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Swap Meet

I have no pictures of the swap meet for you to enjoy. I forgot to send my camera with Ben. He did not think to use his phone. I do not have a lot to include so this newsletter is a little thin.

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Due to some health issues I have not been very prompt at getting out the newsletter . Or in updating our website.

However, if the results are as promised, I will be more able to interact and do the jobs I have enjoyed.

Please forgive my untimeliness.

The website is now updated .

Upcoming Events

- **May meeting will be at Jay/Cheri Nugent's**
- **June meeting at the Olsen's in Des Moines IA**
- **July is our Garden tour**

Club Updates

Since we are now incorporated, I will include the minutes of each formal meeting. These will be on their own pages so those that like to print the newsletter do not have to print them if they do not wish to.

WHO HAS IT NOW

Rail Bender - Kidman

Crimper—Ron Mash

Trestle jig - Brandenburg

IN THIS MONTH IN RAILROAD HISTORY

First Transcontinental Railroad
opened for through traffic on May 10,
1869 .

This line ran from Council Bluffs, Iowa/Omaha, Neb. To Oakland, CA across the bay from San Francisco.

(known originally as the "Pacific Railroad" and later as the "Overland Route")

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Important Dates and Observances

MAY		JUNE	
Birthdays		Birthdays	
Barbara Deats	5-19	Betty Lamb	6-6
Marilyn Kirkpatrick	5-19	Sandra Bickel	6-18
Marshal Childs	5-20	Ione Edlen	6-20
Anniversaries		Sheri Godfroy	6-24
John & Barb Kilmer	5-2	Sandy Glick	6-28
Marty & Carrie Cozad	5-12-1984	Anniversaries	
Dave & Elaine Dunn	5-13-1950	Bill and Connie Joy	6-12
Dick and Betty Lamb	5-20	Jay and Cheri Nugent	6-16
Richard & Sheila Roemer	5-30-1961	Eric & Sandra Bickel	6-18
		Paul & Karla Gunzenhauser	6-21
		John & Pat Olsen	6-21
		John & Lori Myers	6-28

Future Meetings

May 20 Nugent's
 June 24 Olsen's
 July 15 Cox's
 Aug 19 Doggett's
 Sept 16 Renes'
 Oct 21 Myers
 Note the change in date for Olsen's as well.

May 20, 2012

Jay and Cheri Nugent

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The Central Iowa Garden Railway Society has regular monthly meetings at which we discuss one another's current projects, hobby news, and the latest products on the market.

Programs are presented at some meetings, either by one of our members, or by someone brought in from outside the organization. The programs generally cover some element of the hobby, from the history of local and other Railroads, to rolling stock to track work, to locomotives, includes electric operation, battery-powered and trains that actually run on live steam. Most of our members have, or hope to have, gauge G, or gauge 1 railways in their gardens or back yards.

Meetings are generally held on the third Sunday of each month. Specific dates and times, as well as program topics, are announced in the CIGRS Telegraph. Club members are encouraged to involve themselves in any of a variety of functions, including special model railway exhibitions that are staged in the area.



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