



In order to help the Society to understand and support your interest in the LNWR, please complete the following section.

**My interests lie in the following area(s);**

- Locomotives
- Performance
- Stations
- Artefacts
- Carriages
- Photographs
- Letters
- Signalling
- Time-tabling
- Lines
- Civil Engineering
- Wagons
- Books
- Postcards
- Other

**I am mainly interested in the following period(s);**

- Pre 1846
- 1846 - 1871
- 1871 - 1900
- 1900 - 1923
- 1923 - 1948
- Post 1948
- Preservation

**My motivations are;**

- Historical research
- Modelling
- Preservation
- Collecting
- Staff history
- Gen. interest
- Other

**Do you have an interest in a particular Line, Locomotive, Station, Carriage, etc?**

**If you are a modeller, please indicate which Gauge \_\_\_\_\_ and Scale \_\_\_\_\_**

**Do you have access to the internet?** Yes  No

**How did you hear about the Society?**

Society member  Model railway exhibition

Society display  Website

Other (please indicate) \_\_\_\_\_

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Please detach your completed application form and send it, together with a cheque or Postal Order payable to the L&NWR Society, to:

L&NWR Society Membership Secretary,  
19 Totternhoe Road,  
Dunstable, Bedfordshire,  
LU6 2AF



**THE LONDON & NORTH WESTERN RAILWAY SOCIETY**

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The *Journal* - a high quality quarterly publication with photographs, drawings and authoritative text on all aspects of the LNWR, with reviews of books and models and a Press Digest.

The *Newsletter* - information on Society events and business (also quarterly).

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## BENEFITS OF MEMBERSHIP

As well as the first-class publications already described, members can gain full access to a wide range of information through the Society's Webb site; [www.lnwr.org.uk](http://www.lnwr.org.uk). These include details of Society events, a glossary of LNWR terminology, modelling information, LNWR staff information and searchable indexes of the Society's archives of photographs, drawings, books and articles. **Copies of drawings, photographs, archive material and L&NWR publications are available to members at specially discounted prices.**

Whilst not a preservation society, we encourage preservation by assisting with information and attempting to find suitable homes for any items discovered that may be worth preserving, or that may provide components for preservation projects, for instance components for carriages or window frames for a signal box. We actively encourage and support the preservation of LNWR artefacts large and small.

The Society holds a number of events throughout the year including open days and visits to locations of special interest.



A number of the Society's members build live steam models, as well as models and working layouts in the smaller scales, many of which appear at exhibitions and shows. The Society assists model manufacturers whenever possible, to enable the LNWR to be accurately preserved in miniature.

Whether you are interested in social and economic history, genealogical research, small scale modelling, live steam engineering, railway architecture and engineering or any other area of Victorian and Edwardian railway history, the L&NWR Society, founded in 1973, has something to offer you.

The Society became an Educational Charity in 2005 and in 2009 opened a study centre in Kenilworth, at which visitors can view the extensive archive of documents, drawings and other material and use the library of books and magazines for research.



## ABOUT THE COMPANY

The LNWR earned the greatest revenue of any British joint stock company before becoming part of the LMS in the grouping of 1923. With the Liverpool & Manchester Railway as one of its ancestors it deserved the title 'The Premier Line'. It served most of England's largest cities, much of Scotland through co-operation with the Caledonian Railway, and many parts of Wales, as well as holding the Government contract for the Irish Mail between Euston and Holyhead.

Examples of LNWR locomotives, rolling stock, buildings and artefacts can be found at many locations including the National Railway Museum.

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Registered Charity: L&NWR Society No 1110210

### Membership application

(Please complete in capital letters)

Full Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

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Country (if outside UK) \_\_\_\_\_

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Annual Membership (UK & Europe) £25.00

Overseas membership (outside Europe) please *add*

for surface mail  £5 OR airmail  £10

Donation \_\_\_\_\_

**Total remittance** \_\_\_\_\_

I wish to join the L&NWR Society for the calendar year starting 1st January 20..... (please complete)

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Signature \_\_\_\_\_

Date \_\_\_\_\_

**Data protection notice.** The information you have given will be used by the L&NWR Society only for the processing of your application and for purposes directly connected with your membership. If you do not wish your address and interests disclosed to other members, please indicate here:

### GIFT AID DECLARATION (OPTIONAL)

If you are a UK taxpayer you can *at no cost to yourself* considerably increase the value of your subscription to the Society. Do please help in this way if you can, but before signing, please read the notes overleaf to be sure you are eligible.

I wish the London & North Western Railway Society to treat all donations/ membership subscriptions I make from the date of this declaration until I notify you otherwise as Gift Aid Donations.

Signature \_\_\_\_\_

Date \_\_\_\_\_