

Monday Morning Meeting Minutes January 22, 2018

Meeting called to order by Jana Fleming.
Pledge, USA and Canadian Anthems

Delores Simpson - Hospital and praise report

- Annette Lipshet (a former resident) passed away in September.
- Dorothy Lawton Is in Rio Grande Hospital. She has a collapsed lung.
- Vera Janis will be in rehab for 4 weeks for a fractured hip.
- Harly Derks is in the hospital.
- Jackie Hoods started out for the Tip. 25 Miles from her home she was involved in an automobile accident that totaled her car. She and Lacey, her dog, are fine. As soon as she gets a new car she will be joining us.
- Bob Miller, a Camp worker is in the hospital.
- Virginia Van Alsteine is still having chemo.
- Trish Moore is in the hospital.

Praise Report

- From Tom McCann - Louise Chase is improving. They used steroids and she is improving and getting movement.
- Gordy Skinner is home and walking with a walker.
- Marty and Eileen Wilhelm will be celebrating 61 years of marriage on Jan. 19th.
- Progress is being made on getting everyone a Vial of Life to have in their fridge. You can get forms from Delores or from the office. You can copy your Medicare card and put in the vial. You should also include a list of all meds you are taking.
- Place the vial in the Door of the Fridge so it is easily noticeable.

Pastor Robinson led us in prayer.

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- We have 617 people on 357 lots
- Reminder - Dogs must be on a leash when outside. Please pick up after your dog.
- New residents should be sure to pick up a Welcome Kit which includes stickers for your car and cart.
- The Remote Car Track is coming along well. Sun Racing in Harligen has the cars for sale. If you buy from them it is understood they will repair them for you.

Guest Speakers - Dave Alquist from Rio Grande Regional Hospital explained the blood testing that will be done February 2nd at 7 AM. Please sign up on the Medical Board at the front of the hall. He will return to the park on Feb. 15th to explain the results of your tests.

- Basic screening is \$20. Male Executive which includes a testosterone test is \$45. Female Executive test is \$30.
- You must fast for 12 hours before you have the test taken.
- No matter the number of those wanting the test they will all be done with one hour.
- If you can't be here on Feb. 2nd, you can have the test done at one of our clinics.

Adrienne Pena Garza is running for Hildago Dounty GOP Chairwoman. She explained her platform ;and asked for support.

Entertainment this week

1. Tues. Jan 22nd is the Bluegrass Family
2. Sunday the 28th The Piano Man will be here for 2 - 3:30. Followed by the Mystery dinner at 4 PM.
3. Friday is the Marty Haggard show. Get your tickets at the activity office,
4. The Winter Texan Award Show will be Feb. 17th from 1 – 4 PM. See Marjean for tickets \$15.

Resident Announcements - A note from your MMM Minutes Note Taker. Please give a written copy of your announcement to Pat Horak. It helps to get places, dates, and times accurate. Thank You!

Linda Gillick

The "Linda Luncheon" is Feb. 20th at 11 AM. See Linda for more details.

The singles group will meet this Wed. Jan 24th at 4:30 in the Arts and Craft Room. We are having a guest speaker.

Bonnie Lynch -

The Chili Cookoff has only 1 participant so far. We need at least 6 for this event to take place.

Tony Chos

Senior Ambassadors will be joined by three other musical groups for an evening of great music. It will be held at the for Trinity

Worship Center on March 2nd. Tickets are \$8 or \$10 at the door.

Roger Miller

The Ice Cream Social Sunday was a big success. We even ran out of ice cream. That won't happen again. Thanks go to

Betty Miller, Ron and Joyce Forbes for volunteering.

There will be no Ice Cream Social on Sunday Jan 28th Because of a conflicting event

Marilyn Bullington (I hope I got that right)

The craft show on Saturday was a success. Many thanks to the 5 gentlemen who assisted the vendors in getting their wares into the hall and back out to their cars. Barb Horne shared her wisdom. Wanda and Heather helped me keep my sanity. The Auge's took care of the 50/50. Nancy, Marcia and Duane for the donuts. And all the women who worked in the kitchen to fix and serve lunch and those who made pies. Trish and Steve for their support. The set-up and tear-down crews. We have very great people here at the Tip. See you the 3rd Saturday in February.

Mary Kitkowski gave thanks for those who joined her for the Relay for Life event.

Canadian Luncheon in the Arts and Crafts Room. 11:30. Feb 3. Be ready to share you best Canadian Joke.

Sharon Branson..50th Wedding Anniversary Party. Feb 18th. Please sign up if you were married in 1968 as soon as possible. Committee Members would like to interview all couples before the party. The hosts for this party are last year's honorees. The honorees will have a meeting right after the MMM on Jan 29th.

Memorial Service is Sunday Feb 11th at 10:15. Go to lot 531 for more information.

Chuuck Strandberg The Gospel Concert was enjoyed by many. Feb. 4th is Polka Sunday probably our best attended event.

Music provided by a dozen TOT residents. There will be a pre-service sing-a-long at 8:45 AM.

No Jam Session next Sunday January 29th

Marilyn Strandberg GermanFest. Get your tickets NOW. They are going FAST!

Phyll Thackery Golden Age Olylmpics news.

- For the Bike Tour there will be a trailer to transport the bikes. Sign up on the GAO bulletin board. Preregistration is \$3 which is the Texas State Park fee. Event is Feb 7th starting a 9 AM, with Registration at 8 AM. Trailer will pull out promptly at 7:30 AM. If your bike needs some TLC, please bring it to Gary Branson at lot 547 on Brazos. Questions? Call Gary at 785-220-9052.
- Please check the board for next weeks events and be sure to register for them this week. The movie will be one of 5. See the GAO bulletin board for titles of your choices,
- To vote you will receive an e-mail.
- Missouri Luncheon Jan 29th at 1` 1:15 at Mr. Gatti's

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Barbara Chappell -Bus Tours.

- Quilt show on Padre Island Friday Jan 26th. Bus leaves at 10 AM.k Entrance fee \$10
- Bull Riding in Mercedes Sunday Jan 28th. Bus leaves at 11:30 AM. Gate fee is \$12 Parking \$1 each.
- Kite Festival Saturday Feb. 3rd.
- Sign up and pay fees at the Activity Office.
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Sewing Room News

Quilt Block Challenge is on. This year's theme was Birthstone and Flowers. After the meeting stop by and cast your vote.

Indoor Pool Water aerobics 1 PM Monday thru Friday

Swimsuit Sale. Noon to 3 PM Feb./ 9th in the Arts and Crafts room. Hundreds of suits.

Notes from the Kitchen Staff. Ric and Mary spoke to the problems, not only in the kitchen, but in the park itself. They ended with a suggestion. "Let's be kind to one another"

- This weeks Menu
- Tuesday - Stuffed Peppers
- Wednesday - Meatloaf
- Thursday - Soup and Salad Bar
- Friday - Fish Fry

Don't forget the Murder Mystery Dinner.

50/50 to Lot 520

I sincerely hope I have covered everything.. I don't know about you, but I am tired just from typing these notes. Enjoy this busy week!

Pat Horak

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## Pam's Notes

Thanks to Pat....I'm back on the list for receiving the mmmmeeting minutes. This is a good day.....sun's shinning and it's suppose to be warm all week.

I first want to report a note from Jackie Hood. She was on her way down last week and had driven for only a couple of hours before an accident:

I am okay. JoAnn said she had let you know about my accident. I'm still not entirely sure what happened but going to get checked out Monday. My car is totaled so will have to replace it. I don't exactly know what I'm going to do right now. Thanks for everyone's concerns. If you could let everyone know I am okay, I'd appreciate it. I'll keep in touch.

Thanks Jackie

Praise the Lord, neither she nor her puppy was hurt.

I also had a note from Joan Greiner:

First of all I really appreciate all the Monday morning meetings you have sent, and I really want you continue. So please keep me on your list. I plan on going to San Antonio for a few weeks in March and the plan is about four days at the tip that is if there is something to rent, although Alta is looking into it. I have had a rough summer and fall, in the hospital four times since May, but am doing ok now. also moved in with my daughter for the winter as they don't want me alone in the winter, between being 88 and my house is in the woods they thought it. Best. Anyway hi to all that remember me and a special hug for you. again thanks for all you do and have done

I also received a nice message from Carol Frederick:

thank you for the minutes! Please keep us On your list!

We miss being in the park, and our sad to think of the people on one side or the other!

We all want to live for today, and for each day to be a happy one, because as Harvey and I have found along with so many other of our friends In the park, you have no idea what tomorrow will bring!

C & H

Thank you everyone for your kinds words and please note that it is my pleasure to send you the notes and cares of your fellow Tipsters. God Bless you and have a good week.