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Stand by your beds!



The Apedale Mafia arrive on a flying visit, Michael (left) is a staunch supporter of the project, and Phil (right) is a 1215 trustee, They turn up for a fairly regular visit, they drink our tea, eat our biscuits and disappear again for another couple of months. Never mind, it keeps them happy.

Speaking of keeping them happy, this time I caught Richard before he saw the camera and could flash a smile and a pose !!!

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A new steering wheel arrives - er, sorry - Reversing wheel, and before Ian has another panic, it's not for our loco. In reality it is for "Hengist" the new "Clan" loco being built. This is the inter preservation society transport system in operation, things get dropped off for someone else to collect, it saves a fortune on transport and delivery costs.

These, on the other hand, are staying, one is a new handle made to match the old one we already had.



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The new camouflage paint job is taking shape, care of Mr P.



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Backhead fittings go on - it's starting to look good!

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The drain cocks are now piped up, fitted and working, as are the Roscoe's

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Stewart and Alan do some brazing and Roger "handles" the lathe.

He's drilling a square hole down the new handle, (he said).



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Dave and Paul are a blur of activity, sizing up the boiler bands on the cladding.

Meanwhile, Mike H gets busy with the family size tin of Brasso

That's all for this week. many thanks to Richard for the pictures taken when I went home feeling unwell, Mike, (I'm OK now).