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Hello to all from Branson, MO

21 of us Tipsters are enjoying the rain and slots of sunshine, but having a good time. Wednesday let us play tennis in the morn and golf in the afternoon. Of course it's very easy to find a place to eat here. Thursday it did rain, but we ate breakfast out and then had comp tickets to the Righteous Brothers in the afternoon. Very good show, especially being free. The pot luck that night was exceptional. We do have some GOOD cooks amongst us. Yesterday was tennis, shopping, and a great time on the Branson Belle Showboat. Good meal, great show, good friends...what more could you ask for. A couple of more days of this and we'll have to go home to rest up.

Lil Graham has written a very nice note I'd like to pass on:

**I'm getting around a bit now. I got home from Re-Hab last Monday evening - I had reached my "Physical Therapy" goals, so I was allowed to be discharged. My "very good" friend, Martha is still with me. She was driving the car (her car) when we had the wreck. Martha's sister was in the back seat. They were both knocked around and bruised, but I was the only one injured - broken femur - right below the hip. Since I had to be cut out of the car, she no longer has a car. We have taken turns crying about our problems.**

**It's been rough, but we're thankful to be alive. I sure didn't need this so soon after George's death. My bones are mending, but I'll never stop missing George. I love him so.**

**Hopefully, Martha will be with me until the middle of this month. After that , I'm not sure of my plans. My son will drive me back to Texas when I do come. I still have quite a bit of "home health" care that will be going on for awhile.**

**I have not yet read all of the cards that so many of you sent. I plan to put them in an album. I cannot thank you enough for caring about George and me.**

**Stay in touch,**

**Lil**

John O'brien worte:

I was finally able to locate Ray's obit. She was a fine lady and will be missed by those who knew here at the Tip. I think that condolence book can be signed at the following link [www.legacy.com/guestbook/buffalonews/guestbook.aspx?n=raymonde-hann&pid=144843320&cid=full](http://www.legacy.com/guestbook/buffalonews/guestbook.aspx?n=raymonde-hann&pid=144843320&cid=full)

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Raymonde HANN

HANN - Raymonde 84, passed away peacefully in her Boston Hills home August 1, 2010, beloved wife for 64 years of

Arthur E. Hann, Jr. Raymonde was born and raised in Paris, France and met Arthur during World War II. They raised three sons, Steven C. (Diane) of Varysburg, NY, Gary W. of Elma, NY and Brian K. of Seattle, WA. She leaves behind several grandchildren that affectionately called her Meme. Also survived by many nieces and nephews. She was always involved in volunteer work, including Cheektowaga's Cancer Drive. No prior visitation. A Celebration of Life will be held at the Boston Fire Hall on August 29. Contact a family member, if attending. In lieu of flowers, donations can be made to the American Cancer Society .

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Alta wrote:

Pam I know what you mean about packing the car, I always take more than needed, but glad you had a great time. It breaks my heart about all the people that are sick and not coming back to the tip. Our prayers are with them and their family. Sharon's son and daughter, our prayers are with them.

Dick, Bonie Lynch, Bob and I and Mary Ann Ransdell went to Pa for a week and visited Doug and Cheryl Lundy, what a great time we had, Doug was our guide and he did a great job, we seen things we would not have seen if he didn't take us. We went to the finger lakes in New York and took a boat ride, went to Grettysburg where the battle was and the Pa grand cannon, just beautiful. Counting the days until we will leave for the tip. Take care Alta

You'll read that the Phillips will be late in the season coming to the Tip. Joan explained:

Hi all,

On July 19th, Don took 4 grandkids to a camping week on the St Lawrence River - the day after they got there, they were sleeping..... and a neighbor pounded on our door yelling "your motorhome is on fire!" this was at 6:45 AM, thank God.....Don jumped out of bed and got all the kids out - put out the fire. 2 hours earlier when it was dark, noone would have gotten out!! Don put the fire out and came home - called Monaco (the name of our motorhome) and they suggested we take it to Elkart, Indiana to be fixed - the fire happened behind the refrigerator (which was only 2 years old) - anyway, we took it to Elkart (600 miles one way) left it there for a month - a big hassel with insurance company and Norcold (refrigerator company) and our insurance says it was the refig fault and refig said it was "unknown origin" so bottom line is , we had to pay for a new refig (2,000.) We are taking Norcold to court at this time. The good news is; everyone got out alive.

We have talked about our winter this year. We have such mixed feelings, but have decided to spend 3 months in Fla and 2 months in Tx. We will not be in Tx. until Feb. 1st.

I will miss you all but will see you in Feb.

Friends forever,

Joan

And finally the MMM Minutes. Have a good weekend. Pam

Monday September 6, 2010 Labor Day

Sara led the pledge to the flag and Clarence led the singing of the national anthem.

Connie gave the hospital report:

- \*Lil Graham has returned home after her accident.
- \*Jane Strating had a knee replaced again.
- \*The Carlson's daughter came out of the diabetic coma and is now home.
- \*Thomas Schulte(Vera's brother) is in the hospital and needs our prayers.
- \*Nancy Bartlett's surgery went well. She says thanks for all the cards and letters.
- \*Carl Kuykendall passed away.

Connie led a prayer.

There will be a short prayer service in the chapel at 9:00 Saturday in remembrance of those who perished on 9-11.

WANTED--VOLUNTEERS!!

--Some one needed to take Charlotte Coopers place in organizing the Senior Olympics.

--An organizer for the St.Patrick's Day festivities.

Sara is asking now so you have plenty of time to get ready.

Joan Phillips reports that they will not return to the Tip until February so there will be no line dancing or teaching of bridge until then.

Today's Labor Day lunch will feature fried chicken provided by the Activity Fund- Bring your table service and a dish to pass at 12:00.MH

Thirsty Thursday this week will be at Johnny Carino on Jackson .4:00 Please sign the reservation sheet.4:00

Next Sunday's Potluck will have ham and scalloped potatoes as the main course. Bring your dish to share and join the crowd at 4:00. Sign up on the board.

Please remember to drive slowly through the waters after  
SLOW DOWN !

a heavy rain. Everyone-PLEASE

We sang God Bless America.

