

**NNEC SPRING TOUR: Friday, May 17, 2019**  
**Brattleboro, VT, beginning at 9:45 am (rain or shine)**

Cersosimo Lumber Co. is one of the largest lumber producers in northern New England. Meet Jeff Hardy-Gen. Mgr. and Phil Mann-Ops. Mgr. Be sure to wear rugged footwear and bring bug spray.



1103 Vernon Street *From the north, take I-91 Exit 2 onto Rt. 9 east. It ends after 1.25 miles at Main St. (Stop light) Turn right. & go about ¼ mile through town, look for a sign for Rt. 142 South (Vernon St.) turning left at the 3<sup>rd</sup> light. About 2 miles down on the right, look for the Cersosimo sign. Park near the office. Meet Jeff Hardy - Genl. Mgr. and Phil Mann – Ops. Mgr.*

*From the south take Exit 1 onto Rt. 5 north (Canal St.) for about 2 ½ miles. Turn right onto Rt. 142 as above.*

From Keene, NH (east) *After crossing the CT River and under the RR Bridge, turn left onto Rt. 5 South. (Don't get on I-91) It's about 2.5 miles to downtown. (See the Marina Restaurant on the right as you go.) Look for Rt. 142 (Vernon St) and turn left at the crazy intersection, as above.*

Lester Dunklee's Machine Shop is still using the 1890's equipment that his family started out with. 72 Flat St. *Drive back up north on Vernon St. to where it joins Main St. Turn left onto Flat St. at the next light. Use the public parking lot on the left before the shop. Bring quarters. Expect to be there from 11:15 to 11:45, then lunch.*

The Marina Restaurant - 28 Spring Tree Rd. *Go back out to Main St. and turn left. Follow Rt. 5 north. You'll see The Marina on the left after you cross the bridge. Turn in left. Menu is on web.*



Estey Organ Company (1852-1953) was the largest manufacturer of musical organs in the world. Meet Barbara George, who owns 8 of the 15 buildings left. She will show us through some and explain the history. The small museum portion has many artifacts; plan on a \$5.00 *suggested* donation to go in there.

Study up on the history at [www.esteyorganmuseum.org](http://www.esteyorganmuseum.org)

108 Birge St. *Retrace Rt. 5 south, past the Rt. 142 (Vernon St.) junction and turn right onto Birge St. (the 3<sup>rd</sup> right). Park behind the building with the street clock in the eaves.*



West River Railroad Museum & Newfane Railroad Station

Constructed in the 1880s and used through WWII, this unique station contains an enclosed water tower. *Rt. 30, Newfane, VT. Go back out from Estey, turn left, onto Rt. 5 north again. This time take the left fork onto Rt. 30 north. Newfane is 12 miles up that road. Turn right onto Cemetery Hill Rd. in the center of the village, (after the Newfane Market) and look for the railroad station.*