

AALS Convention 2023 – Pre & Post Convention invitation runs

Date	Club & Contact Details	Facilities	Additional Info
Tuesday, 11/4 9AM till dark	Altona Miniature Railway, 1-21 Blenheim Rd, Altona North 3028, Matthew Rawls-Allen, Secretary. secretary@altonaminiaturerailway.com.au	1.5km dual gauge mainline with full moving frog points. Large unloading transverser with raised steaming bays (air and 240v available)	Come and run on our latest track extension which significantly changes our mainline route!
Wednesday, 12/4 9AM to 4PM	Wandong Live Steamers Mathieson's Siding, The Dean, Wandong, Vic, 3758. Melway Map 510,L8-10-0 John Johnston (Secretary) on (03)97493614 or 0402 991 809. email: jj.shay.one@gmail.com	5" gauge only No compressed air, limited 12v connections, best bring own blower & battery	All steam locos require current boiler certificates and fully fitted ash pans. Endless tea and coffee, BYO meals, BBQ available. Subject to local fire restrictions.
Wednesday, 12/4 8AM to 4PM	Box Hill Miniature Steam Railway Corner Elgar and Belmore Roads, MONT ALBERT NORTH, Melway Ref. 47 B4 David McFadyen, wdmcfadyen@gmail.com and 0476 035 044	Dual gauge 5 and 7.25 ground level track	A BBQ lunch will be provided to registered attendees at the Invitation Run
Friday 14/4 Play Day 10AM until 5PM	Diamond Valley Railway Lower Eltham Park - 570 Main Road Eltham Vic 3095 Sam Daly 0402 836 450 or samdaly0@gmail.com	7 ¼" ground level only. Coal, Water, Compressed Air and Fuel Provided for locomotives. Undercover storage available for Locomotives and Rolling Stock - Must be pre-arranged	All steam locomotives must have a current boiler certificate. Owners of locomotives and Rolling Stock must guarantee their equipment is safe and meets AALS Standards. Locomotives and Rolling Stock that are to operate on the Sunday must be signed off by a DVR Competent Person. No Camping allowed at DVR or in Lower Eltham Park. Air Conditioned/Heated Club Rooms with full kitchen. Hot Drinks available all day.

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Saturday, 15/4	Loddon Miniature Steam Locomotive Society , Mc Coy Street Eddington Rob Gould on 0437344225 or rob51trains@gmail.com	Ground level 5inch gauge, raised 5in-3½in tracks	AALS rules apply. It will be a B.Y.O. event. Tea and coffee provided. Limited basic camping available.
Saturday, 15/4 Play Day and Night 10:00am until 10:00pm	Diamond Valley Railway	(See Friday 14/4 entry for all details)	
Saturday, 15/4 Club Run day 10AM to 2PM (to which you are welcome), then play time after	Moira Miniature Rail Recreation Reserve G. V. Highway Wunghnu approx. 25 mins north Shepparton located near and look for 60 mt NBN Tower southern entrance to town. Contact Laurie or Denise Kennedy on 03 58 621 048	1 km of dual 5" and 7 ¼" gauge track. Good water and coal available. A BYO event, Tea and Coffee provided bring your own cup AALS rules APPLY Boiler certs a must. 4 mt Traverser, 4mt turn table, 4x4 steaming bays, No 240 volt or 12 volt power or compressed air available.	Track has a return circle each end could be tight for long wheel based locos
Sunday, 16/4	Loddon Miniature Steam Locomotive Society	(See Saturday 15/4 entry for all details)	
Sunday, 16/4 Public Running 11:00am until 5:00pm	Diamond Valley Railway	(See Friday 14/4 entry for all details)	
Sunday, 16/4 Play time 10AM to 2PM	Moira Miniature Rail	(See Saturday 15/4 entry for all details)	
On Request	Cobden Miniature Railway , Grayland St. Cobden, Sharron(secretary) on 0491 720 534	3½" & 5" raised track and 5" & 7¼" ground track.	If any AALS member would like to pop in for a run please contact Sharron and we can arrange for the railway to be open and SWME members in attendance. Limited overnight on site camping is available.