IMPORTANT
RE-ENACTORS NOTICE

In order to ensure we do not offend or insult, the ELR will prohibit those elements of World War 2 German and Axis military re-enactment that are likely to enflame emotions and cause offence to our visitors. We shall be monitoring very closely attendance at the event by re-enactors representing those elements and we shall be adopting a very strict policy in regard to involvement in our event over the Bank Holiday weekend.

For clarity, the ELR will not be permitting entrance onto the railway to anyone who is dressed as:

- Schutzstaffel (SS) staff
- Allgemeine SS forces
- Waffen – SS

Or individuals wearing any uniform or clothing displaying:

- The Totenkopfverbände (Deaths’ Head) symbol
- Red armbands emblazoned with the swastika
- Any other overt Nazi insignia

We are also placing restrictions on the wearing of certain German Officer uniforms connected with the more controversial elements and events of the Nazi regime.

In an attempt to properly monitor and enforce compliance with these restrictions our staff will be briefed on what to look out for in terms of which costumes and regalia are prohibited and what action they should take should they witness something that does not conform. In such circumstances re-enactors will either be refused access to, or required to leave, the ELR premises.

Whilst we understand that these arrangements will not attract universal support we do hope that all will understand the reasons as to why we have to take such a firm stance regarding representations that may cause offence to some of our visitors during this family event.