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**Subject: Monday Morning news**

Good morning and welcome everyone, Be sure to get checked into the office. Great to see everyone who has arrived so far.

We currently have 283 Guests on 294 sites.

It's a difficult time for us all, as to what we can and cannot do. The activity department has purchased some games that can be signed out for your enjoyment. They will have them displayed for you to see exactly what they have to offer.

Just a reminder we cannot be concerned with what we hear other resorts or parks are doing as we are all governed a little different depending on where we are located. We hear of things going on at other resorts but we are not able to, as for us we are under the Mayor of Pharr who tells us what we can and cannot do as well as the Judge Hidalgo Health dept, Our Mayor is a Doctor at the Renaissance Hospital (DHR). As we need to use face and covering and social distance when we are out in the resort and no more than 10 people in a grouping for activities exception of course is Shuffleboard where you can use every other court etc.

Common sense washing your hands, stay distanced and sanitize as much as you can.

Have a great week. Happy Thanksgiving reminder Office will be closed Thursday in observance of Thanksgiving day including all staff.

## Notice from First Responders

The blood draw (lab work) scheduled for December 4th has been cancelled due to Covid 19. The next scheduled session is at

the end of January. The first responders will keep you posted regarding that one. Any questions should be directed to Barb Hoff.

Pam is Houston for more tests and our prayers are with her as she fights her health problems.

Pam's Notes.

**Good Tuesday to all:**

**First I am back from Houston and retesting. I am having to undergo pills and infusions for the next several months, but feeling fine. I am so grateful for all your cares and prayers.**

**New park worker, Karen Minch is opening the outpost:**

The **OUTPOST** is restocked and running smoothly. However, we need volunteers! If you would be willing to donate 2 or 4 hours a week to work a 2 hour shift, please let me know

We need someone to work: Tuesdays 10am - 12 noon

Tuesdays 12 noon - 2pm

Also, if you make delicious pies or cookies, we would appreciate donations of these sweet treats to satisfy all who have a sweet tooth.

Mondays will be PIE DAY

Wednesdays will be COOKIE day

Fridays will be ROOT BEER FLOAT day

A nice addition is Consignments. If you are creative and make different items for sale, bring them in to the **Outpost** and we will sell them for you. In return, you will receive 20% of the sale.

Finally, if you would be interested in helping to make our Rose Garden look beautiful again, please let me know. We have rose food and bug killer. Just let me know and bring in your gloves and clippers. This would be of great appreciation

Thank you to those who have already helped out in many areas and to those of you who will be coming forward.

Thank you!

Karen Minch

**They are working on the Our Town. If you would like to have any article placed in the edition, please send any info to [ForestMinch@yahoo.com](mailto:ForestMinch@yahoo.com) by the 10th of each month. Articles need to be placed today for the late Nov. edition.**

**Marge Johnson notified me that:**

Henry Scheibel will be going into assisted living probably for the next 9 weeks or so. That is better than going home by himself, as he will always have people he knows to socialize with, which does help with the healing. He still has hopes of coming down here for a couple months! basically he is doing well. **Thank you, Marge for keeping us informed. Also the Johnson's new home has arrived in the Amigo section and is in the process of being "put together." Congrats on their new place.**

**Kare Lane has written:**

The first Thursday of each month is Sewing for Children. With all of our Covid restraints I couldn't figure out a way for us to meet. There fore I bought fleece kits These can be sew or tied at your home. They are smaller than the ones we usually make but will still be warm and comfy. Call or text me to get your kit and I'll deliver it to you. If you have ideas on how we can meet in Dec. please contact me

Call or Text 810 241 9294

Thankyou to Joyce Sauter, Jackie Ridlan and Dorothy Phillips for making 100 masks in 10 days for the Rainbow. They were much needed and appreciated

Kay Lane , Chair of Sewing for Children

**The O'brien's sent this note: Thank you, John for keeping us updated on all obits.**

John and I are doing well. John goes to rehab Monday and Wednesday afternoons and I go to therapy for my back Monday and Wednesday mornings. Will continue this all winter and into spring. Will see how things are then.

Be safe, wear the mask. This virus seems to be getting worse here. I think people stopped being so careful and it spiked again.

**The Park Celebrated Eldon McNaught's 89th Birthday last Saturday with a drive by celebration. We all wished Eldon Happy Birthday and appreciated sharing his cupcakes.**

**A sad note, Jerome Matter did pass away. His wife, Mary Matter's address: 1405 Madison Ave. #115, Detroit Lakes, MN 56501**

**It is so sad to lose these long time residents. Jerome was know as that "gentle giant."**

**Wishing you all a Happy Thanksgiving, BUT please be safe. Prayers for all and hoping that vaccine comes available to us all. Pam**