



North West Area Group

NEWSLETTER JANUARY 2025

Well, here we are at the start of another year. Where did the last one go? I'm sure they make them shorter than ever. Anyway, here goes:

HERE'S WISHING YOU ALL THE BEST FOR THE NEW YEAR!!

I must apologise for this Newsletter being later and rather more basic than I would wish. Unfortunately circumstances have prevented me from attending some of the meetings and have also rather got in the way of matters. Mostly just photos then.

Let's hope for better next year.

OCTOBER MEETING







NOVEMBER MEETING





MARGARET SEED WRITES:

First of all, I would just like to wish all at the North West group a very happy and healthy 2025.

One of your members, Bob Seed, was my husband who sadly passed away in February 2024. He was a very keen G Scaler who enjoyed all the meetings that you had and especially the pies at lunch time that I constantly got told about!

John Hulse very kindly helped me with the sale of all of Bob's railway stock and he would have been so pleased to know that some of this can now be enjoyed by other members.

I am sure Bob would echo my wishes to the club for its continued success in the future as well as happy memories you can make together on your own personal garden railway adventures.

All the best
Margaret Seed

DECEMBER MEETING

Yet another one where I didn't make it. I am grateful to John Hulse for the photos we do have, of Gary Styles's wonderful creation and one more of David Thrower's great long trains.



And also to Derek Chapman



FROM ANDREW JOLLEY

No trains today at Carleton Junction, it's the wrong type of snow! This was the scene I woke up to on Sunday 5th January and I bet a lot of other members did also.



NEWS FROM PHIL VOSE:

I have started 2025 on the right foot, Currently refurbishing my buildings, cosy in my workshop with tea and biscuits..... happy days.



MEANWHILE, DON'T MISS

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Festival 2025



Saturday June 7 2025
10-4pm
Llangollen Pavilion, Abbey Road, Llangollen, LL20 8SW

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Accompanied Children FREE

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Llangollen Garden Railway Festival

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The Llangollen Garden Railway Festival is one of the UK's premier model garden railway events.

Set in the beautiful Vale of Llangollen in Northeast Wales, it is a great day for families and kids as well as hobbyists and enthusiasts!

Showcasing the very latest releases and products for those with an interest in garden railways.

A range of large scale model layouts showing railways from different periods and countries.

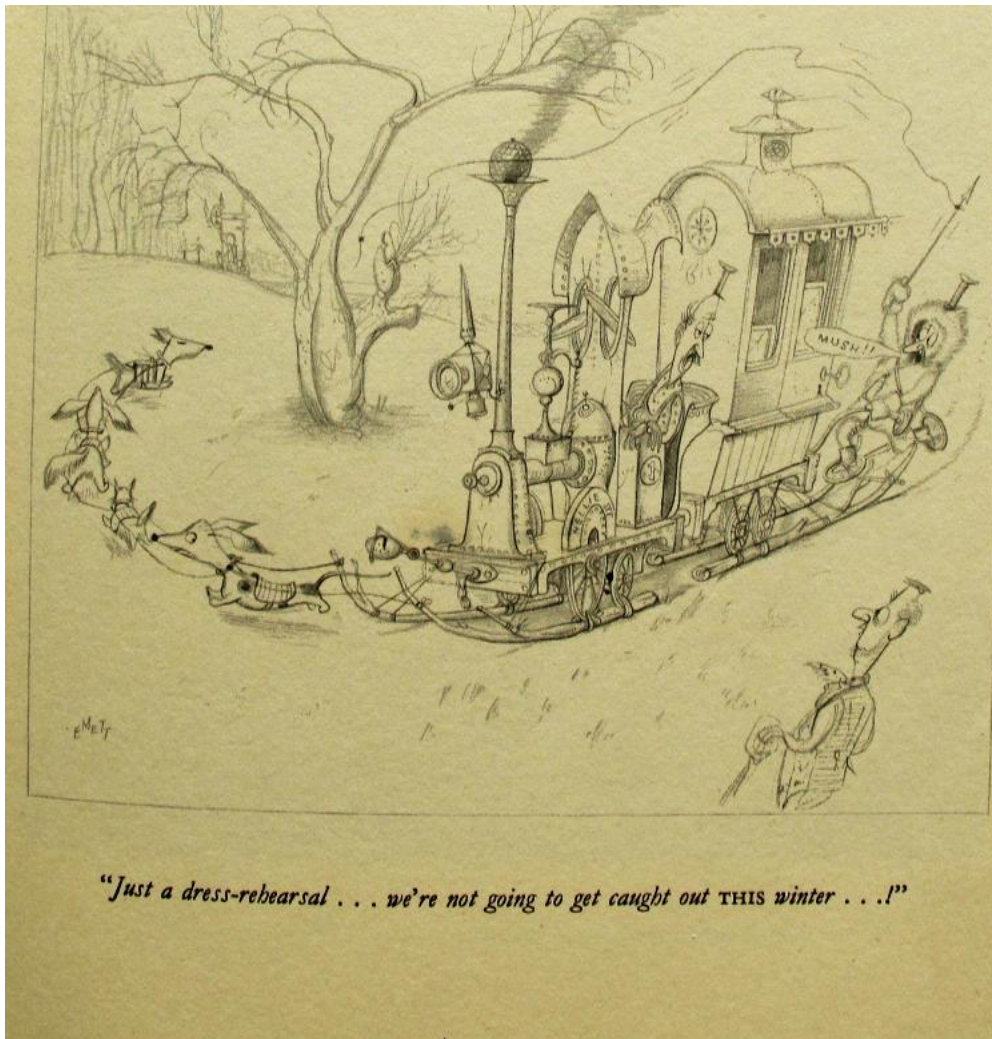
Nearly 50 stalls with traders will be displaying and selling everything you would need for your garden model railway.

Advanced Tickets £14 (Accompanied children free) from the Llangollen Tourist Information Centre, who will post them out to you OR by calling 01978 860 828 (On the day tickets sales start at 10.00am)



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Finally after all the weather we've been having, a contribution from my good friend Roland.



NWAG Diary 2025

15th February Altrincham The regular monthly meeting. 10.00 onwards

15th March Altrincham The regular monthly meeting. 10.00 onwards

19th April Altrincham The regular monthly meeting. 10.00 onwards

17th May Altrincham The regular monthly meeting. 10.00 onwards

7th June Llangollen Garden Railway Festival 10.00 See advert above.

21st June Altrincham The regular monthly meeting. 10.00 onwards.

Contributions

Many thanks to those of you who have contributed material for this edition.

Please send your article or photographs for the Newsletter to me via: anthony.waring55@btinternet.com. It helps greatly if photographs are sent separately as attachments as jpg files; and for text to be in Word attachments or alternatively in the body of the email. Deadline for the next Newsletter is 28th March..

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