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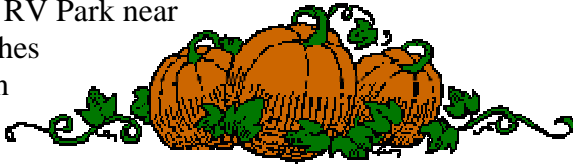
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I guess by now everyone knows the September Campout was canceled due to lack of participation.

We have done a survey and it looks like we will have a good turn out for the October Campout at Nakotosh RV Park near Natchitoches

starting on the 16th.



Of course there are some good eating places in Natchitoches, but for our meal on Friday evening we will have hamburgers and hot dogs. Charlie Haynes is going to buy all the necessary ingredients. The only thing that we need to bring is desert and what ever you want to drink. Of course coffee is always available.

President Haynes will be appointing a nominating committee at the October meeting. Be thinking about who you want to be officers next year. According to our bye laws all the current officers must be replaced. They have all served two consecutive terms.

We do have some witches born in October.

Jack Daughtry on the 25th, Al Hampshire on the 10th, Phyllis King on the 5th and Flo Miller on the 9th!

The Kings were married on the 16th and the Walkers on the 17th.

In November our campout will be at Lincoln Parish Park near Ruston starting on the 13th.

I really want to talk about the December campout (our Christmas campout).

I have heard some comments/rumors that it is going to be too far to travel.

Let me give you some facts before you decide not to go.

Of course it will be at Whispering Creek RV Park near Newton, TX. Again, just because it is in Texas does not mean it is too far away. Here are some examples.

From Alexandra to Whispering Creek is 103 miles.

From Alexandria to Poche's is 92 miles

From Alexandria to Myers Landing (where we have always had our Christmas campout) is 107 miles (Whispering Creek RV park is 100 times better than Myers Landing)

From Alexandria to Lagneaux RV Park is 100 miles

From Iota to Whispering Creek is 100 miles

From Iota to Lincoln Parish Park is 171 miles

From Iota to West Monroe is 171 miles

From Iota to Natchitoches is 135 miles

I will include the directions in the December Newsletter.

2008 Camping Schedule		
Oct	16 -18	Nakotosh RV Park, Natchitoches, LA
Nov	13 - 15	Lincoln Parish Park, Ruston LA
Dec	11 - 13	Whispering Creek RV Park, Newton, TX
2009 Camping Schedule		
Jan	15 - 17	Colfax RV Park, Colfax, LA.
Feb	19 - 21	Lincoln Parish Park, Ruston (not confirmed)
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	17 - 19	Pavilion RV Park, West Monroe, LA
Oct	Open	
Nov	12 - 14	Poche's RV Park, Breaux Bridge, LA
Dec	10 - 12	Colfax, RV Park, Colfax, LA

Since we did not camp in September we just moved everyone up to bring the gift by one month starting with Jack & Sheila in October.

Gift Schedule	
October 2008	Jack & Sheila
November 2008	Tom & Flo
December 2008	Bob & Margie
January 2009	Joyce Kebodeaux
February 2009	Charlie & Esther
March 2009	Clarence & Jessie
April 2009	Earl & Sharon
May 2009	Louis & Eva
June 2009	Huey & Elsie
July 2009	Al & Margie
August 2009	John & Charlie
September 2009	Charles & Bonnie
October 2009	Bob & Phyllis
November 2009	Al & Joyce
December 2009	Waymon
January 2010	David & Janie

PUMPKIN BREAD

Ingredients :

- 1/3 cup vegetable oil
- 1/2 teaspoon ground cloves
- 1 cup fresh or canned pumpkin puree
- 3 eggs 1 cup sugar
- 2 teaspoons ground cinnamon
- 1/2 cup raisins
- 2 1/3 cups Bisquick
- Pinch of ground nutmeg (optional)

Preparation :

Preheat the oven to 350 degrees. Grease a 9- by 5-inch loaf pan. In a large bowl, mix all the ingredients together with a wooden spoon. Pour the mixture into the prepared pan. Bake for 45 minutes. Test with a knife-if the knife comes out clean, the bread is ready. If not, put back in the oven for another 5-10 minutes. Cool before removing from the pan. Keep in a plastic bag, in a cover dish in a cool location or in the refrigerator. When you are ready to serve, cut into slices, then cut out slices with a pumpkin-shaped cookie cutter and spread with cream cheese or jam. Serves 12 to 18,