Internetland. It is a wonderful and happy time when you are able to sit down in a dry place and read your MOW Weekly Update. So let's get started with all the news that is really important from last week and next.

WEEK IN REVIEW:

Tuesday: For those of you that were out of town or did not stick your head outside on Tuesday, this was the first great rainstorm of the year. As a result the Shops closed down with water pouring through the gaping holes in the roof and we did not have enough "water wings" for all MOW volunteers so we closed down for the evening before we even started.



MOW Picnic

Thursday: With drier weather we were able to plunge back into the shop on Thursday night. First we started out by pumping out the lake water that had gathered in the MOW area. Then we loaded up in the truck and went behind the museum to gather up the track materials left after MOW removed much of the whisker tracks behind the museum. The box that was holding the material was completely deteriorated. We loaded the material into a wire basket and transported it down to Setzer.



MOW Picnic

Saturday: The day of the GREAT MOW annual BBQ! We had a number of folks attend the BBQ, hosted by MOW. Leonard manned the grill and turned out such succulent delights as tri-tip, hamburgers, and hotdogs. We also had a

full table to desserts; after all we are such a sweet bunch. Anyway, a good time was had by all and we even enjoyed the company of Paul Hammond and Pam Horan.

WEEK AHEAD:

Tuesday: We will busy in the shops. So be ready to bend some wrenches. We meet at the shops starting at 3:00 p.m. for those of a less labor intensive lifestyle and 5:00 p.m. for those who labor for a living.

Thursday: More work in the shops as normal we meet at 5:00



Leonard the BBQ Master

p.m.

Saturday: We meet at the shops at 8:00 a.m. for more wonderfully great times on the tracks of the Sacramento Southern Railroad.

See you out on the line,

John, Sandy, and Chris

Photos from Gwen Cox's Facebook page, thank you Gwen.