



2025 KCSHS Convention Schedule of Events
SpringHill Suites Rosenberg
6815 Reading Road
Rosenberg, Texas 77471

Friday, June 6, 2025 (all events at hotel in the Longhorn Room)

4:00pm - 7:00pm	Check-in
4:00pm - 7:00pm	Model and Photo Contest Setup
7:00pm	Annual General Membership Meeting
8:00pm - ??	Show and Tell
8:00pm - 9:00pm	Model and Photo Contest Judging (winners will be announced at Saturday's Banquet)

Saturday, June 7, 2025

8:00am	Board of Directors Meeting (Hotel/Longhorn Room)
10:00am - 11:00am	Tour of Wharton Depot <i>Local historian, and fellow KCSHS member, William Loocke will lead a tour of the depot and present on KCS's rebuilding of the Rosenberg Subdivision between 2007 and 2009, the history of the depot, and the other railroads that served Wharton.</i>
Noon	Picnic Lunch and Train Watching at the Rosenberg Railroad Museum, located where the CPKC, BNSF, and UP all converge, 1921 Avenue F, Rosenberg TX 77471
2:00pm - 5:00pm	Free Time - Chase trains
5:00pm - 7:00pm	Social Hour(s) at Ol' Railroad Cafe . Cash bar available.
7:00pm - ??	Annual Dinner - Ol' Railroad Cafe (across the street from the railroad museum) 1901 Avenue G, Rosenberg, TX 77471 Guest speaker from the CPKC Heritage Program

Sunday, June 8, 2025

10:00am - 2:00pm	Eagle Lake Depot Tour with Ken Stavinoha <i>Join Ken Stavinoha, owner and curator of the historic Eagle Lake depot, for a guided tour rich in railroad history and local heritage. Ken will provide a brief overview of Eagle Lake's railroad development, explain the original functions of each room in the depot, and highlight significant artifacts throughout. The tour will explore key topics such as the establishment of standard time, the evolution of railroad signaling colors, the history of express companies and parcel post, and the use of telegraphy and train orders. Ken will also discuss other historic railroad structures that once stood in Eagle Lake. The tour will begin around 10:00 AM, and guests are welcome to stay and explore until approximately 2:00 PM—allowing plenty of time for a convenient and less stressful drive home before traffic toward Rosenberg becomes heavy.</i>
	Safe trip home.

NOTE: Some events subject to change, as usual!