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## **Toronto Railway Museum, Operation Lifesaver Canada to Kick Off Rail Safety Week 2023**

Toronto, ON - The Toronto Railway Museum (TRM) today announced activities planned to kick off the 20th anniversary of Rail Safety Week (September 18-24) with Operation Lifesaver Canada (OL).

A launch event will be held at the museum on Saturday, September 16 at 11:30 am to unveil new rail safety decals at TRM, as well as celebrate the launch of Rail Safety Week 2023 with museum and OL volunteers and supporters at the public unveiling

Additionally, museum visitors can join the TRM and OL teams on weekends during Rail Safety Week for a *Thomas & Friends* family story time on September 16-17 and September 22-24 at 1:00 pm and 3:00 pm. Tune in on the Don Station platform to follow along with Thomas as he learns valuable lessons on the dangers of not stopping at rail crossings, standing too close to the platform edge, and more. Plus! Find the Operation Lifesaver team on the Don Station platform on event days to chat more about rail safety and pick up some Rail Safety Week swag. A [full schedule of Rail Safety Week activities at the Toronto Railway](#) museum can be found on the museum website.

“The Toronto Railway Museum is thrilled to participate in this year’s campaign to raise awareness about rail safety education,” said Pat Ressa, Chair of the Toronto Railway Historical Association. “Through Rail Safety Week activities across the country, pedestrians, cyclists, and motorists are reminded to exercise caution at rail crossings and stop track tragedies. The Toronto Railway Museum is proud to share this message with our visitors during Rail Safety Week and beyond.”

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### **About TRM**

Toronto Railway Museum [TRM] is located in Roundhouse Park, across from the CN Tower, in the heart of downtown Toronto. We share the stories of Toronto railway history. With one of the largest collections of Toronto-based artifacts in Ontario, including locomotives, rail cars, historical photos, and documents. The Toronto Railway Museum's most important goal is to preserve the legacy of rail in the City and tell its story.

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