



# History on the Move

Newsletter of Oberon Tarana Heritage Railway July 2023



Looking good down the Line.

Oberon's Pioneer Walking Trail will operate in tandem with the railway line.  
See story in this Newsletter.

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**\$40.00 for 2023/24** **Please renew Now!!**

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### Paul Toole

State Member for Bathurst

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### Jon Bennett

Training Supervisor

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# President's Message

A committee is scheduled for Wednesday 12<sup>th</sup> July. One of the agenda items will be the training areas and program that must take place over the coming months.

Initially we will be concentrating on

- First Aid
- Safe working requirements.
- Carriage attendants, Guards, Station Master
- Operations Manager Responsibilities

We will also have to consider medical certificates for some of the positions mentioned above.

If you are interested in any of the areas above please let us know as soon as possible. When operations start we will need more members to volunteer. I can assure you that these positions will be less onerous and much more interesting than track work and vegetation control that will also have to continue.

Driver training will take place when we have achieved the variation of accreditation from ONRSR to operate North of Albion Street.

Locomotives 7307 and 7321 have had preliminary certification work. Each axle has been through an ultra-sound and all passed the test process. There is still maintenance work to be completed before the locos are certified fit for use.

Thank you to those who have already renewed their membership for 2023-2024. It is pleasing to see that many of the renewals and application for new memberships have taken the opportunity to donate as well.

Round three of the One Hundred club has been drawn and the winning number was purchased by Alice Perrott of Black Springs. I know that Dave McMurray and John Brotchie have spent a good number of Friday mornings on a stall in the main street often in fairly inclement weather conditions. Well done Dave and John.

THNSW Staff paid OTHR a visit mid-June. Staff were shown the current work at Hazelgrove on the way up from Tarana. They were impressed with the restoration work being carried out on HS36, CBA850 and HLF 854.

**Greg Bourne**  
President

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- Facebook: [www.facebook.com/OTHR.Inc](http://www.facebook.com/OTHR.Inc)

## Oberon Tarana Heritage Railway Inc. Mission Statement

**To be an accredited rail operator to run a tourist train from Oberon station to Tarana station on the main western line. This would allow for tourists to ride a heritage train along the Oberon Tarana branch line.**

**Further, the running of this train would generate tourist related jobs in the Oberon area and give residents in the Oberon/Bathurst area an opportunity by volunteering at OTHR to enhance rail heritage in the local area.**

**Network with other rail heritage groups and museums at Valley Heights, Lithgow, Zig Zag, Bathurst, and Cowra to form a Heritage Railway partnership to prioritise and promote the area as a Railway Tourist Precinct**



Oberon Station Precinct and Train are for hire for photo shoots and films. Whether it is a wedding, school formal, family reunions, settings for filming or any occasion, email [admin@Othr.com.au](mailto:admin@Othr.com.au)

Our rates are competitive.

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## Editor's thoughts

Sadly, things don't always go to plan.

Recently it has become obvious that with a project of this magnitude, we are not going to meet our objective of commencing passenger services in October 2023. Quite a number of obstacles have arisen that has put our schedule back a bit.

Its paramount that our track and rolling stock are absolutely safe and reliable, so we would rather start later than never.

All things permitting, we should be able to schedule passenger around Christmas or a little later.

There will be a huge celebration when that event occurs, and we will invite everyone to be a part of the fun.

This delay has allowed us to put back by one week the "Picnic in the Park" now to be held at The Oberon Common, a large and beautiful park in the centre of town. Everyone is invited to partake in the genteel art of picnicking; it will be a lovely olde worlde day of fun.

See our story later in the newsletter.

"Things might not always go as you planned but they'll always end up as they should.

Unknown"



### General meetings for 2023

- **Quarterly General Meeting**  
**Wednesday July 12<sup>th</sup> – Oberon RSL**  
**7.30 PM**
- **Annual General Meeting Wednesday**  
**October 11<sup>th</sup>**



**Annual Renewals were due 1<sup>st</sup> July 2023.**

**Make sure you don't miss future benefits and the pleasure of being part of a vibrant group of volunteers.**

**Renewal Form at the end of the Newsletter.**



Dry July is a fundraiser that encourages you to go alcohol free in July to raise funds for people affected by cancer. The OTHR Committee supports this initiative, and we would encourage our readers to donate to the Dry July Foundation to assist cancer research.

## Renovations complete at Tarana Station.

Paul Toole, State Member for Bathurst, NSW was on hand for the official re-opening of Tarana Train Station.

“The signal box and Station platform rooms have been restored to their original glory and I was pleased to officially reopen the station today. The highlight of the event was a visit by a historic steam train that took a load of school students for a ride back to Bathurst.

This is a transformative project for the community of Tarana who have seen this vision through to fruition.

It was fantastic to see the large crowds out today sharing the community’s enthusiasm.

The building now offers new, accessible waiting room and toilet facilities for the first time in over 30 years benefiting Tarana’s rail passengers on the XPT, Bathurst Bullet and Oberon coach and for the wider community.”

Tarana station is the end vision for OTHR in its quest to rebuild the full Tarana to Oberon railway line for a tourist attraction (Stage 3)



*OTHR Patron, Paul Toole, Member for Bathurst officially reopens Tarana Station.*



*The new Tarana Station Sign*

## Sleeper Club



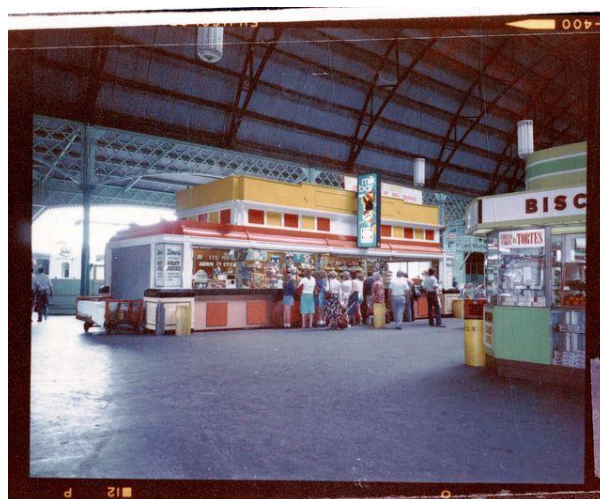
Oberon Tarana Heritage Railway Inc.’s Sleeper Club is a wonderful way of contributing to the rebuilding of our great project.

When investing in a sleeper you’ll receive a Certificate noting your purchase and this can make a wonderful and unique gift for any rail buff, your family, or friends. A great idea for Birthdays, a Special Event or even Christmas.

The investment is \$100 per new sleeper.

Get yours now!

**A little nostalgia.**



Who remembers the kiosks at Central Station in Sydney?

What a variety of food was to be had from them. If you have any memories of those kiosks, why not drop us a line at [admin@othr.com.au](mailto:admin@othr.com.au) and we’ll give it a run in this Newsletter.

## Oberon's Pioneer Walking Track.

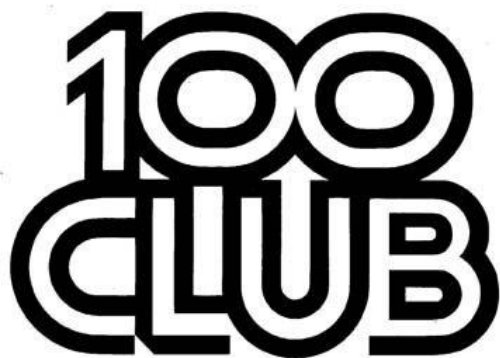


Oberon Council, in conjunction with Oberon Tarana Heritage Railway in redeveloping the Oberon Pioneer Walking Track.

The track runs beside the Oberon to Hazelgrove leg of OTHR's project (Stage 1). The track follows a very picturesque route through Oberon's countryside. It starts at the Oberon Railway Precinct and will terminate at the proposed picnic area at Hazelgrove, a distance of approx. 5.6K.

The track will offer fantastic viewing spots of passing trains. It will also allow enthusiastic visitors to walk or cycle and catch the train back to their starting point.

Oberon Council is upgrading the track as funds permit with an initial approx. 1K now concreted. The council is an enthusiastic partner in the establishment of OTHR's project that will provide visitor experiences second to none.



**Draw No 4 is now selling.**

## Your chance to win \$1,000

You can win \$1,000 by investing in our fund raising with a chance to win.

It's a simple way for you to invest to help secure our future.

It works this way:

- Purchase a ticket for \$20.
- There are only 100 tickets sold.
- When all 100 tickets are sold, we will draw one ticket with your chance to win \$1,000.
- Simply fill in the entry form that will be located at the end of the February newsletter, email it to us (or in need post it) and bank your funds to our bank account, detailed in the form.
- Reference your name in the banking details.
- Once we match your entry form with your deposit, we will issue a ticket in your name and email it back to you.
- If you win, we will email you and publish your name in the next available newsletter.
- We will ask for your banking details at that point and direct credit your win.

OTHR Committee's draw will be final, and we won't accept any further claim.

We have checked with all States and Territories in Australia and have been cleared to run the 100 Club, no matter where you live.

**Draw No 3 was conducted on 22<sup>nd</sup> June 2023. Peter Bowditch, reporter for the Oberon Review drew the lucky number; the draw was overseen by Mark Kellam, Mayor.**

**The winning ticket was number 63.  
Alice Perrott of Black Springs NSW.**

**Congratulations Alice!**

**Get your ticket now for a chance of winning. Application form at the end of this Newsletter.**

## Model Railway Exhibition

Celebrating 100 years of the Oberon  
Tarana Railway Line.

### October long Weekend

**2023.**

30<sup>th</sup> Sept – 3<sup>rd</sup> October.

At the Malachi Gilmore Hall

124 Oberon Street, Oberon NSW

There will be 10 layouts on display.

featuring an N Scale reproduction of the  
Oberon Tarana Branch Line as well as  
many other layouts and models of  
Australian Branch Lines

**Adults \$10 Families \$20**

#### Opening Times

Saturday 9.00 am – 5.00 pm.

Sunday 10.00 am – 4.00 pm.

Monday 9.00 am – 5.00 pm.

Tuesday 9.00 am – 5.00 pm.

This will be a unique and must-see event  
for everyone.



*A wonderful example of an Oldsmobile Holiday vehicle.*

## Picnic Day

**An event for all Car Clubs**

**Saturday 21st October 2023**

One of the 1923 Opening Day events was a picnic in the park. OTHR is planning a picnic day in "The Common" in conjunction with the Skoda and Tatra Register Museum.

An up-market style Cars and Coffee event for all car clubs, motoring enthusiasts and visitors in New South Wales.

There will be a sausage sizzle and coffee on site, but we are encouraging visitors to bring their own picnic hamper.

"The Common" will be ideal for everyone as there is sealed parking for about 60 vehicles. We will have entertainment that you can enjoy whilst taking in the ambience of the park. The area is grassed, is close to toilets and a playground for kids. There is ample parking for visitors who aren't driving a classic vehicle, rod or whatever at various parts of "The Common" or in the nearby street.

If you are intending to stay overnight in Oberon, I suggest you book your accommodation quickly as accommodation will be tight.

We will be excited to see you in Oberon on 21<sup>st</sup> October to help us celebrate the 100<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of the opening of the Tarana to Oberon branch line.

Apart from food on site, this will be a free event for all who participate.

We encourage all enthusiasts to dress in the vintage of your vehicle.

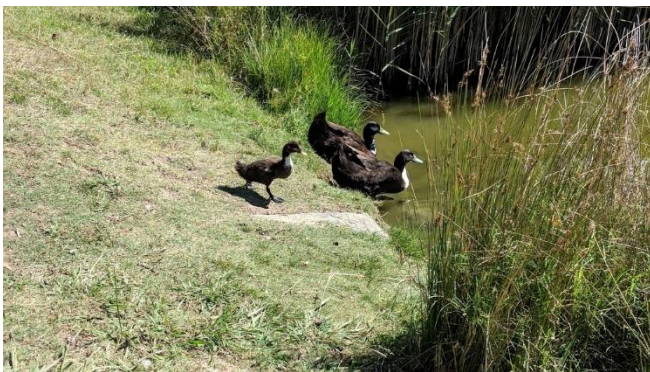
**Whatever you do, don't miss this event.**

**Events Managers: pencil this event into your club's diary.**

## Happy Visitors at the Railway



Jessie Clark, OTHR Treasurer and Michael Clark, Committee man to the right, showing some happy visitors around the Oberon Railway Precinct and the work we are doing there. They only wore their beanies so their friends wouldn't feel bad about feeling a cool Winter's Day



*A tranquil scene at "The Common" Oberon, NSW*



*Oberon Station, celebrating 100 years 1923 - 2023.*

## Lachlan Valley Railway celebrates the launch of steam operations in Orange



On Friday 7<sup>th</sup> July LVR celebrated the return of their 130-year-old locomotive 3237 to service with a special steam service from Orange and Polona and return. Several OTHR committee members made the trip to Orange to join in the festivities and enjoy the steam experience



*Michael Clark making sure all is in order*



*Fireman in action*



## Intending to marry? Why not consider the Oberon Station as your venue?

Oberon Tarana Heritage Railway Inc. is introducing the Oberon Precinct and Train as a venue for wedding and other photo or filming opportunities.

Should marriage be in the offing, or you know a relative or friend who is about to marry, OTHR is offering a unique venue for that exclusive wedding photo that you will treasure for all time.

You have the choice of the Oberon Station or the Station and Train.

Enquiries can be made via our email address:  
[admin@othr.com.au](mailto:admin@othr.com.au)

Hiring fees are incredibly competitive.



*You can hire Oberon Station for your Vintage Wedding Photo.*

## 2023 Great Railway Ball.

Yes, The Great Railway Ball for 2023 is on again on Saturday 28<sup>th</sup> October.

The Ball is part of the OTHR Month of Celebrations of Centenary of the opening of the Oberon branch line.

The initial Ball in 2022 was a huge success and in 2023 we are upping the ante. A folk type band, The Nodding Thistles have been engaged and they are guaranteed to have you dancing on the tables this year.

We will be offering a fabulous dinner, included in the cost of \$100 PP. Interest is already high and tickets are limited, so jump in quickly and lodge your interest at [admin@othr.com.au](mailto:admin@othr.com.au) and we'll get back with further information.

## So... you think you want to volunteer?

OTHR is seeking expressions of interest from members who have the necessary accreditation to drive 73 Class Locomotives or those who would like to learn/train. Importantly all accredited drivers will need to also volunteer in many of the other tasks required of OTHR.

We are also seeking interest for carriage attendants, guards and station attendants.

**Step 1:** Your interest should be lodged with the President or Secretary at [admin@othr.com.au](mailto:admin@othr.com.au)

**Important information about moving rolling stock:** Shunting in the yard will not be frequent but regular as movements are required. Typically shunting would occur in bringing rolling stock to the station for display at open days, special events and rallies.

### **Medicals:**

The level of certification depends on your level of interest.

- Driver Level 1 medical certificate  
TMV operator Level 2 medical certificate.
- For all volunteers there is a site induction and further training depending on the type of volunteer assistance you wish to undertake.
- OTHR needs to comply with the guidelines of ONRSR – the Office of the National Rail Safety Regulator and other Laws either Federal or State.

## Our Code

Oberon Tarana Heritage Railway Inc. (OTHR) is a not for profit, member-based organisation. We have a responsibility to strive to make informed, consistent, and ethical decisions.

Our code is a public statement that OTHR is committed to doing the right things the right way. Our code applies to all OTHR committee members and members.

We are proud of our culture, and understand it is continually shaped by the behaviours and attitudes demonstrated on a day-to-day basis by all our people.

Our code includes references to relevant OTHR requirements (OTHR policies and procedures) and other helpful tools and resources.

No code of conduct can ever cover every situation, OTHR relies on you to use sound judgement and speak up when you have questions or concerns.

All committee members, members, volunteers, and employees of OTHR are representatives of OTHR and are expected to act responsibly and professionally.

As a representative of OTHR, you are expected to act in the best interests of OTHR and to conduct yourself in a manner that does not discredit:

- An individual team member, having regard to their position held within OTHR, or
- The reputation of OTHR.

Whenever there is conflict or a difference between an applicable legal requirement and Our Code, you must apply the strictest standard.

Our partners, and third parties, can also have a direct impact on the reputation of OTHR through their behaviours and actions. For this reason, we want to work with our partners to ensure that they share our

commitment to safety, ethics, and compliance. We also expect and encourage all our contractors and their employees to act in a way that is consistent with Our Code. We will take appropriate measures where we believe they have not met our expectations or their contractual obligations.

## Important Information.

Help us bring our heritage railway to life by becoming a financial member of the Oberon Tarana Heritage Railway Inc.

Membership of Oberon Tarana Heritage Railway Inc. is a valuable way you can contribute to our vision. Individual annual membership costs \$40.00 per year. New members are welcomed at any time during the year.

Membership is required to cover insurance for any volunteer work you can contribute. Membership is due at the end of June annually. Refer to OTHR website to download an application or see the application form at the end of this Newsletter.

## About Oberon.....

July is well and truly into the Winter season in Oberon.

The starkness of the deciduous trees that dominate the town's landscape have a beauty of their own. Early misty and frosty mornings are the best and to meander along any of Oberon pathways is an absolute delight.

We also welcome the occasional snowfall that settles over the landscape offering times of peace and silence and the prospect of renewal in the not-too-distant future.

Oberon is only about two hours from Sydney, so make the trip up to enjoy our alpine climate; there's plenty to see in the district and if you ever tire of the region's beauty then try one of our quaint and unique eateries.

Who doesn't like food? Oberon has many eateries each offering a lovely takeaway with coffee or a long lunch.

Cafes such as Cafe Oberon, DJ's, The Hub, Peter's Cafe, Pick of the Bunch, the Rainbow Trout, or the Royal Hotel, the Oberon RSL, or the Oberon Golf Club;

no matter your culinary taste, Oberon has something for you. District wise, there's the Rockley Hotel, the Hampton Halfway Hotel, the Tarana Hotel, Mumma Snow's Café Tarana and the soon to be re-opened O'Connell Hotel, all located in Oberon's circle of villages.

Further, the dormant Tourist Hotel those graces one end of the Oberon village main street is about to re-open as a restaurant and wine bar. Ed Power and his son will soon be purveying fine wine and meals with the flavours of the four corners of the world.

Oberon always has something on the go and great events that will be sure to impress City Slickers and Country hicks alike:

- 1<sup>st</sup> July thru to 16<sup>th</sup> July, Mayfield Winter Festival
- 13 – 15<sup>th</sup> July, Wrap Around Oberon Competition and Exhibition
- 29<sup>th</sup> July, Tarana Farmers Markets.

Come and check us out, say "G'Day" to the locals and we'll certainly extend a hand of friendship.

For the latest in what else's happening check with the knowledgeable girls at the Oberon Visitor Information Centre.

Oberon is always welcoming of groups of all genres. Some of the recent visitors to the Oberon Station Precinct have been:

- 107.5 FM Orange radio station outside broadcast.
- Two small group private viewings of rail buffs and photographers.
- One private group visit.
- Portland Car Club, Portland, NSW.
- Group of model train enthusiasts.
- Secondary visit by Model Train Enthusiasts.
- Pittwater Motor Enthusiasts Club Inc. Northern Beaches, Sydney, NSW

Oberon has an enthusiastic team available to help you plan an action-packed itinerary, whether it is for a day or a week.

Contact the girls at the Oberon Visitor Information Centre on 02 6329-8210 or Dave McMurray from OTHR on 0408 606 889 to discover the possibilities.

Oberon, the perfect place to base yourself for a day, a few days, or a week!

Oberon is just two hours from Sydney's Western Suburbs, two and a half hours from Canberra, and an

easy and lovely drive from Dubbo as well as the Hunter Valley.

One thing's for sure, you will be more than welcome in Oberon! There is a team of friendly locals here to help. Contact us any time to discuss.

We would appreciate you passing this newsletter to others who might be thinking about a wonderful and vibrant trip to a spectacular part of Australia.



# OBERON

MORE THAN YOU IMAGINE



*Oberon Tarana Heritage Railway Inc can cater for group visits of 12 and upwards.*

*At the present time we are not able to provide catering because of the headstock work on HLF 854*

*Contact [www.admin@othr.com.au](mailto:www.admin@othr.com.au) to discuss your proposed visit.*

## A reminder...

**OTHR Membership was due for renewal on 1<sup>st</sup> July 2023**

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Renew Now!!**

## Monthly Open Days.

**Monthly Open Days are continuing on the first Saturday of the month. Please note, morning teas and other catering activities are on hold while restoration of carriage HLF854 continues. We will host group tours of the Oberon Heritage Precinct on request.**

We need volunteers for Open Days.

Volunteers will meet and greet visitors, show them through the displays and try to answer any questions. If you wish to volunteer at the open days, please contact President Greg. All that's required is a broad knowledge of OTHR history and an ability to talk with people. The work is rewarding and fun.

Great friendships can form at these days.

Some changes have been made, with the establishment of a professional though small railway interpretive display. An entry fee of \$5.00 pp (children under 18 free).

The result has seen a significant increase in visitors comprising locals and tourists.

Your committee is also actively advertising for group visits, and we are providing a railway experience bar none.

Groups are starting to line up and results so far have been encouraging. If you are a member of another group, say a car club or Rotary or Probus or a gardening club, etc. and that group is looking for an excursion, please suggest they book a group visit to Oberon station.

Admission \$5 (18 and over),

Oberon District Museum admission \$5.

Skoda Tatra Museum entry by way of a donation.

For group visits: see <http://othr.com.au> (contact us) or contact President Greg

## Working Bees.

Regular working bees are now occurring every Saturday and often mid-week. Keep an eye on the website or OTHR Facebook page for up-to-date information.

Personal Protective Equipment and orange hi-viz must be worn.

Contact: Greg Bourne President

Email: [admin@othr.com.au](mailto:admin@othr.com.au) Mobile: 0437 389 684

We are always on the lookout for volunteers for working bees. Volunteers are required to participate in many tasks. If you can help, contact President Greg. Not all work is onerous and can be as little or as much as you can put in. There is a job for everyone.

You don't have to attend every working bee, just the ones that fit in your timeframe. You will take away experiences from your time at Oberon.

Some of the benefits of volunteering are:

- Developing new skills & Meeting new people
- Assisting with a meaningful and important cause
- Contributing to the community
- A sense of belonging.

## Welcome New Members

OTHR is always looking for new members. Interested in railways or the Oberon to Tarana line, why not give your support by becoming a member.

## Not so well

If anyone hears about any member on the sick list, please let the editor know via President Greg so we can send get well wishes on behalf of the association.

## Remembering

Let us know of the passing of any of our members, so we can acknowledge them appropriately. Contact President Greg with all details.

## Say Whaaat???

- Peter Pan is a terrible boxer. Whenever he throws a punch it Neverlands.
- Why was Cinderella dropped from the soccer team? She kept running away from the ball.
- Do you realise that vampires aren't real. Unless you Count Dracula.



*H36 Second class seats are back from the upholsterer*

## Sponsors

Seeking funding continues to be one of your committee's priorities. Sponsorships are an especially important part of the funding of our activities. It matters not whether a person or company contributes cash or kind, each will be considered as a sponsorship. The reason is that any person or company that contributes in kind is helping us in as much as we don't have to pay for those services and the sponsor is foregoing income. The committee needs to seek cash sponsors and this task is ongoing.

Currently we now have four sponsors on board, all sponsors offer in kind support for which we are extremely grateful.

Would you like to become a sponsor? Contact President Greg to find out how you can participate in OTHR's exciting sponsorship deals. There are a few sponsorship levels available. By sponsoring OTHR and its vision you will become a partner of the programme

### Primary Sponsor Oberon Council



**OBERON COUNCIL**

Oberon Council is a proudly independent council which has supported OTHR from its very beginning. The council administers the Oberon Shire and is second to none when looking after the community.

### Silver Sponsor Titania Motel

Titania Motel is your gateway to rural Oberon, NSW. Located in a quiet residential area, the motel has a range of rooms to suit everyone. When booking your room be sure to mention that you are here to visit Oberon Tarana Heritage Railway Inc. for a discounted room rate.

Your host is Denise Voytilla

Ph: 6336 1377 or Mob: 0400 347 122

Website [www.titaniamotel.com.au](http://www.titaniamotel.com.au)

11 – 13 Tarana Crescent, Oberon, NSW 2787

### Bronze Sponsor Jenolan Holiday Park

Jenolan Holiday Park offers a range of accommodation in Oberon to suit everyone. Would you like to book your accommodation now?

Mob: 0418 619 709

7 Cunninghame Street, Oberon NSW 2787.

### Bronze Sponsor Oberon Trash Pak

Oberon Trash-Pak is a family business owned and operated by Wayne & Michelle White.

Services offered are regular out of town garbage service, septic tank, and grease trap pump outs. Oberon Trash-Pak offers Domestic and Commercial Mini Skip Bins, Portable Toilets, Rubbish Removal. "You don't have to live in town to get a regular garbage service."

Contact: 0427 104 318 or 6336-2049

## Visit by Transport Heritage NSW. Friday 9<sup>th</sup> June



*Visiting group arrived disembarked at Tarana before travelling up to Oberon*



*At Hazelgrove  
Rolling Stock Manager Mark Handel with Andrew Moritz Chief Executive Officer THNSW*

## Work in Progress with photos of the concreting works at the Station

Work continues unabated on our disability access ramp to Oberon Station platform.

Earthworks, retaining walls, concreting now complete.

Our volunteers have started to put the safety fence in place. When finished access for the frail and disabled visitors to our precinct will be greatly improved.

OTHR would like to give a shout-out to Jesse of J & H Concreting, a local concreting business who did a fantastic job.



*The finished path with some fencing in place.*



*A closer aspect of work done to date.*

This project has taken place over many months and it has been covered in part by the Black Summer Bushfire Recovery Grant.

We estimate that the contribution by way of volunteer hours, OTHR contributing in stock landscaping sleepers and the use of equipment either owned by OTHR or the volunteering members is very close to \$30,000.



*Preparation in progress prior to laying the concrete path*



*Reinforcement in place*



*The pour goes on.*



*The team from J & H concreting finishing the concrete*

## Official OTHR Merchandise

**Buy Now.**



**OTHR Cap.** - Maroon with white OTHR logo fits all sizes. Purchase today and be a part of the OTHR team. Proceeds go towards the refurbishment of the Oberon to Tarana line.

**Priced at \$29.00 non - members, \$24.00 members.** Price includes GST and Postage and Handling anywhere in Australia. Overseas will incur extra postage.

**OTHR Badge - Reproduced** from the original OTHR badge, metal, and enamel.

**Priced at \$15.50 non-members - \$13.50 members.** Price includes GST and Postage and Handling anywhere in Australia. Overseas will incur extra postage.

**OTHR Whistle - A novelty whistle** for your collection.

**Priced at \$24.50 non-members – \$19.50 members.** Price includes GST and Postage and Handling anywhere in Australia. Overseas will incur extra postage.

### **OTHR Coffee Cup**

Black with white OTHR lettering. Flip top 2 Go.

**Priced at \$29.00 non-members, \$24.50 members.** Price includes GST and Postage and Handling anywhere in Australia. Overseas will incur extra postage.

### **OTHR Beanie**

Maroon with white OTHR logo. Fits all sizes. Lovely fleecy feel and is warm. Purchase today and be a part of the OTHR team.

**Priced at \$38.99 non – members - \$33.99 members.** Price includes GST and Postage and handling to anywhere in Australia. Overseas will incur extra postage.



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**Merchandise Order  
Form**

Product/Quantity:
Name:
Mailing address: Street Number: _____ Street _____
Or Post Office Box Number
Suburb or Town
State and Postcode
Your contact details.
Phone: _____
Email address: _____

Price includes GST and Postage and Handling anywhere in Australia. Overseas will incur extra postage.

Description	Number	Total
Caps at membership price \$24.00		\$
Caps at non-members price \$29.00		\$
Badge at membership price \$13.50		\$
Badge at non-membership price \$15.50		\$
Whistle at member price \$19.50		\$
Whistle at non-member price \$24.50		\$
Coffee Cup at member price \$24.50		\$
Coffee Cup at non-member price \$29.00		\$
OTHR Beanie at member price \$33.99		\$
OTHR Beanie at non-member price \$38.99		\$
Total		\$

Payment can be made in the following ways

- **Cheques** - made payable to Oberon Tarana Heritage Railway Inc. and mailed to PO Box 299 Oberon NSW 2787
- **Cash** - can be paid direct to our Treasurer at any of our bi-monthly general meetings or at an Open Day.
- **Direct Bank Transfer** – our bank details are **BSB: 062 632 Account number: 1004 9851**. Please include your name as the reference statement.





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**Renewal or Application for Membership**

I/We wish to renew my membership or to apply to become a member of the Oberon Tarana Heritage Railway Inc. and agree to be bound by the Articles of Association of the organization and its Rules and Regulations

Name	
Mailing address	Street Number _____ Street _____ Or Post Office Box Number _____ Suburb/Town _____ State _____ Postcode _____
Phone	Mobile _____ Home phone _____
Email address	

Tick appropriate box

Membership is \$40.00 per person

\$ \_\_\_\_\_

Donation

\$ \_\_\_\_\_

Total amount payable

\$ \_\_\_\_\_

*All donations are tax deductible.  
The treasurer sends a receipt for membership which will also include information of any donation.*

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**Expertise** (Please complete if you are joining OTHR for the first time) Indicate any skills, expertise, or areas of interest you may be able to share with us as the railway is being restored ready for operation. We need members with a wide range of skills from labouring, catering to professional management.

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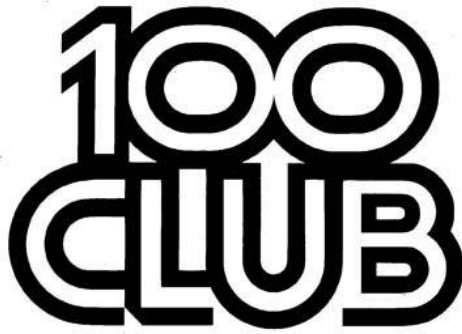
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Membership represents a significant financial contribution to our organization. Members receive regular newsletters and invitations to special events. Membership is required to cover insurance for any voluntary work you can contribute.

Signed: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_



**Oberon Tarana Heritage Railway Inc.  
Your 1 in 100 chance to win \$1,000.00.**

**Number of Tickets @ 20.00 each:**

<b>Name:</b>	
<b>Address:</b>	
<b>Email Address:</b>	
<b>Telephone Number:</b>	
<b>Amount Banked:</b>	(Be sure to reference your name in the deposit)
<b>Date</b>	
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<b>Email this entry to:</b>	<a href="mailto:admin@othr.com.au">admin@othr.com.au</a>

**Office use only**

<b>Draw No:</b>	
<b>Ticket No:</b>	