



# All Aboard 2022



Dear Friend,

Thanks to your support, the **Friends made it through more than 13 months of the Railroad Museum of Pennsylvania being closed to the public due to COVID-19**, and the multitude of challenges that presented. However, we still need your help today.

A number of our **irreplaceable historic locomotives and railroad cars** are in critical need of restoration and adequate housing. The time before they can no longer be preserved is ticking away. We are committed to doing all that we can, even though labor and materials now cost three times as much as they did a few short years ago. Think in terms of several hundreds of thousands of dollars for the restoration of just one locomotive.

We know that, especially in an uncertain economy, you too may be faced with making difficult financial decisions. Yet, you have reached down deep to help the Friends **develop and deliver innovative programming**, like our new **sensory hours** sessions for children and adults with special sensory needs, and work to maintain our **priceless collections**, like the **five Pennsylvania Railroad steam locomotives** that are currently undergoing stabilization by Museum staff, volunteers and contractors.

The nonprofit Friends of the Railroad Museum of Pennsylvania have **actively provided invaluable support to the Museum** since the organization's inception in 1983, firmly believing that **an investment in railroad history is an investment in the future**. Our visitors, members, volunteers, staff, advocates and the community are grateful that you have **embraced your inner railroader** and joined us in our mission of saving the trains and educating the public about the great heritage of railroading.

**Would you please forward your tax deductible gift** to the Friends of the Railroad Museum of Pennsylvania's All Aboard 2022 annual fund. When you **designate your contribution for wherever the need is greatest**, you help us to sustain our **key staff, important library and archives endeavors, crucial restoration projects and dynamic educational programs, events and exhibits**. If your employer participates in a **matching program**, please make use of that opportunity to enhance your donation.

You may use the enclosed envelope or go conveniently and securely online with your contribution on the Museum's website at [RRMuseumpa.org](http://RRMuseumpa.org). **We truly value every gift of any amount. Thank you, as always, for your support!**

Sincerely,

Patrick C. Morrison, Director  
Railroad Museum of Pennsylvania

Douglas G. O'Brien, President, Board of Directors  
Friends of the Railroad Museum of Pennsylvania

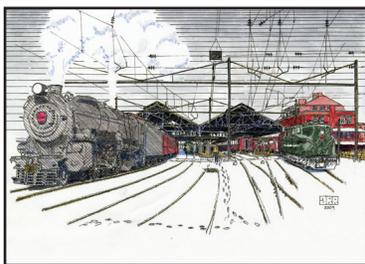


**WITH OUR SINCERE THANKS TO YOU**

**For contributions of:**



*Don Wood*



*James R. Rose*

- **\$50 to \$99**, you will receive a set of 12, deluxe sized postcards featuring the railroad photography of **Don Wood**, or postcards featuring the railroad art of **James R. Rose**.

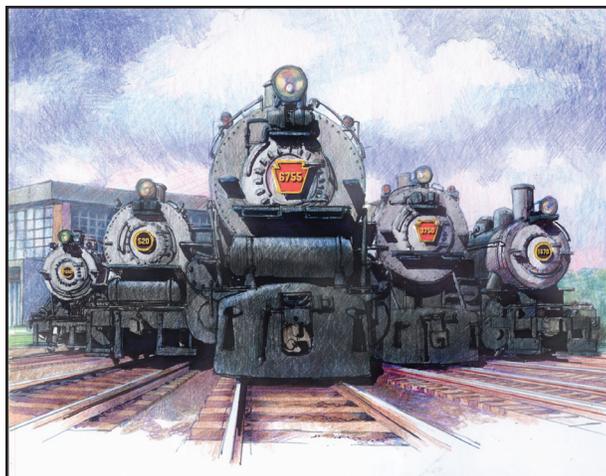
- **\$100 to \$249**, you will receive a fleece travel throw with a patch illustrating the Museum's **Tahoe locomotive No. 20**, or a limited edition, signed and numbered reproduction of the painting **The Lindbergh Engine** by artist **Carolyn Kilgour**.



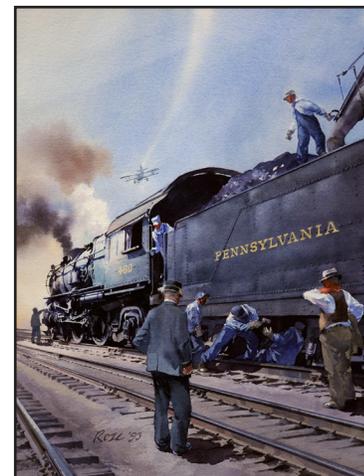
*The Lindbergh Engine*



- **\$250 to \$999**, you will receive a limited edition, signed and numbered reproduction of the watercolor painting **Ready For The Roundhouse** by artist **Peter Lerro Jr**, or a limited edition reproduction of the painting **White Knuckles** by artist **Ted Rose**.



*Ready For The Roundhouse*



*White Knuckles*

- **\$1,000 or more**, you will receive a custom cast reproduction builder's plate from a Pennsylvania Railroad steam locomotive **L1s** or **K4s** or **M1b** or **H10s**.\*



All thank you gifts are offered while supplies last. Alternative thank-you gifts may be substituted as supplies of advertised gifts are depleted.  
\*Delivery of builder's plates may require months due to the manufacturing process at the foundry.

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