#### **EVENTS SCHEDULE** 11, 12, 15, 18, 19 February Half Term - Kids for a Quid 14, 15, 16, 17 April Easter Egg Hunt 22, 23, April Spring Diesel Gala 29, 30 April Peppa Pig and George visit the Railway 27, 28, 29 May Steam Gala Postman Pat® and Jess the Cat 10, 11 June visit the Railway 18 June Father's Day Classic Car Show Victorian Weekend 24, 25 June London Transport Weekend 15, 16 July 28, 29, 30 July Real Ale Weekend Chase & Marshall from 5, 6 August PAW Patrol visit the Railway 12, 13 August Vintage Steam Rally 19, 20 August The Gruffalo visits the Railway 3 September Classic Car Show Red & Green Rover - Special Bus 10 September Running Day 23, 24 September Autumn Diesel Gala Hallowe'en Weekend 28, 29, 31 October 2, 3, 9, 10, 16, 17, 21, Santa Specials 22, 23, 24 December 27, 28, 30, 31 December Mince Pie Specials

## STEAM INTO THE FOREST



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This summer, you can travel from Ongar and enjoy the full length of the line to Epping Forest and return to North Weald by steam without leaving your seat.

Steam into the New Year

Take the 1135 or 1335 service from Ongar (June, July and August when Standard Timetable is in operation) and enjoy steam haulage into the ancient woodlands of Epping Forest!

# **WELCOME TO EPPING ONGAR RAILWAY**

So what makes us unique? Well, other than our fantastic team of volunteers, who are eager to meet you:

- We've got a fantastic range of steam and diesel locomotives and unlike any other heritage railway – a wonderful fleet of heritage buses too. It really is three experiences\* – one great value day out!
- We're the closest heritage railway to London.
- We're the only heritage line on the former London Underground network.
- We're the longest heritage line in Essex.
- We're triple award winners including Heritage Railway of the Year in 2013 and Volunteers Award for Restoration of Ongar Station. Finalist in Essex awards for Best New Business and Best
- We're easily accessible, with direct heritage bus connections to and from Epping Underground and Shenfield stations.



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Steam Trains to Epping Forest (in italics in the timetable) run during June, July and August only. At other times, these journeys operate between Ongar and North Weald only

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the New Year's Day 2018, a limited 339 bus service operates 5, 12, 14, 17 2, 9, 16, 23, 28, 30 August between North Weald and Epping Stations only. Please check 1, 29, 31 October our website for details. www.eorailway.co.uk 26, 28

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April

May

July

North Weald	12:55	13:55	14:45	Epping Station	13:20	14:20	15:10
Blake Hall Station	13:01	14:01	14:51	Coopersale	13:26	14:26	15:16
Toot Hill	13:05	14:05	14:55	North Weald	13:32	14:32	15:22
Epping Station	13:18	14:18	15:08				

Every Saturday and Sunday from 27 May 2017 until 27 August 2017 plus the following additional dates:

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**Epping Forest (Dep)** 

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Why not enjoy a picturesque trip through the Essex countryside on Route 381?

Closed

Santa Specials (Check our website for details) Special Events (Check our website for details

S = Steam D = Diesel

#### **Epping Forest**

There is no platform or public access here. You cannot alight or board the train here.

Inclusive bus and train Rover tickets

#### Standard Fares

Adult £13.00 Child (3-15 years) £7.00 Concessions £12.00 Family (2 + 3)£34.00

Under 3s travel

Different fares apply on Special Event days, Hallowe'en and Santa Specials. Please see our website for details.

**FREE** 

#### **Tickets**

You can avoid the queues and purchase your ticket 24/7 online, at either of our stations or from the bus conductor on running days.

Payment methods accepted Credit or debit card, or cash. We regret that we do not accept American Express.

## HOW TO FIND US



By Tube - The easiest way to visit us is via London Underground's Central Line to Epping Station where our frequent heritage buses pick you up from the front door.

By Train - We run heritage bus services direct from Shenfield Station to Ongar, North Weald and Epping.

By Car - Take junction 7 on the M11 towards Chelmsford and follow the brown signs from there to Ongar where there are car parks in the nearby town centre. Alternatively follow the signs to Epping and then the Tube Station and take our buses from there.

Toilets - Toilet and baby changing facilities are at North Weald and Ongar Stations. There is a wheelchair accessible toilet at North Weald Station.



No Smoking - Smoking is prohibited on all Epping Ongar Railway Stations and vehicles.

**Dogs** - We welcome well controlled dogs, and they travel free. Dogs are not allowed in the shop, catering or picnic areas, except assistance dogs. Dog waste must be disposed of properly.

**Disabled Visitors** - We regret that our heritage buses are unable to accommodate wheelchairs. Limited disabled parking is available but we recommend that you book in advance.

Please visit the website for our Railway Accessibility Statement.

The published timetable is subject to change. Every effort will be made to run the specified trains and buses to the timetable, however unforeseen circumstances may entail alterations or cancellations, which may include substituting diesel trains for steam trains or vice versa. Conditions of Carriage apply. Epping Ongar Railway reserves the right to vary any of the provisions included in this leaflet, without prior notice, and accepts no liability for any loss, included in this leaflet, without prior notice, and accepts no liability for any loss, nconvenience or delay caused. E & OE

\* Not all experiences may be available on all operating days.



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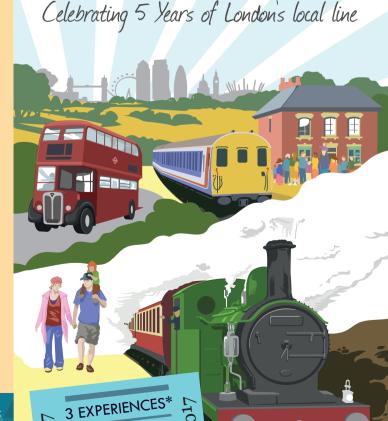
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ONE GREAT VALUE

DAY OUT!

More details on these events at www.eorailway.co.uk









# Easter Egg Hunt

- Easter Bunny visit
- · Children's Disco
- "The Bunny Hop"
- Facepainters



## Victorian Weekend

We bring a taste of the Victorian era with reenactment groups and a Victorian Curiosity show and all steam services.



## Real Ale Weekend

- Cask beers and ciders
- Live music on an off the trains
- · Late running on Saturday
- Our biggest ever Ale Festival





12, 13 August

# Vintage Steam Rally

An interesting selection of steam and other vehicles - large and small will be on display in addition to our regular steam and diesel services.

# Classic Car Shows

18 June, 3 September

We hold two one day classic car rallies this year at our North Weald Station in addition to our steam and diesel services.

### Red & Green Rover

10 September



# Steam & Scream

28, 29, 31 October

Dress up in your scariest outfit and look out for ghouls around the railway on our ever popular full size Ghost Train.

# Santa Specials

Come and meet Santa on his special train

Board a vintage bus from Epping or Ongar to North Weald Station. Santa and his elves will make their way through the train with presents for all good children. Advanced booking is essential.



2, 3, 9, 10, 16, 17, 21,

## Gala Events

22, 23, April 27, 28, 29 May 15, 16 July 23, 24 September

Spring Diesel Gala Steam Gala London Transport Weekend Autumn Diesel Gala





Discover the intriguing story of transport and the influence it has had on London culture and society over the last 200 years.

For more info on exhibitions and events visit Itmuseum.co.uk

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**NORTH WEALD** 

#### **EPPING STATION**

Epping Station is served by regular tube trains and is now the end of the Central Line. Our buses run from outside the station through Epping's bustling High Street, before heading through Epping Forest on their way to North Weald. The heritage bus journey is included within your ticket price. Tickets can be bought from the bus conductor.

#### **ONGAR STATION**

Ongar has always been the end of the line and boasts a grand 1865 Grade II listed Great Eastern Station. Following restoration by our volunteers back to its original format, it won the National Railway Heritage "Volunteers Award". The Station has a gift shop and a snack bar and there are picnic and viewing areas.

its 1940's charm and offers beautiful countryside views - the perfect spot to sit and watch the trains go by! Regular heritage trains shuttle into the forest, whilst steam and diesel trains operate to Ongar. Don't forget to visit our gift shop or buffet coach for a great range of snacks and drinks while you're here.

NORTH WEALD STATION North Weald Station is restored to

Approximately half way between Ongar and North Weald is the former Blake Hall Station, identical in size and style to North Weald. The Station was built for the grand manor house of the same name and for local farms. It was famed as being the least used Station on the London Underground network with just six passengers a day and was closed in 1981.

#### **BLAKE HALL STATION**

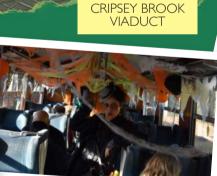
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#### **DINING TRAINS**

**ONGAR** 

Looking for an unusual venue for a special night out with the family? Then why not try an Epping Ongar Railway Dining Service. The price includes a two-course meal and two return trips from North Weald to Ongar. Drinks available from the bar. All our services are steam-hauled.



The Cockney Sparrow | 24 June, 12 Aug Generous portion of pie, mash & of course liquor - with perhaps a portion of jellied eels.



The Poppadum Prairie | 10 June, 8 July, 26 Aug Curry, rice & naan and of course poppadum & pickles for the starter!



The Epping Fryer | 3 June, I, 22 July, 2, I6, 30 Aug Great portion of Fish & Chips served hot at your table

~ A vegetarian option is available on all our dining trains.

#### MURDER MYSTERY

Join us for an evening of murder, mystery and mayhem as our professional theatre company present two new plots for 2017. Enjoy a meal as you question possible culprits.

17 JUNE AND 16 SEPTEMBER

For more info visit eorailway.co.uk

### COACH PARTIES

We are pleased to welcome groups and coach parties, with special discounts. We would love to exceed your expectations and make your event truly memorable. Please contact our Group Bookings team by email groupbookings@eorailway.co.uk or 01277 365200

### DRIVER EXPERIENCE

Have you ever wanted to be a train driver or fireman, experiencing the power of a steam or diesel locomotive, as you tackle our gruelling I in 60 inclines, passing through picturesque countryside and forest?

We offer both steam and diesel footplate experiences – an excellent gift for those who are difficult to buy for. Advanced booking is essential and gift vouchers are available

Further details on eorailway.co.uk/extras/driver-experience

### DIESEL LOCO FOOTPLATE RIDES

Subject to availability we can offer you the chance to ride in the cab alongside the driver for amazing views that you just can't experience in the carriages Check on the day direct with the diesel crews or see notices around the Railway.

## VOLUNTEERING

The railway couldn't run without volunteers. This includes the driver, guard, signalman, station and shop staff, rolling stock, track and signalling engineers in fact almost everyone you see is a member of our society. Why not join our

Further details on eorailway.co.uk/how-you-can-help/