



This is - OUR TOWN

February 2018

HAPPY VALENTINE'S DAY!!





Many thanks to John O'Brien for all the front and back cover pictures of evening activities in the park.

TOT BUSINESS OFFICE

Park Manager
Al & Sue Septrion

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Monday-Saturday
8:00 A.M.—5:00 P.M.
Sunday
Noon—4:00 P.M.

Welcome Center 24/7

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Office Manager
Ed Brown

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Eva Sosa

Jesse Magdeleno
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Bernie & Kay Schaaf

GOLDEN AGE

OLYMPICS



**JOIN IN ON THE FUN AND EX-
CITEMENT OR COME OUT AND
CHEER OUR SUPER OLYMPIANS
ON TO ANOTHER GOLD!**

**Quote: "Today may there be
peace within. May you trust that
you are exactly where you are
meant to be. May you not forget
the infinite possibilities that are
born in yourself and others. May
you use the gifts that you have re-
ceived and pass on the love that
has been given to you. May you be
content with yourself just the way
you are. Let this knowledge settle
into your bones, and allow your
soul the freedom to sing, dance,**

Notes From the Main Office

Here we are going yet another month! Welcome February and Happy Valentine's day to you all.

Reminder from the office, if you are looking to sell or purchase a unit in the park, you must notify the Resort Manager, to approve all sales and to qualify new residents to be our neighbors in the resort. If you do sell please make sure the office has the information as soon as possible, to keep our records current.

In your preparation to return home, if you have a mail box, you need to be sure to do mail forwarding so we may close your mailbox out for the season. Remember the Postal Service requires you to have your change of address done on line.

We hope you do enjoy your stay with us as we do have many activities available, and are open to new suggestions so if you have something we don't have, come talk to us we will be glad to explore and see if we can make it happen for you. Remember we like new things and change is good for some. Don't forget we now have RC track (radio controlled car) ready to use, it's not finished but able to use as we continue to work on it.

Remember to turn your lights on your cart if driving dusk or dawn so you are visible to others. And please obey our speed and stop signs in the resort. 15 MPH is our posted limit.

We have a fun filled month coming up, so come out and enjoy your time with us.

From the office staff: Al, Sue, Ed, Eva, Jessie, Frankie, Shujen, Bob, John and Theresa

**KING AND QUEEN CORONATION**

DINNER DANCE \$5.00

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 11 4:00



ONE OF THE BEST PARKS IN THE RIO GRANDE VALLEY

Residents of the Tip O' Texas are the Rio Grande Valley's good Samaritans.
The park residents:

- Sew clothing for children for the Rainbow Room which is a part of Hidalgo Child Protective Services.
- Donate one offering a month from the Village Chapel to the Food Pantry.
- Support local restaurants and have planned activities to visit their places of business (i.e., Thirsty Thursday, Peter Piper Pizza, Bike Club).
- Collected 104 pounds of proteins for the children of the valley when they were on Christmas break.
- Donate to the toiletry ministry to help women and children who are in the Women's and Children's shelters in the valley.
- Recycle for the good of the environment and the local economy.
- Donate blood to the American Red Cross.
- Support the Matamoros Children's home in Matamoros, MX.
- Assist the Amigos de los Ninos de Mexico providing Christmas for approximately 2,000 children on Christmas Day in Progreso, MX.
- Participate in the Kitchen Band which provides entertainment to nursing homes, rehabilitation centers and assisted living homes. They also provide entertainment to the veterans in the Freddy Gonzales Texas State Veterans Home. They are truly a blessing to all they touch!
- Sew blankets for the Ronald McDonald House.
- Sew blankets for military and veterans.
- Ring bells for the Salvation Army at Christmas time.
- Participate in the McAllen Golden Age Olympics.

VILLAGE CHAPEL

Chapel Commentaries

The Polka Service, our exciting, most-attended church service, is happening the 1st Sunday of February (the 4th). The music will be provided by the Tip O' Texas Polka Band consisting of musicians you may know. These veteran players are fired up to play for the 5th year. Guitars, banjos, accordions, a keyboard, ukulele, bass, and drums will create a rousing blend of polka-waltz style of music.

The hymn-lyrics are set to polka-waltz melodies such as "Liechtensteiner Polka" "Waltz Across Texas," "Beautiful Brown Eyes" and "Happy Wanderer" among others.

Those who normally attend other churches are encouraged to do so, but do so before or after our service to be available for this foot-stompin' musical experience.

We look forward to seeing you at this special worship event. If you have never attended a polka service previously, you are in for a real treat. Of course, coffee and pastries will be served afterwards.

Be sure to arrive by 8:45 to enjoy the pre-service sing along.

Chuck Strandberg, President

