

NATIONAL ASSOCIATION BOXCAR HOBO NEWS

October 15, 2022

The 2022 Promenade/Rendezvous in Green Bay, Wisconsin is history. Thank you to the Green Bay Voyageurs and Dames that volunteered to help make it a success.

The newly elected 2022-23 National Association of Boxcar HOBOS officers are as follows:

- President Mike Robberstad (OR)
- Vice President John Alicea (NC)
- Secretary Judy Pfalzgraf (WI)
- Treasurer Cheryl Jamnick (MI)
- Holy Hobo Barb Dotzauer (WI)
- Sgt. At Arms Mary Orval (WI)

- Membership Cheryl Jamnick (MI)
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This year the area schools would not allow the children to leave the premises at the last minute, so the educational goodie bags that were delivered to the school by Judy and Ron Pfalzgraf. The children were disappointed they could not attend but were excited to receive the goodie bags that contained coloring books, flags, and other educational information.

Since there were no lunch or transportation expenses for a children's party the HOBOS voted to donate \$2,000.00 to the National Boxcar Association. We will also make our annual donation to Hometown Heroes, Inc in Wisconsin. this year we increased the donation to \$1,000.00.

A committee was set up to investigate the possibility of a Junior HOBO group.

Nationale Presidente Janet Walsh presented a check in the amount of \$400.00 to HOBOS. The money was raised by Georgia LaFemme Past Nationale Presidente Audrey OKeefe. Audrey, along with the Georgia La Femmes, has been a big supporter of the Children's Party for several years presenting donations every year.

If you haven't paid your 2023 dues (\$5.00), please send them to Cheryl Jamnick at the address above. If you aren't a HOBO yet, please complete the application below and send it with your dues to Cheryl.