



TrainworX Newsletter

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Dear Swiss Trainsimmers!

The year is almost over and before we all go into full party mode on new year's eve, I want to take a short look back to 2019 and forward into 2020.

2019 has been a particularly interesting year for me as Rivet Games has emerged as a new Swiss content creator for normal gauge routes. We have been waiting for Swiss routes and it has been very exciting to see their beautiful Gotthard Alpine route come to life. Now finally, there is something of good quality to drive our TwX Loco's on.

It has been a great experience to be able to work with the Rivet team, and we will continue to make sure that our TwX products will closely interact with Rivet's routes. Upgrading the Re 420, 460 and 620 Loco's have taken up most of my time and this has (again) delayed release of the LION set, which is now planned for early 2020.



Simtrain is now releasing more Swiss content and we have started cooperation with them too. For starters the Re 4/4 I Pendelzug is available in the Simtrain webshop.

Website and shop

Mainly because of the new Swiss routes I have seen a healthy growth in sales and the web shop is now at its max capacity which has caused the need for a change to a dedicated server which is planned for January. This will hopefully not cause too many downtime but as we all know, these things have a tendency to create issues. You will all get notified about the exact planning for this move later.

2020 Roadmap

The roadmap for 2020 is not set in stone yet, but the HVZ LION set is amongst the first things to complete. Upgrades of the IC2000, Re 421 and Rabe511 will most likely follow to get them on par with the rest of the TwX fleet. Wilbur Graphics plans to release a new Austrian steam engine and updates to some of the existing engines. Without promising too much, there are some plans for the Ae 6/6, ICN and Re 450. Which projects will actually see the light in 2020 is still depending on some developments which I can not elaborate on at this time..



Thank you!

As you now know, a lot is going on and we are working really hard to keep you happy. As always I ask for a bit of patience to allow me to do the needed work on all fronts and want to thank you, my customers, for your continued support.

I wish you all a very happy 2020!

Paul