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

A LARGE NUMBER OF LETTER WRITERS DURING THE RECENTLY CONCLUDED LETTER MONTH MENTIONED HOW MUCH THEY APPRECIATE THE CONCERTS THAT WE HOST. BECAUSE OF THE TIME AND EFFORT IT TAKES TO MAKE A CONCERT 'HAPPEN' I REALLY APPRECIATE THOSE COMMENTS. IT'S GOOD TO KNOW THEY ARE APPRECIATED.

ANOTHER WAY TO SHOW YOUR APPRECIATION FOR US HOSTING CONCERTS IS TO ACTUALLY ATTEND THEM. OUR NEXT CONCERT WITH THE BALL BROTHERS IS JUST OVER TWO WEEKS AWAY. AND I'M PLEASED TO SAY THAT TICKET SALES FOR THAT CONCERT ARE PICKING UP. I HAVE MENTIONED SEVERAL TIMES THAT I HAVE HAD THE OPPORTUNITY TO HEAR THE BALL BROTHERS IN CONCERT TWICE ALREADY THIS YEAR; ONCE ON BRANSON AND AGAIN AT THE WISCONSIN DELLS. BOTH TIMES AS PART OF ONE OF OUR BUS TRIPS. OF ALL THE BIG NAME GROUPS PARTICIPATING IN THESE GOSPEL MUSIC FESTIVALS THEY REALLY IMPRESSED ME WITH THE MESSAGE OF THEIR SONGS. THEIR VERY DISTINCTIVE HARMONIES AND THE VARIETY OF MUSICAL STYLES. I HAVEN'T FELT THIS WAY ABOUT A SINGING GROUP SINCE I FIRST HEARD THE BOOTH BROTHERS MANY YEARS AGO. IF YOU ENJOY GREAT MUSIC YOU WILL NOT WANT TO MISS THE BALL BROTHERS CONCERT. IT TAKES PLACE FRIDAY, OCTOBER 26 AT 7:00 PM IN GREEN BAY AT SOUTHWEST HIGH SCHOOL. YOU CAN PURCHASE TICKETS AT OUR WEB SITE, WRVM.ORG, OR BY CALLING US DURING REGULAR OFFICE HOURS AT 920-842-2900. GENERAL SEATING IS JUST \$15 PER PERSON WITH ARTIST CIRCLE SEATS AT \$25. WE ARE ALSO OFFERING OUR FAMILY RATE; \$60 FOR MOM & DAD AND AS MANY CHILDREN YOU HAVE AGE 17 AND UNDER. SEATING IS LIMITED SO DON'T DELAY.

I MENTIONED BUS TRIPS AND WE HAVE OUR FINAL TRIP OF THE YEAR LEAVING NEXT WEEK SATURDAY, THE 20TH. IT'S OUR ANNUAL TRIP TO MACKINAC ISLAND WHERE WE ENJOY A TWO NIGHT STAY AT THE GRAND HOTEL, TWO DINNERS IN THEIR BALLROOM, TWO HUGE BREAKFASTS AND TWO CONCERTS WITH LEGACY FIVE AND GUESTS. I MENTION THIS TRIP BECAUSE DUE TO A CANCELLATION WE HAVE TWO OPENINGS. FOR COMPLETE TRIP INFORMATION VISIT US ONLINE AT WRVM.ORG OR CALL US, 920-842-2900.

DID WE HEAR FROM YOU DURING LETTER MONTH? WE ENJOY HEARING FROM YOU AT ANY TIME OF YEAR!

OUR MAILING ADDRESS IS: WRVM, PO BOX 212, SURING WI, 54174 OR GIVE ONLINE AT WWW.WRVM.ORG.

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