



Smoke Signals

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March: Debbie Bryan, Larry Cernosek, Jaime Gallego, Missy Henley, and Nick Nichols



March: Curtis & Cindy Price

Prayer Concerns

Dorothy Richey



Sheriff Report

Our March rally was at a new park for us, Stay Awhile RV in Murchison. The theme for the weekend was Springtime and we had 15 coaches in attendance.

Wednesday early arrivals gathered for smoked brisket and ribs from the Laymans and everyone brought a side side dish. It was quite the spread.

Thursday night we feasted on Vegetable Soup and Tortilla Soup prepared by Cindy and Curtis price. It was simply delicious! Some people stayed after to play Card Bingo. **Larry Gordon** won the final pot and took home about \$25.00



Friday a small group of us drove over to Ben Wheeler to check out a restaurant called **The Forge**. If you have never been to Ben Wheeler it's worth a look. A cute little rustic town in East Texas. And The Forge has some tasty food and interesting décor.

Friday night we dined on pizza and salad and some delicious home made desserts made by Marcella Pasetto. The **fantasy fudge** was a hit so I

am including a copy of the recipe provided by Marcella in this newsletter.

Friday night was Left, Right, Center. It was a crazy game where the money changed back and forth a lot but **Debbie Bryan** ended up the big winner!

Saturday morning after the



business meeting the guys meet for another Tech Talk. This has proven to be something useful and informative.



A big THANK YOU to Mike McAuley for taking notes and putting it in a concise format to mail out.

While the guys were Tech talking the ladies were learning to **crochet scrubbies**. Marcella provided the yarn and the instructions. Thank you Marcella!



Wagonmasters were Marcella and Rick Pasetto with assistance from Cindy & Curtis Price and Rhonda and David Layman.



Saturday night we played a new game (thanks to Rick and Marcella) called Pilot / Co-Pilot based on the old Newlywed game. It was a lot of fun. Doni & Larry Gordon took home the prize!



Rally Sites 2022

Mar 9, 10, 11 ~~Stay Awhile RV Park~~

Murchison, TX

WM Pasetto

Apr 13, 14, 15 Rusk KOA Holiday RV

Rusk, TX

WM McAuley

May 11, 12, 13 Antique Capital RV

Gladewater, TX

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Sep 14, 15, 16 Longhorn RV Resort

Nedervald, TX

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*Oct 19, 20, 21 Buckhorn Lake RV Resort

Kerrville, TX

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***PLEASE NOTE THIS IS NOT OUR USUAL WEEKEND**

Nov 9, 10, 11 Skyline Ranch RV

Bandera, TX

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RALLY ATTENDEES

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Allensworth

Avella

Barham

Beebe

Bryan

Cockrill

Davia

Gordon

Layman

McAuley

Pasetto

Price

Scherback

Swindle

Wiemkin





MORE SCRUBBIE
PICS!

Great Job Ladies!

THE ORIGINAL FANTASY FUDGE RECIPE

- 3 cups white sugar
- 3/4 cup margarine
- 2/3 cup evaporated milk
- 1 (12 oz) bag semisweet chocolate chips
- 1 (7 oz) jar marshmallow crème
- 1 cup chopped walnuts
- 1 tsp vanilla extract



Grease a 9 x 13 inch pan.

Mix sugar, margarine and evaporated milk in a saucepan over medium heat, stirring to dissolve sugar.

Bring mixture to a full boil and cook for 5 minutes stirring constantly.

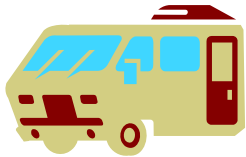
Remove from the heat and add chocolate chips; stir until chips are melted and mixture is thorough combined. Stir in marshmallow crème until incorporated. Mix in walnuts and vanilla.

Transfer fudge to the prepared pan and use an offset spatula to spread out and flatten. Let cool for at least 1 hour before cutting into squares.

Misc Info

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The South Texas Renegades Chapter of FMCA was established in September, 1978 when a group of 12 couples met in Rockport, TX. From this modest beginning, the South Texas Renegades chapter has grown to include more than 50 member coaches and has become one of the most active chapters in Texas. We currently have several couples involved with FMCA at the regional and national level. In Apr of 2019 we celebrated our 40th anniversary and continued the celebration throughout the year to the party in Oct. During these 40 years there has been lots of FUN, FELLOWSHIP and LOVING/LIVING the RV LIFESTYLE. As motor-coachers we love to travel, seeing the country, enjoying nature and visiting with all the wonderful people we meet along the way. We also enjoy eating, shopping during rallies, playing games and sharing RV maintenance & troubleshooting ideas and topics. Come on out to any of our outings and enjoy the camaraderie of fellow RV enthusiasts.

REMINDERS

The price of replacement badges is **\$12.50 + \$3.00 shipping (for either 1 or 2 badges to same address, 1 is \$15.50, 2 are \$28.00)**. If you require a new nametag, please let the membership chairperson know. You will be given an order sheet to send in with your payment. The payment will no longer go through the treasurer to the nametag people, thus cutting out the middleman.



This newsletter belongs to you as a member of the South Texas Renegades. We would like to include updates from members (recipes, tips for the RV lifestyle, etc), please send contributions to Rhonda Layman at

rlayman@quintex.com

Our ADM/Fiscal year runs 1 Jan-31 Dec.



Dues for each ADM/ Fiscal year are due by 1 Jan. (If not paid by 15 Feb, membership will be dropped, see By-

laws Article III (7) (E)) Pat will begin collecting dues during the Oct Rally. Annual dues are \$10.



Missy Henley shared a great idea. Store your quarters for Card Bingo in an old pill bottle!

PLEASE NOTE!!

The following schedule will be observed by the secretary:

The rally notification will be emailed as soon as received from the wagon master for that rally, usually right after the previous rally. If you do not receive it by the 20th of the month, please contact the secretary.

The minutes will be emailed within 4-7 days of the end of the rally.

The newsletter will be emailed within 7-10 days of the end of the rally.

If you do not receive either email within the stated timeline, please email Rhonda at

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Or text 325.245.8498