

February, 2014



Triple Creek RV Music Park Newsletter



**OUR FAVORITE NATIVE:
PILEATED "WOODPICKER"**

SUPER BOWL 2014

We will have our traditional Super Bowl party, and watching it on the BIG screen. Come join us for the day on Sunday February 2. The Seattle Seahawks and Denver Broncos will meet at MetLife Stadium in New Jersey for Super Bowl XLVIII.

No matter what the weather is there, it will be warm and homey at Triple Creek

**Always check
our web site for
current
activities and
schedules!!!**



Music Schedule:

- 1st Saturday weekend:
Gospel
 - 2nd Saturday weekend:
Open Jam (Pickin')
 - 3rd Saturday weekend:
Classic Country
 - 4th Saturday weekend:
Bluegrass
 - 5th Saturday weekend:
Open Jam (Pickin')
- unless Special Activity
planned (see Website)

New Years at Triple Creek

If you weren't at Triple Creek for our annual New Years dance, you missed a special event. Our in-house band, *The Dirt Road Express* turned out dance music that stirred the hearts of young and old. This year, the band was honored to be joined by Lil' Teri on the keyboard. Lil' Teri sang her songs that just sent chills up your spine with all the excitement. She was absolutely great. In addition to that, her comical routine kept the audience laughing and just waiting for her to say something else. It was a good time for all. She will be back next year too!

Pictured is Lil' Teri warming up with the others in the band.



January 11th was a great night at Triple Creek.



The Jam Shack was absolutely packed as Eldon & Ann Whitford opened the show at 6:00 pm and got the audience involved with some western swing music. They brought back the memories of when we were kids watching the westerns on Saturday morning with the singing cowboys. The audience was providing some really wonderful sound effects, and someone had the greatest “Moooooo” you ever heard on a dusty trail.



After a while, the Redhead Express took the stage. We all know what they are like, as they have been returning to Triple Creek for many years now. What wonderful musicians, and wonderful people. As always, they delighted the crowd with their rendition of beautiful bluegrass music. They didn't play as many old favorites, but they stirred the audience with their new sounds.

Currently they are recording their debut country album with renowned producer, Paul Worley. Their original songs, penned by the eldest sister, Kendra, are lyrically rich and soulful, laden with gorgeous, harmonies and unique instrumental arrangements. The fresh, unique sound of Redhead Express left the Triple Creek audience breathless and wanting more!

Party Time!



During the month of January, the moon was full and bright as shown in this picture. It was so bright and the weather cooperated that it was time for an outdoor party.



So they lit up a great fire and roasted some food and all enjoyed a good time. By the Way, all of this took place in our new facility, The Honey Shack. This

building is located next to Miss Ethel's house. If you go by there, you will see some additional wood carving done by Dan. This new facility has running water and electricity for our outdoor events. Its been a while in the making, but slowly its coming along, and will soon start taking on an entirely new look. Good times!



Join Us for Pickin' in the Pines!

Deadwood Dan comes to Triple Creek

Dan Tanner is the chain saw carver that now calls Triple Creek home.



If you look around the park, you will see many examples of Dan's beautiful wood work. However, inside the Jam Shack, we have the wooden Indian that Marc always wanted. He was such a great success with our many visitors, that we decided to commission Dan to create a companion for him. They now are both inside the jam shack keeping all of us company. When you actually see these three-dimensional wooden sculptures, you will see they are both life-sized and have extreme detail to them. Each of these sculptures were made from white oak trees that grew there at Triple Creek, but perished in the recent drought.

As you walk around the park, you will see other sculptures created by Dan. He provides world class custom chainsaw carvings onsite, as entertainment and demonstration. If you have a tree stump at your house or place of business that you would like carved, Dan can work with you to design and create a sculpture onsite. He travels all over the country creating custom sculpture. If you want to hire him to create a custom chainsaw sculpture and you don't have a log, we can probably help you. If you are looking for a chainsaw carving demonstration at your event, Dan is willing.



Both of the carvings on the left are out in the park. The far left is by the wash house. The guitar is in back by the Daddy Frank Shack.

Pictured on the right is the start of the carving above.



Join Us for Pickin' in the Pines!

We are getting more and more new talent at Triple Creek.

Here in this picture, we have the **Doucette Family Band**, from Waller, Texas. What a wonderful surprise they were as they entertained. We hope they provide us with advanced notice in the future so we can load up the Jam Shack with their unique blend of bluegrass.

Below we have Dave Odegar and more newcomers. Thanks to Dave for getting the Doucette's to Triple Creek, as well as Ronnie Collins and friends from Louisiana! They made some great chicken and sausage



gumbo for the pot-luck... and were great singers also! They have also promised to return... and we are counting on it!!!!



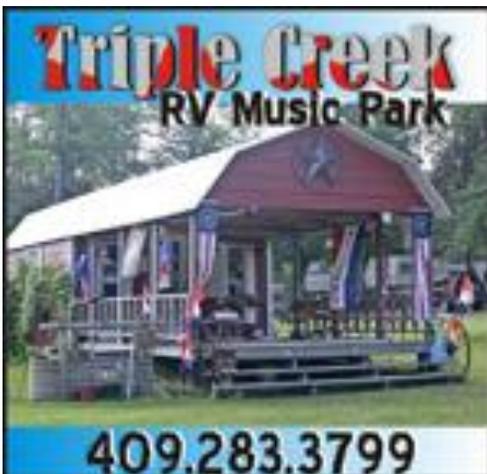
Bost Family Traditions —

Another great family band will be returning to Triple Creek in April! They will be here for the Country Weekend, and may possibly still be in the area for Bluegrass... mark you calendars and be sure to be here in April!!!

Winnaway Bed & Breakfast

Our good friends David and Susie Winn operate Winnaway Bed & Breakfast adjacent to Triple Creek. Equipped with a private bath, kitchenette, and a big fireplace. It has two queen sized beds and has dish network and high speed internet. You have access to a pond for relaxing, fishing or canoeing. They have over 40 acres to hike with beautiful trees and a creek that runs through it. Wether you need a place to stay while you are working in our area or a weekend to catch your breath, they will be happy to provide your lodging needs.

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Bay Area Bluegrass Association

You can thank the work campers for all that they do as well! They are all a big help to keep Triple Creek RV the wonderful place we all enjoy...
THANKS!

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