

MANAGER'S DESK FOR WEDNESDAY, MAY 13, 2020

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

TODAY ON THE DESK I HAVE INFORMATION REGARDING TWO 'M'S'. MACKINAC ISLAND AND MANITOWOC/TWO RIVERS.

RECENTLY I MENTIONED THAT WE HAD NOT HAD ANYONE SIGN UP FOR OUR BUS TRIP TO MACKINAC ISLAND IN OCTOBER. I ALMOST IMMEDIATELY RECEIVED TWO EMAILS INDICATING INTEREST IN THE TRIP AND TELLING ME THE INFORMATION FOR THE TRIP WAS NOT ON OUR WEBSITE. AND THEY ARE ABSOLUTELY CORRECT. BUTCH STARTED WORKING ON CHANGING THAT YESTERDAY.

THE MACKINAC ISLAND TRIP IS STILL TENTATIVE BECAUSE OF THE ONGOING RESTRICTIONS IN PLACE. HOWEVER, I HAVE NOW TALKED WITH BOTH THE GRAND HOTEL AND THE BUS COMPANY AND BOTH ARE PLANNING TO BE IN OPERATION IN OCTOBER. SO, WE WILL BE POSTING DETAILS ABOUT THE TRIP ONLINE AND WE WILL TAKE REGISTRATIONS. YOU REGISTER BY PHONE. THE COST PER PERSON, BASED ON DOUBLE OCCUPANCY, IS \$625. THE DATES FOR THE TRIP ARE OCTOBER 10-12, SATURDAY – MONDAY. WE DO NOT PROCESS YOUR REGISTRATION PAYMENT UNTIL THE WHEELS ON THE BUS ARE ROLLING AND YOU ARE ON IT.

MANITOWOC/TWO RIVERS. SPECIFICALLY OUR TRANSLATOR SERVING THOSE COMMUNITIES. SOME BIG CHANGES TOOK PLACE THERE STARTING LAST FRIDAY. THE TOWER WE RENT SPACE ON IS BEING REPLACED. IN FACT, BY THE TIME YOU HEAR THIS THAT TOWER WILL NOT BE THERE. IN ITS' PLACE IS A NEW TOWER. LAST FRIDAY WE HAD TO HAVE OUR EQUIPMENT OFF THE OLD TOWER. AND ON MONDAY OUR EQUIPMENT WAS MOUNTED ONTO THE NEW TOWER. THUS WE WERE OFF DURING THE WEEKEND.

ONE OTHER THING TO SHARE TODAY. WE'VE ALL BEEN LOOKING FORWARD TO SUNNY, WARM DAYS. BUT THOSE SUNNY DAYS AFFECT OUR RADIO SIGNAL, ESPECIALLY FOR THOSE LISTENING BY WAY OF A TRANSLATOR STATION. THE WORST PART OF THE DAY IS THE MORNINGS. USUALLY BY NOON ALL IS GOOD AGAIN. SO IF YOU TURN THE RADIO OFF IN THE MORNING, TRY AGAIN LATER IN THE MORNING. THE ALTERNATIVE IS WINTER 12 MONTHS OF THE YEAR AND I DON'T THINK ANYONE IS IN FAVOR OF THAT.

WE APPRECIATE YOUR PRAYERS AND FINANCIAL SUPPORT AS WE SEEK TO BE THE BEST WE CAN BE FOR YOU THE LISTENER.

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