

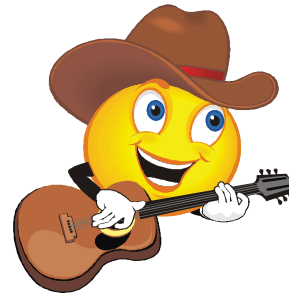


La Societe des Quarante Hommes et Huit Chevaux
Grand Voiture du Texas



15 January 2010

To: All Voyageurs in Grand du Texas



Be my Valentine

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Monsieur Voyageurs,

Hope this finds everyone in good health and that you and yours had a great Christmas and Happy New Year.

As of January 14th we have 5 Locales over 100%, 2 at 100% and 2 just need one more. If the 2 get their one that over half of the Locales in Grand du Texas will be at 100% or over. This shows that these Locales have been working hard to get their Locales and Grand du Texas on top. We still have half of the year left for all the Locales to get to 100% or better. Wouldn't that be great if all the Locales in Grand du Texas were at 100% are over. I don't think that I have ever seen that. I know that another wreck is scheduled for this month and another Local will be over 100%. Check the membership roster to see who is over the top.

We need to support our programs. By looking at reports we are not doing to good in some of our programs. We need to support these programs by buying pins and cards. The money goes to make these programs work not only at the Nationale level but at the Grand and Locale level. I have seen these programs work in Texas and at National. If you need to know where to buy pins and cards ask your Chef de Gare are Correspondant.

We have Merci Box Car coming up the 12-13 February. So far the registration has been slow. We need to have a good turn out as this is the only way to get the hotel price down. If we don't, then we will have to look at another hotel for next year and we will have to go further out of town. If you need information on Merci Box Car ask your Correspondant he was sent this information are check the web site texasboxcar.com.

HOPE TO SEE YOU AT MERCI BOX CAR
12, 13 & 14 FEBRUARY 2010



I'M GOING TO MERCI BOX CAR ARE YOU IF YES GET ON BOARD



DON'T FORGET THE GRAND RAFFLE!

If you don't have your tickets yet or need more let the Ways & Means Committee know.

George A. Bannon (281-298-1588) or email: gabannon1@comcast.net

If you would like for me to visit your Local please let me know. If at all possible I will be there.



**KEEP ONE EYE CLOSED TO NEGATIVITY
KEEP ONE EYE ON GETTING NEW MEMBERS
KEEPING GRAND DU TEXAS ON TOP**

**“WORKING TOGETHER WE CAN AND ARE MAKING A
DIFFERENCE”**

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