Liptak to contribute Sox history articles to CBM

The Chicago Baseball Museum welcomes White Sox historian Mark Liptak as a contributor to its web site and newsletter.

Liptak was born and raised on the South Side. He became a Sox fan at age 5 in 1960 and attended his first game at old Comiskey Park three years later.

After graduating from Brother Rice High School, Liptak attended the University of Kentucky where he wrote for the school newspaper and did play-by-play of Kentucky basketball and football.

Liptak worked at three TV stations over 15 years as a sports reporter/anchor. He has written features and game stories for various newspapers. He currently lives and works in southeast Idaho, where he is the radio play-by-play broadcaster of Idaho State basketball games and studio host for the university's football radio broadcasts.

For the past 11 years, Liptak was the senior correspondent for White Sox Interactive, a web site devoted to covering the White Sox. Through that association he has gotten to know many of the current members of the White Sox front office and a number of former players. He co-hosted the 40th anniversary celebration for the 1972 White Sox, co-sponsored by the Chicago Baseball Museum, in Aug. 2012 at U.S. Cellular Field.