



# Smoke Signals

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### Prayer Concerns

Dorothy Richey  
Curtis Phillips  
Bridget & Carsten Wiemken



Sheriff Report

The Renegades May rally was moved to Longhorn RV Resort in Niederwald. There would have been 15 coaches in attendance but the Avellas had their coach's catalytic converter stolen AGAIN so they stayed in a cabin.



If you have a gas rig it could happen to you.

The theme was DEEP IN THE HEART OF TEXAS.



Everyone looks skinnier in boots & jeans!

Thursday night was BBQ chicken sandwiches & homemade peach cobbler.

Then some Card Bingo and lots of laughs with Bob!



Larry Gordon and Phyllis Avella tied for winners of the most games!

Friday night was Salisbury steaks and homemade mashed potatoes! Then everyone stayed for Left, Right, Center.



Craig Bryan was the big winner! I just think this is the cutest pic!

Saturday morning donuts and coffee were served. We had enough members for a business meeting. Minutes will come out soon.

**There are changes to Standing Rules so be sure and read them.**

Hungry Indian pins were presented to the Hospitality Team.



It was a hot weekend but they are still smiling!

Saturday night was finished off with Beef Bourguignon and an Éclair Cake that was a definite hit.



Attendees got \$11.00 back each which made the total cost per person \$26.50. You would think that would make Bob smile...





# Rally Sites 2022

~~Mar 10, 11, 12~~ ~~Antique Capital RV Park~~  
~~Gladewater, TX~~  
~~WM: Allensworth~~

Sep 8, 9, 10 **Skyline Ranch RV Park**  
**Bandera, TX**  
WM: **YOUR NAME HERE?**

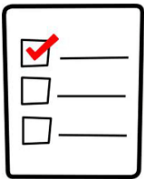
~~Apr 14, 15, 16~~ ~~Knights of Columbus RV~~  
~~Hallettsville, TX~~  
~~WM: Avella~~

Oct 13, 14, 15 **Big Chief RV Park**  
**Burnet, TX**  
WM: **Davis**

~~May 12, 13, 14~~ ~~Longhorn RV Resort~~  
~~Niederwald, TX~~  
~~WM: Layman~~

Nov 3, 4, 5 **Buckhorn Lake RV Resort**  
**Kerrville, TX**  
WM: **McAuley**

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



## RALLY ATTENDEES

### MEMBERS

- Allensworth
- Avella
- Bratcher
- Bryan
- Cockrill
- Davia
- Davis
- Gordon
- Goss
- Haslett
- Henley
- Layman
- Phillips
- Rothermel
- Randle

### VISITOR

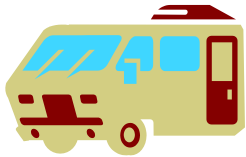
Ronna Stephens  
(Guest of Richard Goss)



**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](mailto: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**