

**ROOTS OF MOTIVE POWER, INC.**  
Presents a class for interested students

# **Operating the Dipper Stick Shovel**

**Saturday and Sunday, July 22-23, 2023 8 am-5 pm both days**  
**Roots of Motive Power facility, 420 East Commercial Street, Willits, CA**



**Roots of Motive Power presents a special two-day class focusing on the operation of a dipper-stick shovel. We will be operating the Bucyrus Erie 50B steam shovel, and the Bucyrus Erie 22B diesel shovel. We will begin with a classroom session on Saturday, with the balance of the instruction being hands-on training with the two shovels. Lead instructor on the BE 50B will be Ken McCrary. Lead instructor on the BE 22B will be Joe Smith. Beginning students will be working with the BE 22B, while the advanced students and students with steam experience will be operating the 50B.**

**Space will be limited to allow all students operating time.**

**Cost: \$100/student plus current Roots Membership (\$35)**

**Roots of Motive Power, P.O. Box 1540, Willits, CA 95490**  
**For additional information, call Chris Baldo (707) 489-3984**

# Sign Up Form for Roots of Motive Power Classes 2023

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Street Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Email address \_\_\_\_\_

Cell Phone Number \_\_\_\_\_

Designate the Class or Classes you wish to attend.

Railroad Operations and Safety June 3-4, 2023

Operating the Dipper Stick Shovel July 22-23, 2023

All class are \$100. Roots Membership is also required, \$35/year. Amount Enclosed \_\_\_\_\_

