

Rio Raft RV Park

Canyon Lake, Texas 1-07-10



Thursday January 7th dawned bright and sunny (also a bit windy). Our fearless campers set out on yet another camping adventure. Early arrivals were the Webbs, and Hagars, They were followed by those daredevils: Burns, Gabriels, Carlises, Collins, Wolfes, Shadrocks, and Brattens. We were greeted by warm welcome wishes from the managers of the park. The rally hall was still decorated for the Holidays and was clean, cozy and colorful.

Thursday was spent playing games and visiting friends both in and out of the park. Thursday night we all went to the purple restaurant, but found it closed. Robert and Nona Bratten saved the day (night really) and told us to follow them! They took us down the road to Ninfas Burgers and Tacos. They were as glad to see us as we were them, business had been slow.

After dinner we hurried back to the park where we settled down to watch the “game”. Some of us played our own games and in the end were more successful than “The game” on TV. By half time we trooped back to our trailers and dripped the water pipes.

Friday dawned clear and cold, but not cold enough to stop some from going out to breakfast, shopping and taking small side trips. Carlton joined us in the afternoon and soon it was time to eat again. We went to Green Frog for dinner, it was all good and more than we could eat. Back to the rally hall games of Farkle and Hand and Foot were played. Everyone seemed pretty tired so an early night was called, we all needed to get ready for 13 degree temp. In the morning.

Saturday was really, really COLD!! We being hardy souls, braved the morning and motivated to the rally hall. Games were started, snacks put out and fun was had by all. Some of our campers went to Camping World for a hose or two and came back with a satellite dish!! (hint---it was not a woman). By the afternoon Carlton got there and brought Arline, she was very missed by all and now our little family felt complete.

The Pot Luck dinner was a big hit, before we ate Edie presented birthday cards to Daniel and Carlton. A big birthday cake was given by Kathy, we were sorry that Ben couldn't be there as his birthday is Monday. Other birthdays were Ann Carson and Jo Cornell. Anniversaries were the Servis and Hodges.

The meeting followed; it was short and sweet. Games soon took over and Hand and Foot was relearned and then learned again. Everyone had a great time and Arline stayed to the very end playing and winning and being her usual sweet self.

On a cold Sunday morning Edie and Kathy had a hot egg casserole ready for the trip home. A great big thank you to Martha the mixer and Janice the fixer (and you know why). All in all this was a great outing, just a little nippy, but our fellow campers have warm hearts, in the end that's all you need.

Member News

Ben Peek had Shoulder Surgery on Monday for a tear, he was home by noon and resting, he will have to do rehab for about a month.

Curtis Cornell had to go in last week to remove another spot on his arm.

Edith Collins was having eye surgery on Wednesday.

Don Stephens is undergoing treatment for colitis.

We wish to express our Sympathy towards Charles Hodge's sister who passed away last week.

Tom and Kay Bowen, have a New Granddaughter born Jan. 12th, weighing 7lbs. 15 ounces.

For any updates you would like to notify the rest of the members, please go to the website, click on Member's Area, enter your username and password. Then Click on Message Board.

February Rally

Millers Creek RV Resort in Johnson City for 11-14th. Deadline is January 29th.

Submitted by,

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