

## Lone Star Scouts

# *Newsletter*

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## Johnson Creek is Site of August Rally

We always look for shade in August and Johnson Creek RV Resort near Kerrville and Ingram has lots of big trees, plus a swimming pool...so they fit our needs for a summer camp out. It was hot! But the rally was still fun!

First to arrive at the park were the Burns, who enjoy arriving on Wednesday. Following them on Thursday were the Brattens, Carlisles, Collins, Cooks, Gabriels, Klostermanns, Kregers, Peeks, Shadrocks, and Slatons . We were joined on Friday by the Webbs. The Slatons are friends of the Cooks and were guests for the week end....they have a brand new trailer. Also with the Cooks were Ron and Sharon Shaw.

It did not take long for the game players to get into action. With the summer heat, the club house was a popular place to be. Thursday evening, most of the gang went out to eat. On Friday evening, everyone went to Billy Gene's in Kerrville.....they have a varied menu and the food is good.

Joe and Janell Wolfe drove up for the potluck Saturday night and we were glad to see them. The Rodens had planned to come up for the day, but Sharon got a bad sunburn down at the Coast and they had to cancel.

Friday evening, Carlton got Charles Hodges on the phone and several members had the opportunity to visit with him. He sounded pretty good and said he seems to be getting better! Charlie has had quite an experience with his surgery.

A brief meeting of the Club was held after the Saturday evening potluck. The nominating committee reported their nominations for 2010 officers. They are Carlton Kreger, president, Kathy Gabriel, vice president and wagonmaster, Janice Burns, treasurer, and Marie Hodges, secretary. This probably set a record as the shortest meeting the group has held. It lasted less than 15 minutes. Good job Frank!

The potluck that preceded the meeting was good, as usual.

Our hosts, the Collins and Carlises did a great job.....they had lemonade on hand in the rally room, along with some snacks. And they served a great continental breakfast on Sunday morning. They served some very nice pastries.

## Birthdays and Anniversaries

Our genial assistant secretary, Edie Collins, had lots of cards to pass out...she covered two months. Birthday cards went to Loyal Cook, Janelle Wolfe, Charlie Burns and Janice Burns. Anniversary cards were presented to the Cooks, Kregers, Burns and Peeks.

Also celebrating birthdays in July and August are Maureen Arnoldy, Celeste Rogers, Larry Sellars, Al Buckner and Norman Biggs. Anniversaries are noted for the Buckners, Harrelsons, Primeauxs and Rogers. They all have our best wishes.

## Other Items

Robert Bratten is now retired....congratulations! He and Nona recently attended a Mobile Suite rally in Indiana.....Don and Wanda Clary also attended that rally. The Clarys are now in Chama, New Mexico in their new 40' Mobile Suite. That is a lot of trailer.

Janice Burns has been crocheting doilies for weeks. She brought them to the rally at Johnson Creek and gave one to each of the ladies attending the August rally....one for each rig. One of the doilies is pictured above. They were very nice gifts.....it was a nice gesture from the Burns. We forgot to mention this item in the newsletter. We have a great club with a lot of nice, thoughtful people. Thank you Janice!



## September Campout

Pioneer Beach Resort in Port Aransas will be the site of our September campout. Nestled among the dunes of Mustang Island, Pioneer has been a popular RV park on the Gulf Coast for some years. They have 361 sites, wireless internet, a club house, swimming pools, along of course with beach access.

Dates for the rally are September 17 – 20. **Note: that is the third week end of the month.** Hosts for that month are the Burns and the Klostermanns.

*Ben Peek*