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Mike's Points



January 2015

Even though it is supposed to be the quiet period a lot of things are happening on the site as well as the regular excellent Thursday night events and the first of our Quiz nights. The refurbishment of the small tram is making great progress with the recent re-assembly of the chassis and trials on the track the progress is subject to a Newsletter on its own. The re-laying of the tram track is also progressing. The Ground Level track has been out of service whilst track re-alignment and re-ballasting is taking place on the lower curve out of the station. The footbridge has been removed by contractors and it is being totally refurbished. It will be shot blasted, dipped and galvanised before being powder coated.

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Thursday night Armed Response Unit talk

Mike and Ken introduced the evening

We were very lucky to have the Cardiff ARU duty officers come to talk to us.







The two officers were on duty and could have been called out at any time as they were the only ARU in the South Wales police area. The two officers were very good communicators and gave us an insight to their training and role in policing.











They brought in much of their equipment and described it and its uses. Their rifle and pistol were passed round for examination. One of the younger members was dressed up in their protective equipment to see the weight of it.















The officers were very informative and were happy to answer all the questions they were asked.





Track work and re-alignment of ground level track





