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31-Aug-18 11:24am @*\$ 75° Sunny

Follow up

Last month things that have been resolved.

My laptop at home I installed Windows 10. Though Linux worked fine for most of what I used it. There were things I needed but could not. Family Tree Maker would not install. Also, I found that I could not get MS Office to run in WINE. After trying many ways, I decided to start over with Windows. Maybe in a couple years I will be able to get MS Access to run in Linux or someone will have a program that will work with it. I'll wait.

I think Family Tree Maker might have worked if I played with it a little more. But without Access I knew I needed Windows, so I stopped working on it.

I need to load some of the drives and updates for the laptop using Windows 10, but I can do that as time goes on.

Woops, the cops are marking tires. I should leave shortly.

I still have not heard back from the coin clubs yet. I only heard that the guy will be calling me.

I have not cleaned out the camper since I came home from Santa Fe. I haven't even drove it!

And I keep talking about cutting the grass. Well, the front looks like it should have been cut two weeks ago. The back hasn't been cut since June. I need to stop bragging and cut it.

Enough follow up. Time for action!

2-Sep-18 11:52am @home 82\$0 Partly Cloudy

Tomorrow is Labor Day. That means summer is over and school has started. What happened to school starting the day after Labor Day. I guess times change!

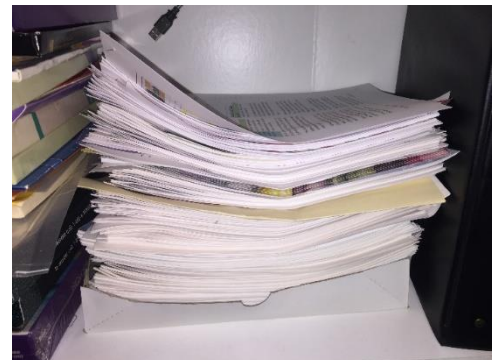
I just sent out the August issue of MRT. Wait did I proof it? I know I ran spell check. Oh well.

When I printed my archive copy I noticed the box was getting full. I thought you might wonder about that. I think I need a new box.

I have been putting a copy of the newsletter in that box every time I let you know about it for almost twenty years. NOW, I need a new box. ☺

Well, I have lots of extra boxes! God knows I have a lot of boxes. Maybe it is time to get some more.

Wait, I told Michelle the other day I don't drink enough water. I should get out of my TV chair and go out to the kitchen and drink a glass of water. From there go in to the bedroom and take at least one thing off that table. When I finally empty the table, I should take it down and put it aside. I want to move the bad back over there.



I always slept better over there. My head is west now. I sleep better when my head is north. Why is that?

Anyway, that table has been there since I started working on that airplane again. I haven't worked on that in over a year. Wow, the last picture I took of my airplane was in November 2016. I have to finish those pontoons someday! They are not covered or painted. Well, maybe next year! 😊

For now, I need to clear that table and move the bed!

5-Sep-18 10:38am @EWT 82° Partly Cloudy

Yah, now that I decided to do some typing Michelle gave me something to do.

Hi Jon, your email bounced back! If you still want the email alert, please re-subscribe. If this is just a "whoop", then let me know.

I must do Michelle's bidding now.

6-Sep-18 7:56am @*\$ 63° Overcast

Did you know that Starbucks started in 1971? Do you care? At my last check they claimed there was 13,930 stores. I may have been in only a half dozen of them. Well maybe 7.

Whoops, there are 21,536 stores! Woodstock has only one, Crystal Lake has three, but Harvard has none.

8-Sep-18 7:02am @*\$ 60°

Flies! Yes, I am in Starbucks and I don't think they have fed they're flies yet. I ordered a donut and they ate the whole thing. I think it is time to leave here. But where should I go? Maybe just outside? Yup, I'll try outside!

I decided to come home where, other than my pet fly, there are no flies. So here I am! Coffee just isn't the same here as it is at Starbucks. Yes, it is the same coffee, but it is not the same. 😊

I think I will work on my life stores for a while.

18-Sep-18 10:18am @EWT

Whoops, no weather data report since 13-Sep-18. Maybe when I get home I should check that out. 😊

Foodshed.coop

I haven't talked about the Foodshed lately. We are still looking for a location. We have had many places that the negotiations have fallen through. We are in the talking stage about another that looks promising. I can't tell you more for now. We cannot make it public until there is something in writing.

Soon the location will be locked in and we can start working on the funding. Much of the funds are available we just must ask.

For now, here is the picture of me as an Owner of the Foodshed.coop.

If you are interested here is a link to our web site. <http://www.foodshed.coop/>

It will be nice to buy my groceries from my own store that came from local farms and not from the other side of the world.



20-Sep-18 8:32am @*\$ sunny

No temperature today. I guess my weather station is offline. Maybe I should check that out when I get home.

We were at the garden center at Menards yesterday and the mosquitos carried us back in to the store. Because of the mosquitos we forgot half of the things we were there for. I heard Farm & Fleet was the same in their garden center.

The mosquitos generally don't bother me. Yes, I am one of those people! The last couple of days they have been bad! Therefore, I am in Starbucks where the flies live. 😊

Oh...I must go get a blood test! Bye!

25-Sep-18 10:31am @EWT 70° overcast

30-Sep-18 12:48pm @home Midtown weather is unknown

Weather Station

My Weather station is working and posting on Weather.Link.com but not on Wunderground.com. It is 56 degrees and rainy.

WeatherLink.com was sending my data to WUunderground.com but they upgraded, and I see

Melty's RAINCOOL Thoughts

no way to fix that just yet. It hasn't been working since 13-Sep-18.

I sent emails to both people asking for advice. Right now, I am thinking for the short term I need to fire up another PC to grab the data and send it through it. That is the way I used to do it a long time ago. I just looked, it was over 2 years since I had problems.

Now where is my spare PC? You know the one it was setup on before.

Mike's Websites

I would like to thank the people who donated funds to keep Mikes web site going for a while. Mike was hosting two Coin-Clubs on his site. These will go away at the end of the year. There rest of

Mike's site will continue until the end of 2019. We will see what will happen after that.

I am going to stop this issue and work on the weather station now.

See you next month,
Marty

Follow up

- Grass got cut but need it again
- Weather station is working
- The web guy at the Coin-Club contacted me
- I drove the Camper again

Bye,
Marty

MARTY'S RANDOM THOUGHTS

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MY BOOKS

← MY CAMINO DE SANTIAGO ADVENTURE
WALKING THE WALK, CAMINO DE SANTIAGO 2012 →
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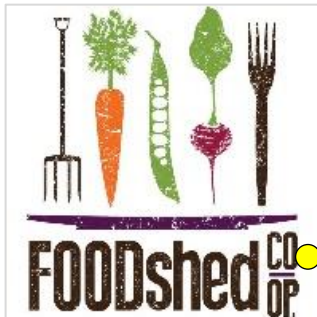
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working hard to open a community-
owned grocery store in McHenry
County, IL and we hope you will join us!*



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