



March 24th, 1962 marks the date of our Charter with the National Railway Historical Society (<http://www.nrhs.com>) as the Susquehanna Valley Chapter. In celebration of our 50th Anniversary our Chapter will be holding a special full day of events scheduled for **Saturday, April 14th, 2012** at the **Brothers 2 Restaurant** in Endwell, NY. Preliminary plans will include several multimedia program presentations by notable photographers and a dinner banquet in the evening with a guest speaker and program.

There will also be some special short program presentations. The theme will be **“All Aboard at Malfunction Junction - Railroading in the Southern Tier Region over the past 50 years.”**

As part of this celebration, the Susquehanna Valley Chapter wishes to invite current members, former members, and special guests of the Chapter.

This is going to be an exciting event enjoying railroading at its best along with meeting old friends and making new ones.

SVRHS needs your help retrieving past history of Chapter sponsored special events and activities. We would like to document these as photo memories in our archives for use as Chapter programs and a means to attract new members. If any current or former members of the Chapter have photos, slides, negatives, or movies of Chapter events, especially with people in them, we would like to scan and add them to our Chapter's history. All loaned material will be returned to the original owner once copied and full credit will be given to the owner.

For directions to the event, click <http://www.mapquest.com/?version=1.0&hk=7-kUXy69cj>.

Please feel free to contact us with any questions either through our Chapter E-mail address (<mailto:svrhs@rrmail.com>), or by calling Bob Pastorkey at 607-775-1267 or John Goodnough 607-648-3072.

SVRHS web site: <http://www.trainweb.org/SVRHS>

SVRHS Facebook page: <https://www.facebook.com/pages/Susquehanna-Valley-Railway-Historical-Society/174143605983935>

SVRHS 50th Anniversary Celebration
“All Aboard at Malfunction Junction”

Saturday, April 14, 2012, 9AM – 4PM and 5PM – 9PM
Brothers 2 Restaurant, 2901 Watson Blvd, Endwell, NY 13760
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Presentations will feature railroading in the Southern Tier Binghamton metro region over the past 50 years.

The daytime / afternoon presenters include: Sam Botts, Tony Stillittano, Tom Trencansky, John Young III, and Ed Zech. Two programs will feature the photography of JJ Young Jr., Doug Holbrook, and Dave Deyo. There will also be a special SVRHS presentation: “A look back at Chapter Events, People, and Places we Railfanned”.

The dinner presenter is Dick Allen, former company photographer for the D&H railroad, and author of the recent book titled “Trackside around Binghamton, 1960-1976”.

AGENDA	ACTIVITY
8:30 AM – 9:00 AM	Registration, Welcome & Introductions
9:00 AM – 11:50 AM	Morning Programs (3)
12:00 PM – 1:00 PM	LUNCH
1:00 PM – 3:50 PM	Afternoon Programs (3)
4:00 PM – 5:00 PM	BREAK / Informal Discussions
5:00 PM – 6:00 PM	Registration, Social Time, Welcome & Introductions
6:00 PM – 7:30 PM	DINNER
7:30 PM – 9:00 PM	Keynote Speaker: Richard J. Allen, Sr.

COST PER PERSON:

Daytime Only: \$25.00 Registration, Programs, Refreshments, Lunch

Evening Only: \$30.00 Registration, Dinner, Program

Total Package: \$50.00 Registration, Programs, Refreshments, Lunch, Dinner

Lunch Buffet: Soup du Jour, Garden Salad Bar, Garlic Bread, Coffee or Tea, Original Pig Stand Pork BBQ, Sandwich Wraps (Tuna Salad, Chicken Salad, Ham & Cheese)

Dinner Buffet: Garden Salad Bar, Garlic Bread, Coffee or Tea, Roast Beef w/Gravy, Chicken Parmigiano, Broiled Fish Filets, Baked Ziti, Mashed Potatoes, Vegetable of the Day, Cake

Hotel Information: <http://www.visitbinghamton.org/wheretostay/>

SVRHS 50th Anniversary Celebration Registration Form
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Cutoff date for registration is March 24, 2012 – envelope must be postmarked by this date
(seating is limited, so register early).

Name(s): _____
Address: _____
City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____
Phone: _____
Email: _____

Indicate Choices Below:	# People		TOTALS
Total Package	_____	@ \$50 per person = \$	_____
Or separately:			
Daytime Package	_____	@ \$25 per person = \$	_____
Evening Package	_____	@ \$30 per person = \$	_____
Grand Total		= \$	_____

Please make checks payable to “Susquehanna Valley Chapter, NRHS”

Mail registration and payment to:
Susquehanna Valley Railway Historical Society
PO Box 2415
Binghamton, New York 13902-2415

Special dietary meal requests (vegetarian is available, we'll try to honor other requests):
Vegan / Vegetarian: _____
Other: _____

Special accommodations needed?

