

Making Time Table Train Order Operations Easy For Guests

The challenge of operating your railroad with TTTO's should be an attraction to all who want another level of 'fun' and realism. But unless you can educate and make it 'fun', you may not be able to retain operators. I have held well over a hundred TTTO op sessions with a guest book of over 300 names in just a couple of years with great memories for all.

Provided here are tips from how I have accomplished TTTO sessions and keep them coming back wanting more!

Attitude is everything. How is yours?

Simple orientation and be 'welcoming'.

Name badges for everybody adds a level of comfort.

Name of locations on the facia.

Create a map for the sense of 'where are we going'.

Resources for TTTO

Build your crew.

Rules books and examinations! Levels of difficulty.

Rules certification card

Create YOUR Timetable

Only the rules you are using is very important. You can add rules to the next version.

Two Man Crews! Conductor & Engineer. (Add a Brakeman if needed) Could be a young person.

Flags! Creative way to indicate the 'flags' your train is carrying.

Build a Seniority Roster to give recognition.

