

Mass Bay RRE and the Berkshire Scenic Railway Museum present:

# 'MASS BAY RRE DAY ON THE HOOSAC VALLEY'

Adams, MA to North Adams & Return

**Saturday, September 15, 2018 - One Day Only!**



Join members and friends of Mass Bay RRE and the Berkshire Scenic Railway Museum as we celebrate the unveiling of the "Calvin Coolidge" locomotive name plate, on display in the Welcome Coach at the BSRM's Hoosac Valley Service terminus in Adams, Mass. This name plate, which once graced the flanks of Boston & Maine Class R1c 4-8-2 No. 4110, was recovered and returned to Mass Bay RRE in 2016. BSRM has graciously provided space to display this artifact, which ties together the history of the Railroad Enthusiasts, North Adams and the Boston & Maine Railroad, and these iconic locomotives, among the heaviest Mountain-type locos built for any U.S. railroad.



The "Calvin Coolidge" name plate.



BSRM RDC-1 6126.

As part of the celebration, we're offering a special excursion to North Adams, departing at 11:00 AM. An exclusive feature of this trip will be an up-close photo session with Mt. Tom switcher B&M 1113, which was recently acquired by the BSRM. Event participants will also have the option of riding the regularly-scheduled 1:00 PM train to North Adams at no additional charge.

Our train will be the Berkshire Scenic's Budd Rail Diesel Car No. 6126. Built in 1955 for the Boston & Maine Railroad, RDC 6126 was part of the largest single order for RDC's placed with the Budd Company. 6126 worked for the B&M until 1976 when it

was transferred to the MBTA and continued to serve the Boston Metropolitan commuter area. In 1989, 6126 was sold into private ownership and worked in tourist service on the Cape Cod Railroad and later in Maine on the Belfast & Moosehead Lake Railroad. It was purchased by the Berkshire Scenic in 2015 for use on the new Hoosac Valley service between Adams and North Adams.

This trip will operate ONE DAY ONLY, rain or shine. Capacity for this unique event is strictly limited to only 80 passengers, so be sure to order your tickets right away.

If more information is required before ordering, visit our web site at [www.massbayrre.org](http://www.massbayrre.org), call us at 978-470-2066, or send email to: [trips@massbayrre.org](mailto:trips@massbayrre.org). Mass Bay RRE and the BSRM are Massachusetts non-profit tax-exempt [501(c)(3)] corporations.



B&M Class R1c 4-8-2 No. 4110 at Boston, Mass., April 1947. The 'Calvin Coolidge' name plate is above the third and fourth drivers. (Photo by Dwight Smith)

**→ → → Order tickets on line at: [www.massbayrre.org](http://www.massbayrre.org) ← ← ←**

**Mail your ticket order for the 'Mass Bay RRE Day at the Hoosac Valley' to:  
Mass Bay RRE, Box 4245, Andover, MA 01810-0814.**

Make checks payable to 'Mass Bay RRE.' Phone orders accepted with Visa, MasterCard, Discover or Amex at 978-470-2066.

(WEB) **Please send tickets for 'Mass Bay RRE Day at the Hoosac Valley' on September 15, 2018:**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Additional name(s): \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ ZIP+4: \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

**Event Fare** includes special BSRM/Mass Bay RRE train excursion to North Adams departing at 11:00 AM, photo session with Mt. Tom switcher B&M 1113, optional ride on scheduled 1:00 PM departure to N. Adams, and light refreshments at Adams Station.

\_\_\_\_\_ Adult Mass Bay RRE Member Fare @ \$29\* ..... \$ \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ Adult Non-member Fare @ \$34 ..... \$ \_\_\_\_\_

**TOTAL** ..... \$ \_\_\_\_\_

\*Must be current Mass Bay RRE member for discounted fare

Check here if you are a member of Mass Bay RRE\* Member No.: \_\_\_\_\_ (From membership card or Callboy label)

Payment information:  Check enclosed  Please charge my credit card:  MasterCard  Visa  Discover  AMEX

Card Number : \_\_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_\_ Card Expiration Date: \_\_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_\_

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Credit card billing address if different from above: \_\_\_\_\_ ZIP: \_\_\_\_\_

Where did you first hear about this excursion (please be as specific as possible): \_\_\_\_\_

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