

District 10

D10 Communicator

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Hello District 10!



Welcome to the second edition of the 2018/2019 Watch Year **D10 Communicator**. As I write this article, fall is upon us and it won't be long before our boats are put away for the winter. With the late spring, it seems the boating season has been all too short. The good news is those many neglected home projects will soon be getting the attention they deserve! As the boating season ends, it struck me that the first 6 months of the watch year is also coming to an end. So how are we doing? Overall our organization remains strong and I am convinced more than ever that we are a leader within the greater organization due to the innovation and dedication of each of you. We are leading change that is aimed at enhancing membership for all of us, while allowing our organization to resonate with a new generation passionate about boating, community service, and having fun with family and friends. We are doing this by aligning our squadrons around a common set of goals and objectives. At the beginning of the year, we established 10 **objectives** supported by 26 individual **goals** [D10 Goals and Objectives](#). We are on track to meeting 22 of those goals. Read on for a few highlights:

Objective – Guide and support our squadrons in membership and membership retention efforts

- **Goal - Engage members to support a successful 2018 Fall Governing Board Meeting in Minneapolis** Mission accomplished!

With nearly 70 volunteers and 9 squadrons in attendance, D10 did an absolutely outstanding job. Our members supported many activities including greeting people at check in, being on hand to provide information, leading the tours, giving presentations in meetings, hosting the social luncheon, and also hosting a great hospitality suite. I can't tell you how proud I am of the effort we put forward to make this a highly successful event. I had nothing but positive feedback from our National Officers, fellow District Commanders, and all attendees. Several people commented this was the best National meeting they had ever attended. My sincere and heartfelt thanks to each of you that participated. Please read Bob and Kevin's articles for additional highlights and some fun pictures from the event.



- **Goal - Add at least 68 new members to D10**

To date we have added 92 new members to our District smashing our goal! Overall membership is also up. We are the only District in the entire organization showing a membership increase as of 8/31/18. A total of 5 squadrons have added new members including Duluth (37), Minnetonka (33), Door County (12), St. Paul (8), and Green Bay (2). *Come to the Fall Conference to hear what these Squadrons are doing to attract and land new members.*



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Objective – Guide and support our squadrons in the transformation to America's Boating Club

It was very evident at the National meeting that D10 is leading in this area. In fact we were asked by the National Marketing Committee to present our approach to the other District's and Squadrons. District Marketing Chair Kevin Shutes lead this and did a great job! I would encourage you to read Bob's article for more details around this objective. I would also encourage you to attend the Fall Conference as we are holding an America's Boating Club and Living the Logo workshop to help take us to the next level.



Objective – Increase "on the water" boating education across D10

- **Goal - Roll out Jump Start across the District** Jump start is a great new way to **learn** and **connect** with the boating community, and to **engage** with our current members out on the waters of D10. Some of our Squadrons are having great success in reaching the public and gaining new membership leads. Come to the Fall Conference to get an update on the success we are seeing in D10, and to learn how to get involved within your own squadron.

USPS's new **Jump Start Program** provides a framework for experienced members to offer up to 2 hours of one-on-one customized training to a student on the student's new boat. Ask your local squadron for details.

#BoatingKnowledgeCheck



Objective – Improve Communication between District and Squadrons to better understand and support Squadron needs

I hope you have been enjoying the monthly "D10 Top 10" communications coming from the Bridge. The two page picture filled publication is a great way for you to spend 5 minutes to see what is going on around the District. Read the latest edition here [August D10 Top 10](#). We are always looking for ways to improve communication so please don't hesitate to reach out to myself or any member of the Bridge.



The next great opportunity for communication is "face to face" at the [Fall Conference in the Wisconsin Dells](#). We only get to engage with one another two or three times a year, so I would like to encourage each and every one of you to attend. You can find all the details in Kevin's article. I guarantee you will see my theme of "REDEFINE TRADITIONS" at work. It is going to be a great opportunity to **connect** with longtime friends, make new friends, and to **learn** a little bit about the exciting things happening around our organization. Hope to see you there!

Remember, let's **REDEFINE TRADITIONS... FROM STEM TO STERN**

D/C Dave Fine



District Educational Department

Greetings to all of you in District 10. I hope your summer boating season was a success.

With the fall season upon us, I wish all of you a smooth sailing exercise into the off-season. I also hope your plans include some education. Squadrons should be making plans to offer safe boating courses. I will be offering the Instructor Certification and Instructor Recertification programs during the upcoming fall and winter period.

I also want to invite all to the D-10 Fall Conference October 26-28 at the Wintergreen Resort in Wisconsin Dells. Your D-10 bridge has been working to make your weekend in the Dells worth your time. Please reserve your room now! The fall conference emphasizes education. We will again recognize squadrons with awards of the Prince Henry, SEA award, as well as individual accomplishments.



D/Lt/C Wesley D. Koplitz, AP-CN

District Education Officer
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The National Governing Board Meeting was held in Minneapolis on August 12—19. More photos on pages 16 through 19.



District Executive Department

I'm composing this article in mid-September. It's warm and sunny in beautiful Door County and has been for two weeks. September has always been my favorite boating month, even when my waters were back east in Connecticut.



Lat 41 15.5 N Lo 72 23.5 W Connecticut River, Essex, CT



D/LT/C Bob DeNoto, JN

Karen and I volunteered at the National Governing Board meeting in Minneapolis. As host, this was D-10's time to shine, and oh, how we did! 65 members contributed over 400 volunteer hours. Kudos to the steering committee, who started in 1Q 2017 with the plan, and to all of us for the team effort. There seemed to be smiling faces on all who attended the events. Ed Lethert's ESD seminar was excellent. If you haven't attended a Lethert seminar, you need to—very entertaining!

At the *Town Hall Meeting*, Kevin Shutes gave an excellent presentation on how D-10 is "Living the Logo". It is clear to me that **we are!** and that we are light years ahead of everyone else. I had a conversation with Tammy Brown (HQ Marketing Director). Tammy, along with Paul Mermelstein (MarCom lead), have been promoting America's Boating Club and are responsible for the *Branding Manual*. Tammy's comments were "you've crossed the bridge and need to show the rest of us how". Her body language was reflecting frustration and exhaustion. As I've said in the past: "D-10 knows how to lead". Whether we can turn this big ship in time is another challenge. When I was boating the waters above, USPS membership was about 82,000. We are currently somewhat south of 30,000. Critical mass is critically in play.

Tammy and Paul gave presentations at all key Department Meetings. They shared Marketing's current Ad Campaign. I've seen this one in *Great Lakes Scuttlebutt*; nicely done!

They also shared the following information on Districts and Squadrons:

31 Districts

- 9 Districts do not use the logo within their web site
- 15 Districts do not use the logo in their newsletter
- 1 District does not have a newsletter

346 squadrons

- 203 Squadrons do not use the logo within their web site
- 241 Squadrons do not use the logo in their newsletter
- 11 Squadrons do not have web sites
- 2 Squadron newsletters are protected from the public



To me these numbers are very revealing. Like I said, “light years ahead”.

I hold quarterly Go to Meetings with the Squadron Executive Officers. On 27 August we reviewed the status of our goals.

The Goals are built around

- Transitioning to *America's Boating Club*
- Promoting Boating Safety
- Expanding our Civic Outreach.

We have clearly met our goals on America's Boating Club. This is due, in large part, to Kevin Shutes and the D-10 Marketing Team of Dale Perry and Maury Rice. The high-res graphics that they created for each squadron are most appreciated and are key to all related dependent goals. Thank you, Team Marketing.

I'm confident we will satisfy “Promoting Boating Safety” through BoatLive 365 rollout and hitting our target of 1272 VSCs. Currently at 1199.



BoatLive 365 at Wave Point, DC-Model A: Courtesy of Cynthia Weis

The end result for the “Civic Outreach” goal, is to apply for the BoatUS Distinguished Civic Service Award at the Squadron and District levels. The window for the 2018 award is 16 Oct 2017-15 Oct 2018. Information is being assembled for the District application. Key Squadrons will be encouraged to apply as well.

It truly amazes me, how much we do. Thank you all.

YOUR DXO

Bob DeNoto

District 10 Administrative Department

D-10 Fall Conference, Wisconsin Dells, Wisconsin. October 26-28

Once again, we will meet at the Wintergreen Resort and Conference Center in October at Wisconsin Dells. Thank you, Madison Sail and Power Squadron for hosting the conference. District 10 has 50 rooms blocked for Friday and Saturday. To reserve your room, ask for the **District 10 Room Block** for **ONLY \$79.99**. <http://www.wintergreen-resort.com> The room block and rate will expire on Wednesday October 10th 2018, check in is at 4pm. Register by mailing in your registration form with a check to Julie-Paul-Washa.

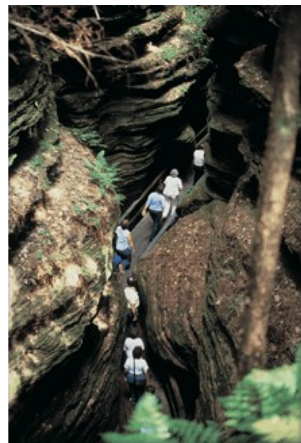


D/Lt/C Kevin Wehrmann, S

Friday Night there will be a presentation after dinner by Eric Logan from the Ho-Chunk Nation. We are pleased to have Eric with us at the Fall Conference. He will explain how the Ho-Chunk people have always honored and respected their intimate relationship with the ponds, rivers, lakes and the life that water brings to all.

For a special treat at the Fall Conference we are offering a **Boat Ride on the Upper Dells** at 2pm Saturday. In the Upper Dells, the section of river above the dam, we will journey north, cruising through a path cut by glaciers. Pass under pine crowned cliffs, navigate winding river narrows and view sandstone formations like Chimney Rock, Blackhawk's Profile and Romance Cliff! Boat capacity is 80-90, 40-50 capacity on the bottom deck. We get special rates because we are a non-profit: Children ages 4-11 are \$10.00, Adult tickets are \$25.00 and kids 3 and under are free.

Remember with a Boat and a little Imagination you can Go Anywhere!



2018 Youth Poster Contest Winners

Theme: "America's Boating Club Saves lives"

The USPS Youth poster Contest Awards promote youth appreciation and respect for recreational boating, and the message that safe boating is always FUN boating. Voting was held during the Governing Board Meeting in Minneapolis.

Congratulations Madison Palmer from Minnetonka, District 10 finalist Age 6-8



Congratulations Nora Trombley from Minnetonka, District 10 finalist Age 9-11

Discover True North! Hats off to District 10 for a very successful Governing Board Meeting at the Marriott City Center in Minneapolis! A year and a half in the planning by the Governing Board Committee and over 70 volunteers from 9 squadrons provided the necessary boots on the ground to make this meeting a huge success!



Jim and Julie Paul-Washa from Madison Sail and Power Squadron were in charge of coordinating the Silent auction and the 50/50 raffle during the conference. The raffle brought in \$1,610.00 and the Silent auction raked in a whopping \$1,997.00. Thank you to all the squadrons that donated items for the auction. District 10.....You Rock!

A job well done! Thank you from the Governing Board Committee, Greg Korstad (chair), Marie Coons (co-chair), Karen Christenson, Kris Harmon, Dave Fine, Kevin Shutes, Bob Denoto, Kathy Schult, Mike Weidel, Nancy Gagich, Jim Paul-Washa, and Kevin Wehrmann .

Respectfully submitted,
D/Lt/C Kevin Wehrmann, S
District 10 Administrative Officer



Minnesota Twins beat the Pittsburgh Pirates 5-2

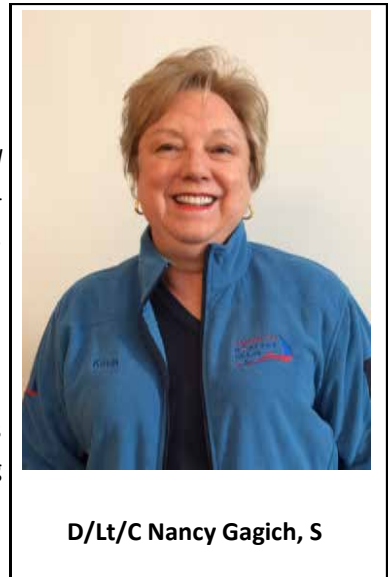


Al and Alma's Boat ride on lake Minnetonka

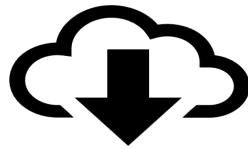
District Secretary

New “Binge-Watching” Opportunities

As part of the resources noted below, I recommend checking out *America’s Boating Channel* which can be found under <https://americasboatingclub.org>. *America’s Boating Channel* contains short videos (usually 3-5 minutes in length) on the following topics: “Planning Ahead”, “Vessel Inspection”, “Preparing for Departure”, “Departing”, “Steering Basics”, “Stopping and Holding”, “Getting on Plane and Operating On Plane”, “Maneuvering On Plane”, “Stopping a Boat On Plane”, “Anchoring a Boat”, “Man Overboard”, “Preparing for Arrival”, “Docking”, “Mooring and Shoreline Landing”, “Securing the Boat”, “Pivot Turn”, “Life Jackets” and “Vessel Safety Checks”. These videos are great reminders of events we don’t encounter every day, as well as educational. In addition to the above, *America’s Boating Channel* is currently featuring “Boat Accident Reporting”, which reminds us of the boat operator’s responsibilities, and that failure to give assistance to boaters in peril or persons injured can result in a fine.



D/Lt/C Nancy Gagich, S



Please continue to use the following resources during our transition from United States Power Squadrons to America’s Boating Club:

<http://www.usps-d10.org>

<https://americasboatingclub.org>

<https://boatlive365.org>

“Little Alan’s Law”

Eight year old Alan Geissenkoetter, Jr. was struck January 26, 2018, by a snowmobile being driven by a man whose driver’s license had been revoked after multiple DWI offenses. Even though the driver no longer had a driver’s license, he was still able to legally drive a snowmobile and other vehicles with impunity.

Effective August 1st, 2018, this will no longer be the case. MINN STAT 86B.331, Subd. 1 has been revised to consistently apply the DWI laws to all vehicles, whether an automobile, motorbike, snowmobile, personal water craft, off road vehicle or a motorboat, so that a conviction of driving while intoxicated during the operation of any of the foregoing vehicles will result in loss of driving privileges for all of the foregoing vehicles. For Minnesota boaters, this means motorboats “in operation” (excluding anchored, beached or securely fastened to a dock). Now, a first time DWI conviction will result in the loss of your driver’s license, face impoundment of your license plates (whiskey plates) and will be prohibited from operating a motorboat on the water in Minnesota for a period of 90 days from 5/1 – 10/31, which can extend over two consecutive years, if necessary.

Marketing Idea from USPS

Use Nextdoor, a free social networking site for neighborhoods to advertise your classes, your boating club and free vessel safety checks. The site is free!

Staying Connected

I am continuing to work with each of the squadrons to update all member email and physical addresses. Our goal is to reach each one of you via email. If you are receiving duplicate emails, have an email or home address change or other concern about correspondence you are receiving from District 10 (or not receiving – but how would you know?), please let your squadron secretary and me know.

Checking on an Upcoming Event or Missed an Event?

www.usps-d10.org should be your first “go to” for information regarding a District 10 conference, contact information, newsletter, publication or event. The Members Only section has all materials for registering for an upcoming event and that were distributed at the Spring Conference; the Newsletter section has archived issues of The Communicator, our current D10 Bridge Goals and Objectives, current D10 Bridge Organizational Chart, and our monthly “D10 News You Can Use”. Let us know if you would like to see anything different on our D10 website.

Stay safe on the water and see you at the Fall Conference in October!

Respectfully submitted,

D/Lt/C Nancy Gagich, S
District 10 Secretary

Call to Meeting
District 10 2018 Fall Conference
26-28 October 2018
Wintergreen Resort and Conference Center
Wisconsin Dells, Wisconsin

In accordance with the bylaws of District 10, Section 5.6 and 5.6.1, the District 10 2018 Fall Conference Meeting (to which all members are cordially invited) has been called.

The D10 Council Meeting will be held on Wednesday, 24 October 2018 via webinar, and will convene at 7:00 P.M. Please join the Council Meeting from your computer, tablet or smart phone at <https://global.gotomeeting.com/join/469347173>. You can also dial in using your phone: 1-(224)-501-3412. Access Code: 469-347-173

The D10 Conference Meeting will be held on Saturday, 27 October 2018 at the Wintergreen Resort and Conference Center in Wisconsin Dells, and will convene at 9:30 A.M. for the purpose of acting on matters set forth below:

1. To receive and act upon reports of officers and committees;
2. To consider and adopt a budget for 2018-2019 watch year; and,
3. To consider and act upon any other business that may properly come before this Meeting.

D/Lt/C Nancy Gagich, S
D10 Secretary

District Treasurer

Ahoy from the D-10 Treasurer's Department,

I hope everyone is having a great 2018 boating season. I am looking forward to beautiful and colorful boat cruises and hanging around campfires. We are so fortunate for what we have and the opportunity to get out on our boats and see the beautiful landscapes. I love the variety and the changing seasons as I believe it keeps us appreciating the time we have in each.

With the fall season comes new opportunities along with the Fall Conference on October 26-28, 2018 in the Wisconsin Dells. I do plan on attending the conference and look forward to seeing everyone from the district join together. I also look forward to meeting with the treasurers from all of the district squadrons.



D/Lt/C Tracy Anne Gustafson, AP-IN

The District 10 Bridge works hard to follow the budget and be fiscally responsible to keep our fiscal position solid and our budgets balanced. The District 10 Bridge is currently working on the next fiscal year's budget, which will be presented at the Fall Conference.

We are not planning on an increase in District dues from the current \$19/year for Primary Active Members and \$26/year for Family Membership and National is not raising dues.

The budget for the next watch year is presented at the Fall Conference.

Overview of the Annual Budget Approval Process:

1. The Bridge and the Budget and Finance Committee work together with the Treasurer to propose a budget for the coming year.
2. The Bridge and the Budget and Finance Committee review the proposed budget and make a recommendation to approve or revise, base on available funds.
3. The Bridge reviews the Committee's recommendations and makes changes if required.
4. The council reviews/discusses and approves or disapproves the proposed budget prior to the Fall Conference.
5. The Conference delegation reviews/discusses and approves or disapproves the propose budget at the Fall Conference.

Please feel free to contact me with any questions. I look forward to seeing you all at the Fall Conference, October 26-28 in the Wisconsin Dells!!

Respectfully Submitted,

D/Lt/C Tracy Gustafson, AP-IN

D-10 Treasurer



District 10 Fall Conference

26-28 October 2018

Wintergreen Resort, Wisconsin Dells, WI



Hosted by the Madison Squadron

Friday, 26 October

3:00 – 7:00PM	Registration
4:00 – 5:00PM	Rules Committee Meeting
3:00 – 5:00PM	Audit Committee Meeting
5:30 – 6:30PM	Cocktail Reception/Silent Auction/Nautical Flea Market
6:30 – 7:30PM	DINNER Buffet
7:30 – 8:30PM	Guest Speaker Eric Logan, Ho-Chunk Nation

Location

Atrium
Mt Everest
Mt McKinley
Grand Ballroom
Grand Ballroom

Saturday, 27 October

6:30 – 10:00AM	Breakfast – on your own
7:30 – 10:00AM	Registration
7:45 – 8:30AM	Commanders Workshop
7:45 – 8:30AM	Administrative Department Workshop
7:45 – 8:30AM	Executive Department Workshop
7:45 – 8:30AM	Educational Department Workshop
7:45 – 8:30AM	Secretaries Department Workshop
7:45 – 8:30AM	Treasurers Department Workshop
8:45 – 9:30AM	Wrkshp: New Member Recruiting - Secrets to Success Revealed
8:45 – 9:30AM	Seminar: What's New in Education; Jump Start Follow-Up
9:30 – 9:45AM	<i>Transition to Grand Ballroom</i>
9:45 – 11:45AM	Conference Meeting
12:00 – 1:00PM	LUNCH Buffet
1:00 – 1:15PM	<i>Transportation on your own to Boat Docks</i> ARRIVE NO LATER THAN 1:30
2:00 – 4:00PM	Upper Dells Boat Ride
4:00 – 5:45PM	Explore Downtown Dells on Your Own
4:45 – 5:45PM	Fun & Games: Nautical Skills & More
6:00 – 7:00PM	Cocktail Reception/Silent Auction/Nautical Flea Market
7:00 – 7:15PM	Chief's Message - National Administrative Officer Ben Coons
7:15 – 8:15PM	DINNER
8:15 – 8:45PM	Awards and Recognition
8:45PM >>>>	Social Time

Restaurant
Atrium
Grand Ballroom
Matterhorn
Mt Everest
Mt. Blanc Front
Hotel Bar
Mt McKinley
Matterhorn
Mt Blanc
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107 Broadway (downtown) Wisconsin Dells 53965
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TBA

Sunday, 28 October

- 8:00 – 9:15AM Breakfast “Round Table” with the Bridge
- 9:30 – 10:30AM Workshop: Living the Logo – Planning your Next Steps
- 9:30 – 10:30AM Workshop: How to Use the New Logos *(Bring your laptop)*
- 10:45 – 1200PM Bridge Meeting

Location

- Mt Rainier
- Matterhorn
- Mt Rainier
- Mt Blanc

Suggested Attire - All Apparel is Welcome!

Friday Afternoon: Living the Logo Apparel / USPS Casual

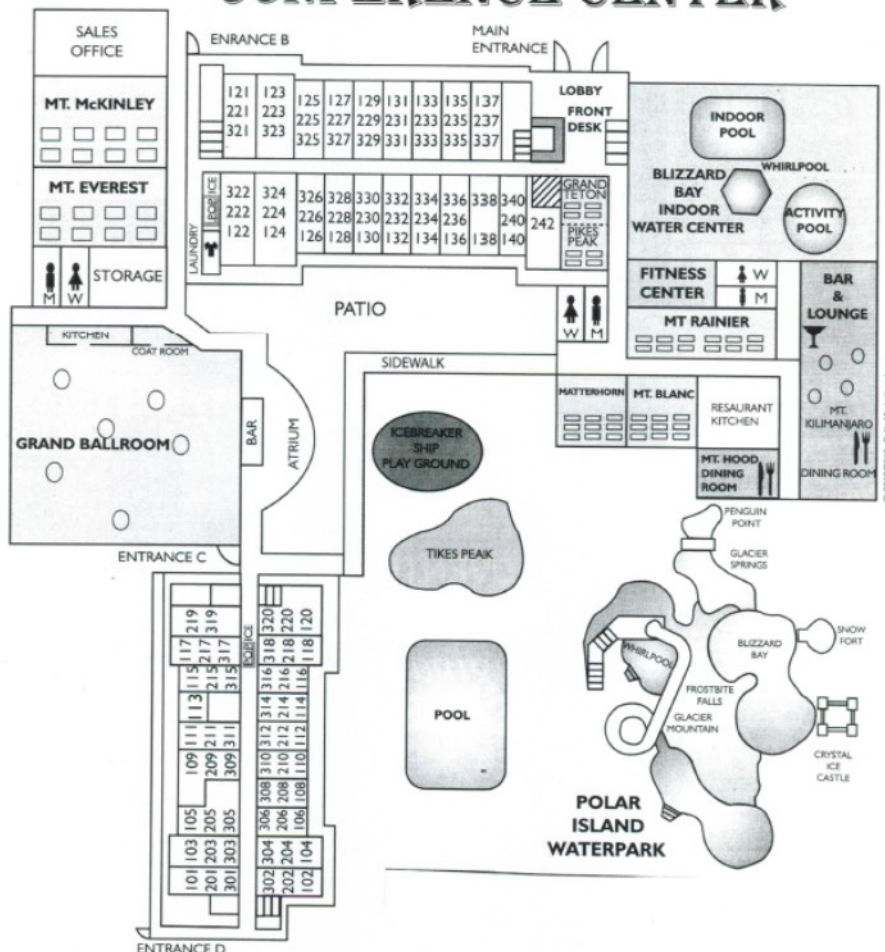
Friday Evening: Casual

Saturday: Living the Logo Apparel / USPS Casual
D10 Bridge – Team Apparel

Saturday Evening: Snappy Casual

Sunday: Living the Logo Apparel / USPS Casual

WINTERGREEN RESORT & CONFERENCE CENTER



**2018 Fall Conference Registration Form
26-28 October 2018**



District 10

The Wintergreen Resort
60 Gasser Road
Wisconsin Dells, WI 53965

Hosted by Madison Sail & Power Squadron

Name _____	Grade _____	Rank _____
Name _____	Grade _____	Rank _____
Name _____	Grade _____	Rank _____
Power Squadron _____		
Sq. Position or Role Info _____		
Contact e-mail _____		
Children Names & Ages _____		



Ask for the District 10 Room Block
<http://www.wintergreen-resort.com>
1-800-648-4765

Group Rate: \$79 per night
For a room with king bed or two queens
Group Rate Guarantee Expires October 10th

Conference Menu Selections <small>Gluten Free or Children Menu selections available by advance request</small>	Number	Amount Due
Friday October 26 Dinner Buffet - \$23/person <small>Deep Fried Cod & Baked Chicken: Served with parsleyed baby red potatoes, steamed broccoli, rice pilaf, fresh fruit, and plated salad with dressing, assorted rolls and house dessert. Beverage choices include coffee, iced tea or milk.</small>	_____	_____
Saturday October 27 Saturday Breakfast on your own Saturday Lunch - \$12/person Soup and Sandwich Board: <small>Served with a variety of sliced meats & cold salads served with assorted cheeses, breads, lettuce, tomato, condiments and cups of homemade soup du jour. Beverages include coffee, tea, soda, or milk.</small>	_____	_____
Saturday October 27 Saturday Evening Dinner - \$23/person Dual Plated Stuffed Chicken & Roast Pork <small>Served with potatoes, vegetable, salad, rolls and house dessert. Beverage choices include coffee, tea, or milk.</small>	_____	_____
Sunday October 28 Breakfast Round Table Buffet - \$10.00 <small>Served with seasonal fruits, baked French toast, country scrambled eggs, sausage links, baked ham, breakfast potatoes, freshly baked pastries, biscuits and gravy. Beverage choices include coffee, tea and a small orange juice.</small>	_____	_____
<small>Special Conference Price Includes Tax & Tip</small>		
Saturday October 27 Upper Dells Boat Ride & Tour <small>Adults - \$25.00, Ages 9-11- \$10.00</small>	_____	_____
Total Due	\$ _____	

Make Checks Payable to: **MSPS**

Send Registrations to: Lt Julie Pahl-Washa, P
6929 Donnybill Rd.
De Forest, WI 53532
608.846.8088
iowasha@outlook.com

Registration Forms due by October 17, 2018

AMERICA'S BOATING CLUB®



District 10

Friday Night Presentation

Eric Logan from the Ho-Chunk Nation tribe of Wisconsin and a member of the Bear Clan



Eric's given Ho-Chunk name is "Hoonch-Cheenah Key-Gah" which means "The Bear Who Stands Alone". Eric is one of the founding members of the family based marketing group Tribalized Entertainment, which specializes in promoting the Ho-Chunk people and other Native American Inter-tribal Cultural events through storytelling, lecture, song and dance performances.

The Ho-Chunk Nation is made up of 12 clans (6 clans of the air and 6 clans of the earth). Each clan has its own particular respects, responsibilities and functions within the tribe.

We are pleased to have Eric with us at our conference, who will explain how the Ho-Chunk people have always honored and respected their intimate relationship with the ponds, rivers, lakes and the life that water brings to all.

He will explain the vital role that the Ho-Chunk Nation's Water Spirit Clan plays in life as we know it.



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- Friday Evening: Casual
- Saturday: Living the Logo Apparel / USPS Casual
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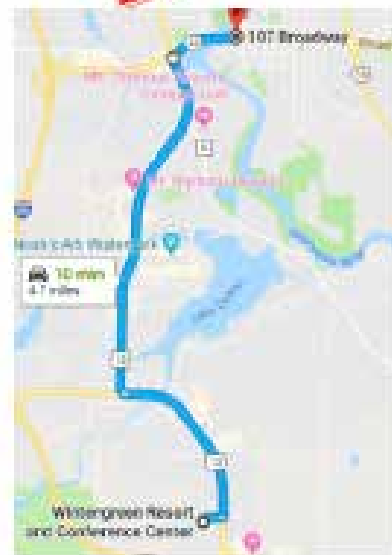
Weekend Seminars & Workshops

- Squadron & District Officer Department Workshops Saturday Morning
- Sunday Round Table Chat with the Bridge
- Sunday Morning Seminar on how to use the new America's Boating Club Logos

Saturday: Upper Dells Boat Ride 2:00 – 4:00 pm

The scenic beauty of the Wisconsin Dells can only be appreciated from the water. Guided tours of the region started in the 1850's thanks to the photographic journals of H.H. Bennett. Our afternoon boat ride will provide a glimpse into the area's geologic past and the remaining fall colors.

Just a 10 minute drive from the hotel through Lake Delton. It should be a spectacular day, but we recommend bringing layered outerwear along with your cameras.



The National Governing Board Meeting was held in Minneapolis August 12—19.



Minnetonka Commander John Raby accepts the 2nd Place Membership Involvement and Retention Award (MIRA) from Chief Commander Gary Cheney









Raffle winners Janet Leh (right) and Ralph Ziegler (above center) along with volunteers at the 2018 Governing Board Meeting in Minneapolis.

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