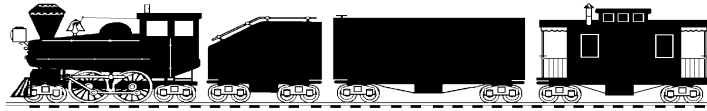


Communiqué
La Société des 40 Hommes et 8 Chevaux
Grande Voiture du Missouri



May 2018 - Grand Chef de Gare David Voyles

- L'Éditeur Grant Willis



The Grand Chef

Fellow Voyageurs,

Now is the time for all the Chef de Gares to contact once more, their Voyageurs who have not paid their membership to their Voiture. Sometimes contacting your Voyageurs by mail or by phone calls is not enough for them to join your Voiture. I ask you to contact your Voyageurs personally and let them know how important they are to our Organization.

Remind your Voyageurs of all the good things that they do for their own community. The scholarship that your Voiture give to many nurses every year would not happen without your support to your own Voiture.

I am also asking the Sous Grand Chef de Trains to help the Chef de Gares in their group, to participate in helping them were ever the Voiture needs you. I know that we want to reach one hundred per cent in membership for the Grande. All I ask from all of you is to give one hundred per cent effect in working membership. Remember that membership is every bodies responsibility and that the Voyageurs are the foundation of this great Organization.

Take care of yourself, and I will see a lot of you Voyageurs at the Central States Promenade.

Grand Chef de Gare

David N. Voyles

**Sous Grand
Correspondants Notes**

The last newsletter for this term will be the June/July issue. So get your articles in by May 31st

It is that time of the year for all Voiture Locales to start putting there year end reports together and get them to the Grande Directeur's.

Membership

We are at 88.33% of our goal of 100%, with 100 members to go. Now is the time to start making personal contact with the unpaid voyageurs. The way it stands now we picked up approximately 10 new members this year and at this rate we are going to give up on 100 members in our grand. Let's make a big effort to pick up those stragglers out there and get them to renew.

Thanks for all you do.
Grand Chef de Train
Calvin Bumgarner

VOITURE ACTIVITIES

Greetings Fellow Voyageurs,

I hope your activity planning for the current reporting year is well underway. The reporting year began on July 1, 2017 and concludes on June 30, 2018. If each Voyageur maintains a log of his or her activities throughout the reporting year and turns that log into their Local Voiture Activities Directeur or Correspondant at the end of the year, your Local Voiture Activities Report will be more accurate and complete. The National Directeur along with the Sous Directeur's of Voiture Activities plan to revise the reporting form and

Instructions. To have the information that will be necessary to complete the new report, I suggest the following be included in your activities log: the name of the activity, the date of the activity, the number of Voyageurs and Dames participating in the activity, the hours expended on the activity, monies spent on the activity, and the miles traveled in support of the activity. Note that this information should be logged for all activities with and without rolling stock. For those of you that are new to Voiture Activities reporting, any event involving Voyageurs is a reportable event. Some examples include: membership events, fund raisers for nurses training, a dinner honoring the nurses receiving scholarships, flags for first graders, youth sport activities, all celebrations honoring and remembering veterans, Promenades for which a quorum of the Voiture is present, volunteer work performed by Voyageurs, observances and parades of Memorial Day, Veterans Day, Flag Day, and King Day, Rituals performed, parties held, assistance for Boy's State, nursing home visits, meals that accompany funerals, Cheminot, Grand events attended, and Grand events sponsored. With simple logging of events, all Voiture's should have plenty of activities to report. Let's make this year a well reported year.

Mike Brueckmann

Directeur



GRANDE CHEMINOT AND PROMENADE



June 22nd through 24th, 2018

Oasis Hotel and Convention Center

2546 North Glenstone Ave.

Springfield, Missouri 65803

417-866-5253

888-532-4338

Room Rate \$90.00 (+TAX) per night

For Deluxe King or Deluxe Double

PLEASE MAKE RESERVATIONS AS EARLY AS POSSIBLE

Handicapped Rooms Available

Mention 40&8 Honor Society for special rate when making reservations

Friday

Registration 3 P.M. to 6 P.M. in the Kalahari and Mojave Rooms

Hospitality Room 3 P.M. until ??? in the Kalahari and Mojave Rooms

Saturday

Registration 9 A.M. to 12 P.M. in the Kalahari and Mojave Rooms

Committee Meetings 9 A.M. to 11:30 A.M.

Lunch 11:30 A.M. to 1 P.M. in the Kalahari and Mojave Rooms

Grande Cheminot 1 P.M. to 4 P.M. in the Coco Ballroom

Grand Chef de Gare Passé Social Hour 5 P.M. to 6 P.M. in the Arabian Room

Social Hour 6 P.M. to 7 P.M. – Cash Bar/Banquet 7 P.M. in Maui Ballroom

Hospitality Room opens after Banquet

Sunday

Grande Promenade 9 A.M. to 12 P.M. in Coco Ballroom

HAVE A SAFE TRIP HOME

Deadline to register for the banquet is May 22nd, 2018

Make your check payable to Voiture 1379 for registration

Send to: Robert C. Emery

16001 E 31st ST S

Independence, MO 64055-2709

Last Name _____ First Name _____ Spouse/Guest _____

Title _____ Voiture Number _____

Banquet Buffett \$30.00/Person x Number of Guest _____ \$ _____

Registration Fee \$5.00 (Voyageurs Only) _____ \$ _____

Total \$ _____



The Spirit of St. Louis
Voiture Locale 38
of the 40 and 8
will be hosting their

Sixth Annual Trivia Night

Saturday, August 25, 2018

Genesis Banquet Center
2651 Telegraph Road
St. Louis, MO 63125

Full open bar all evening

Tables of eight \$200 (\$25 per person)

Doors open at 6:30 p.m. – Trivia at 7:00 p.m.

Cash awards to 1st and 2nd place tables

For any additional information, call or email

Emil Klecka at 314-771-2089; ek1948@sbcglobal.net

To reserve your table, complete the form below
and mail with your check for \$200 to the address below.

Team Captain _____
Address _____
City _____ State _____ ZIP _____
Phone # _____ email _____



Mail to:
Emil Klecka (c/o 40 and 8)
3734 Louisiana Avenue
St. Louis, MO 63118
Phone: (314) 771-2089
Make check payable to Voiture Locale 38

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La Societe des Quarante Hommes et Huit Chevaux
Le Quartier Local de la Central Ozark Voiture 460
Saint Robert, Missouri 65584

RESOLUTION

- WHEREAS: Central Ozark Voiture Locale 460, La Societe des Quarante Hommes et Huit Chevaux, Saint Robert, Missouri has a Voyageur Militaire who is deserving of your consideration for the high Office of **GRAND COMMISSAIRE INTENDANT** and....
- WHEREAS: Voyageur Frank Angelo was initiated into Voiture 460 in 2011, And subsequently served Voiture 460 in various offices including Chef de Gare, Chef de Train, Correspondant, Grand Cheminot, and
- WHEREAS: Voyageur Frank Angelo has served the Grande Voiture du Missouri as: Sous Grand Conducateur, Grand Publiciste, Sous Chef de Train and is presently serving a Grand Directeur POW/MIA, and
- WHEREAS: Voyageur Frank Angelo is and has been an active Legionnaire Serving his Post in several offices including Commander, First Vice Commander, and
- WHEREAS: Voysgeur Frank Angelo has unquestionably demonstrated his Qualities of leadership and devotion to Las Societe des Quarante Hommes et Huit Chevaux, and the American Legion, and
- NOW: There be it resolved by Central Ozark Voiture Locale 460, La Societe des Quarante Hommes et Huit Chevaux, Saint Robert, Missouri in regular Promenade duly assembled This 17th day of April, 2018, do hereby enthusiastically endorse Voyageur Frank Angelo for the high office of Grand Commissaire Intendant for the year 2018-2019, to be voted On at the Grande Promenade du Missouri to be held in June 2018, and

ADOPTED UNANIMOUSLY, this 17th day of April 2018 by Central Ozark Voiture 460, St Robert, Missouri at its regular Promenade assembled,


Tommy Thomas, Correspondant


Benjamin Sargent, Chef de Gare.

MEMBERSHIP

April 26, 2018

Voiture Name	Voiture	2017 YTD Total	2018 YTD Total	2017 Year End Total	% of Quota	short/over
HEART OF AMERICA	3	44	43	45	95.56%	-2
SPIRIT OF ST. LOUIS	38	83	72	84	85.71%	-12
JESSE JAMES	130	34	35	35	100.00%	0
HEART OF MISSOURI	292	38	35	40	87.50%	-5
RUSSELL H. MILLER	333	151	121	155	78.06%	-34
GATEWAY	448	84	82	84	97.62%	-2
CENTRAL OZARK	460	63	57	63	90.48%	-6
KICKAPOO	760	39	32	40	80.00%	-8
MARK TWAIN	966	4	4	4	100.00%	0
CAPITOL	1292	69	60	69	86.96%	-9
MINERAL AREA	1321	67	69	68	101.47%	1
NEUF COMPT	1379	45	42	45	93.33%	-3
HEART OF THE OZARKS	1395	15	13	15	86.67%	-2
ATCHISON NODAWAY HOLT Co.	1402	21	21	21	100.00%	0
LAKE OF THE OZARK	1403	17	13	18	72.22%	-5
TWO RIVERS	1541	69	58	71	81.69%	-13
Missouri Total		843	757	857	88.33%	-100