

EASTERN RAILCAR ASSOCIATION, LLC

A NARCOA Affiliate

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R.J Corman RR Company, Lehigh and Owego & Harford

August 23 & 24, 2025

Eastern Railcar Association is pleased to announce our excursion on the Lehigh Line and Owego & Harford Line operated by R.J. Corman Railroad Company for the weekend of August 23-24, 2025. On Saturday, we will travel approximately 100 miles on a round trip from Athens, PA to Myobeach, PA along the Susquehanna River. Numerous twists and turns along with two large bridge crossings are a few of the highlights of this day. Since the railroad is busy with freight traffic, we may meet trains on this day and/or possibly a track gang. While we will endeavor to stop at locations convenient to the tracks, we will also need to adhere to our schedule so these stops may be of short duration. Please plan on bringing whatever food/drinks you will need for the day. We are planning to tow a portable toilet along with us for the excursion participants. On Sunday, our schedule is more relaxed and we depart Owego, NY for an approximately 50 mile round trip to Harford, NY. We will stop at the Newark Valley Depot for a bathroom break and refreshments en-route to Harford where we will turn and return to Newark Valley for our lunch. This lunch is included as part of this excursion and you will have a choice of pulled pork or chicken salad. Upon getting our fill of food, we will return to Owego and anticipate setoff around 2pm to allow for your return trip home.

Due to limited seton space at both locations, this excursion will be limited to **25** participants and there will be no mentoring available. **Hyrails and large cars over “S-car” size are permitted with prior permission of the EC only.** If in doubt, please contact the Excursion Coordinator prior to registering. As with all ERA excursions, this is a single excursion and no single-day discounts will be offered. The fee for this two-day excursion will be \$225.00 and does not include lodging, any meals except for Sunday’s snack and Lunch, any taxes, any travel expenses or other incidentals. If you have already purchased the NARCOA insurance for 2025, you will not have any additional insurance cost nor will you be required to purchase any additional membership(s).

We welcome you to register on a “first come, first served” basis via the USPS but please **DO NOT** overnight or express mail any forms or fees. **NO EMAIL/PHONE/TEXT RESERVATIONS WILL BE ACCEPTED.** Forms and fees may be delivered in person provided prior arrangements are made. Lodging options, for those interested, to follow with the acknowledgement of your registration.

We thank the R.J Corman Railroad staff for permitting us the privilege of organizing this excursion and hope to see you on the Lehigh and Owego & Harford in August.

Rob Piligian, EC

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**Complete this form and return with a check made payable to
“Eastern Railcar Association, LLC” to the address listed above.**

2025 Lehigh and O&H

Name_____

Address_____

City_____ State/Prov._____ Zip/Post Code_____

Email Address _____

Phone Number (cell preferred)_____

OTE Make and Model_____

Railroad OTE Number (if identified on vehicle)_____

NARCOA Rulebook Certification Number_____

NARCOA Insurance Number_____ (first two digits MUST start with 25)

Anticipated Total Number of people riding OTE (non-binding) _____

Excursion Fee: \$225.00 with check made payable to Eastern Railcar Association, LLC

Check Number_____

Sunday Lunch Choice (indicate quantity desired, limit two (2) per car) [additional lunches available for \$15 each, contact EC with questions]

Pulled Pork _____

Chicken Salad _____

Please print legibly and return this completed form with your check to the address listed above.