

GRANDE VOITURE DE WISCONSIN CORRESPONDANTS CORNER

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WHITE COLLAR WRECK

On April 6th at Alma's Café in Allenton, Washington County Voiture # 898 is hosting a White Collar Wreck. The Initiation will begin at exactly 11:30 A. M.

Following the Wreck we will be ordering off of the menu and then Washington County will be having their April Promenade. If you are attending and wish to participate in their practice of bringing along one non perishable can for the food pantry at either the Grande Promenade or Midwinter Petite Promenade, it'll be mostly appreciated. For the collection it'll be going to the St. Croix Falls Food Pantry.

Alma's Café is on Hwy 33 on the far east side of town in the strip mall.

Washington County # 898 has to PG's that need to be initiated. As we all know there is always room for more Veterans who wish to be part of the greatest fraternal Veterans organization on this earth!



WORK CLEAN UP RAINBOW FLOWAGE

Before I get down to the specifics of the what we are planning to do at the Flowage, I'd like to mention that Camp American Legion Director "Don Grundy" has sent in his resignation effective June 1st. We all commend Don for the wonderful job he has done during his tenure as Camp Director. Many things stand out, too numerous to mention! But one thing I was very impressed with was when Don wanted to inventory all of the equipment at the Camp. Don't think anyone really knows just how many boats, engines, etc. are stored in the garages and Don wanted to make a complete listing of these items. In any case to Don - **Job Well Done.**

We've decided that May 14th - 15th are the dates for the cleanup. Jim Vissers is going up a day early and will speak to Don Grundy about borrowing the Camps gas powered leaf blowers again. That any other items we may need. It is suggested that you bring along some rakes, window cleaning items, maybe some scrub brushes or rags along with anything else you can think of for up there.

Besides meeting with the contractor for the installation of metal roofs and leaf guard eaves troughs, Jim is planning on purchasing a solar light for the flag pole.

North Woods Trivia - Did you know that there are over 1100 lakes in Oneida County alone.



GRAND VOITURE DE WISCONSIN 2021 Grande Promenade & Rendezvous

Proudly Hosted by
Polk/Burnett Voiture No. 236
St. Croix Falls, WI
AUGUST 5-8, 2021

REGISTRATION - \$10 per Voyageurs and Dames

Name _____
Booster Club - \$2.00 per person

Name _____
Banquet Tickets - \$22.00 per person

Buffet style: Chicken & Beef Tips, mashed potatoes & gravy, mixed vegetables,
coffee, milk, rolls & dessert

Deadline for banquet reservations is July 24th

Promenade and Banquet to be held at
Post 143 American Legion
St. Croix Falls, WI

PROGRAM BOOKLET AD FORM

Full Page	\$80.00
Half Page	\$50.00
Quarter Page	\$30.00
Business Card	\$15.00

Mail Ad copy and check (payable to Voiture No. 236) to Jim Chapin
P.O. Box 462, St. Croix Falls, WI 54024

Hotel Reservations

Holiday Inn Express
2190 US Hwy 8
St. Croix Falls, WI 54024
Tel: 715-483-5775

Dalles House Motel
726 S. Vincent St.
St. Croix Falls, WI 54024
Tel: 715-483-3206

River Valley Inn
1030 N. Cascade St.
Osceola, WI 54020
715-294-4060

DEADLINE FOR ROOM RESERVATIONS IS JULY 6TH

Please mention the 40 & 8 when making reservations

PONTOON RIDE

Up the St. Croix River

Thursday Night the 5th of August

Lions Park, St. Croix Falls. North end of Main St.

5:00 P.M. - Brats, hotdogs and hamburgers

6:00 P.M. - Pontoon ride up the beautiful St. Croix river (return to park 8:00 P.M.)

Cost: \$30.00 per person includes cocktails

NATIONAL APPOINTMENTS

During the 40 et 8 Days at Camp this year the Committee on Committee meets to choose those individuals who have indicated that they are interested in serving on one of the National committees. In other words wearing the coveted gold chapeau. If interested contact the Grand Correspondant. Be advised however that you just don't wear the chapeau; you are required to promote the program through letters, emails or phone calls. Wisconsin currently has 12 gold chapeaus.

New 2022 Nurses Training pin.



FROM THE GRAND CORRESPONDANT

I am asking for each and every single Voyageur receiving this communication to contact your respective Membership Chairman and see about assisting him or her in collecting any and all dues from members of your Locale. We are at the 12th hour and with the Country opening up from the pandemic, we need all of our members paid.

Has your Locale been working on the Communique reports this last month? We do need for them to be turned in to Grande Headquarters before the 15th of June so they can be forwarded to the respective Grand Directeur's for final tally before they are forwarded to the National Directeur's.

Do you owe any of the Grand Directeur's remittance for pins you have received on consignment this year. We need zero balance with National **ASAP**.

I still have not yet received a nomination for the high office of Grand Commis Voyageur which is the first step in becoming the Grand Chef de Gare.

Memorial Day is May 31st and I do hope all of you are planning on assisting with the observance of this most patriotic od days.

Interesting Fact - During WWII the Declaration of Independence, the US Constitution and the Bill of Rights were all stored at Fort Knox in Kentucky for safe keeping.

