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Moving Forward With The Basics



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From the Grand Chef

I would like to wish everyone a happy Patrick's Day.

La Presidente Nationale, Robbie Garland's homecoming was very enjoyable. The theme was Mardi Gras. And while Debbie and I, along with the Voyageurs and Dames of 304 and others worked most of the weekend we also had time to join in the festivities. There were several past La Presidentes and Past Chefs de Chemin de Fer on hand to share this important time with Madam La Presidente and her guests. The food was wonderful with a wide variety of finger foods that filled several tables. If you didn't come you missed a great time.

Part of my obligation as Grand Chef de Gare, Grand du Florida, is to represent Grand du Florida to the best of my ability. I have represented Grand du Florida at the Homecoming of La Presidente Nationale and the Cajun Wreck in Iberia, Louisiana this past month. There are several more events that I will be attending in the coming month. I hope to see more than the few that have attended the past events along with me in the coming months. Remember, if we want them to visit us, we have to visit them.

The Northeast Florida First Coast Wreck Association has announced Voiture 1610 will host its annual wreck on March 16-19, 2023, in St. Augustine. The Wreck location will be at the Aton Green Memorial American Legion Post 194

located at 1029 Pearl St., St. Augustine, FL 32084. The accommodations for the wreck is at the Holiday Inn Express Hotel & Suites (2300 S.R. 16, North St. Augustine, FL 32084){Room rate is \$149 per night and will include complimentary coffee in the lobby}. There will be an updated registration form attached to this Bulletin.

Additionally, there will be a bonus the same weekend since the Grand du Florida Binion Williams' and the Grand La Presidente Annie Anderson's Homecoming. The theme is St. Patty's Day. Everyone is Irish on St. Patty's Day! Erin go Braugh!

When you take a position, whether as was an elected or an appointed officer/directeur, you have agreed to fulfill an obligation. Too many of you have not fulfill your obligation. Do NOT accept a position whether elected or appointed if it is for only to receive the next level Chapeau. Your obligation as an officer is to attend ALL grand functions,. submit reports at the grand function requiring one and mentoring the next member to hold your position. If you cannot fulfill these obligations refrain from accepting the position.

Continuing with obligationsThere are three (3) Grand functions, Mid-Winter (typically in January), Grand Promenade (typically in June) and Grand Seminar (typically in October). When an individual Voiture Locale does not step up and host a Grand event it falls onto the Grand Officers to pick up the slack. The past couple of years, a select few of Grand du Florida's Officers have tried very hard to procure the best accommodations possible when searching venues for any of the Grand functions. The low attendance tells those hard working individuals that their efforts are wasted.

Additionally, it is not just the Grand Officers who should be attending the Grand functions. It is expected that each Voiture Locale be represented. Voiture Locale Chefs de Gare or their

representative are obligated to attend. Keep this in mind as we go into the election season for Locale and Grand Promenades.

RENEW! RENEW! RENEW!

A reminder, anyone who has not renewed their membership card for the 2023 year, he/she will NOT be able to participate in any other event whether Locale or Grand or Nationale until said mentioned membership has been renewed. We have lost several members in recent years to the Supreme Commander resulting in a few Locales folding up their flags and dispersing. If you belong to any of those Locales please contact the Grand Chef or the Grand Correspondant (as per our Constitution) for guidance with this decision.

For those of you who do not know, my motto for the year is 'Moving into the Future with the Basics.' But if you are just starting to get involve, contact the Grand Chef de Gare or the Grand Correspondant for information to assist you in learning the right way. If you have any questions or need help or just want to talk about anything please contact me. My phone number and email are listed above. I expect everyone to do their job, have a positive attitude, and to recruit. Remember we are a fraternity of veterans.

Remember our Troops at home and abroad and God Bless America!

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Grand Correspondant

By now you should have my new email address. If not it is at the top of the Bulletin.

Elections are coming up very soon at the Locale and Grand levels. Every Locale should be getting their officer list together now and getting the ones running for office vetted. The Grand Correspondant needs to have a copy of each Locale's Officer list prior to the Grand Promenade. As of this printing,

- Grand Commis Voyageur
- Grand Commissaire Intendant

This list constitutes “the chairs.” Grand Commissaire Intendant is not actually part of the chairs as not everyone has the capability to handle the financial side.

Any Voyageur wishing to run for an **ELECTED** position at the Nationale level **MUST** submit a Resolution to their Locale who must recommend you and forward the approved nomination to the Grand Correspondant thirty (30) days prior to the Grand Promenade. An appointment on the Nationale level needs a letter of request for nomination to their Locale who must recommend you and forward the approved recommendation to the Grand Correspondant thirty (30) days prior to the Grand Promenade.

☛ **ALL CANDIDATES MUST BE IN GOOD STANDING WITH THE LOCALE, WITH THE GRAND AND WITH NATIONALE.**

☛ **IMPORTANT NOTE: LEARN WHAT YOUR POSITION IS, WHAT YOUR DUTIES AND RESPONSIBILITIES ARE BEFORE YOU REQUEST THE NOMINATION OR GET ELECTED/APPOINTED.**

Regional delegate’s name and contact information: This is not anything new, each Region **MUST** elect a delegate every year. The following Regions do not have a current delegate: 1, 4A, 6B*, 7, 8, 12, 13, 15*, and 17*. (*These Regions only have 1 Locale.)

☛ **IF YOUR REGION HAS THE SAME DELEGATE AS THE PREVIOUS YEAR, THAT NAME AND CONTACT INFORMATION MUST BE SENT AS WELL. DO NOT ASSUME THAT THE GRAND CORRESPONDANT CAN READ YOUR MINDS.**

The following Voitures have a Constitution/Bylaws on file with the Grand

Correspondant but are seriously out of date: 199, 954, 1219, 1604, and 1610. Please review your constitution/bylaws and update them as soon as you can. The following Voitures do not have a constitution on file with the Grand Correspondant: 215 (I know you are working on yours), 294, 334, 472, 795, 880, 1120, 1352, 1490, 1526, 1606, and 1621. (By the way, your Locale had to have a constitution to charter, and it should be available at all Promenades. Contact Nationale to get a copy of your constitution.) It is the Locale’s responsibility to review and update as well as furnish a copy to the Grand Correspondant.

THE GRAND CONDUCTEUR – shall be in charge of the initiatory work at all Grande Promenades, Grand Wrecks, and shall have supervision over Wrecks in all Voiture Locales, and such other duties as may be required by the Grand Chef de Gare. This is printed in Grand du Florida’s Constitution, however it would be prudent to have the most current copy of the Ritual and Manual of Ceremonies. This publication has the script for both types of wrecks (Active or White Collar) and whether it is done with flags in place or done with a color guard. **THIS IS YOUR BIBLE.** Become extremely familiar with the different ceremonies contained within.

THE GRAND GARDES DE LA PORTE – There are two (2), one for each door **OR** one to check membership cards and one to ask for the password. Also collects fines when a member has been assessed one. The Lampiste, also, assists them when necessary.

THE GRAND COMMIS VOYAGEUR – shall be charged with the responsibility of caring for the properties of the Grand Voiture du Florida. These properties include the American Flag and the 40 & 8 flag with their staffs and bases just to name the most important. These two flags **MUST** be at the Petite Grand Promenade and the Grand Promenade and the individual holding this position **MUST** attend these two events each year.

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Grand Chef de Train

I want to congratulate seven Voitures for making it to 100% and out of that seven Two Voitures are over that 100% mark 899 at 110.53 with 2 over their quota and 1120 with 123.81% and 5 over their quota great job all. There are 8 Voitures who need 3 or less to hit your 100%. Call those who are delinquent and see if your Voiture can help them or remind them that their dues are due now. Just because you're at 100% doesn't mean you can't add more to your roster, go find a few more PG's. Our state membership or Grand is at 406 paid as of February 9th. We are short 165 just to break even. We have lost one Voiture and maybe two more due to the lack of interest or thru attrition. I know the more seasoned veterans have life experience and perhaps a different frame of reference. But we should never think that the younger generation is any different. As a leader, you should always welcome new ideas from everyone, talk to the Desert Storm, OEF and OIF veterans. The younger veterans are full of ideas- just as we were at that age. You should embrace their energy; you will be pleasantly surprised with the innovative ideas that they come up with. Be open to these new ideas. The youth are the very lifeblood of our organization. This was passed on to me by another VSO there is more to this, but I think you get the jest.

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Grand Advocat/ Protocol

In accordance with the Nationale Constitution of La Societe Des 40 Hommes ET 8 Chevaux,

Article XI, Section 11: Uniform Accounting System: Each Voiture Locale shall keep its accounts in accordance with a uniform accounting system to be promulgated by Voiture Nationale.

Article 12: Officers Bonded: Each Officer of a Voiture Locale having custody or possession of

funds of the Voiture Locale shall give bond in such sum with such surety as the Cheminots Locaux from time to time shall direct, conditioned for the faithful discharge of the duties of their office and delivery of their successor of all funds that are or should be in their hands.

Article 13: Inspection of Voiture Locale Records: The books, records and accounts of each Voiture Locale shall be made available for inspection at any time upon request of the Chef de Chemin de Fer, the Commissaire Intendant Nationale, the Grand Chef de Gare or the Grand Commissaire Intendent.

By Order of the Grand Chef de Gare, He may appoint an Inspector to Review Accounts of any Voiture of Grand du Florida's Voitures Accounts as he may see as necessary at any time for any purpose. Upon completion of any Inspection of any accounts, a report will be filed with the Grand Chef de Gare, & the Voiture, and for the Permanent Records, a Final Report will be filed with the Grand Correspondant.

D.R.Richards

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Grand Ritual

Greetings Voyageur's, I look forward to seeing some of you at Grand Chef de Gare Binion Williams and Grand La Presidente Annie Anderson Homecoming. In Saint Augustine. Their theme is Saint Patty's Day Irish Green Colors for the Banquet. By the way there is also going be a wreck held there (at the same time). Northeast Florida First Coast Wrecking Association. Will be having their annual regional wreck, hosted by Voiture 1610 on the 17th and 18th of March 2023 in Saint Augustine. Remember to bring your Ritual & Manual of Ceremonies manual to the event. When ever you're a part of or visit a promenade, you should've your manual out and following along. And be prepared to critique (a detailed analysis and assessment of something, especially a literary, philosophical, or political theory) what you've witness. By that I mean take

notes, and let the person in charge aware of anything, that wasn't part of the Manual. Most officer will appreciate your feedback, as we're all trying to get better. Merci.

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Grand Conductor

Greeting Voyageur's, Northeast Florida First Coast Wrecking Association. Will be having their annual regional wreck, hosted by Voiture 1610 on the 17th and 18th of March 2023 in Saint Augustine (see the flyer in the bulletin). We currently have two PG's, this is the last schedule wreck I'm aware of (in Florida). If your Voiture has eligible Voyageur's Militaire, think about getting them into this wreck. The Ritual & Manual of Ceremonies say's: "No P.G. may be issued membership card, Ritual, Chapeau, medal, attachment, or combination button before they have completed all three degrees of the Initiation". I'll attempt to have a notice sent out to all local correspondents, to ensure that no Voiture is unaware the wreck is taking place. The Wrecking Chef is going to be Madame Wanda Hunter, Pass Grand Chef de Gare 2018 and current National Sous Directeur for Box Car. And a member in good standing of the Voiture 1604 in Jacksonville. Merci.

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Boxcar

January Midwinter convention is over. Participation is paramount for all to keep our programs alive for all our friends and family within and out of the 40 and 8. The Shadow Box for the Nurses Pin collection will have its final draw during June convention. If you order pins and cards, it would much appreciated. For those who have not order their pins, they will be available at mid-winter. If you can't make, It is just takes 5 mins to send sending me an email, telling me which Voyageur/Cabaña unit you are

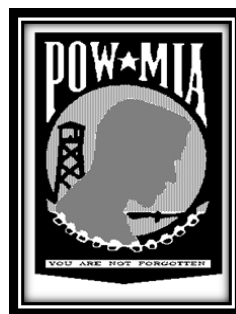
in, what you want and how many you need. I will send them to you in the mail. You can send a check, or you can get them on consignment. Remember, Box Car is the only program that does not keep any monies, the organization donates all monies made back to all the programs in need. Remember Crew Cards money goes to adult cancer patient and Associate Cards money goes to the children cancer patient. Without your support our program will not be as successful as it is. The box car pins are \$4.00 each, crew and associate cards \$1.00 each. Remember Crew Cards can ONLY be sold to Voyageurs; Associate Cards and program pins may be purchased by anyone wishing to support the program. Final reminder, the box car program is the only one that will allow you to get credit for two programs when you send monies through the box car program. That makes the program truly one of kind. See in June.



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POW-MIA



Another year has come and gone and we still have

brothers and sisters not accounted for, we must not every forget them but we must also remember their families our POW/MIA Scholarship does just that but it needs to be funded. If your Voiture as bought pins purchase one. For those Voiture That order pins please pick them up at Mid-Winter, Pins not pick up will be sent by mail and the Voiture will be charged postage

Jesse Hixson

Voiture Activities

NO INPUT

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Grand Trophies and Awards



Hello!

The Youth Sports team is very excited to reveal the current challenge coin design! It is 1.75 inches in diameter and hefty!

There are a limited number of this design available right now! See how to get yours in the attached communique from Directeur Shrader. I plan to get several and use them as my "thanks" for those leaders in my region, Grande, and Locale. Something simple like this goes a long way in nurturing engagement.

Officers: Use these coins to help reward those who volunteer with and near you supporting Youth Sports. It will bring a smile and remind them that their efforts are valued. Let's keep people appreciated!

We plan to change the design of the coin after this limited batch is sold. Profits support our program! If you have a sport that you would like on the next coin, let us know (after purchasing some of these fabulous basketball ones). Rock Chalk Jayhawk! Go KU!

Keep up the good work in Youth Sports. Pin sales are still an important aspect of our fundraising and these coins are a supplement that. Remember that the Grande needs to support pin sales to be reimbursed for some youth sports donations during the year. There are funds in the account... Let's get it in the community.

In friendship,

Nick Weyers

Nationale Sous Director of Youth Sports

Grande du Kansas Chef de Train

Grande du Kansas Director of Youth Sports

Voiture 58 Avocat

Voiture 58 Chef de Gare Passé, 2021-2022

Americanism



We've went through two months already and this month is full of ideas to have fun with. March 1st is the First Day of Women's History Month, and the First Day of Irish American Heritage Month. March 2nd is Read Across America Day. March 3rd is Employee Appreciation Day. March 12th is spring your clocks ahead day or Daylight Savings Time. March 17th is St Patrick's Day. March 29th National Vietnam War Veterans Day. There are a lot of days in March to plan great events for your Voiture. Get creative and put on an event. I still

have Pins for sale and if you need them call me or text me at 561-281-8454 and I will get them out to you. They are still \$3.00 a pin. In our National Forty et Eighter the National Directeur Frank Campo wrote: Moving into the new year means we are almost halfway into our reporting year. I want to encourage everyone to continue reporting your hours, miles and monies spent on behalf of our programs. The consolidated reports can be found in the petite communique on the 40/8 website. Remember once filed out send them to me, Paul J Bosco Jr., so I can consolidate all the good work for the State.

Paul J Bosco Jr

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Youth Sports

Vacant

Nurses Training

Dear Fellow Voyageurs, I must apologize for my neglect of not keeping in touch with all of you. I can give you a million reasons for it, but all are just BS for my neglect. There is no excuse for it. I will do better this year and I will visit as many of you as I can. So don't be surprised to see me at one of your promenades this year. Hope to see you all at the Mid – Winter Grand in Orlando. I also have the new pin for those of you who don't have them. Hope to see you there.

John Alicea

Carville Star



It was a slow month for me however I did finally get to visit Voiture Locale 890 at their Chateau.

Unfortunately Local Chef de Gare Bill McIntyre wasn't there due to a work day the day before but I did meet with Lampiste Dick Norton and talked briefly with Bill on the phone and I finally got there and visited the famous Paint Locker. They purchased 10 Carville Star pins and now I have 14 pins remaining so for those locales that are willing to support the program still want pins please send me your order. A picture of the 2023 pin is depicted above. Pins for 2022 are still available as well. You can order them now by sending a check made out to Grand du Florida for the pins at \$3.00 each for the 2023 pins and \$1 each for the 2022 pins. Your support is desperately needed as this is one of our organizations oldest programs and pays for the distribution of the Carville Star research paper that comes from the only research center in the US and is distributed virtually all over the world. When you order pins send your request to me, again if paying by check please make it out to "Grand du FL". If your Locale would like to buy a country or buy a clinic you can download the forms for each of those subprograms that also support the Star from the Nationale website at www.fortyandeight.org under the caption forms.



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Child Welfare



Greetings fellow Voyageurs.

I recently attended the Annual Cajun Wreck in New Iberia LA. Was nice to see and share camaraderie with fellow Voyageurs and Dames. I will be able to order the 2024 Child Welfare pins around April 1st. Please let me know how many pins you want for your Voiture, so I will have an idea on how many to order. I asked for this information in last month's Grand Bulletin, but received no response. I still have beaucoup Russell Home, American Flag and PG Passe pins remaining.

Continue to consider the Ardery Trust Fund for children in need. The 40/8 Ardery Trust Fun can reimburse Locales for monies spent on the children affected by a disaster. Children need not be associated with the 40&8. The information is located on the 40&8.org website under programs. The reimbursement for this program is there for the asking. You can also contact me, and I will assist you with applications.

I continue to ask for your Voiture's support of The Russell Home. Keep in mind, the home is operated entirely from donations and receives no Government funding. Although I ask this every month, I am getting NO support other than from my Locale Voiture and Cabane. Come on folks. Everyone has clothing and household items lying around, that can be donated to their Thrift Store. Additionally, you can donate paper products, cups, plates, paper towels, toilet paper, and kitchen products (anything you use in your own kitchen). If you will take the initiative to collect them, I will take the initiative to deliver them for you.

A big Merci to Grand Chef de Gare Passe Jesse Hixson, for purchasing a brick from The Russell Home. You can purchase one in your name, your Voiture's name or in memory of someone.

CHILDREN ARE OUR MISSION
CHILDREN ARE OUR FUTURE

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NURSES TRAINING

As I had written earlier in February there are many facets to the Nurses Training Program. One of them is the pins we sell to raise money for scholarships. In future months I will give suggestions on how Locale and Grands can raise money. Locales encouraged to raise money for them to grant scholarships. Grands are also encouraged to develop a scholarship program. Which I am still working on to present to the grand. As a reminder I have 50 nursing pins 2023 in my possession, I would like to get rid of them. I hope to see you all at The Northeast Florida First Coast Wreck in St. Augustine Wreck on March 16th – 19th. If you have any questions, please contact me.

John Alicia

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OLDEST CITY IN THE NATION IS HOSTING (V-1610) THE 2023



NORTHEAST FLORIDA FIRST COAST WRECKING ASSOCIATION



V-215 V-304 V-1352 V-1604 V-1610 - REGIONAL WRECK – MARCH 16th till 19th, 2023

ROOMS \$149.00

RESERVATIONS call Holiday Inn Express Hotel & Suites North, (904) 824-5151, mention 40 & 8

North 2300 S.R.16, St. Augustine, Fl. 32084 (Ten minutes from the wreck location)

Reservations cut-off date is the 16th of February 2023

Registration starts on Thursday 16th, March 2023 at 2pm - 9pm in the Hospitality Room

Full breakfast (omelets, flaky biscuits and gravy, world-famous cinnamon rolls and much more, breakfast buffet, continental breakfast & complimentary coffee in the lobby.

Registration Fees: \$45 Voyageurs, Registration only \$15, \$40 Dames, PG's Free, ad orders book size 6 x 8, full page \$40 & half page \$20 boosters \$2 a name.

Registration includes Program, Name tag, Hospitality room (drinks, hot food & snacks), lunch on Saturday and 6:30pm Banquet Saturday night at: Wreck location: Alton Green Memorial American Legion Post 194, 1029 Peal St, St. Augustine, Fl. 32084 (menu: baked chicken or Beef), Friday \$8.00 Fish & Fries served at the Post, starts 6 – 7pm, Kangaroo Kourt starts at 7pm at Post 194. For more information contact Lawson

Dukes (904) 814-6610 or e-mail: lawkes@yahoo.com.

Please make check payable to Voiture 1610, 1029 Pearl Street, Saint Augustine, Florida 32084.

Here is the link and the group code is NFW –

Call Hotel for Reservations: 1-904-824-5151 refer to Group Code: NFW

Group reservation link for online reservations:

<https://www.hiexpress.com/redirect?path=rates&brandCode=EX&localeCode=en®ionCode=1&hotelCode=SGJES&checkInDate=16&checkInMonthYear=022023&checkOutDate=19&checkOutMonthYear=022023& PMID=99801505&GPC=NFW&cn=no&viewfullsite=true>

The **HILLBILLY WREK**
 March 30, 31 & April 1, 2023
 American Legion Post 81
 227 James Asbury Dr. NW
 Cleveland, TN

PLEASE PRINT ALL INFORMATION

Voyager's Name: _____ Voiture #: _____
 Address : _____ City: _____ State: _____
 Zip: _____ Phone #: (____) _____ E-Mail _____
 Dame/Guest Name: _____ Cabane #: _____

PLEASE PRINT ALL INFORMATION

Early Bird Greeting 30th 4 to 6 pm..... \$ 20.00 each \$ _____
 Hillbilly Wrek Registration 31st 9 am to 4pm \$ 30.00 each \$ _____
 Banquet 1st.....\$ 30.00 each Turkey Ham \$ _____

HOTEL RESERVATIONS MADE ON YOUR OWN. SUGGESTIONS

BE SURE TO MENTION THAT YOU ARE WITH THE FORTY AND EIGHT

- Exclusive Quarters 423 479 1333 210 James Asbury Dr.
- Clarion Inn 423 559 1001 185 James Asbury Dr (ONLY NON SMOKING) (headquarters)
- Red Roof Inn 423 472 5566 156 James Asbury Dr
- Quality Inn 423 478 5265 153 James Asbury Dr
- Classic Suites 423 339 4900 179 Bernham Dr

All of the motels are within walking distance of the American Legion.
 Early Bird and Wrek Events to take place at the American Legion Post 81

AD BOOK

DEADLINE MARCH 1ST 2022

Color Full page	\$80.00	\$	
Color Half page	\$50.00	\$	
Color Quarter page	\$35.00	\$	
Booster \$2.00 per name (list on back)		\$	
e-mail word format or jpeg to: voiture735_tn@charter.net		TOTAL	

Make checks out to: Voiture 735 40 & 8MAIL to: Voiture 735 40 & 8 Societe
 P. O. Box 2153
 Cleveland, TN 37320-2153

INFORMATION AND QUESTIONS?

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REMINDER.....

We cannot stress the importance of communication! Each and every Voiture Local in Grand du Florida **will** receive a **free** copy of the Grand Bulletin. Take it to each Prom and share it. Enforce all officers and directors get all of the information that will assist them in the performance of their duties. Ensure your lists of officer's have been sent to the Grand Correspondant, ensuring all names and addresses are **correct** and **current**, especially the email addresses. We cannot send a Bulletin to a Correspondant whose name has not been submitted.

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All Voyageurs who wish to subscribe to the Grand Bulletin. Please use the form below.



TAPS

Upcoming Events

March 26-19/2023

Northeast Florida Wreck

March 24-25/2023

Chef de Chemin de Fer
Frank Kronen
Homecoming

March 17

St. Patrick's Day

March 30 April 1

Hillbilly Wreck

April 13-15 2023

Great Western Proenade

April 20-23 2023

Southland Dixie

April 20-23 2023

Central States Wreck

May 19-20 2023

37th Annual Gator Wreck
Goose Creek SC

May 27-29 2023

Memorial Day in Arlington –

June 1-3 2023

62nd Great Lakes Promenade
Okemos MI

July 14-16 2023

Arizona Grand Promenade

2023Nationale

Kalahari
Sandusky, OH

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Booster: _____

Check Total: \$ _____

Remember ALL Activities for this calendar must be sent by the 15th of the month to Deb Reynolds, Grand Correspondant

County	Locale	Region	Meets	2023	2022	% of Quota	Short/ Over
Hillsborough	199	15	Tampa	14	16	87.50%	-2
Orange	202	6B	Orlando	0	0	00.00%	0
East Duval	215	5	Jax Beach	30	30	100.00%	0
Polk	218	7	Winter Haven	0	17	0.00%	-17
Palm Beach	290	11	W. Palm Bch	27	42	64.29%	-15
Volusia	294	17	Daytona Bch	16	22	72.73%	-6
Duval	304	5	Jacksonville	26	29	89.66%	-3
St. Lucie	334	12	Fort Pierce	4	7	51.14%	-3
Lake	400	6A	Mt. Dora	15	18	83.33%	-3
	472	1	Panama City	10	10	100.00%	0
	728	9	Plantation	0	0	00.00%	0
Collier	795	13A	Naples	17	29	58.62%	-12
Manatee	880	8	Bradenton	15	15	100.00%	0
Broward	890	9	FT. Lauderdale	38	38	100.00%	0
Highland	899	8	Avon Park	21	19	110.53%	2
Brevard	954	12	Cocoa	15	20	75.00%	-5
Leon	1120	2	Tallahassee	26	21	123.81%	5
Citrus	1219	4A	Crystal River	25	34	73.53%	-9
Okaloosa	1233	1	Ft Walton Bch	0	0	00.00%	0
Columbia	1352	3	Lake City	16	18	88.89%	-2
Alachua	1388	4B	Newberry	1	1	100.00%	0
Okaloosa	1490	1	Niceville	4	5	80.00%	-1
Charlotte	1526	13B	Port Charlotte	1	1	100.00%	0
Escambia	1571	1	Pensacola	19	23	82.61%	-4
South Pasco	1576	16	New Port Richey	0	0	00.00%	0
South Marion	1580	4A	Bellevue	8	32	25.00%	-24
North Lake	1598	6A	Lady Lake	0	0	00.00%	0
North Duval	1604	5	Jacksonville	19	35	54.29%	-16
Bay	1606	1	Panama City	25	27	92.59%	-2
St Johns	1610	5	St Augustine	12	14	87.71%	-2
S Brevard	1621	12	Palm Bay	19	39	48.72%	-20
	1634			9	9	100.00%	0
				432	571	75.66%	-1139

NA = New Locale - No Quota Established.

New Totals as of 1 MARCH 2023
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Our Very Special Newsletter Boosters

Bill Barkett	due 1/29	Carol Sloat	due 1/24
**Pat Beamer	due 1/25	<u>Tom Smith</u>	due 1/19
Paul Bosco	due 1/27	Cheryl Smith	due 1/19
Bosco	due 1/27	Don Wittenberg	due 1/26
Gloria Case	due 10/23	<u>Voiture 218</u>	due 1/19
*Ron Garland	due 1/24	Voiture 472	due 1/22
*Robbie Garland	due 1/24	**** Voiture 899	due 1/26
IMOJohn Gore	due 1/22	****Voiture 1219	due 3/20
IMOJacque Gore	due 1/22	*****Voiture 1120	due 1/27
Barbara Guglielmo	due 6/24	Voiture 1604	due 10/23
George Guglielmo	due 6/22		
George Hall	due 8/27	Boosters:	
Joanne Hirst	due 1/22	Add boosters \$5.00 a year. A *	
*Wanda Hunter	due 1/24	for each additional \$5.00. Ask	
Roland Jones	due 1/26	your Voiture to be a booster.	
Carol Kaiserian	due 1/24		
John Kaiserian	due 1/24		
John Lee	due 10/3	Underlined due dates are soon to	
Terry Lee	due 3/23	be removed from this special list.	
Anita Lee	due 3/23		
Henry Legros	due 8/23		
Andrew Nagy	due 1/24		
*Charles Patterson	due 1/27		
Mirna Perez	due 1/27		
****Debra Reynolds	due 1/25		

The Names in **BOLD PRINT** are current in their booster payment. All others are in the rears. If you wish to remain a VERY SPECIAL BOOSTER. Send payment to:

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