

From the Grande Chef de Gare!



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My Fellow Voyageurs and Veterans,

Personally, I want everyone to know I am honored to be elected as Chef de Gare, Grande Voiture du Indiana for Membership Year 2022. Currently, I have been out-of-state on family bereavement and will be back in our Hoosier State around 09-August-2021. Thank you for your understanding!

Would also like to thank my fellow Voyageurs who are volunteering their time, experience, and expertise in serving Grande Voiture du Indiana as an Officer and/or Program Directeur. Without you, we cannot continue our outstanding service to our Veterans/Families, Children, Communities and Great Nation!

Upon my return:

- Will complete a tentative traveling schedule, pending confirmations. If there is any event or occasion you would like me to attend, please contact me so I may do my best to attend.
- Reach out to fellow Voyageurs for ideas on keeping the Grande strong for the next 100 years. There is a wealth of knowledge/expertise on how we can continue to be successful in membership, programs, administration, etc. Let's hear them please!
- Update our Grand Website/Facebook. Any Ideas, please share!
- Looking for Grand Volunteers:

Webmaster/Facebook Administrator, Historian/Photographer – Any Volunteers?

Food for Thought!

This year let's continue our focus on all 40/8 Programs especially Americanism and Child/Youth Programs. With our children...grandchildren being are our future leaders... it's important to take care of and educate them on what makes Our Country Great, letting them know why so many people of all races/ethnic groups have bravely defended her, some even giving the ultimate sacrifice, in protecting freedoms of all Americans and people around the world. With the current situations going on around the country, it's imperative for us to continue our mission of defending this great Nation utilizing our experiences and knowledge in helping our youth.

In summary, I look forward to meeting and working with everyone. If I can be of any assistance, please give me a call (leave messages), email, or the famous text message.

Thank You for your continued Service! Take Care, Don

*What we, as Veterans, achieve today will impact the Forty and Eight of tomorrow!
Honor, Courage, and Commitment!*

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