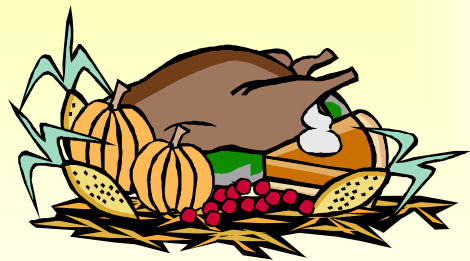


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NEWSLETTER November 2015

NCS tip of the month.

During your net, take a few moments at the beginning, middle and end to make brief announcements.

Keeping our friends informed on the goings-on within the Chew family makes upcoming events more enjoyable.



KE5ISO-AI and WA2AXZ-Loby at the New York Transit Museum



AI and his lovely XYL, Rachael, were on vacation in the NYC area. A bit of a change from their usual QTH in Maine. They arranged to meet up with me, Loby, at the NY Transit Museum in Brooklyn. They got the "Cook's Tour" as they arrived about an hour before opening and they had the museum to themselves.

I had the privilege of showing off our new exhibits as well as the vintage busses, subway and railway cars on display. The highlight of the collection is walking through 115-year-old wooden elevated cars and sitting in Duke Ellington's 1930 "A" train. *AI driving the bus*



(above) Checking out a 100-year-old truck (left) >>>>



Al and his XYL were enamored by the vintage advertising signs in the old "A" train and took quite a few photos home. All in all, everyone had a great morning. After stopping by the museum, they went to the 9-11 site and other locations in Manhattan before heading back to the hotel by Grand Central Terminal for a well deserved rest.

If you find yourself in the city, give me, WA2AXZ, a shout and we'll meet up and "Do the Subway."

Seen in the newspaper:

from Agnes- NA3H



What color will it be?

On October 9th I decided to visit my local Jeep dealer and say goodbye to my old 2008 Sahara and get a new 2016 four door Sahara. Since Fiat & Daimler Benz bought Chrysler there were a few changes made with the new models. I originally wanted a dark green, like my last 3 Jeeps but that color was discontinued. So I decided on a granite gray.

The day before the purchase, I was walking my Basset Hound, Prints, and saw nothing but gray-silver-black and white vehicles in my neighborhood. No colors at all! I then asked my grandsons what color they would like. Five-year-old Bobby said "red," and baby Riley, only two and a half, said "boo" (blue).

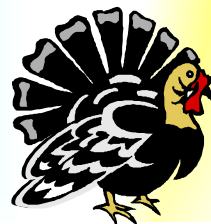
I sat with the salesman and finalized all the options and goodies I wanted in the new Jeep. Then he asked, "Well, what color do you want?" I smiled, took a quarter out of my pocket. Other salesmen gathered as they never saw anyone chose a color like this. Heads, it's red; tails, it's blue!

My new **RED** Sahara should be delivered in 5 weeks, hopefully by Thanksgiving.



The fun part for me will come in December when I have to transfer all the ham gear from one Jeep to another. It will be a labor of love.

Loby-WA2AXZ



Seen at a hamburger drive through window.

Our menu is available in Braille. Hummmmm

A note from your editor ...

Our monthly newsletter "THE CHEW", contains information about the activities and participants in the 7.272 Ragchew Net. We rely on contributions of stories and pictures from the members to keep all of us up to date, impart information we can all use and, of course, to raise a smile and a chuckle or two. If you find a new "Taz" photo that can be used for future certificates and QSLs, that too is greatly appreciated. Please, e-mail your stories, tech info and photos to Loby at wa2axz@arrl.net Many Thanks!

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