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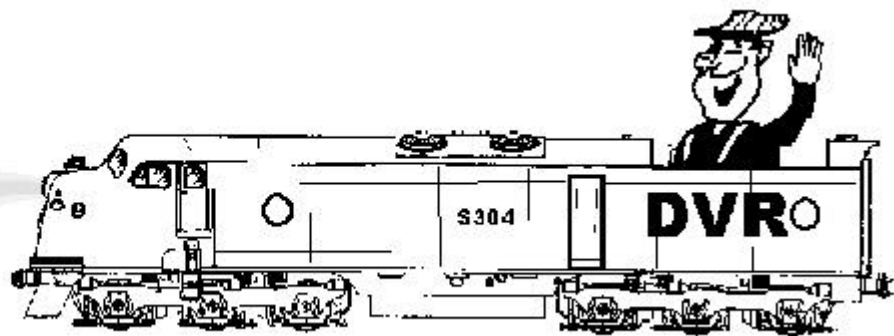
g Victoria's Finest Miniature Passenger Railway
DIAMOND VALLEY RAILWAY INC.

NIGHT RUN!

“Our Community Run Day”

Sunday 11th March

11am - 11 pm!



This is your only opportunity this year to ride the trains and see
the bushland by the lights of the trains and signals at night. X

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**DIAMOND VALLEY RAILWAY INC
PRESENTS
YOUR GREAT LITTLE RAILWAY ADVENTURE**

One of Australia's Great Little Railways will be hosting a special Community Day for the people of Melbourne on Sunday 11th March 2007.

The 7 1/4 inch gauge Diamond Valley Railway will be open from 11.00am on *Sunday 11th March* and will run continuously for 12 hours through to 11.00pm that night.

It will give people of all ages an exhilarating experience to ride Australia's Premier Miniature Railway through the wooded bushland along the banks of the Diamond Creek at Eltham Lower Park, Main Road, Eltham. (Melways Map 21, Ref H10.)

The Diamond Valley Railway, is seen as an icon in the annals of Australian Miniature Railways because of its prototypical scale stations, bridges, tunnels, locomotives, rolling stock and exquisite signal boxes controlling the hurley burley of train running on the Railway.

At nightfall, the Railway changes its character and assumes all the trappings of a real railway with its colour light signals beckoning the little trains as they hurry through the night hauled by powerful scale locomotives shining their headlights along the polished ribbons of steel track.

Bring the children along to experience the romance of the Railway Age in Miniature.

Ride exquisitely built scale passenger carriages that are reminiscent of the Golden Age of Steam.

Ride in comfortable scale replicas of the famous "S" type cars once used on the old "Spirit of Progress"; experience the magnificent red wooden bodied "E" & "W" cars once used on country passenger trains such as the "Geelong Flier"; and see and hear examples of the cute "Red Rattlers" and "Doggies" we all went to school on in our youth.

Come and marvel to the sounds of a glossy blue and gold "S" class diesel electric locomotive power up the grade just like its big brothers did on the "Overland" and "Southern Aurora" many years ago; or enjoy a ride in a Queensland sugar cane train or a replica train of little "Puffing Billy" carriages. Some trains may be hauled by scale model steam engines.

All of the kaleidoscope of sights and sounds of a real Little Railway at work are there at Eltham Lower Park for Mums and Dads and the kids to experience.

Come to Railway on *Sunday 11th March 2007* for the Experience of your Life!

It's a great opportunity to re-discover the rich Heritage of the traditional Victorian Railways on Australia's finest Hobby Miniature Railway.

(PS to Mums & Dads, Bring the kids for a nostalgic trip back down memory lane during the night running segment through to 11.00pm - you wont regret it!.)

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