

MONDAY MORNING MEETING - March 2, 2015

The meeting began with a wonderful performance by the Tip O'Texas Drill Team. Such precision. Very nicely done Ladies.

Steve & Sue Graham Activity Directors

Pledge of Allegiance: Steve Graham

National Anthems: Paul Barcenas and Rene St. James

Al Seprion, Park Manager

663 residents on 411 sites.

Please note: If you are selling your unit, the Park has the right of first refusal. This is to keep units in the park and not moved out.

Our new Activity Directors were introduced. Wendy and Robert McMasters. Welcome them any time you see them around the park.

We have a new work camper couple. Henry and Donna Lowenski. Donna will be in the main office and Henry will work with maintenance.

Odette, office manager, talked about the Bring a Friend program. If you bring a friend to the Tip for at least a month you will be compensated \$50, 2 friends \$75, 3 friends \$100. If you get a form from the office and fill it out, the office will contact that friend and encourage them to try our park. Let's fill up the West side of the park!

Checks were presented to those who brought friends this season.

Delores Simpson – Hospital report

John Bernard had back surgery but the results were not good.

Jay Pisca left hospice and is home with his son.

Alice Lacoursiere is having back problems

Sue Seprion is home and is cancer free. She and Al give thanks for all the support and prayers.

Don Hickman, Pastor

Said a prayer for those who are healing and for all who may be having difficult times. He also asked for God's continued blessings on our Park

RESIDENT ANNOUNCEMENTS

***Alta Hough** -- My last Tuesday lunch is tomorrow. If you won a free Alta Lunch Ticket this is your last chance to use it this year. It will be good next season if you can't make it today.

***Carlton Cummins** --Thanks to all who made the last blood drive very successful.

***Jackie Ridlon** -- Sewing for Children Thursday. Please come and join us.

***Gary Dreibelbis & John O'Brian** . Computer workshop today @ 3 in the Arts & craft room. At 2, in the Arts and craft room, John O'Brian will explain Smart Phones and I-Pads.

***Marilyn Strandberg** -- Our 'Not a Trip' trip is today at 3:30 in the Main Hall. A 'Coffee House' with entertainment by our talented residents.

Bring your Mug of coffee and enjoy.

Please turn in your 'vandalism sheets' for securing your home from theft.

***Floy Kilgore** -- Red Hat Spring Luncheon March 15 @ 1 PM. Arts and Craft Room.

Friday is support the Pharr American Legion Post. They have been helping with 'boxes for the military'. They are having their annual fish fry Friday 3/6 at 5 o'clock. Please sign up on the board as we would like to let them know how many persons will be coming. Last year not knowing a count caused the Legion some problems. Thank you.

***Judy Berham** – Michigan Luncheon Wednesday 3/4. Furr's on 10th. Bring a White Elephant for a gift exchange.

***Phyll Thackery** – Golden Age Olympics: We did very well this past week. 12 new medals. Check the GOA board to see who won medals. for our park. At last count we are 200 points ahead of our nearest competitor.

We get participation points for the WALK AND TALK AND THE BIKE RIDE. Please consider signing up for these March Activities.

The bike ride will be held at Bentson Park. If you are going and want to caravan or have your bike on the trailer please sign up on the board .

Those who are doing the Volkswalk - Get your cards to Stu Kunselman.

Cheerleading competition March 13. Please come out and cheer for these women who always show up and cheer for us.

Awards ceremony March 13 \$3.

The GOA Parade will be in the main hall on 3/9 at 8:45 in the Main Hall. Coffee and Donuts for all.

***Gracanne Powell** -- Tennis Show coming up March 5th. You can get your tickets at the Activity Office You have the opportunity to reserve your seat by coming at 6 PM and using a coat or whatever, save your seat.

Jazzercise on Monday, Wednesday, Friday this week.

No Breakfast on Wed. this week

***Linda Gillick** -- Singles, Tuesday March 3 is breakfast out. Meet in front of main building at 9 AM.

Next Tuesday March 10th is our last meeting this season. 5 PM in the Arts and Craft Room.

***Jana Fleming & Bill Semlak** -- St. Patricks Day. A full day of activity provided by the Activity Fund. Please sign up your group for the Parade. We use banners for the Parade and need to know if new ones are needed.

Also, Veterans please sign up. We will have a Veteran of the Year Award.

* **Bill Semlak**– Evening bridge players (Monday, Wednesday, Saturday) We are having a get-together Tonight Monday 3/2. Bring a appetizer to share. 5:15 to 6 PM. Check with Bill for location.

*Donna Scheibel – Peter Piper Pizza on 2nd Tuesday of the month. I received lots of PPP mugs. If you need one to get your no-cost beverage, please get one from Donna.

***Art Edlund** -- Last Wire wrapping this Tuesday. We will also do Bolos for Men.

GENERAL INFO WITH RENE ST. JAMES: Blindfold cart race will be at 3 PM on St. Pat's Day. Sign up please. We need participants. Include your lot# and phone # so I can contact you about rules. Trophies and coupons will be awarded to the first 3 places.

March 3rd at 7 PM Razz-Ma-Taz from Nikki Rowe High School will entertain in the main hall. Admission is by donation.

***STEVE'S ANNOUNCEMENTS**

Thirsty Thursday this week will be at Longhorn Steakhouse on North 10th. Sign up on board. Meet at 4 PM.

Pancake breakfast on the next 2 Saturdays. The season is then over.

The RG Ice Center is still willing to have Curling. If you are interested in learning this sport please see the notice on the information board.

The Outpost and Activity will be trading locations. The Outpost will be closed for this move to take place.

Election for new Advisory Board was held.

VERY IMPORTANT!!! IF YOU ARE THE LEADER OF AN ACTIVITY PLEASE GET A FORM TO HOLD YOUR ACTIVITY TIME FOR NEXT SEASON. GET FORMS FROM THE ACTIVITY OFFICE

50/50 won by lot 103

Stained Glass drawing was held. There were two winners.

Message from last week is "ditto". When Will This Stop. HAVE A GREAT WEEK. SEASON IS WINDING DOWN SO REALLY ENJOY THE TIME WE HAVE LEFT HERE AT THE TIP. NOW IF ONLY THE WEATHER WOULD COOPERATE!