

Hello, Dames!

Happy Autumn! This is such a beautiful time of year as trees change color and the days are cooler. It was nice to see so many Michigan Dames in Ohio for Rendezvous Nationale. It was especially gratifying as two of our finest were in the spotlight. Lori Bolley is now our new Nationale La Presidente! We are all so very proud of her and her accomplishments! She will be a wonderful ambassador for our organization! Also, our own Carrie Haynes was named as "Dame of the Year" for last year. This award is given to a Dame who goes above and beyond to help the organization, Sister Dames, and her community. It was a very moving presentation when she was announced as the winner. Michigan is very lucky to count these Dames as our own!

Fall Cheminot is just a couple of weeks away; Saturday, October at V-946. A finalized Official Call will be out by the time you read this. I am hoping for a good turnout. We need to work on Membership. Michigan already has one Cabane at 100% this year, that being C-669. Last year, all of our Cabanes hit 100%, so let's get to work!

I am working on the new Grande Roster, which will be available at Fall Cheminot. I know Erica has been working on raffle baskets, so bring your money too!

And, I just can't resist. I was going to make a note about having meatballs for lunch at Fall Cheminot, but I won't..... And we won't be!! See you all soon!

Yours in service,
Lori Coe
Grande La Presidente