Hello MOW Folks. Welcome to the next installment of the MOW weekly update. For those of you who do not know last weekend was the first weekend of Sacramento Southern Excursion train operations. Without further wasted reading let us get right on to the good reviews and future of MOW.

Gene and Cliff doing something cool!

WEEK IN REVIEW:

Tuesday: We had a good group working in the shops on Tuesday. Cliff worked on a project for Alan Hardy building signs for the El Dorado. Mike Harris worked on a couple of small electric generators with the help of Gene. It took some cleaning and adjustment to get the little generators generating to their full potential. But biggest of all, this was a big day for painting. We had a full crew painting on both the scarifyer and the tie shear. Good progress on the painting folks.



Mike and Gene working on the generators.

Thursday: On Thursday we had a couple of groups out working. First, Brenton and Mike Harris took the loader and a green machine down to Setzer to try and clean out some of the overloaded dumpster. Let me just say the project did not go to well and we need more vehicles to move the dumpster to move the dumpster so we can clean it out. Meanwhile, a second group continued work in the shops, doing painting and such. Of course Bert continues his work on a

motor car roof.

Saturday: In honor of the holiday and the first weekend of operation for the SSRR the MOW crew took the weekend off. It is our sincere hope that the dedicated MOW crew was able to spend quality time with people they normally leave behind while they have fun with MOW. For those who were needing the chance to escape from family members or unwanted guests at home rest assured we will be back in action on Saturday next week.

WEEK AHEAD:

Tuesday: We plan to be busy in the shops. We have a number of projects than need attention. We will be working in the shops starting at **5:00 p.m.**



Mark and Heather painting the tie shear.

Thursday: More work in the shops and out on the line. We will start at 5:00 p.m. with the fun and excitement of MOW.

Saturday: The trains are running and MOW will be active and operational this weekend. For those of you who do not know we meet at the shops at 8:00 a.m.

See you out on the line,

John, Sandy, and Chris