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Good Morning:

Even though it's been a little chilly here...in the 60's during the days and 40's at night, it's still much better than what they're experiencing in the Midwest. We've had some very nice weather for tennis, NO wind. It's suppose to warm up this week, so if you're still up North, come on down!

Had a couple of notes that I wanted to share. First from J.C. and Dolores Russell:

Hi Pam, Be glad you are where you are, cause up here it was 11 this morning. JC and I are leaving in the morning early and should be in the park by Thursday. If he isnt on a team would you put him on one. We have a couple stops to make on the way down, I need some pictures of my greyhounds. My test I had this morning turned out good, the Lord was with me again. I hope He doesnt get tired of hearing me say "Lord, Its me again" See you all soon. Dolores

We are so glad that Dolores had a good medical report. Also a note from John Beilke:

Pam....

Thanks for the minutes of the Tennis meeting. I wish I was there.....don't think I will make this mistake again. We are hoping to arrive at TOT close to Jan. 1st....give or take a day or two. I am still under the assumption that I will be on a team.....

And yes John, you are on a team. Also a note from Dallas and Mary Jo Carlson:

We are the Carlson's at 820 Mountain trail.

This will be our 5Th year and we're excited about returning in Jan. 07

I'm especially excited about the new building next to the tennis courts.

We have no idea what the new building will house. Please let us know.

Thanks, Dallas Carlson

Well Dallas, according to rumor or Park chat....it may be used for the pool tables, the ping pong tables, the card tables, dancing, exercise classes, potlucks, etc. etc. They are just now doing the wiring with air conditioning coming soon. It still may be awhile before it is used for anything.

So that's it for the week. Please take care if your traveling. Have a safe trip and hope to see all soon. Pam

Monday December 4, 2006

Lavon started the meeting at 10:00; we said the pledge to the flag.

Pastor Bill gave the hospital report:

Dick Craig is in ICU at Renaissance Hospital. He and Jeannette need your prayers and support. Anna Baker is due to come home this week. Ruth Golding is at home here now; her son and daughter in law are staying with her for the time being.

Pastor led a prayer of Faith and Trust.

Pastor Bill said the Christmas Eve observance will be a candlelight service at 5:00.

Lavon asked Newcomers and returnees to stand and be welcomed.

Gene Christian gave us some good news! The new sound system will be installed soon. Rio Radio has received the contract. The fund is about \$1500.short, so if you have not donated yet, now is the time. The box is in the Front Office.

The container for the Service Staff Christmas gifts is there also.

Bonnie Christian reminded us that tickets for PSJA plays are available in the Office . Dec. 7 is Wilder Park night for the performance of "Pippin".

Jennice announced that Entertainment will start this week Will Yancy on Tuesday evening and The Jolly Norsemen on

Thursday. Beth and Jim Stagdon are at the back of the Hall today to sell tickets for all performances.

Tickets for the New Year's Eve dance are still available. - \$15 per person, including food and favors.

Delores Underhill will be the featured speaker for the Mc Allen Christian Women's Club on Dec 12.

Lavon said that the Post office truck will be here each Tues. and Thurs. from 1-2:30 for those needing stamps or to mail small packages.

The Veggie man is here Tues Mornings

The Outpost is now open from 9-3 weekdays.

Red Hats will meet after this meeting.

The monthly Anniversary and Birthday dinner needs a chairperson,

Beverly Elliot is working on a new telephone directory. This is a very big job, so please do your part. She has place the proof copy on the board. Please check that your information is listed correctly. Addition and correction slips are there for you to use.

Doris Peters expressed thanks to Maxine Brooks for organizing the carolers who represented the Tip at the city of Pharr Christmas tree lighting service, . Doris reminded us that the Pharr Travel center will be manned by volunteers from the Tip from Dec1-15. Kitchen Band will meet this Wednesday for the first time this season -1:00 Main Hall. A sing-a-long at the Veteran's home is being planned. All singers welcome.

Maxine thanked all those who came out to sing carols in the rain. Chimes practice will start soon. Interested people should meet with Maxine after this meeting.

Al Barnes announced that flu shots are to be given next Monday morning at 8:00 A.M. in the Main hall. He has ordered 50 more shots.

Wellness screening Friday at 7:00 A.M. in the AC room \$20;

Stroke Prevention Plus \$100. (sorry, I did not get the date.)

There will be a Seminar at 7:00P.M. next Tuesday " Your Annual Physical" 7:00P.M. Main Hall.

Al commended Arlene Strain for organizing the blood drive last Friday. Arlene reported that there were 34 donors. She thanked them for giving. 15 pints of blood were collected.

Marvin Chapman has arranged a special deal for residents of the Tip at Jagz for Tues, Dec 12 at 11:30. \$3.99 for Pizza, salad, pasta, drink. Wear your badge.

Kathy Will spoke for Orvell Eikenhorst to remind folks that the lunch at Peter Piper Pizza is at 11:30 on Tues.

Jackie Ridlin has the sign up sheets for Christmas dinner. If you are willing to be the hostess for your table see Jackie now. Christmas is coming!

Joy Morrow and Clarence Weber asked everyone who is able to stay after this meeting and help put up Christmas decorations. Many hands make light work. Joy also asks anyone who knows a use for used greeting cards to let her know. The box in the Post Office lobby is overflowing.

Art Edlund told about silver smith and wire wrapping classes. He invites anyone interested to come to the Hobby shop on Tues and Wed from 12- 3.

There will be Karaoke on New Year's Eve in the Hobby shop. There is space for 90 partygoers. \$2.50 for the party \$2.50 for supper in the Hall. Jack and Brenda Muller and Charlotte Cooper have tickets available.

Ray Pepe reported that the cruise on the Rio Grand has been postponed because of the weather. Another date for the boat trip and lunch at the Riverside club will be announced .

Envelopes are available for those who wish to donate to the Matamoras Children's Christmas fund. The goal is \$3500 this year. Jane and Al Head at lot 385 and Eileen and Charlie Walz at lot 999 are collecting.

Orville Craig is 85 years old today! We sang Happy Birthday to him.

ACTIVITIES THIS WEEK:

Tuesday— Sewing for Children 9-12 Sewing Room

Peter Piper Pizza 11:30 (\$) (Eikenhorst)

Jewelry making 12-3 Hobby Shop (\$) (Edlund)

Singles Potluck at 5:00 AC room (Pat Allison)

Chorus Rehearsal 3-4:30 AC room (Brooks)

Entertainment - Will Yang-7:00 MH (\$)

Wednesday-Biscuits and gravy 7::30 A.M. MH (\$) (Mayhew)

Jewelry making 12:30-3 Hobby shop (\$)

Kitchen Band 1st meeting 1:00 MH (Peters)

Ice Cream Social 2-4 MH (\$)

Dance with the Bottom Line Band 7:00 MH (\$)

Thursday— Lap Robes 9-3 Sewing Room

Entertainment-The Jolly Norsemen-7:00 MH (\$)

Friday— Wellness screening 7:30 A.M. AC (\$)

Scrabble begins 6:30 Post Office Lobby (Hall)

Saturday Arts and Crafts Show 8-12 Main Hall

Sunday Village Chapel 9:00 MH

Ice Cream Social 2-4 MH (\$)

Jim Merton reported that Roberto's paralyzed 28 year old son will soon be moved to the Valley. Jim brought Roberto's heartfelt thanks to the residents of the Tip for their generosity to his family in this time of trouble.

50/50 was won by Rogers.

Thought for today: A good rule for going through life is to keep the heart a little softer than the head.

I apologize for any mistakes in names, times or information. Sometimes I miss something. Kathie