

Sams Dixie Travelers Newsletter

August 2011

Well here we go again! All the news that's fit to print and a lot of just plain hog wash!

Some of the folks that usually go early to our outings REALLY decided to go early. They decided that since it was SUPPOSED to rain on Tuesday they would leave on Monday. It was later in the day than usual for the departure but we all met on Bonny Oaks to start out. Well naturally me, the klutz of the bunch, had a problem before I left the house. I was watching for the electric pole across the street and managed to hit a big trash bin, scattered garbage all over the place and tore up the ladder on my RV! Don and Mary were first at the arrival spot, then me, then John and Dene and finally Fred and Virginia. Kindly note that they were in the back of the line. Guess who arrived in Peace Valley first? You got it, they managed to pass us all and get there first AGAIN!

No, we did not get rain on Tuesday but it was slightly cooler up there. On Tuesday some of us ventured to Cherokee to see if we could become rich. No luck!

Wednesday evening some of us went to a Chinese buffet and Buster was given his granddaughter's apron from the July campout to use as a bib!

Thursday several of the other members arrived and we all enjoyed a great evening together.

Friday brought the final few and we had our dinner in the clubhouse followed by some card playing and just sitting around. (We are really good at that!)

Saturday morning breakfast should be against the law! Everyone brings such wonderful stuff and they forgot to remove the calories!

After the breakfast we had our meeting and then we all went our separate ways 'til dinner time where we stuffed ourselves again. We hardly had room on the table to hold all of the food!

After dinner some played cards and some just sat.

Sunday morning is the time we all hate. Time to pack up and head home! No fun in that. The only thing that helps is to know that we have another campout in just under a month.

Other news:

Several of our long time members will remember Bill and Ann Galyon. On Saturday August 27 Ann passed away. She and Bill will be remembered in our thoughts and prayers.

Linda McClure's mother is in hospice care and according to Lee it is in the hands of God as to when she will be called. Again our thoughts and prayers go out to them.

Linda is in the final countdown for her job and the departure for the west! Happy trails to them.

The September campout is at Holiday Trav L Park in East Ridge on Sept. 16-18. If you haven't made reservations please do so. The 2012 locations are to be voted on during the meeting so come with some thoughts as to what you would like and where you would like to go.

We also need to pay our dues for 2012. It is \$25. If you haven't purchased your shirts yet you need to get with Craig.

If I left out anything please forgive me, Gods not done with me yet!