

MANAGER'S DESK FOR FRIDAY, JULY 15, 2022

WELCOME TO THE MANAGER'S DESK, I'M MIKE CORNELL.

THE WEEKS ARE GOING BY QUICKLY. HERE WE ARE ON THE EVE OF YET ANOTHER SUMMER WEEKEND. AND FOR ANY SCHOOL AGE CHILDREN, OR PARENTS OF SCHOOL AGE CHILDREN, WE ARE NOW HALFWAY THROUGH THE SUMMER BREAK. I STILL HAVE ONE IN SCHOOL AND SO I PAY ATTENTION TO SUCH THINGS. JAKE IS NOW 14 AND IS ENTERING 9TH GRADE THIS YEAR.

AS SUCH HE WILL PROBABLY NOT BE JOINING US ON ANY FUTURE BUS TRIPS THAT WE HAVE PLANNED. RIGHT NOW WE ARE TAKING RESERVATIONS FOR A BUS TRIP TO THE NATIONAL QUARTET CONVENTION IN BEAUTIFUL PIGEON FORGE TN. THAT'S LOCATED JUST A FEW MILES FROM GATLINBURG TN, GATEWAY TO THE SMOKEY MOUNTAIN NATIONAL PARK. THIS YEAR, WE ARE INCLUDING A TRIP UP INTO THE NATIONAL PARK AND SPENDING SOME TIME IN GATLINBURG.

THE MAIN EVENT IS, OF COURSE, ATTENDING THE MANY CONCERTS AT THE NATIONAL QUARTET CONVENTION. THERE WILL BE 4 EVENING CONCERTS. THOSE LAST APPROXIMATELY 6 HOURS EACH WITH EACH GROUP GETTING 20-25 MINUTES OF STAGE TIME. SO IT'S ONE ARTIST AFTER ANOTHER. PLUS THERE ARE MORNING 'SHOWCASES' WHERE NEW, UPCOMING GROUPS GET TO SING ONE OR TWO SONGS EACH. THOSE GROUPS ARE JUDGED AND THE BEST ONE GETS TO SING MAINSTAGE THAT NIGHT. THERE IS A CHAPEL SERVICE IN THE MORNING LED BY ONE OF THE GROUPS AND AN HOUR LONG BIBLE TEACHING TIME EACH MORNING ALSO. YOU PICK AND CHOOSE WHAT YOU WANT TO ATTEND. SOME LIKE TO CATCH THE TROLLEY OUT IN FRONT OF OUR HOTEL AND RIDE IT AROUND THE ENTIRE TOWN SEEING THE SITES. THERE IS JUST SO MUCH TO SEE AND DO IN PIGEON FORGE.

THE DATES FOR THE NQC TRIP ARE SEPTEMBER 24-30. I'D LOVE TO HAVE YOU TRAVEL WITH US. FOR MORE INFORMATION, OR TO REGISTER, CALL US AT 920-842-2900. OR VISIT OUR WEBSITE; WRVM.ORG.

NEXT WEEK I SHOULD BE ABLE TO GIVE YOU COMPLETE INFORMATION ON THIS YEAR'S TRIP TO THE GRAND HOTEL ON MACKINAC ISLAND. THE DATES ARE OCTOBER 16-18.

AND JUST A REMINDER THAT YOU CAN NOW PURCHASE TICKETS FOR OUR 55TH ANNIVERSARY CONCERT FEATURING LEGACY FIVE ONLINE AT WRVM.ORG.

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THANK YOU FOR JOINING ME FOR THE MANAGER'S DESK, I'M MIKE CORNELL.