

**Saturday  
July 13th,  
2024  
1:00 pm**



**French Merci Train  
75th Anniversary  
& Relocation  
Celebration!**

**Phone**

541-756-4613

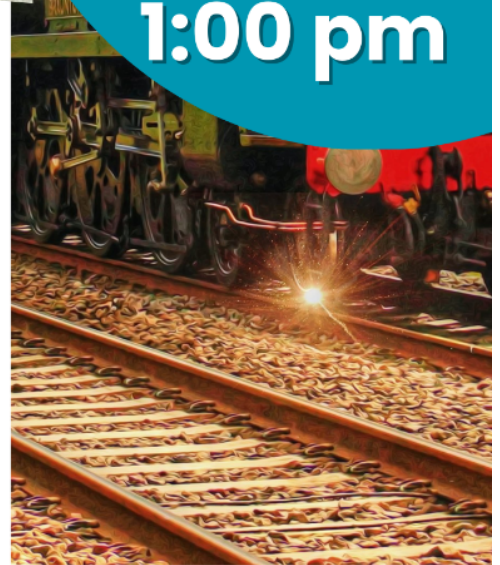
**Location**

1380 Sherman Ave  
North Bend, OR 97459



**History**

The narrow gauge French rail car is known as "forty & eight" from use in World War I to carry 40 men or eight horses. In appreciation for U.S. aid after WWII, the French people gave each state a decorated gift-filled car. Oregon's rail car came to North Bend in 2006 and was restored by the American Legion's "Forty & Eight" Society.



<http://mercitrain.org/Oregon/>