PRR T&HS 2018 50th ANNUAL MEETING NEWS!!!

May 9th - May 13th

This year it will be a <u>four day event</u>, with an "optional" Train trip leaving from 30th street station Phila to Altoona on Weds 9th and returning on Sun 13th. Including a trip around Horseshoe curve. This trip will be restricted to 100 passengers riding in "first class" Parlor cars and will be available thanks to the generosity of Bennett Levin and his equipment. See the PRRT&HS web site for the brochure!

Our annual meeting location is the Blair County Convention Center, Altoona PA. Due to the size of local hotels We have "blocked" rooms at five locations. They are as follows in the order of distance to the convention center.

Use **PRR THS** for all special hotel pricing

- (1) Courtyard Marriott Altoona (814) 312 1800 \$106.00 +tax This hotel has a direct connection to the convention center There are 70 rooms blocked until 4/09/18
- (2) Holiday Inn Express (814) 693 1004 \$124.00 +tax This hotel is less than a block away and is only one year old. Comp buffet breakfast There are 40 rooms blocked until 4/09/18
- (3) Altoona Grand Hotel (814) 946 1631 \$80.00 +tax This hotel is half a mile away and is the best bargain! There are 50 rooms blocked until 4/09/18
- (4) Hampton Inn (814) 941 3500 \$129.00 +tax Less than one mile away has Cracker Barrel and sports bar on same lot as hotel There are 30 rooms blocked until 4/11/18
- (5) Comfort Inn (814) 693 1800 \$100.00 +tax Two miles away, with restaurant, and more close by. Indoor pool. Breakfast not included. The rooms are blocked until 4/25/18, group code SE8EY6

There will be shuttle busses courtesy of the PRR T&HS running to all four outside hotel locations.

All hotels have handicapped rooms available.

We would advise making reservations ASAP this annual meeting will be

a record breaker! Naturally, other rooms are available outside of our PRR T&HS "block" but the special price will not be offered.

More NEWS as it becomes available!!!

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