

GREAT LAKES RAIL CARS. INC. NORTH CENTRAL RAILCARS, LTD.

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**GREAT LAKES RAIL CARS, INC.
EXCURSION ANNOUNCEMENT
(Great Lakes Central Railroad, Inc.)**

**Great Lakes Central Railroad (MI)
June 2-5, 2016 (Thurs-Sun)**

Great Lakes Rail Cars, Inc. is pleased to sponsor a 3-day motor car excursion over a portion of the Great Lakes Central Railroad (ex- Tuscola & Saginaw Bay Railway), beginning with set-on Thursday afternoon, June 2, 2016, followed by the excursion on Friday/Saturday/Sunday, June 3-5, 2016.

All NARCOA members are welcome to participate. Participants will travel a total of 238 miles in the beautiful northwestern portion of Michigan's Lower Peninsula. The trip will start in Cadillac, MI. We will run north to Petoskey, Michigan on Friday; Petoskey to Traverse City on Saturday; and Traverse City to Cadillac on Sunday. The excursion fee of \$525.00 (USD) includes all railroad fees, very nice overnight hotel accommodations in both Traverse City and Petoskey, MI; very nice continental breakfast on Saturday & Sunday morning, transportation to/from the hotel in both Traverse City & Petoskey, and other related excursion costs.

Complete details will be sent upon receipt of the excursion fee. There is a 30 car limit. This is a NARCOA-insured excursion and all NARCOA rules will apply. To register, send a check for \$525.00 (payable to Great Lakes Rail Cars) to:

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**NORTH CENTRAL RAILCARS
EXCURSION ANNOUNCEMENT
(North Shore Scenic Railroad)**

**North Shore Scenic Railroad (MN) & Duluth Harbor Cruise
July 5, 2016 (Tuesday)**

North Central Railcars, Ltd. is hosting 1-day, "rail and sail" adventure consisting of a 52 mile round trip rail excursion along the shore of Lake Superior between Two Harbors, MN and Duluth, MN, along with a 1.75 hour Duluth Harbor Cruise. There will also be a 2 hour layover at the NSSR depot for a museum visit and lunch.

Set on will be late afternoon on Monday, July 4, 2016. Those who cannot make Monday set-on may do so on Tuesday morning, July 5, 2016. The cost of the excursion is \$135 per car which covers the railroad fee, 2 box lunches per car at the NSSR depot, museum admission for 2, Duluth Harbor Cruise for 2, and other related excursion costs.

Additional lunches or Harbor Cruise tickets can be purchased in advance with your registration. There is a 25 car limit. Complete detail and registration materials will be sent upon receipt of the excursion fee. To register for the excursion, send a check for \$135 (payable to North Central Railcars) to:

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**NORTH CENTRAL RAILCARS
EXCURSION ANNOUNCEMENT
(Northern Plains Railroad Company)**

**Northern Plains Railroad (ND)
July 7, 2016 (Thursday)**

North Central Railcars, Ltd. is hosting a 1 day, 120 mile round-trip excursion from Fordville, ND to Munich, ND on the Bisbee & Sarle subdivisions on Thursday, July 7, 2016. Lunch will be held at the Community Hall in Munich and is included in the trip fee. Excursion fee is \$150 per car and covers the rail fee, insurance, gratuity, lunch for 2, and other miscellaneous excursion expenses. There is a 25 car limit. Complete details will be sent upon receipt of the excursion fee.

To register, send a check for \$150.00 (payable to North Central Railcars, Ltd.) to:

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**North Central Railcars, Ltd.
Excursion Announcement
(Keewatin Railway Company)**

**Keewatin Railway Company (MB)
July 10, 2016 (Sunday)**

North Central Railcars, Ltd., is hosting a 1-day motor car excursion on the Keewatin Railway Company (ex-Hudson Bay Sherridon Sub) in northwestern Manitoba on Sunday, July 10, 2016, between milepost 2.36 (about 5 miles north of Cranberry Portage, MB) and Pukatawagan, MB. Total rail miles for the day will be approximately 198. This is an extremely remote excursion and facilities will be primitive at best along the way, but we will have restrooms available in "Puk" during lunch. You will also need your car to be in tip-top operating condition as we want to maintain speeds of 25 mph or better.

The excursion fee of \$125 (US or CDN) includes the railroad fee, insurance, gratuities, and other miscellaneous excursion costs. This is a NARCOA insured excursion and NARCOA rules apply. There is a 25 car limit. Complete details and registration materials will be sent upon receipt of the excursion fee (US participants) or by request (Canadian participants can pay in local currency at the excursion.) Registration closes May 15, 2016 or when the trip is full.

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**NORTH CENTRAL RAILCARS, LTD
EXCURSION ANNOUNCEMENT
(TORCH RIVER RAIL)**

**Torch River Rail (SK)
July 12, 2016 (Tues)**

North Central Railcars, Ltd. is pleased to announce a 1 day motor car excursion on Torch River Rail on Tuesday, July 12, 2016 in beautiful northeastern Saskatchewan. We will travel the line twice between Choiceland, SK and Nipawin, SK for a total of 104 miles (including a 1,907 foot long trestle (Nipawin Crooked Bridge) over the Saskatchewan River on the outskirts of Nipawin which has a roadway running beneath it). The excursion fee is \$125 (USD or CDN) and includes all rail fees, breaks at the community hall in White Fox, SK, insurance, gratuities, and other related excursion expenses.

Lunch will be on your own in Choiceland. Canadian participants may pay in local currency at the beginning of the excursion, but do need to register for the trip in advance. This is a NARCOA insured excursions and NARCOA rules apply.

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**NORTH CENTRAL RAILCARS
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(Northern Lights Railway)**

**Northern Lights Railway (SK)
July 13, 2016 (Wednesday)**

North Central Railcars, Ltd. is hosting a 1 day, 70 mile round-trip excursion between Birch Hills, SK and Melfort, SK on the ex-CN Birch Hills spur on Wednesday, July 13, 2016.

This is the newest railway in Saskatchewan and a new railway for NARCOA! The excursion fee is \$60 (USD or CDN) per car and covers the rail fee, insurance, gratuity, and other miscellaneous excursion expenses. Lunch will be on your own in Kinistino, SK. Canadian participants can pay in local currency at the excursion, but do need to register in advance. There is a 25 car limit.

Complete details will be sent upon receipt of the excursion fee. To register, send a check for \$60 (USD - payable to North Central Railcars, Ltd.) to:

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**NORTH CENTRAL RAILCARS, LTD.
EXCURSION ANNOUNCEMENT
(Big Sky Rail)**

**Big Sky Rail (SK)
July 14-15, 2016 (Thurs-Fri)**

North Central Railcars, Ltd. is pleased to sponsor a two-day, 240 mile, excursion over a portion of the Big Sky Rail (ex-CN Conquest and Elrose Subs). On Thursday July 14, 2016, we plan to run between Macrorie, SK and Eatonia, SK. We will take a bus from Eatonia to Kindersley for our overnight accommodations. On Friday, July 15, 2016 we will return by bus to Eatonia, then make the 120 mile trip back to Macrorie.

The excursion fee of \$450 (USD) (or \$500 CDN) per car covers the railroad fee, insurance, gratuities, bus transportation to/from Eatonia, hotel accommodations in Kindersley, and other excursion related expenses.

There is a 25 car limit. Complete details will be sent upon receipt of the excursion fee (US participants) or by request (Canadian participants can pay in local currency at the excursion but need to register in advance).

Registration closes May 15, 2016 or when the trip is full. This is a NARCOA-insured excursion and all NARCOA rules will apply. To register, send a check for \$450 (USD) (payable to North Central Railcars, Ltd.) to:

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**NORTH CENTRAL RAILCARS, LTD.
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(GREAT SANDHILLS RAILWAY, LTD.)**

**GREAT SANDHILLS RAILWAY, LTD. (SK)
July 18 & 19, 2016 (Mon/Tues)**

North Central Railcars, Ltd., is pleased to announce a 2-day, 260 mile trip on the Great Sandhills Railway, Ltd., covering a portion of the ex-CP Empress and Burstall subdivisions between Cantuar, SK and Burstall, SK. Upon arrival in Burstall, we will travel by motor coach to Medicine Hat, AB for the night.

The excursion fee of \$400 (USD) (or \$450 CDN) covers the railroad fee, insurance, 2 lunches each day, gratuities, bus transportation, hotel in Medicine Hat, and other related excursion costs. This is a NARCOA insured excursion and NARCOA rules apply. There is a 25 car limit.

Complete details and registration material will be sent upon receipt of the excursion fee (US participants) or by request (Canadian participants can pay in local currency at the excursion). Registration closes on May 15, 2016 or when the trip is full.

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**GREAT LAKES RAIL CARS. INC.
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(Indiana Northeastern Railroad)**

**Indiana Northeastern Railroad
August 19-21, 2016 (Fri/Sat/Sun)**

Great Lakes Rail Cars, Inc., is pleased to sponsor a 2-day motor car excursion on the Indiana Northeastern Railroad in northeast Indiana and southeast Michigan on Saturday & Sunday, August 20 & 21, 2016.

The trip will start in Ashley, IN (set-on Friday evening- Aug 19) and run east to Edon, OH; west to Stuebenville Jet., then north to Coldwater, MI for an overnight stay, with return to Ashley early afternoon on Sunday. The entire trip will cover approximately 150 miles. The excursion fee of \$275.00 includes the railroad fee, overnight accommodations in Coldwater, MI (Sat., August 20, 2016), gratuities, and other miscellaneous excursion costs.

Registration materials, complete details, itinerary, and maps will be sent upon receipt of the excursion fee. This is a NARCOA insured excursion and NARCOA rules apply. There is a 35 car limit. Registration closes July 15, 2016 or when the trip is full.

To register, send a check for \$275.00 (Payable to Great Lakes Rail Cars) to:

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**GREAT LAKES RAILCARS, INC.
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(Huron Central Railway Company)**

**Huron Central Railway
August 24-25, 2016 (Wed/Thurs)**

Great Lakes Railcars, Inc., is pleased to sponsor a 2-day motor car excursion on the Huron Central Railway in beautiful northern Ontario on Wednesday & Thursday, August 24 & 25, 2016.

The Trip will start in Sault Sainte Marie, Ontario (set-on Tuesday afternoon, August 23, 2016 between 3:00p.m. and 5:00p.m.) and run east to McKerrow, ON then south to Espanola, ON for an overnight stay with return to Sault Sainte Marie the following day. The entire trip will cover approximately 282 miles.

The excursion fee of \$400 (USD) or \$450 (CDN) includes the railroad fee, overnight accommodations in Espanola, ON (Wednesday, August 24, 2016), fuel, gratuities, and other miscellaneous excursion costs. Lunches and dinner will be on your own. Canadian participants may pay in local currency at the excursion but need to register in advance. Registration materials, complete details, itinerary, and maps will be sent upon receipt of the excursion fee or by request (for Canadian participants).

This is a NARCOA insured excursion and NARCOA rules apply. There is a 25 car limit. Registration closes July 15, 2016, or when the trip is full. To register, send a check for \$400 (USD) (Payable to Great Lakes Rail Cars) to:

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**GREAT LAKES RAILCARS, INC.
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(Ontario Northland Railway Company)**

**Ontario Northland Railway (ON)
August 28 - September 2, 2016 (Sunday - Friday)**

Great Lakes Railcars, Inc., is pleased to sponsor a 6-day, 734 mile, motor car excursion on the Ontario Northland Railway through the beautiful northern Ontario wilderness from Sunday, August 28 through Friday, September 2, 2016. The trip will start in North Bay, Ontario (set-on Saturday afternoon, August 27, 2016 between 3:00p.m. and 5:00p.m.) and run north and west to Hearst, Ontario.

The excursion fee of \$1,900 (USD) or \$2,100 (CDN) per car (2 participants) includes the railroad fee, accommodations in New Liskeard, Cochrane, and Hearst, lunch on each of the 6 travel days, hotel breakfast (except Hearst), some breaks, fuel, gratuities, and other miscellaneous excursion costs.

Breakfast in Hearst and all dinners will be on your own. Canadian participants may pay in local currency at the excursion but need to register in advance. Registration materials, complete details, itinerary, and maps will be sent upon receipt of the excursion fee or by request (for Canadian participants).

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