



MEMORIAL DAY WEEKEND MEET

MAY 27(Thursday) - MAY 31(Monday), 2021

**Steam, Diesel, Electric
7-1/2", 4-3/4", Gauge 1 Tracks**

**Zube Park
17802 Roberts Road
Hockley, Texas 77447**

Early arrivals welcome on Thursday afternoon. Late departures before noon Monday are encouraged. SWLS members and other live steamers are welcome. An on-site RV host will open the park about noon on Thursday and close it about 2:00 pm on Monday. Meal details will be posted closer to the meet. Bring your Gauge 1, 4.75 inch gauge, and 7.5 inch gauge locos and trains.

Directions to Track at www.hals.org/map18.html

More Facilities information at: www.hals.org/meets18.html#facilities



Houston Area Live Steamers

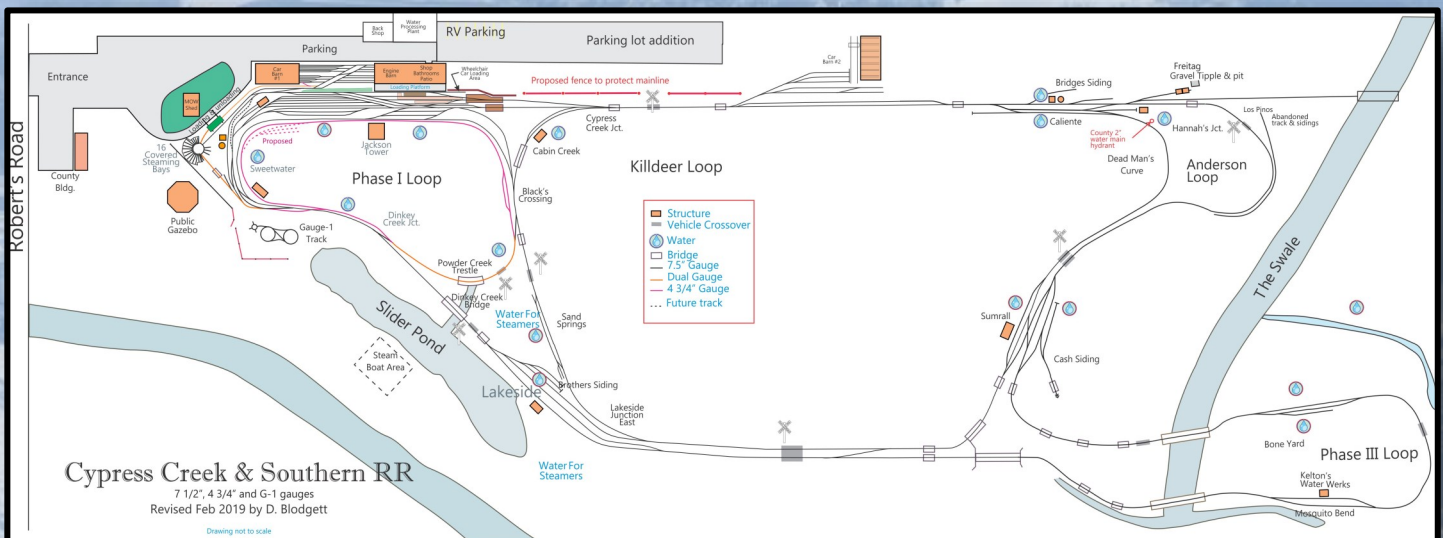
at Zube Park, 17802 Roberts Road, Hockley, TX 77447

Transfer Table

- Hydraulic lift on a transfer table with a 6,000 lb. capacity.
- 17 inches high when all the way down (top of ground to top of rail)
- 54 inches high when all the way up (top of ground to top of rail)
- Drive through for unloading and loading live steam equipment. **However, a turn prevents large "5th Wheel Toy Haulers" from using the hydraulic lift / transfer table**
- Handles both 7.5 inch gauge and 4.75 inch gauge.

Tracks

- Classification Yard for parking trains. 10 tracks to 200 feet long.
- The 7.5 inch gauge track is set up for a ride of 1.5 miles before repeating. We call this our SWLS route.
- The 4.75 inch gauge track loop is about 1500 feet. Only in one place it is dual gauge with the 7.5 inch gauge track.
- HALS has a raised Gauge 1 track for steam locomotives (no power to the track).



Steaming Bays

- 24' turntable for both 7.5 inch gauge and 4.75 inch gauge.
- 16 covered steaming bays and 12 of them are 20 ft. long.
- 4 uncovered steaming bays
- Eight 12 foot steaming bays
- Electricity, Water, and Air for each steaming bay
- Several of the covered bays are for 4.75 inch gauge locos. @hals.org.

RV Parking

- 11 paved spots with 30 amp service and more with 20 amp service.
- 8 of these have water
- None have sewer, Wi-Fi, or telephone. No dumping is permitted. No shower available.
- These are available on a first come first serve. These RV and travel trailers are the first to arrive at each meet and the last to leave. A real dedicated bunch.

HALS meets are open to all HALS and SWLS members.

These meets are on the Discover Live Steam calendar for live steamers who are outside the SWLS area. Gauge 1 live steamers are welcome to come. The 4.75 inch gauge track is the only club facility within 1000 miles and welcomes the 1 inch scale community.

Need More Info? Contact Us or halsmeets@hals.org.