

# ERIE LACKAWANNA HISTORICAL SOCIETY, INC.

The Erie Lackawanna Historical Society, Inc. is devoted to preserving- and enjoying – the history of the Erie Lackawanna Railway, the Erie Railroad, and Delaware Lackawanna & Western and related lines. Our members have diverse interests and include historians, photographers, writers, preservationists, archivists, model railroaders and general enthusiasts. As part of the ELHS's ongoing efforts to preserve the history of its three principle railroads, the Society maintains an extensive photo and information archives.

As a member of our Society, you'll receive the following, on a quarterly basis, during a one year membership cycle:

- **The Diamond:** Our popular 40 page color magazine. Its illustrated articles and photo essays touch upon all aspects of railroading on the DL&W, Erie and EL – locomotives, passenger trains, freight rolling stock, train operations, structures and developmental history.
- **The Extra Board :**Our official newsletter features information about the society and special notices
- **From The Workbench:** Our modeling newsletter featuring members modeling efforts and modeling news
- **The Flying Saucer:** The ELHS Company Store offering models, books, videos, calendars, and back issues of *The Diamond*
- **Access to the Members Area of ELHS Website** containing supplemental article and news as well discounts on merchandise available in the online Flying Saucer at <http://www.eriehacks.org>

In addition to our quarterly publications, ELHS members can attend our Annual Convention held every fall at a site along the former EL system. We also hold regional meetings in the spring on both the western and eastern end of the EL system.

The ELHS offers three classes of Membership; **Regular** membership includes all the benefits outline above. **Sustaining** and **Patron** memberships available to those who wish and are able to provide extra support to the Society. These contributions beyond the Regular membership are tax deductible to the extent permitted by the law, In addition, Patron members receive two copies of the publications listed above.

We have added a **Joint Membership** option for those who wish to also join the Erie Lackawanna Dining Car Preservation Society. The ELDCPS focuses on acquiring, restoring and preserving former Erie, DL&W, and EL dining cars and passenger equipment for the purpose of recreate the long distance passenger train experience, and specifically "Dinner in the Diner" as it would have been on the in the late 1950's and early 1960's. When the cars are completed, they will base them in Scranton, PA and operated on the County-owned railroad between Scranton, Mt. Pocono, East Stroudsburg and the Delaware Water Gap.

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Erie Lackawanna Historical Society, Inc.  
c/o Membership Chair Randy Dettmer  
290 Prospect Street  
Hudson, OH 44236-2240

*Please enroll me for one year as a member of the Erie Lackawanna Historical Society, Inc  
My check (or money order), payable to Erie Lackawanna Historical Society, Inc., is enclosed*

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Email \_\_\_\_\_

Include my address on the Society's published membership list.

Do not include my address on the membership list.

**Regular Membership \$35.00**  
(Outside the U.S. \$50.00)

**ELHS/ELDCPS Joint Membership \$55.00**  
(Available to US Members Only)

**Regular Membership with First Class Mailing Service \$45.00**  
(Available to US Members Only)  
**(Both classes below are sent via First Class Mail to US Members only)**

**Sustaining Membership \$60.00\***  
For those wishing to make an annual financial contribution to the Society that will help to expand services to the membership.

**Patron Membership \$90.00\***  
Patron members provide the Society with an additional annual contribution and receive two copies of *The Diamond*.

**Add \$20.00 to Outside the U.S., Sustaining, or Patron membership to become a member of the ELDCPS**

Special Interests \_\_\_\_\_

\*The Erie Lackawanna Historical Society, Inc. is a 501(c)3 non-profit historical and educational organization recognized by the Internal Revenue Service. Contributions over the regular membership fee are tax deductible to the extent permitted by law.