

# Ace Trains NEWSLETTER

### Brilliantly Old-Jashioned

To the ACE Fraternity October 2021

#### **Program Current and Going Forward**

Charlotte and I visited the reopening of Sandown Toy Fair last week end. It was good seeing many of our customers of long standing over the years as keen as ever on several new projects being flagged up. The show was being run under the auspices of Kevin Finch supported by Len Mills and Terry Heaslip with the team of Len Wood, John Ovendon and Mike Allen, running Steve Guest's original working layout as usual. It was a pleasure seeing Steve and Len again after the long Covid absence and the suspension of our usual round of lunch meetings.

I announced some time ago that we had entered into a Franchise Agreement with Kevin relating to certain as yet unissued projects.

We will be meeting with Kevin to discuss extending the agreement into longer period post 2021 and we will set out the details in our next newsletter.



	Gauge (	0 E42 LMS	S 5XP - BR	6P/5F	4-6-0 Patriot Loco	motiv
	All Locomotives come with working headlamps and are supplied with 'The Midlander' and 'The Comet' headboards					
	Type Type Ref.	Number	Name		Colour	Price
	E42B-	5 Sta	5 Standard names		Pre War LMS gloss lined maroon	
	E42B1-	Cust	om Name	L L	MS gloss lined maroon	£700
	E42C-	Cust	om Name	Post	War LMS gloss lined black	£700
	E42D-	Cust	tom Name	British	Railways gloss lined black	£700*
	E42E-	5 St	andard names	Pre	56 BR gloss lined green	£685
-	E42E1-	Cus	tom Name	Pre	56 BR gloss lined green	£700*
	E42G-	5 St	andard names	Pos	t 56 BR gloss lined green	£685
	E42G1-	Cus	tom Name	Pos	t 56 BR gloss lined green	£700*

We were delighted to see the arrival of the first production example of the E42 Patriot at the show along with the E39 Ivatt original LMS Co-Co. The Ivatt A type will be here within the next few weeks

Tree Layout and it ran perfectly despite not having the weight of the final production sample which was running superbly at Sandown. Both the Patriot and the Ivatt continue the ACE tradition and are a credit to Len's engineering skills and Kevin's commercial foresight in entering into the Franchise Arrangement with ACE Trains.

ACE Trains (Allen and Charlotte Levy) remain sole owners of the brand.

Other pre-announced projects such as the E40 Re-built Merchant Navy and the E35 Wainright D are still under consideration.





E40 Re-built Merchant Navy



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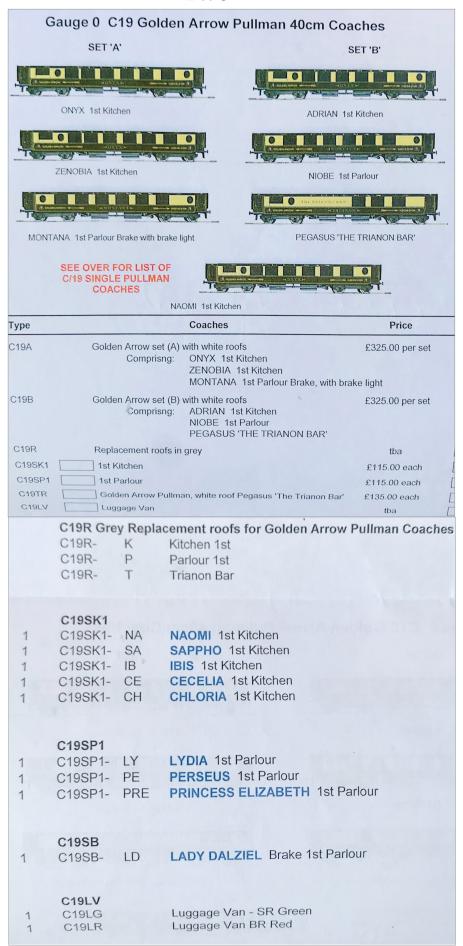
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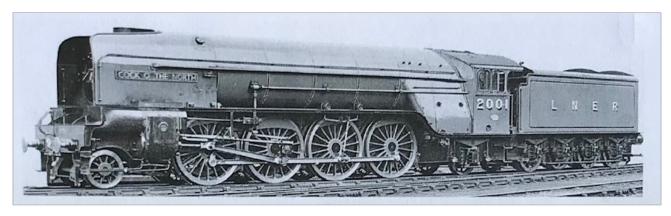
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#### Three

The E36 LNER P2 Locomotive will be available in the two types as shown, Non Streamlined and Streamlined. The manufacture will commence upon the completion of the E42 Patriot.



The London and North Eastern Railway Class P2 was a class of 2-8-2 steam locomotives designed by Sir Nigel Gresley for working heavy express trains over the harsh Edinburgh to Aberdeen Line. As they were to serve on Scottish expresses, they were given famous names from Scottish lore.

Six locomotives of the class were built; introduced between 1934 and 1936. In 1936, the Class P2 were given streamlined fronts, similar to that of the Class A4. Between 1943 and 1944 the class were rebuilt under Gresley's successor Edward Thompson into the LNER Thompson Class A2/2 4-6-2 type.

Prices to be announced.

The six locomotive names are as follows:

2001 Cock O' The North

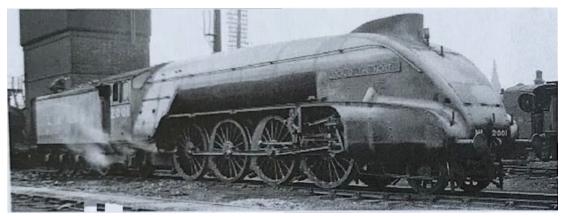
2002 Earl Marischal

2003 Lord President

2004 Mons Meg

2005 Thane of Fife

2006 Wolf of Badenoch



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