

THE OAMARU STEAM AND RAIL DIGEST

OCTOBER 2023



On the Railway

- In September we carried 380 passengers, including extra Wednesday trains run during the school holidays.
- B10 has received its steam 'ticket' and should be running during the Victorian Heritage Celebration in mid-November. Our other rolling stock is undergoing its annual inspection.
- On the trackwork front, additional spot re-sleepering has been done down by the penguins.



Coffee and a Chat, Friday, October 13th

Our Monthly Coffee Chats are held from 10:15am on the second Friday of the month at The Brydone. Anyone is welcome to come along for a cuppa and a chat!

Christmas Dinner, Saturday, 28 October

The Oamaru Steam and Rail Christmas Dinner will be held on 28 October at the Fort Enfield, starting at 6:30pm. The address is 625 Weston-Ngapara Road, Enfield. Please RSVP by 21 October to Janet on 021 817 012.

Annual General Meeting, Saturday, 28 October

To warm up for the Christmas dinner, why not attend the Society's Annual General Meeting beforehand?! The AGM will be held at the clubrooms beside the workshops on 28 October at 1pm.



Photos from Geoff and Daphne Ellis' farewell morning tea. We have enjoyed having them as part of the team for the past 7 years and wish them all the best on their next adventure down south!