PVC Pipeline

Paradise Valley Campground

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Activities Committee

Our 4th of July celebration on Saturday, July 1 was extremely successful. We served over 130 "happy campers" with our serving line lasting one hour. Thanks to set up and decorating crew Anne Raptis, Stephanie Adair, Buck and Barbara Tidwell, Bill and Diane Maxwell, Barbara Mushlin, Lanell Coons. Our grilling chefs included Buck Tidwell, Jerry Higgins, Jeremy Higgins, Bob Lucas, and Nick Coman. Volunteer servers consisted of Mildred Pelt, Annette Boettger, Nancy Poling, Judie Ellis, Anne Raptis, Helen Czerwinski, Barbara Tidwell, Jan Coman, and Joyce & Chuck Taylor. The food and service was awesome, as usual. Elaine Lucas and Eleanor Mazourek graciously handled our money during the evening. Thanks to all the volunteers that love this place enough to make "good times" happen.

The auction event was not only fun, but a really good fund We owe a huge "thank you" to the following businesses for donating gift certificates and items to bid on. The list included: Piggly Wiggly, Styles Smiles Hair Salon, Ace Hard-Linda's Convenience Store, Yonah Bowl, Glenda's, Papa's Pizza, Ingles, Creekside Deli, Little Bit of Everything Shop, Happytime RV Sales, Lovely Nails, Rocky's Barber Shop, Unicoi Lodge, Auto Zone, El Ptrillo, and Curves. Items donated from our owners included Barbara and Buck Tidwell, Mark and Diane Couch (Tidwell's daughter), Jack and Mildred Pelt, Dick and Eleanor Mazourek. Carl and Annette Boettger, Rose Cherwinski and Margaret Hans, and Ronald and Diane Delhomme. Your donations were VERY generous and greatly appreciated.

Sherry Ivie of Keller-Williams donated \$100 for the Thanks, raffle again this year. Sherry!

We always enjoy and appreciate Mildred and Jack Pelt's bloomies placed strategically in gardens and around the Pavilion. You brightened our event.

Another special thanks to

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Anne Raptis for all her computer expertise and creativity in making the auction sheets. We had

participants in the golf cart parade and numerous choices for potential Judges Judie Ellis, Nancy Poling, Barbara and John Stone, and Donna Winburn had a tough decision, but voted 1st place to Sally and Richard Jones, 2nd place to Anne Raptis, and 3rd

place to Bill and Diane Maxwell. Ellen and Terry Szlosek, new owners on Lot 157, took Honorable Mention. Thanks to all for participating!

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Special Activities

- August 5, 6:00 p.m.- Potluck Dinner, Bingo follows.
- · August 10 Activities Meeting 2:00 p.m.- Pavilion
- August 12 8:00 to 9:30 a.m. Pavilion Breakfast: eggs, bacon, sausage grits, toast, coffee, OJ, milk. Donation: \$3.50. Board Meeting-11:00.

Weekly Events

Monday

Bridge-1:00-4:00 PM

Men's Poker 7-00 PM

Women's Bingo—American Legion-6:00 PM

Tuesday

Crafts-10:00 AM

Dice - 7:00 PM

Hand & Foot-7:00 PM

Wednesday

Hand & Foot-1:00 PM

Movie Night-7:00 PM

Thursday

Bowling-10:00 AM-Yonah Bowl followed by lunch

Friday

Card Bingo-7:00 PM

Sunday

Poker Night -7:00 PM



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Announcements

- A special note of appreciation to Eleanor and Dick Mazourek for treating us to a new TV stand for movie night. Thanks guys for being so generous.
- © Carl Boettger has been busy replacing the timbers along the sidewalk in front of the mailboxes. It looks much better, Carl, and we appreciate your seeing a need and taking the initiative.
- Sancy Morris has been weeding and tending the front garden. It desperately needs TLC, and we all appreciate your time, Nancy.
- Fran and Liz Force have suggested a different sign up sheet for pot luck dinners. Donna Winburn has designed one on the computer, and the

- new sheets are in the pavilion. Let's see if this works better. Thanks guys!
- Nancy Morris has LOST a pair of sunglasses around the laundry and pool area. They are expensive and she really would appreciate their return. Keep your eyes open. Her lot number is 174.
- © Due to travel, the Activities Meeting has been moved to August 10 at 2:00 PM in the Pavilion. All owners are welcome. Our monthly Pavilion breakfast is August 12 from 8:00-9:30 AM. Please join us.

Travel

Grady and Runnell Crawford Enjoyed a dinner cruise with their children in Chattanooga, TN to celebrate their 50th Wedding Anniversary.

Angelo and Jeannette Constantine are off exploring Canada for a couple of weeks.

Liz and Fran Force will be celebrating their 59th Wedding Anniversary on August 23.

Bob and Donna Tobin enjoyed an island cruise with their family to celebrate their 50th Wedding Anniversary . What a treat!

Gene and Lin Ewert celebrated their 20th Wedding Anniversary in Cherokee, NC.

Dick and Eleanor Mazourek are off visiting their children in Long Island, NY.

Elizabeth and Troy Carter visited children in TN and Elizabeth is away in Indianapolis, IN.

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The girls were responsible for breakfast this month and it was yummy, as usual. We had

plenty of grits thanks to Barbara Tidwell and Elizabeth Carter. Our volunteers included Barbara Tidwell, Anne Raptis, Donna Tobin,



Marty Libel, Pat Szlosek, Helen Czerwinski, Judie Ellis, Lanell Coons, Elizabeth Carter, Eleanor Mazourek, and Lin Ewert. Thank you all.

Our yard sale was a successful fund raiser, clearing a little over \$400. It was two days of steady work setting up tables, picking up donations, organizing and pricing, manning the booths,

and cleaning up. Thanks to all who volunteered. The list includes Eleanor Mazourek, Barbara and Buck Tidwell, Stephanie Adair, Mildred and Jack Pelt, Pat Grice, Annete Boettger, Jujdie Ellis, Deanie Dotson, Barbara Bagget, Joan Moehring, Barbara Mushlin, Arvella Auer, and Elaine Lucas.

Thanks to Sam Owens for making our laundry room cooler and more user friendly.

Illness/Sympathy

Our thoughts are with the following who are having medical difficulties, surgeries, or are in need of prayer. These are Arnie Davis, Linda White, Flo Tanek, Sally Jones, Pat Smith, Kathy and Rod Gibson, Kathy Opava, Don Coleman, Rogers Hulsey, Sandy Schulze, and Ridley Nolan. "What shall we then say to these things? If God be for us, who can be against us?"

Romans 8:31

Beware that thou forget not the Lord thy God, in not keeping his commandments and his judgments, and his statues, which I command thee this day.

Deuteronomy 8:11

Recipe

Barbara Tidwell

Blueberry Pie

Mix 1 (8 oz.) softened cream cheese, 1 (8 oz.) cool whip, and 1 Cup sugar or 24 pkg. of Equal. Fold in 3 cups fresh blueberries. Put into baked 9" pie crust or 9" graham cracker crust. Chill for 4 hours. Makes 2 small pies or 1 large pie—very full.