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### From the President's Desk

The recent wet Sundays have not helped and slowed our cash flow. Fortunately all our Wednesdays have been fine and on-going development of the site is progressing well. A Saturday group managed to install the conducts for the incoming points. The next stage is to purchase and install the supply cables. Once the cables are in, the three incoming points will be changed over to the new type. The raised track banana is progressing well with the main line sorted and Dave's next stage is to concrete the wheel track.

**Reminder. The general meeting night in October is awards night-bring items to enter and display.**

– John Hamilton

### September 2013 Edition



Recent Run Day

### From the August Committee Meeting:

**MEANZ:** No Report but the documentation required by the MBIE is on hand.

**Halswell GLT:** Char has arrived and will be temporarily stored at Andrews Crescent. Current priorities are completing the shed and continuing with signal installation. Progress with new trolleys will be dependant on funding. Graeme reported on the good progress made on Saturday 10<sup>th</sup> Aug Working Bee. Neale raised questions re the installation of the low voltage wiring.

**Website:** John agreed to check some of the PDF sections.

**Librarian:** 2013 Magazines are up to date.

**General:** Canmod: Registrations are beginning to come in. Possibly 11 tractions engines will present. Considerable interest from campers. John Beauchamp is to apply for necessary permissions from CCC for Canmod and has applied for Show Weekend. Members were asked for suggestions on the refurbishment of the Ticket Boxes. There needs to be both EFTPOS and cash facilities. Lease Information for Andrews Cres. from CCC was discussed. Peter has acquired a surplus gantry crane with a one ton capacity which he is offering for installation in the engine shed. He also requested vigilance on the lubrication needs of the loco F7.

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# The Dock Side



## Commodore's Corner

Three 'Do not feed the ducks' signs have been purchased. These are yet to be installed.

This year's pond weed spraying will need to be done about mid October, to be clear for Show weekend. 'Liquid Fence' is available in NZ. The committee has approved the purchase of this product. The application of Duck Repellent makes the food supply in the application area very undesirable to geese and ducks. Liquid Fence is formulated from natural ingredients and won't harm animals or plants.

Our last two scheduled sailing days has been cancelled due to the weather.



Recent Activity on the Pond

## REMINDER: SUBS

Discount valid until awards night (First week of October).

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Progress on the Shed



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