



# Welcome to the BCSME

*British Columbia Society of Model Engineers, established in 1929*

## **What we do**

The society owns and operates the Burnaby Central Railway. Our volunteer members also promote the hobby of model engineering and maintain a railroad-oriented museum. For details, please visit [bcsme.org](http://bcsme.org).

## **Hours of Operation**

Operating season is Easter to Canadian Thanksgiving

11:00 am to 5:00 pm Saturdays, Sundays, and Statutory Holidays

## **Location**

120 North Willingdon Avenue, Burnaby, BC, Canada, V5C 6K1

The railway is on a forested property owned by the City of Burnaby. We have approx. 4 kilometers of 7-1/2-inch gauge track. The locomotives are typically 1/8 of a full-size train. The park includes Rainbow Station, with museum exhibits, the Garden Railway, concession, party tents, public seating area and maintenance facilities.

## **Members**

Volunteer members drive trains, work as station attendants, conductors, maintain grounds and equipment, and engage with locals and visitors from around the world.

## **New Members Welcome**

We are actively recruiting new members. We need people with diverse skillsets. Those wishing to operate trains will be given the opportunity to learn. Anyone aged 14+ who wants to contribute, be part of a team, learn and have fun, is welcome.

## **How do I join?**

Contact [info@bcsme.org](mailto:info@bcsme.org) or call 604 291 0922 during hours of operation. Download the membership application from [bcsme.org](http://bcsme.org).