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The weather could not have been better for the March campout at Nakatosh RV Park near Natchitoches.

A great turn out - with 11 Rainbow Riders rigs and one guest rig. Waymon drove up and spent the day Thursday. Then Saturday Huey & Elsie drove up for our meeting.

Some of us, including Waymon went to the Sea & Sirloin Restaurant north of Campi for Thursday dinner, which was a first for most of us. The service was great and I only heard one negative comment about the food

Charlie Weatherford & John went up Tuesday and spent some time on the lakes. From all indication they were pretty lucky Thursday & Friday.

Well, as usual the food over shadowed everything else. Friday afternoon Louis, Clarence & Jack fired up the cookers about 4:00 P.M and by 5:00 PM we were feasting on some of the best catfish ever served. Let's face it; if you were not there you missed a good one. In addition to the fish there were fries, (home made hushpuppies by Esther), fried okra, pickles, onions, coleslaw, potato salad and a host of other miscellaneous items not to mention all the desserts.

Then Saturday afternoon a group of us went to Nicki's for Mexican.

After the meeting Saturday Jack presented a package on our trip to Branson in September. There is a lot of interest in this trip. He has 10 rigs already

signed up to go. If you were not at the meeting and are planning to go you need to get in touch with Jack at 318 452-6748.

We plan to leave from Alexandria Sunday morning, September 20th, spend the night in Arkadelphia, AR and on to Branson Monday. The plan is to leave Branson on the following Saturday.

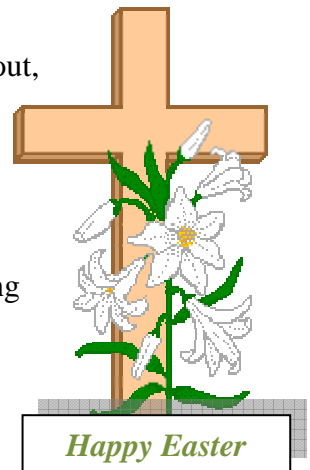
Jack will be taking names for the shows at the next meeting. It is not necessary for everyone to attend the same shows.

Our guest Perry & Billye Fleming fit right in. They are experienced campers from Pineville. We understand that they already have reservations to join us at Colfax in April.

And speaking of the April Campout, it will be at the Colfax RV Park in Colfax starting on April the 23rd. **Notice this is the 4th weekend.**

The meal will be pot luck, so bring **your** favorite dish.

You don't want to miss this campout. A couple special activities are planned. Plans are being made to tour the Lock and Dam on Friday and a trip to visit and old tractor collection.



Happy birthday Bob King on the 11th, Margie Hampshire on the 6th and Bob Walker on the 27th!

Happy Anniversary Tom & Flo Miller

Don't forget to make your reservations at Colfax. The number is 318 627-2640.

Here is a recipe that was floating round at the March campout.

CARROT CABBAGE SLAW

- 4 Cups Shredded Cabbage
- 2 Cups Shredded Carrots
- 2 Medium Golden Delicious Apples, diced
- 1 Cup Raisins
- ½ Cup Chopped Walnuts
- ½ Cup Honey
- 1 Tablespoon Lemon Juice
- 1 Cup (8 oz) Sour Cream
- ¼ Teaspoon Salt
- 1/8 Teaspoon Pepper
- 1/8 to ¼ Teaspoon Ground Nutmeg, optional

In a large serving bowl, combine the cabbage, the carrots, apples, raisins and walnuts. In a small bowl, combine the honey and lemon juice until smooth. Stir in the sour cream, salt, pepper and nutmeg if desired. Stir into cabbage mixture. Serve or chill.

Yield: 12 servings.

“A democracy is nothing more than mob rule, where fifty-one percent of the people may take away the rights of the other forty-nine.”
Thomas Jefferson --

2009 Camping Schedule

Apr	23 - 25	Colfax RV Park, Colfax, LA
May	14 – 16	Poche's RV Park, Breaux Bridge, LA
Jun	18 – 20	Nakatosh RV Park, Natchitoches, LA
Jul	9 – 11	Colfax RV Park, Colfax, LA
Aug	13 – 15	Poche's RV Park, Breaux Bridge, LA
Sep	22	Trip to Branson, MO
Oct	Open	
Nov	12 – 14	Poche's RV Park, Breaux Bridge, LA
Dec	10 – 12	Colfax, RV Park, Colfax, LA

Gift Schedule

April 2009	Louis & Eva
May 2009	Huey & Elsie
June 2009	Al & Mrgie
July 2009	John & Charlie
August 2009	Charles & Bonnie
September 2009	Bob & Phyllis
October 2009	Al & Joyce
November 2009	Waymon
December 2009	David & Janie
January 2010	Jack & Shelia
February 2010	Tom & Flo
March 2010	Herb & Yvonne
April 2010	Bob & Margie
May 2010	Charlie & Esther
Jun 2010	Clarence & Jessie
July 2010	Cal & Betty
August 2010	Earl & Sharon