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August Sawmill Tour

Those who attended the Isackson Sawmill tour enjoyed a wealth of history and current practice in logging and the processing of lumber. Our host Duane Isackson (shown at right sharpening the teeth of a large saw blade) started out by sharing samples of many types of wood and their strengths, weaknesses and best uses. He told many stories of his father Henry Isackson, who built the mill in 1935, including his “outside the box” approach to topping tall spar trees—with carefully placed dynamite. Both rough sawing of logs and processing with the planing mill were demonstrated.



Our thanks to Duane for a great tour.



MARK YOUR CALENDARS!

**ANNUAL
COMMUNITY MEETING**

**SUNDAY, OCT. 18TH, 2 - 5PM
AT FALL CITY MASONIC HALL**

**EVERYONE IS WELCOME,
REFRESHMENTS PROVIDED**

“The Wellington Disaster and Other Train Wrecks”

Railroad historian, Allen Miller

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