# PVC Pipeline

**Paradise Valley Campground** 

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#### **Election Results**

Here is your new Board of Directors:

- Tom Grice-President
- Buck Tidwell-V. President
- John Morris-Secretary/Treas.
- © Gene Ewert
- Jerry Higgins
- © Ridley Nolan
- Holly Watkins

To the departing Board members—Elizabeth Carter, Richard Peavy, and Russell Pruitt—please accept a huge "Thanks" for all your services.

We wish the Board members well in their new positions and duties and look forward to "smooth sailing" on our new roads.

The Pipeline would like to take this opportunity to thank Richard Peavy for his diligence and persistence in working with the road crews over the past several weeks. He was up early warning us the British were coming, he stayed all day in the heat when they were here inspecting, and then returned in the evening to tell us about the schedule for the following day. We <u>ALL</u> appreciate your hard work and more importantly, we love you!

#### Activities

Activities at PVC are in full bloom. The first Saturday of the month is our potluck and is always a huge success because we are blessed to have some awesome cooks.

The pavilion breakfast was extremely well attended with over 80 folks showing up for Barbara's grits...(She promises to add more to the pot for July.) This was our best breakfast turnout ever. Thanks to Anne Raptis, Barbara Mushlin, Barbara Tidwill, Elizabeth Carter, Annette Boettger, Judie Ellis, Donna Winburn, Lin Ewet, Elaine Lucas, and Lanell Coons for cooking, serving, collecting money and cleaning up. We love our volunteers!

The crafty ladies have met for three Tuesdays now and are having a blast. Anne Raptis is leading us again this year; and she is not only extremely talented, but a kind, warm-hearted Christian that exudes love. We are very, very lucky to have her as our Crafts Director. We meet Tuesday's at 10:00 AM in the pavilion and would love to see you there.

Our Memorial Weekend cookout was another slam dunk winner! We served over 120 of our neighbors and had some scrumptious food and good fellowship. The line wrapped all the way around the tables and just kept

#### **Special Activities**

- June 3 at 6:00 p.m. Pot Luck Supper. Plates, napkins, silverware, and drinks will be furnished. Bingo will follow at 6:30.
- June 8 at 2:00 p.m. Activity Meeting (All owners welcome and urged to come & participate.)
- June 10 at 8:00 to 9:30 a.m. Pavilion Breakfast: French toast, bacon, sausage, coffee, OJ, milk. Donation: \$3.50.

#### **Weekly Events**

Monday

Men's Poker 7-10 PM

Women's Bingo—American Legion—6:00 PM

Tuesday

Crafts-10:00 AM

Dice - 7:00 PM

Thursday

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

7:00 PM Open game night

Friday

Card Bingo-7:00 PM

Sunday

Texas Hold'em - 7:00 PM



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## **Announcements**

- © Congratulations to Troy and Elizabeth Carter on their 50th Wedding Anniversary. They went home to Jacksonville, FL in May where their family and friends threw them a big party. Their kids surprised them with a trip to Hawaii which they will be enjoying in September. Again, congrats!!!!!
- We have accumulated a lot of STUFF and have had numerous requests for a yard sale before the Fall. We voted on the idea at our last activity meeting and decided to have a yard sale on July 22 from 8 AM - 2 PM in the pavilion. You may donate your abundance to the Activity Committee for them to sell or rent a table for

\$5.00 and sell your own treasures. The proceeds go to our Activities Fund to spend on improvements in our campground. See Lanell Coons or Barbara Tidwell to donate, volunteer, or rent a table.

© Recycling at Cleveland Recycle on Hulsey Road across from St. Paul's Catholic Church.

Monday and Wednesday 9 AM- 5 PM Saturday 8 AM- 4 PM

No glass Magazines \*Aluminum cans, tin cans Foil Plastic #1, #1 Newspapers Large appliances and sinks are also accepted.

\*Aluminum cans should be recycled in the park at the dumpsters. Mildred and Jack Pelt take the cans and sell them for us, donating all the proceeds to the Activities Committee.

July 4 Weekend activities will be planned at the June 15 Activity Committee meeting. Tentatively, plans include a cookout and the traditional golf car parade. Check the bulletin board near the dumpsters for further information dates. times. and particulars.

#### **Travel**

Al and Barbara Grant will be on the road for several weeks traveling across the U. S. Their final destination will be Oregon, where they will be meeting friends.

Buck and Barbara Tidwell will be visiting Maggie Valley and Cherokee in mid June. They plan to enjoy Blue Grass music while in Cherokee.

Our best wishes for safe travel and happy times to all of you travelers!

# Sympathy/Illness

Our sympathy and best wishes for those of you who have had surgeries and illness to deal with. The list includes Glen Carstensen, Maxine Childress, Arnie Davis, Kathy Gibson, Sally Jones, and Teah Nolan.

Condolences to Grady and Runnel Crawford on the loss of their brother/brother-in-law.

Our thoughts and prayers are with all of you.

Love the Lord your God with all your heart, soul, and mind. This is the first and greatest commandment. The second most important is similar: Love your neighbor as much as you love yourself.

Matthew 22: 37-40

### **Welcoming Committee**

Your Welcoming Committee is growing. At the annual election meeting the outgoing board appointed Elizabeth Carter and Lin Ewert as co-chairs of the Welcoming Committee. Members of the group include Lanell Coons, Sandy Schultz, and Pat Watkins.



The committee looks forward to meeting and greeting all our new neighbors and to giving them the PVC package which includes the covenants, by-laws, rules, architectural standards, and current points of interest from local chambers.

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#### **Activities**

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coming! We are truly outgrowing our <u>little</u> pavilion. Thanks to chefs Tom Grice, Buck Tidwell, Bob Lucas, and newcomer Sam Owens, Lot 99, for enduring the grill heat. Our server girls included Betsy Mullis, Joyce Taylor, Barbara Tidwell, Judie Ellis, Barbara Mushlin, Annette Boettger, and Lanell Coons. A big thanks to Lin Ewert and Elaine Lucas for selling tickets.

Our 50/50 winners this month were the Darby's and the Kronenberger's. Congratulations!



An other group of folks that need a big pat on the back are our campground work day volunteers. Our first work day was May 8; and unfortunately, it was misty. However, Bobbi Harden, Barbara and Buck Tidwell, Pat and Tom Grice and Lanell Coons were able to weed and rake gardens for two hours.

Our next work party was sunny and well attended with 27 volunteers showing up. Thanks to Bill and Deanie Dotson, John and Betsy Mullis. Chuck and Joyce Taylor, Jerry and Jet Lightner, Buck and Tidwell, John and Barbara Nancy Morris, Carl and Annette Boettger, Tom and Pat Grice, Marilyn Yankee, Joan Moehring, Jan Coman, Stephanie Adair, Bobbi Harden, Kenneth Killgo. Jim Liebel. Lanell Coons, and new owners Sam Owens, Lot 99, and Jo and Ron Roskosh, Lot 239. We weeded, raked leaves, and trimmed trees for three hours.

The boys took several tractor trailer loads of debris to the roll-off dumpster. A special thanks to Buck Tidwell who made a couple more freebie runs during the week to make the place tidy for the Memorial Day

Weekend. The grounds look more loved thanks to your hard work.

A special thanks to Carl Boettger for taking charge of out entry 12-volt lighting. Things are looking brighter...

We also appreciate all the hard work our counters and checkers did after the annual election. Thank you Bernie Berk, Elizabeth Carter, Lin Ewert, Joan Moehring, Sandy Schultz, Roger Smith, and Donna Winburn.

We owe a debt of gratitude to Flo Tanek for donating a TV for



our pavilion use. The Activities Committee has purchased a VHS/DVD player to use with the TV. Elizabeth Carter got the cable hooked up in time for the American Idol Grand Finale, and several owners enjoyed sharing snacks with friends while waiting to see the outcome.

# **Recipes**

#### Barbara's Brownie Delight

- 1 21 oz. Duncan Hines Chewy Brownie Mix
- 1 Small can crushed pineapple
- 1 8 oz. Cool Whip
- 5 Bananas
- 1 Box strawberries

Cook brownies ad directed on box. Drain pineapple and save the juice. Mix Cool Whip and pineapple and add a small amount of juice so mixture can be spread over brownies. Before serving, slice bananas and strawberries on top.

#### Orange Sunshine Cake

- 1 Pkg. yellow cake mix
- 4 Eggs
- 2 (3.5 oz. pkg. vanilla instant pudding 1/2 Cup oil
- 2 tsp. orange extract
- 1 (11 oz.) can mandarin oranges
- 1 (12 oz.) whipped topping
- 1 (8 oz.) can crushed pineapple, drained



Combine cake mix, eggs, 1 pkg. of pudding, oil, orange extract, and mandarin oranges and beat well for 3 minutes. Bake in three 9-inch pans or one 9 X 13 pan, greased and floured, for 20-25 minutes in 350 degree pre-heated oven. Cool.

Frosting: Fold pudding and pineapple into whipped topping and frost cake. Keep refrigerated.