

GRANDE VOITURE du CALIFORNIA

CHILD WELFARE: Per National Directeur Joe Donovan

The Grande Voiture participates in the National Child Welfare Program through the purchase of annual Child Welfare Pins. The cost of those pins (currently \$3.00ea) funds the National Child Welfare Program known as the “Charles W Ardery Memorial Child Welfare Trust Fund”. In CA, the pins are sold for \$4.00ea to the Locales who in turn normally sell the pins for \$5.00ea. This funds Child Welfare Programs at the Grande and Locale levels. The Grande Child Welfare Program is known as the “Ralph W Lingle Memorial Child Welfare Fund”

“Ralph W Lingle Memorial Child Welfare Fund” LINGLE FUND is available to Voiture Locales for two separate types of programs. The first is a sponsored Child Welfare Project of a Locale that exceeds the locally available resources, and the second is a partially funded reimbursement for Operation of Rolling Stock for the benefit of children. Forms for each are available on the Grande Voiture Web Site www.cafortyandeight.org CORRESPONDANT’S NEWS or from the Grand Directeur of Child Welfare. Deadlines for submission is May 15 yearly to the Grand Directeur, and determinations must be approved by Grande Voiture Delegates at Grande Promenade.

“Charles W Ardery Memorial Child Welfare Trust Fund” ARDERY FUND is available to Voiture Locales for the EMERGENCY needs of children who are the victims of natural disasters such as floods, fires, hurricanes, tornados, earthquakes, acts of war etc. Application guidelines and forms are available on the National Web Site www.fortyandeight.org Programs, ARDERY TRUST FUND.

The Locale Annual Child Welfare Consolidated Report is available on the National Web Site www.fortyandeight.org Resources/Petit Communiqué. Fill in the blanks and send to the Grand Directeur of Child Welfare by July 10 of each year.

The Grand Directeur will submit a current Pin Accounting Form to the Grand Correspondant at each Grande Voiture Meeting (Grandes Cheminots & Grande Promenade) . The form will be provided by the Grand Correspondant and is listed on the Grande Voiture Web Site www.cafortyandeight.org