

Voiture 1379 Communiqué for April 2012

Everyone I just want to let you know Lisa Gains is back from her adventures overseas. She got back with all of her fingers and toes and maybe a tweak in her knee but overall in one piece. Welcome home Lisa we missed you.

For those who did not make it to the Grande du Missouri Spring WRECK. Voiture 1379 had a PG who was put through the wringer there in Jefferson City. Please be sure to welcome Mike Scruby to the 40et8 and Voiture 1379. Mike represented the Voiture well during the WRECK and passed all the test put before him. Grand Conducteur John Kopp did an outstanding job ordering the P.G.'s around in some unusual military commands. These commands such as P.G.'s stand up and the ever popular follow me. A good time was had by one and all.

Gary Reno was dressed to the nines as the Chairman of the SoLong League.

POW/MIA Update

Korean War, the following MIA's have been identified and their remains were returned to their families

27 MAR that the remains of Army Sgt. William E. Brashear, 24, of Owensboro, Ky

3 APR that the remains of Army Cpl. Henry F. Johnson, 20, of Conway, Ark.

6 APR that the remains of Army Cpl. Patrick R. Glennon, 18, of Rochester, N.Y.

11APR that the remains of Army Pfc. Frank P. Jennings, 20, of Parsons, Tenn. Vietnam,

3 APR that the remains of a U.S. serviceman, Air Force Tech. Sgt. Allen J. Avery, 29, of Arlington, Mass,

It is once again time to start filling out all of the reports on all Voiture activities so start making lists of everything you do for the 40et8 and the American Legion. We can find somewhere to list that information in one of the many reports. These reports include things like mileage, time, and monies spent doing these activities so start making your lists. We cannot include promenades' but we can count the meals before as social events so everyone has some type of activity to report. So please start keeping a list of all Veteran/40et8 activities along with monies spent and miles driven. This will go a long way towards filling these reports out in the future. You can also use some of this information as a deduction on your income taxes.

This months Promenade will be on April 25th at Post 61 Claycomo, MO with dinner and Promenade at Post 61 starting at 18:00 HRS.

Thank you for your service to Our Great Nation, your service to the American Legion, and the 40et8 through Voiture 1379. If we all work together we can and do make a difference.

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