

Lone Star Scouts

NEWSLETTER

April 2007

Victoria is Site of April Rally

The Lone Star Scouts had another good turnout for the April rally in Victoria. And we were camped at one of Texas top rated RV parks....the Lazy Longhorn. Lazy Longhorn is neatly landscaped, has WI-FI, concrete roads & park sites, and other amenities. Our owner hosts, Erik and Tania Ganauser did their best to make us feel at home.

The April group included the Biggs, Bowen's, Burn's, Carlisle's, Coleman's, Collins, Gabriel's, Klostermann's, Kreger's, Peek's, Roden's, San Miguel's and Shadrock's.

Thursday night was casual....we all prepared our own for supper...some people grilled.... and games followed withof course a table of avid Texas Hold 'Em players and a table of avid Thirteen players.

On Friday, a "can't miss" event took several carloads of members into the old downtown drug store, the Rosebud Fountain and Grill, where their old fashioned hand dipped malts and milk shakes were the main attraction.

Did we eat Good Friday night! The Baytown Seafood Restaurant serves some fantastic fish and shrimp and their portions are large. They did a great job of serving our group of 30 or so people.

Friday night's game session also had to focus on the weather as we kept one eye on the TV to track those dangerous storms going through San Antonio and the Hill Country. We were glad to see that the storms missed Victoria.

The front did bring brisk north winds that added a slight chill to the air.

Saturday morning's attraction was Market Days in Goliad, 25 miles south of Victoria. This event is held on the old town square and features over 100 vendors with all kinds of arts, crafts, etc. Goliad is a picturesque town with old buildings on the square.

We were pleased and excited to see Norman and Eleanor Biggs at the rally. Norman has just gotten a new trailer to carry his new organ.....he actually has two organs in the trailer. Norman can

open the doors and give an impromptu organ concert. The trailer is insulated and heated and cooled. Neat!

As anticipated, we had a great potluck dinner on Saturday night. Lazy Longhorn provided ice cream and toppings for sundaes as our dessert. Thanks Lazy Longhorn!

Another great continental breakfast was served to the gang on Sunday morning. Hosts for this rally were the Kreger's and Shadrock's. Thanks!

Birthdays and Anniversaries

An anniversary card was handed out to the Shadrock's. Not present, but also celebrating that event in April are the Wolfe's.

Birthday celebrants for April were Don Clary, Paul Primeaux and Jerry Sellars. Happy birthday.....wish you guys could have been with us.

Other News

Doing better! Curtis Cornell is doing much better now after his recent knee surgery..... Frank Shadrock says he is doing better after having a defibrillator heart procedure last month. Don Clary reports that he has made a rapid recovery after his shoulder surgery. The Clarys had planned to join us in Victoria, but had to change plans after learning that their son's mother-in-law had passed away. They went to Grand Prairie to the funeral.

Sunnybrook International Rally

Eight club members are currently planning to attend the SunnyTravelers International Rally in Goshen, Indiana on July 2 - 4.

Signed up to date are the Buckner's, Roger's, San Miguel's, Sellars, Wolfe's, Roden's and Primeauxs. Also attending will be Don and Nancy Irle, who will be joining the club. The Irls plan to attend our May campout.

Hosts Needed!

We still need rally hosts for several months. Give Carlton or Kathy a call to sign up. You can look for a friend to assist you if desired.

May Rally Slated for Johnson Creek RV Resort

Our May rally will be held May 4 - 6 at Johnson Creek RV Resort, north of Kerrville. This is a relatively new park and it has concrete streets and concrete pads. It overlooks Johnson Creek. Johnson Creek Park has lots of large pecan trees that offer shade. It is a pretty place.

Johnson Creek RV Park is 11 miles north of Kerrville off Highway 27. The park is south of Mountain Home. It adjoins Bluff Tails, where the club has camped several times.

The Stephen's are hosts for May. They will be assisted by the Peek's.

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