

TORONTO - Toronto Railway Museum presents *Dispatches: Treasures from the collections and archives of the Toronto Railway Museum*. This art show, hosted by the neighbouring Steam Whistle Brewery, will be opened by a reception on January 4th, 2020 from 5 to 8 pm.

This exhibition will showcase pieces from the Toronto Railway Museum's archive, many of which have never been seen before. Through posters, prints, and vintage signage, a visual history of the railways in Toronto is presented to Steam Whistle patrons.

Advance tickets to the opening reception will be available as of December 17th through the Toronto Railway Museum's website (<u>www.torontorailwaymuseum.ca</u>). Admission is by donation, and souvenirs will also be available for sale.

Funds raised will help support the activities of the Toronto Railway Museum. These include both restoration projects and educational programming. Toronto Railway Museum presents an integral part of Toronto's history, which cannot be done without the support of donors.

The Toronto Railway Museum is operated by the Toronto Railway Historical Association, a registered charitable organization. TRM has been located in John Street Roundhouse since 2010, with exhibits open year round and seasonal miniature train ride and tours.

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