

Good Afternoon:

We've heard from several residents who have reached their northern homes. First the LaCoursieres:  
Everyone at the T.O.T.,

We arrived safe and sound at our "Up North" home April 3 after spending three nights in Minneapolis with our two daughters and their families. No major incidents whatsoever so we feel blessed in that respect.  
It's good to be home even though it's still cool and we don't have the rain/snow? predicted for the southern portion of our state. Talked to the Malteuds who also arrived about the same time as we did.  
After 29 years at the Tip we will cherish so many memories of the fun times down there and all of the lasting friendships that we have made. Remember to call or stop by if you are in our area!  
Love and hugs,  
Merle and Alice LaCoursiere

I read on Facebook that John and Elaine DeVaney arrived safely and just in time for Elaine's birthday. Happy belated, Elaine.

The Tibbetts wrote:  
Good trip home! Hi Pam, Arrived home Sunday safe, no storms on way. Always good to be back, but come fall we are always ready to pack and get back to the TIP! Thanks for all that you do in keeping us in touch with our winter friends. Have a great summer! Russ & Sheryl

Short note from the Barrs:  
Home safe... No snow Cheers Ramsay. Glad to hear about the no snow!!

Laura Deschamps wrote:  
Thank you for the meeting report, I enjoy reading them, and especially since I have spent a season with you all, I did really enjoy my first four months and look forward to next season. I have arrived home two days before my sister, but she will be home tomorrow, again thank you Pam, Laura Deschamps

The Houghs:  
Just a short note to let you know we made it home around 9:30 PM friday night safe and sound. Three of our children and my niece was there to help us unload truck. It is good to be home, , but will miss you all at the tip. Have a great summer. Thanks Pam for the mmm and little notes attached..

The Martels:  
well after 3 1/2 days on the road we are home here in Northern Ontario..uneventful trip as weather was sunny first 2 days then a little rain on 3rd day but day 4 was a bummer as we ran into a snow storm 50 miles from home...still some white stuff on the ground but it is the cold winds that make me want to be at the TIP all ready...but will have to wait I guess..Thanks for sending the minutes...enjoy reading them...enjoy the warm weather while you can...see you and all our friends in the Fall...Mike and Claudette

Kenny and Donna Scott:  
We are safely back in Illinois..trip was good other than flying object around Dallas shattered the sun roof..could have been worse. Missing all but not the hot hot weather.

John O'Brien has updated the TOTFYI.com web page:  
The linkage to the tot photo has been changed to accommodate the changes that Google has made after purchasing picasa.web. Click on TOT Photo Albums and a web page will be open which lists all of the photo albums which had links set up. Click on the title of the album to be viewed. To view other albums back arrow to the TOT Photo Album page and select a different album.

Six albums of approximately 750 photos which John Devaney took during the 2017 season have been added to the photo links web page

And I will close with a pic of our recently held pool party.....guess what's in the making for next St. Patrick's Day?????

?Pam and friends!!!!!!

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### **Pledge of Alligence**

**Meeting called to order** - Activity Director Trish Moore

**Hospital Report** - DeLores Simpson

\*My apologies for mistakenly reporting it was Janette Craig who Passed away. It was Joan Craig.

### **Praise Report**

\*Marilyn Strandberg is at home after 2 days in the hospital with a heart attack caused by a reaction to meds she received when she had

hand surgery. Is resting and was told to take it easy (yeah, right, Marilyn?) She better take it easy cause we need her here.

\*Alce Souigny had the pins taken out of her hand and is much more comfortable.

\*Merle Thompson will be going home Tuesday with medical help. There is a card from Him on the outside bulletin board.

\* Connie Harmon sent a note saying she was receiving Hospice help at home for up to a year. She is doing well.

**Prayer** - DeLores Simpson

**Manager Report** - Al Septrion

\*354 residents on 216 lots.

\*If you are parking on someone else's lot, make sure you have the owner's permission to do so.

\*Remember when leaving:

\*secure your unit

\*Let the office know when you are leaving

\*Serial Numbers of valuable items can be given to the office for safe keeping if they are needed.

\*Safe travels to the many of you who are leaving this week.

**Special Speakers** - Candidates from Pharr forward and the Pharr Mayor.

\*They spoke about their visions for a better Pharr.

\*They explained their qualifications.

\*They took questions from the residents:

Explain the large apartment complex going up on Sioux Road - Pharr is lacking in good housing for the growth we are seeing.

What is happening with the 281/2 interchange - Several ideas are in play and they appreciate input from residents of Pharr/.

What about the ambulance service - You can be assured you will receive the best care when you need this service.

**Activity Officer Announcements** - Trish Moore

\*2 white noodles belonging to a resident are missing. Please return them.

\*Thirsty Thursday is at Jason's Deli this week.

\*Peter Piper Pizza this Tuesday. 11:30 for salad, Noon for pizza. Check the board for sign up.

\*Wednesday at 3 PM the daughter of Bill Coulter is sponsoring a free ice cream social honoring her father's 35 years in the park!

50/50 - I don't know who won, but congratulations

Meeting was adjourned.

