



# History on the Move

Newsletter of Oberon Tarana Heritage Railway Inc. March 2022



**Work on the End Platform Cars Headstocks has continued throughout February. It is painstaking work. Overall, it is progressing in an excellent manner.**

**OTHR Membership Fee 2021/22 now due.  
Renewal form page 17 of this Newsletter**

## Patrons

### Paul Toole

Deputy Premier NSW, State Member for Bathurst, Leader of NSW National Party. Minister of Regional New South Wales and Minister for Police.

### Andrew Gee

Federal Member for Calare, Minister for Veteran Affairs and Minister for Defence Personnel.

## Committee

### Gregory Bourne

President, Public Officer

### Ken Lingabala

Vice President

Engineering Manager - Infrastructure Manager

### David McMurray

Secretary

### John Brotchie

Treasurer.

### Michael Clark

HS36 Project Manager

### Michael O'Kane

Events Manager

### Mark Handel

Rolling Stock Manager

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## Line Managers

### Elaine Boxer

Catering Manager

### Mark Langdon

Asset Manager

### Denis Turner

Driver Training Manager

### Mick Sanders

Driver Training Manager

### Stephen Joyce

Rail Safety Manager

### Alex Boromisa

Facebook Moderator

## President's Message

Our co-patron Andrew Gee, member for the Federal electoral division of Calare, visited Oberon to officially announce a grant of \$5000 from the Volunteer Grants 2021 funding pool. The official letter states "The Australian Government recognises the vital contribution of volunteers in strengthening and enriching our communities. This Grant will help your organisation support your volunteers to carry out their important work."

We were notified on 18<sup>th</sup> February that our grant application to the Black Summer Bushfire Recovery Grant was successful, the amount being \$149,000. The money from this grant is tagged for improvements to the infrastructure in the Oberon Yard – a new toilet block and very necessary improvements to the pathways which will allow for easier access for aged and/or disabled visitors.

Working bees have focused on:

- Headstock replacement
- Rail relocation from various places
- Vegetation control

There has been a great deal of work with the Department of Infrastructure regarding the restoration of the line to Hazelgrove. We are confident that there will be a good news story very soon.

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Oberon Tarana Heritage Railway Inc.  
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- Facebook: [www.facebook.com/OTHR.Inc](https://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 which was also known as the pioneer 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 e 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**



## Editor's thoughts

### Frustration and Elation.

The words of the month, frustration in our case is the feeling that accompanies an experience of being thwarted in attaining our goals. Elation offsets our frustration when we experience the euphoria of receiving news of approval of grants or when our events are pulled off with brilliant success.

Frustration seems to be a key component in running any organisation and the more complex you get, the more the frustration levels rise.

Just when you think progress is being made, plans are thwarted at all levels, and to a lesser group, with plans being delayed you might well be inclined to give up in frustration.

And so, with that air of frustration you suddenly get some good news that takes you to the heights of elation and you move ahead again.

The frustration we feel is that our plans are constantly delayed particularly in the restoration of the Oberon to Hazelgrove track.

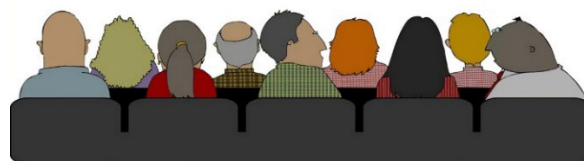
New grants to proceed with other projects gives your committee the high and the will to carry on. I suppose that in dealing with a project as complex as ours – getting the railway track restored and restoring rolling stock to the point of being fit for service makes the project seem like a series of highs and lows like a roller coaster ride.

“To conquer frustration, one must remain intensely focused on the outcome, not the obstacles.  
T.F. Hodge”



*4702 DN Freight at Oberon Station January 1979  
One of a series of fabulous photos from Geoff Allerton  
Featured in this newsletter*

## General Meeting



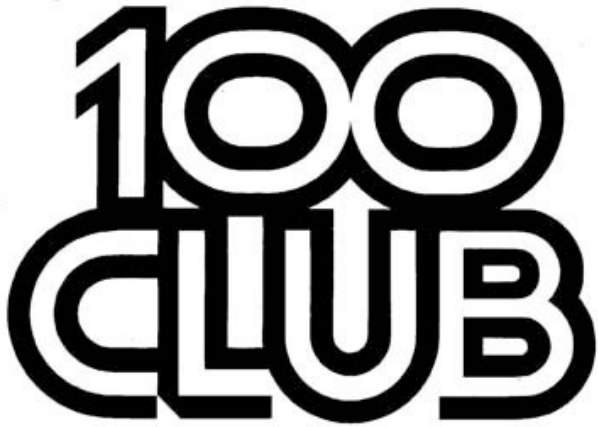
**Reserve the date Wednesday 6<sup>th</sup> April 2022.**

Your committee will re-commence Bi-monthly General Meetings on the above date. All welcome after such a long break due to Covid19.

Guest Speaker will be Mat Webb, Oberon Council's Tourist and Business Manager who will discuss Oberon's tourist strategy and how OTHR fits in to those plans.

**Oberon RSL, Dudley Street, Oberon 7.30 pm.**





You can win \$1,000.00 by investing in our fund raising with a chance to win.

**The draw is open to all readers of this Newsletter**

A simple way for you to invest to help secure our future.

It works this way:

- Purchase a ticket for \$20.00
- There are only 100 tickets sold.
- When all 100 tickets are sold, we will draw one ticket with your chance to win \$1,000.00
- Simply fill in the entry form that is located at the end of this 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. **This is very important.**
- 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.

This is a wonderful way to support the Oberon Tarana Heritage Railway Inc and at the same time have a 1 in 100 chance to win \$1,000.00.

The plan is to run 100 Clubs regularly, so the chance to win will be on-going.

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



## **Andrew Gee's comments Re \$5000 Volunteer Grant**

"It's been almost 100 years since the first locomotives travelled from Oberon to Tarana, transporting local seasonal vegetables, timber and livestock.

While the line has been out of service for the past four decades or so, volunteers at the Oberon Tarana Heritage Railway Association are determined to bring life back to the 24.3km long railway line which will kick off a huge local tourism boost!

That's why I'm thrilled the volunteer group has received a \$5,000 Volunteer Grant in recognition of the bulldog spirit, and a fair bit of sweat, needed to bring the railway line back into operation.

With the grant, the Oberon Tarana Heritage Railway Association will purchase fuel vouchers to help cover the costs of volunteers who trek from across the region to help at the Oberon tracks.

I congratulate the fantastic volunteers at the Oberon Tarana Heritage Railway Association and look forward to the next chapter in the history of the local railway.

The Australian Government has committed \$1.5 million for the Heritage Railway to open the first section of track between Oberon and Tarana.”

## OTHR wins another grant.

Oberon Tarana Heritage Railway Inc. has been awarded a grant of \$149,180.00 to be spent on high impact infrastructure improvements. This grant was made available via the Black Summer Bushfire Grants.

The grant will go towards improvements in the Oberon Heritage Station precinct to improve facilities and remove trip hazards in the precinct. Your committee will advise further once we have the grant to hand.



*Pictured left to right: Michael Clark Project Leader HS37, John Broatchie OTHR Treasurer, Greg Bourne OTHR President, Andrew Gee MP, Co-Patron OTHR, Mark Handel, OTHR Rolling Stock Manager, Dave McMurray Secretary OTHR and Mark Kellam, Oberon Mayor.*



*Locomotive 7307 drawn up to Oberon Station for the handing over of the Volunteer Grant.*



*Returning from the Rolling Stock Shed after inspecting restorations in progress.*

*Left to right: Mark Kellam Oberon's Mayor, Greg Bourne OTHR President and Andrew Gee MP and Co-Patron of OTHR.*

## MORE THAN YOU IMAGINE



# OBERON

*Vegetation control needed near Highland Pine just North of Albion Street*



*This section has been cleared*

**A Reminder....**  
**OTHR Membership is due for  
renewal on 1<sup>st</sup> July 2021**  
**\$40.00 for 2021/22**  
**Renew Now!!**

**Short Term Goals**

A new range of goals to be achieved as soon as possible follows:

**Immediate:**

- **Continue the fit for use certification on the two locomotives and end platform cars.**
- **Vegetation Control in the Oberon yard and rail corridor to Hazelgrove.**

**Ongoing to January 2023**

**Reconstruct and have the Oberon to Hazelgrove section of track certified.**

**Complete the process of ensuring the two locomotives and end platform cars are certified fit for use.**

**Apply for variation of existing accreditation to become a Rail Transport Operator Oberon to Hazelgrove.**

**Implement the completed review of SMS and Operational Procedures documents.**

**Oberon Cars and Coffee**

The popular Oberon Railway Cars and Coffee was held on Sunday February 27<sup>th</sup> last.

Considering the Oberon weather hadn't been kind in the week leading up to Cars and Coffee, there was a break on Sunday, albeit overcast, and the hangover of Covid19 was still in the air, up to 100 enthusiasts were present during the morning.

Members of the Oberon Heritage and Collectors Club, our local car club, added to the scene with some special vehicles of their own.

First class coffee and the famous OTHR Egg and Bacon Rolls were dispensed during the morning amid the chatter of car enthusiasts.

It seemed that interest in our projects was greater than previously with a crowd thronging the station and questions flowing thick and fast.

Cars and trains definitely are a good and varied mix of interest to all.

Cars and Coffee Events are a worldwide phenomenon amongst car enthusiasts. They are growing in strength all the time and are replacing traditional car runs as a community event.

The event has now come to Oberon, and it is the OTHR goal to grow the event here, in time.

With the support of the car enthusiast community of the Central Tablelands/Central West and greater NSW, OTHR will hold another event around August/September.



*Deep in conversation, John Broatchie, Treasurer of OTHR resplendent in the OTHR Uniform, at the Cars and Coffee event.*



## OTHR Events Calendar

### 2022

Oberon Tarana Heritage Railway Inc is entering the next phase of operations.

Your committee is filling the calendar quickly and this will assist you in making decisions to visit the Oberon Station Precinct.

There is always capacity for your club, association or you to visit the Oberon Station Precinct and surrounds. We can put together a very interesting event for a group that will leave you in awe of Oberon activities and big toys for boys.

Our initial contact is: [admin@othr.com.au](mailto:admin@othr.com.au) or [tourism@oberon.nsw.gov.au](mailto:tourism@oberon.nsw.gov.au)

Events during March are:

- 29<sup>th</sup> March. Tour by the Vintage Sports Car Club of Australia who will be hosted to a Fettle's Lunch and a tour of the Oberon Heritage Station Complex.
- Open Day Saturday April 2<sup>nd</sup> 10.00 – 3.00

Keep an eye on this column for future events or book yours now, you won't be disappointed.



*Another view of 4702 DN Freight shunting at Oberon Yard. This photo shows a working goods siding including the goods shed. January 1979*

*Photo Geoff Allerton.*

## New feature for OTHR.

Oberon Tarana Heritage Railway Inc. offers the very different Oberon Precinct as a venue for weddings 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 at: [admin@othr.com.au](mailto:admin@othr.com.au)

Hiring fees are incredibly competitive.



*This could be your Bridal Party with Oberon Station Precinct as a backdrop.*



*Locomotive 4702 shunting near Tarana Station. January 1979*

*Photo Geoff Allerton.*



## Want to volunteer but don't know how to go about it?

Oberon Tarana Heritage Railway Inc. is a volunteer group working to bring a major tourist attraction on-line later in 2022 or early 2023.

We are looking for motivated people to work in a volunteer capacity in all sorts of occupations.

You don't need to know about railways; just have a desire to serve a community by volunteering your skills with an enthusiastic group of other volunteers.

If you have skills in Catering, Cleaning, Accounting, Business Administration, Computers, I.T., Carpentry, Cabinet Making Diesel Mechanics, Fettleing, General labouring, Interpersonal Skills or any other vocation, and can take directions and work with a team, then OTHR wants you.

Be a part of potentially a great tourist attraction for the Central Tablelands/Central West and NSW.

Find out what it takes to become a valued volunteer working with an experienced and enthusiastic team.

Enquire at: [admin@othr.com.au](mailto:admin@othr.com.au) or Mobile 0437 389 684 (President, Greg Bourne)



*Photo of the Oberon Tarana railway track taken from 4702 in January 1979. Geoff Allerton rode on this locomotive at the time and the photo is attributed to him.*

## 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 possible 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 from 1<sup>st</sup> July 2021 and 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

## Volunteers Wanted.

If you are a boilermaker/welder or have skills in cleaning or mechanical experience, have time to volunteer a couple of hours every now and then and can see yourself in this roll, then call Greg Bourne.

Greg is President of OTHR and would love to have a chat about you volunteering on a great railway project.

Call him now on 0437 389 684 or email [admin@other.com.au](mailto:admin@other.com.au)

## About Oberon.....

March is the beginnings of Autumn and in Oberon that means the evenings start to chill, but the action is hot.

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

This month we welcome:

- 5<sup>th</sup> March, Oberon Community and Farmers Markets showcasing food and craft from the local Oberon area.
- 5<sup>th</sup> March, OTHR Open Day when you can explore the Oberon Heritage Station and enjoy a Devonshire Tea in our Carriage Café.
- 13<sup>th</sup> March, Oberon Swap Meet. Who knows what might find at this event, everything from a car part to Bric-a-Brac?
- 20<sup>th</sup> March, Tour of Mount David Village. This is a tour undertaken by a local historian of the historic gold fields village of Mount David, about 35kms south of Oberon
- 27<sup>th</sup> March, Tarana Family Markets featuring goods and food from the Oberon/Tarana area set in a quaint village about 24kms north of Oberon.
- 29<sup>th</sup> March, Tour of Oberon Heritage Station Precinct by VSCCA. This is a private visit, but you can inspect some lovely vintage sports cars in the Station carpark from 12 noon.

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

For the latest in what'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:

The Morris Register      Seniors Week Tour  
Cars and Coffee      Yuletide High Teas  
Oberon Cars and Coffee  
Taree Historic Motor Club Inc.

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.

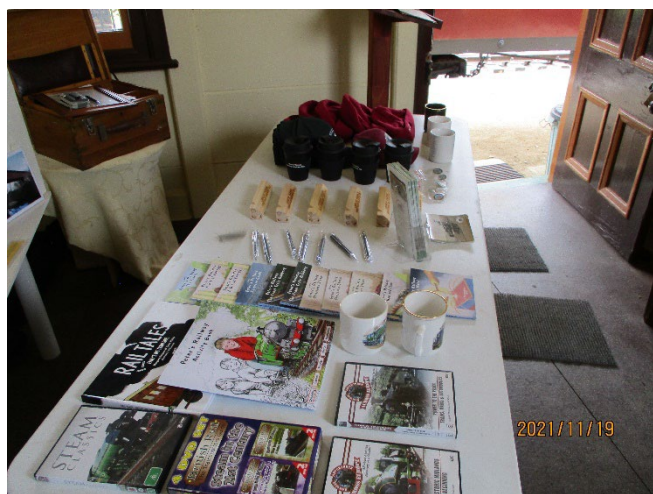
One thing's for sure, you will be more than welcome in Oberon! There is a team of friendly locals here to help. Contact us any time to discuss.

## Did you know....

That on Open Days OTHR has a pop-up café in one of the carriages at the station.

Come along and try our scrumptious scones, mouth-watering cakes with tea or coffee. Our café staff would love to look after you. \$15.00 pp gets you entry to the station precinct and morning tea, children (under 18) \$10.00 pp.

Yet another good reason to come along and see what the railway folk are doing at the station.



*Some of OTHR's merchandise.  
This is a fundraiser for OTHR and at the same time  
gives you a memento of a great project.*

*Got yours yet?*

*An order form is at the end of this newsletter.*



*Interior of the 1<sup>st</sup> class section of HS36 that is about to be restored to its former glory.*

This project is in the planning stages. Some of the special timer has been delivered for the exterior. If you would like to volunteer some of your time helping to restore this historic 1891 carriage or take part in any other OTHR activity, then talk to President Greg Bourne on 0437 389 684 or email [admin@othr.com.au](mailto:admin@othr.com.au) about your skills and available time.

## Monthly Open Days.

**Are held on the first Saturday of the month.  
Next Open Day 5<sup>th</sup> March 2022**

We need volunteers for Open Days. Volunteers will meet and greet visitors, show them through the displays and try to answer any questions. 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 \$5.00pp (children under 18 free), and a pop-up café serving Devonshire Teas for an additional \$10.00 pp.

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 \$5.00 pp (children under 18 free),  
Devonshire Tea \$10.00 pp.

Oberon District Museum \$5 pp.

Skoda and Tatra Museum entry by way of a donation.

For group visits, see <http://other.com.au> for contact details.

## 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.

An investment is \$100 per new sleeper.

Get yours now!

## Working Bees.

We will be trying to have at least one weekday and each Saturday throughout the year. Keep an eye on the website or OTHR Facebook page for up-to-date information. If you are not a regular participant, please make contact – details at [other.com.au](http://other.com.au)

**Personal Protective Equipment must be worn.  
Current membership is a necessity to ensure insurance compliance.**

Contact Greg Bourne, President.

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

**We are always on the lookout for volunteers for working bees.**

**Volunteers are required to participate in allocated tasks.**

**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.



*Rail recovery from Richard Webb's  
It has been stored there for many years*

## Welcome New Members.

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

In March we welcome:

Peter Lane of Bathurst NSW

Mike Chirgwin of Blackheath, NSW

Sam Garland of Lithgow, NSW

Jake Macklin of Riverstone, NSW

John Lowe of Lowther, NSW

Don Capel of Black Springs, NSW

## 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.

We've just received some sad news that long time member and volunteer, Russell Merriman has passed after suffering a lengthy bout of ill health. Not only did Russell give his time to OTHR but also was a senior officer in the Oberon Rural Fire Service as well as giving his time freely to many other associations around Oberon.

## Say Whaaat???

- When I told my contractor I didn't want carpeted steps, he gave me a blank stare.

- Prison is just one word to you, but for some people it's a whole sentence.
- What did the surgeon say to the patient who insisted on closing their own incision? Suture yourself.
- I started telling everyone about the benefits of eating dried grapes. It's all about raisin awareness.

## Oi.....

I'd be willing to bet you skimmed over the earlier column alerting you to the birth of the OTHR 100 Club!

The 100 Club is available to **all readers** of this newsletter.

We are raising these funds to assist with the general administration of Oberon Tarana Heritage Railway Inc. Part of those expenses goes towards the monthly production of the newsletter you are reading.

This association is a volunteer group and there's not a single paid job, but we must pay our bills regularly.

As you are aware we are awarded grants from time to time, but these funds must be spent on the project for which they were originally granted; there is no way those funds can be diverted to general revenue.

It's for this reason we raise funds via membership fee, selling sleepers, selling firewood, charging entry fees on special days, holding events, selling merchandise etc. etc. and now....

Here is your 1 in 100 chance of winning \$1,000 and at the same time help us to carry n general affairs.

Simply complete the entry form attached to this newsletter and follow the simple directions to get your ticket now.

You may mail your entry and payment to PO Box 299 Oberon NSW 2787 if you wish.

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

### 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. Highlands Motor Inn

Highlands Motor Inn, quality accommodation at an affordable price. We don't work to a budget; we work to exceed your expectations.  
Contact (02) 6336 – 1866  
77 – 79 Dart 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



Oberon Station Precinct and Train are for hire for photo shoots and films.

Whether it's a wedding, school formal, family reunions, settings for filming or any occasion, send a message to [admin@othr.com.au](mailto:admin@othr.com.au) with your enquiry.

Our rates are very competitive





**OTHM 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.

**OTHM 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 include extra postage.

**OTHM 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 include extra postage.

**OTHM 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.

**OTHM 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 \$39.99 non-members, \$34.00 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		\$
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

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

Donation

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

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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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 are able to contribute.

**Signed:**

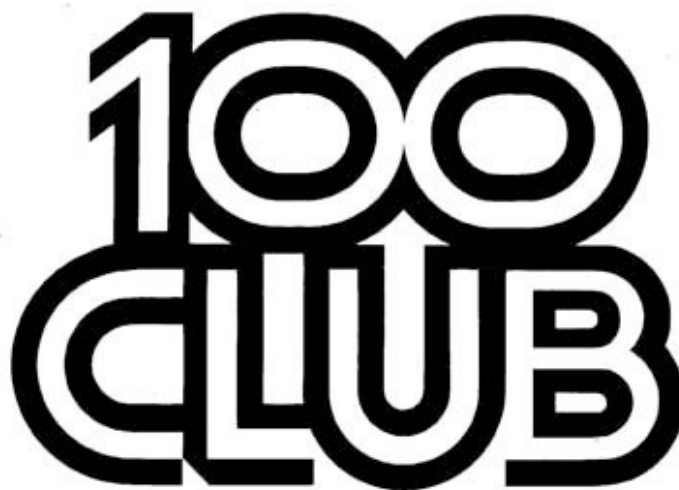
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**Number of Tickets @ 20.00 each:**

<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>	
<b>OTHR Bank details</b>	<b>BSB: 062 632</b> <b>Account No: 1004 9851</b>
<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>	
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