



# Rainbow Riders Newsletter

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Just fabulous is the way I will describe our Christmas campout in Newton, TX. The weather was not the greatest (a little rain, snow, sleet, wind and a little sunshine), but they have a wonderful clubhouse and everyone watched from inside. We did get out for a few short trips. Of course Wal-Mart was top of the list.... Some of the folks went to the Heritage Village Museum in Woodville, TX and ate at the Pickett House Restaurant Thursday and some went to the Catfish Cabin in Japer, TX for diner on Saturday.

Earl did his thing Saturday morning with biscuits, and of course we had plenty left over ham and brisket from the Christmas dinner. Well, I am getting a little ahead of myself. Let me back up to Friday evening and the Christmas Dinner. It was just great; Charlie Haynes brought a large ham and brisket that was just fantastic. Everyone brought the trimmings. What a feast? We had two great Santa's to pass out the gifts.



After the gifts were opened, Herb played the Accordion while Esther led the gang singing Christmas Carols and then it was back to the games.

Some of the guys went to a flea market Friday. Evidently the fleas were either bad or cost too much. I did not see any.

It is hard to describe the fun we had at this campout. Whispering Creek RV Park is an excellent park with an excellent clubhouse. They have some nice cabins (motel). Tom & Flo rented a room Friday night. Their motorhome brakes went out on their way over Thursday, so they turned around and went

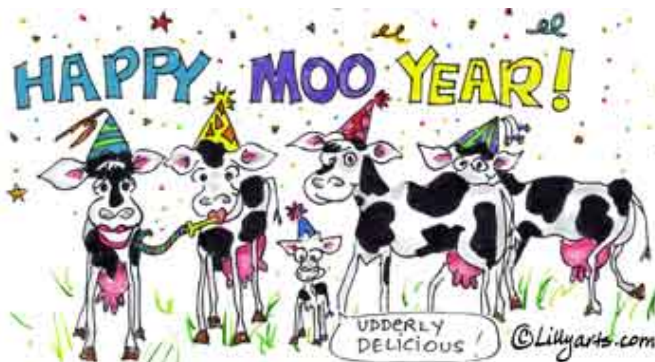


back home. They actually rode over with the Walkers Friday, having their jeep in tow by the Walkers motorhome – excellent fuel mileage.

The park has 50 amp service, but they do need cablevision. They do have satellite service in the clubhouse and in the motel. They also have free wireless internet service in the motel and the RV sites located near the motel.

At the meeting Saturday the 2009 officers were installed. President: Sharon Beauregard, Vice President: Janie Vicknair, Secretary-Treasurer: Louis Crusenberry, and Wagon Master: Jack Daughtry.

The new coordinators: Eva Crusenberry – Food, Esther – decorations, Jessie – games and Herb is going to scout out things to do at each camping location.



Well, we will start the New Year off at Colfax RV Park starting on the 15<sup>th</sup> of January.

The food menu will be Soul Food. Eva has contacted most of you and here is a list of what is being brought so far. If you are coming and have not yet put your name in the “pot” give her a call at 443-9009.

- Eva .....Fried Chicken
- Yvonne.....Turnip Greens
- Jessie.....Corn Bread
- Janie.....Cabbage & pork chops
- Flo.....Yams
- Joyce Lofton .....Black eyed peas
- Esther .....Rice & Gravy
- Charlie Haynes...Chicken & Dumplings
- Sharon.....Desserts

Happy Anniversary to Earl and Sharon on January 24<sup>th</sup>.

Happy birthday Herb Bergeron and Waymon Freeman on January the 13<sup>th</sup> and Al Lauret on January the 6th.

Gift Schedule	
<b>January 2009</b>	<b>Charlie &amp; Esther</b>
February 2009	Clarence & Jessie
March 2009	Earl & Sharon
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

2009 Camping Schedule		
<b>Jan</b>	<b>15 – 17</b>	<b>Colfax RV Park, Colfax, LA.</b>
Feb	19 – 21	Lincoln Parish Park, Ruston
Mar	19 – 21	Nakatosh RV Park, Natchitoches, LA
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	Open	
Oct	Open	
Nov	12 – 14	Poche’s RV Park, Breaux Bridge, LA
Dec	10 – 12	Colfax, RV Park, Colfax, LA



A little girl was talking to her teacher about whales. The teacher said it was physically impossible for a whale to swallow a human because even though a whale is a very large mammal, its throat is very small. The little girl stated that Jonah was swallowed by a whale. The teacher reiterated that a whale could not swallow a human, it was impossible. The little girl said, "When I get to heaven I will ask Jonah". The teacher asked, "What if Jonah went to hell?" The little girl replied, "Then you ask him!"