



The Festival of Railway Literature - Bedale 2015

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Friday 23rd October 2015

7.30-9pm

Readings from Railway Literature

organised and presented by Liar's League (Leeds), on board a special train stabled at Bedale station. Sponsored by Wills Bros



Saturday 24th October 2015

11am-11.45

Too Much Information! – Tanya Jackson (author of *British Rail: The Nation's Railway*)

12.30-1.30

Rail Privatisation – panel discussion chaired by Spencer Stokes (BBC Look North)

Christian Wolmar (Rail columnist) & Richard McClean (MD, Grand Central)

2pm-2.45

Rail enthusiasts in the Media – Murray Brown (Chair, Deltic Preservation Society)

3pm-3.45

The Case of the 'Hail Mary' Celeste - Malcolm Pryce (author)

Evening

Murder Mystery train to Bolton Castle – Chuffing Theatre Company

Furrer+Fre[®]y

Overhead contact lines

Sunday 25th October 2015 sponsored by Furrer+Fre[®]y GB

10.15-11.45

Researching railways in print & through archives

Karen Baker (NRM), Chris Heather (TNA) & Bob Ellis (WRA)

12.30-13.30

Future of Railway Publishing – panel discussion chaired by Prof Charles Oppenheim

Kevin Robertson (Ian Allan), Tony Miles (Modern Railways), & Ian Furness (wnxx.com)

2.00-2.45pm

Rockliffe and the Railways – Chris Lloyd (Northern Echo)

3.00-4.00pm

Belles and Whistles: Five Journeys Through Time on Britain's Trains

Andrew Martin (novelist and railway fanatic)

6pm

Celebration Choral Evensong – Bedale Parish Church

First TransPennine Express

Children's activities sponsored by First TransPennine Express

Saturday & Sunday (8-12 years)

Chris Vine - **Peter's Railway**

Cleveland Model Railway Club - Railway Modelling demonstrations

Meg Harper – Saturday: Murder Mystery Train drama workshop 2.30-4pm (20 places)

Meg Harper – Sunday: storytelling 3pm-4pm (30 places)

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