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Several of you have returned and it is great to reunite the Tip Family. If you would rather not receive my e-mails throughout the winter season, please just drop me a note and I'll take you off my list. Or, if you know of someone who is not receiving the MMMeeting and would like to, let me add them to my list. Please remember to advise me if your address changes when you are in the valley.

We had wonderful warm weather during the month of November. Of course we always have to contend with the wind, but temps were above average. It has usually been in the high 70's, but over the weekend we're down in the 50's with 40's at night. Now I know those of you up north are asking what we're griping about....but as you know, that North wind can be very biting down here and that's not why we come to the Valley.

Activities are going in full force. We are short of tennis players, but will make do. The hall is full of those who exercise, walk, and dance. Of course the coffee drinkers are always at the liar's table.

The only note I have is from the Shepherdson's: Hi Pam and all our friends at the TIP:

We had a great cruise and are still in Florida. But we are "biting at the bit" to get back "home". We plan to meet our kids and families for an early Christmas in Kissimmee. And then pull out for Texas to arrive mid Dec. if all goes well.

Thank you Pam for keeping us aware of all the fun and happenings at the TIP. It is greatly appreciated.

We miss everyone and will see you soon

Carol & Floyd Shepherdson

According to the news, Florida has already had their share of cold weather. We will be glad to have Floyd and Carol back. We are looking forward to hearing about their summer travels.

So keep warm whether you're in the Valley or still up North. It is beginning to look like Christmas.

Pam

MONDAY MORNING MEETING - December 6, 2010

All newcomers please stand

Would everyone please stand to say the Pledge of Allegiance and sing the

Star Spangled Banner and O' Canada

HOSPITALREPORT – Connie Harmon - Caroline Glass's son is looking good. He had the heart surgery and doing well. Harold Mayhew has a broken arm. Lil Graham is home and doing fine. Doris Peters will not be coming down this winter, her husband is ill and needs 24 hour care.

Luncheon today – time: 11:30 a.m. Main hall. Price: \$4.00 Menu: your choice hamburger or cheeseburger, French fries, onion rings, baked beans, dessert and drink.

Treasure Table total for November - \$122.92

New Years Eve Dance Tickets are on sale by the post office 10:00 a.m. to 11:00 a.m. daily.

There will be Karaoke practice Tuesday, 1 p.m. – Al Barnes Hall

The Red Hatters will have a short meeting right after the town hall meeting today.

NEW RAPE SCAM – it is on the bulletin board.

Ronald McDonald House Charities of the Rio Grande Valley

I still need a volunteer for the Senior Olympic Board.

BUS TOURS:

McAllen Symphonic Band on Tuesday, Dec. 7 – Joy To The World.

The bus is FULL. I have no more tickets

Dec. 9 – LaJoya Independent School District present a Classic Guitar Concert on Thursday. Please sign up in activity office.

Don't forget there is no cost for the bus trip except for the event and tip for driver.

OTHER INFORMATION:

Donna & Jim Hall – park managers had their Town meeting and all went well.

Beth Stagdon – pictures – We are getting down to the last days to have your picture taken. If you need a time please call me at 702-8110. Thanks

Jackie Ridlon - Christmas Dinner – Hostess's need to sign up. There is a sheet on the back board.

Art Edlund – Rogelio Rodriguez (Pharr Fire-Rescue)-Jewelry class starts December 12, at 3:00 pm. Singles pot luck Tuesday at 5:00 pm.

Pharr Fire Department is have a collection box for Toys for Tots. It will be by Sara's door. At Thanksgiving they provided dinners for 27 families.

IF YOU NEED AN AMBULANCE YOU CAN CALL THE FIRE DEPARTMENT AT 787-2761 THEY CAN BE HERE ASAP.

Marilyn Strandberg (Flo – Ralph & the Cruisers) – January 28, come get your tickets, they are \$7.00.

Joe Strain – First Responders- Next Friday is the Wellness Screening – fast for 12 hours before coming to the A/C room at 7:00 am. Pro Time is going to be taken in the Post Office Lobby on December 21, at 8:00am. There is a signup sheet on the Health Board. Thanks to everyone that gave blood, **IT WAS THE BEST DAY EVER 20 PINTS.**

John O'Brien – Dolores Sears – Advertising – Please use our advertiser's we need their business. Drill team will have practice December 10, in main hall. Bike club meeting after this meeting in the ABFH. Recycling is going very well. Those of you that chair a function in the park, please sign it up on the sheet on the board, so that I can take a picture for our new Picture Book.

Gary Thain- Woodshop meeting in the ABFH.

Pat Horak.- Mermaids Thursday at 4:30.

Mary Dwyer-bring all old towel, and what ever to lot 19 for the animal shelter.

Esther Eikenhorst – Peter Piper Pizza Tuesday at 12:00. Cost is \$4.99.

John Bernard-Stain Glass was given to Linda York. Classes start January 4, please sign up.

Nancy Bielke – come sing with us in the A/C room on Tuesday's at 3:00.

Winter Texan Orchestra dates are December 15 at St. Paul Lutheran Church, 2:00 and 7:00. December 16 at Trophy Gardens at 6:00.

WE WANT TO THANK TOM FELSTED FOR ALL HIS WORK ON THE FLOWERS.

DECEMBER 9 THE SCHARM GATE WILL BE OPEN PERMANTELY

50/50 – Jim Merten- \$71.00 was given away to lot 998.

Joe Strain - joke

REMINDER: STOP SIGNS – PLEASE STOP and OBEY, especially in your cars. If you are walking – please make sure the car is going to stop before you start across the street – the same for bicycle. Be careful of the other person. KEEP LIGHTS ON CARTS, BICYCLES, ELECTRIC WHEELCHAIRS AND PLEASE, IF YOU ARE WALKING – MAKE SURE PEOPLE WILL BE ABLE TO SEE YOU.

Please stand and sing “God Bless America”

