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Future 1997 Meets

February 22nd March 29th April 26th May 17th July 26th August 23rd September 27th October 25th November 22nd THE NEXT MEETING OF TCA / WESTERN DIVISION WILL BE HELD

ON SATURDAY, JANUARY 25th, 1997

at the ARCADIA PARK - SENIOR CITIZEN'S CENTER 405 So. Santa Anita Ave. Arcadia, California 91006

Doors open at 11:00 AM

In the course of Collecting Old Toy Trains you have elected an old timer in Train Collecting to lead Western Division in 1997. We shall try our very best to provide you with quality meets.

Just to mark the change, with Bob Spellmire's graphics help, we've brought back the "Headlight" masthead we last used in the 1970's.

In early December we have worked with both the Los Angeles County Parks Service and the Arcadia Park people to secure our Saturday meeting dates for 1997. They are shown in the lower left hand corner of this page.

For the most part we will stay with the 4th Saturday, except where we had a conflict with another major meet. For example, with Cal Stewart at Santa Clara scheduled on March 22-23 we have moved out a week later to March 29th.

As you've found detailed in the January TCA National Headquarters News the 43rd National Convention is scheduled for June 22nd-29th, 1997 in <a href="PHOENIX">PHOENIX</a>, hosted by Desert Division. Please mark your calender for this special event also, and note we will not schedule a meet at Arcadia in June.

In December, our Christmas Meet will be held on Sunday, December 7th 1997. Plan to attend all of our meets. We're going to add tables, and do our best to keep them filled with Trains!

For Display on January 25th (in the holiday theme) please bring your best/most interesting RED OBSERVATION (Single car or the set if you want). Car to be of any size or make.

HAPPY NEW YEAR John Parker CM6-143