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Triple Creek RV Music Park Newsletter



OUR FAVORITE NATIVE:
PILEATED "WOODPICKER"

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




Redhead Express




Triple Creek's own family of the Redhead Express will be here January 9th, 2016. Folks, they only keep getting better.....and larger (they now have some new family members). The girls have grown up after all the years of appearing here at Triple Creek, and started families of their own. However, the extended family is traveling and contributing to this wonderful family of music. As usual, they will be providing work-shops, so come early, and plan to stay late as you get to mingle and work with this group of professionals. Its certainly going to be a great time as they come home and share with us their life's many adventures. Pack plenty of cash to donate so they can continue in their education and travels.

Work Campers

Please take time to thank the many work campers that make their way through Triple Creek. Each has been a great fit who enjoy long-term camping and add a little extra adventure to their trips.

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)



POT LUCK DINNERS!

Please remember that the events on the weekends are all FREE. We also ALWAYS have a Pot Luck dinner before we kick off the music playing. If you weren't able to pick up something for the Pot Luck, just donate cash to the Pink Pig. Donations are used for Jam Shack supplies, as well as the ever growing cost of electricity that is used by the AC. Those providing the dinner will appreciate everyone participating.

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JOB WANTED!

Here is a picture of "Little" Ricky. He is looking for a full time job in the Woodville area. If you know of anything, please let Karen or Marc know and we will relay the message. He currently has a part time job in town, but is looking for something that will provide him with full time work.

Little Ricky is a great hand around Triple Creek and if you have noticed, he is willing to pitch in and do everything. His youth is driving him to constantly be in motion, We are willing to tell any potential employer just how dedicated and reliable he is.



Bob and Jeri Weeks!

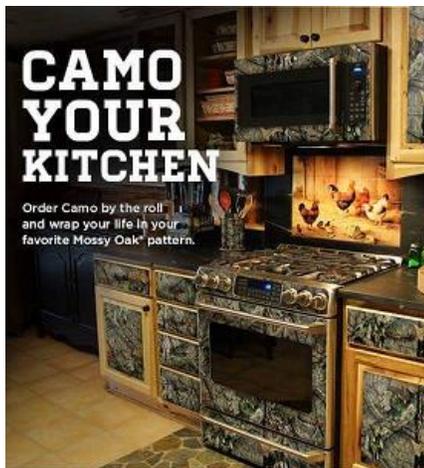
OK, follow this trail. Per the previous post, Robert and Barbara Anderson decided to sell their park model and travel the roads. Well Bob and Jeri Weeks decided they have seen the roads, so they purchased the park model so they could settle down here at Triple Creek, and call it home. As a result, they now have this LARGE motor home for sale. It could be yours. Talk to the owners and find out all about it. They have loved it while they had it, so you could be parking it at Triple Creek. Come and join the fun!

2001 National Tradewinds LTC.
39 foot, 2 slides.
330 cat, 63,000 miles. 7.5 KW generator.



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Karen found this, and thinks that it would make a great edition to the Jam shack. It would be the perfect blend for what is the Woodville culture. I'm wondering if we should get our motorhome wrapped. Only problem with that is no one could see it.



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Jerry and Suzanne



8:00
AM

We all know Jerry and Suzanne. They move at their own pace. Well, they recently announced they were leaving (again) and told us the date of departure. Then they even said they were leaving “Early” in the morning. Of course, if you know Jerry and Suzanne, you will certainly understand what “early means to them.



9:30
AM

We have assembled a series of pictures to show you their progress of rapid succession. Notice how the first picture was taken at 8:00 am. This is after they had prepared the day before, and had packed up!

Then at 9:30, you can see the great deal of progress.



12:00
PM

Here at noon, the rig is looking road worthy. Things (or most of them) are put away and good bye’s have been said several times to all that passed. Both Jerry and Suzanne were telling everyone that they will be back. They said they were Oregon bound, but who really knows about these two.



1:00
PM

So what time did they finally get off to their “early” start? What time you ask? Well, they were right on time! It was 1:30 in the afternoon. Gosh we hope they come back again soon.. Suzanne said she wants to be part of the Thanksgiving family so they are going to shoot for that time.



Mulch

If you look around Triple Creek and see dirt work, its just improvements. We are leveling some of the sites. In addition to that, we are hauling in tons (literally) of mulch to put down in the sandy areas to encourage the grass to grow and thrive. We are making Triple Creek one green place.

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In The News!

- Our ol' Friend Darrell Segura—Marc, - Good newsletter. I read it from start to finish. There are a lot of articles about Yankee influence creeping into the park. I'm thinking this is a good time for a name change to make sure the East Texas tradition does not get diluted. How about "Triple Creek." It has that hardcore country sound. It's as simple as dropping an "e." It will also be easier for the non-sophisticated campers to spell or look up.
- I think you remember Garage Band Charley from our Huguen Christmas parties? He is retiring from a life at sea, so we might be available to come up and play within the next 2-3 months. I'll keep you posted.
- Former Park Hosts Lynda (Honey) and Royce have retired from Triple Creek and returned to Tyler/Arp. They left behind a lot of memories and flowers that Royce planted all over the park.
- Tommy is very busy with his nephew's proposed new RV Resort in Texas City/ La Marque. He keeps telling us about it, and says that eventually he will be moved down there.
- Ricky and family are the new Park Hosts. This has really inspired Ricky. If you know him at all, you will find it surprising that he is now getting up and riding the park before 9:00 am. We are all surprised to see this change in him.
- Deadwood Dan has his mother coming to live with us here at Triple Creek. She recently came down for a visit, and Kenny showered her with his attention at the Jam Shack, that she decided to call our place home. She is coming to live with us. No she's not. Yes she is. No she's not. For sure she is. Oh, we guess only time will tell! Welcome home! (She will be here in September!)
- Editor received a note from Carl Stump— Carl is in Maine, looking for a house to buy, got to get away from too many New Yawkas. Then back to Florida where the Stump Hollow band has come out of retirement. That's about it... And yes, he will be back to Texas, as he still thinks of "Ya'll" often.
- Miss Ethel is doing fine. She is no longer driving, but she has a host of friends that take care of her. She is a wonderful lady, and always has a smile n her face. Neighbors go grocery shopping for her and deliver to her door. Now that is service.
- If you have any news about people that have passed through Triple Creek, please let the editor know, and it shall be published. Editor can be reached at info@triplecreekrv.com



Paul Bunion Never looked like this!

There was a rotten tree by Tommy's that had to come down. The task was completed by many people. They all studied and discussed the project before starting the cut.

While the job was successful, only two people were proud enough to pose for the picture. To the left is Leo, and to the right is Little Ricky. For some reason, I just don't see Pal Bunion looking like Little Ricky.

BTW, the tree will be cut and split to make firewood to be burned this winter when we heat the Jam Shack. As you may know, we heat the Jam Shack all winter totally with wood that has been cut down due to rot or something like that. We are into recycling. Thanks to the folk that get to the Jam Shack early and get the fire started so all of us can be warm when we get there.

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New Yard Art.

Karen laughed at Marc when he came home with this “new” tractor. However, Deadwood Dan and Ricky put their creative minds together and came up with this “yard art”. The planter was something that was on location at the barn, so it was just moved down to be part of this art. Take a look at it, and be sure to complement Deadwood and Ricky.

It is even sprouting some plants back in the seeder that will only add to the “beauty”???



This looks like potential “Yard Art” too, but right now I’m not willing to just let it sit. I’ll fix it up.

Origins of bluegrass music

As traditional styles of music go, bluegrass is a youngster. The first notes sounded over the radios in mountain kitchens and parlors around 1939, as Bill Monroe and his band the Blue Grass Boys introduced audiences to their innovative approach to string band music. On February 2, 1939, the Blue Grass Boys played on Asheville’s WWNC, in what many regard as the band’s first broadcast. To people in the Carolina mountains who were raised on what we now call old-time music, there was a lot about the new style that sounded like home. Some of the familiar elements of an old-time string band were there: fiddle and guitar, plus the mandolin (Monroe’s instrument) and upright bass. The band’s performances included fiddle tunes that one might hear at any Saturday-night square dance, old familiar heart songs about mother and home, and multi-part harmony singing drawn from gospel styles of the day. Even Monroe’s own voice and mandolin were already known to many listeners, from his earlier recordings and broadcasts with his brother Charlie.

But bluegrass introduced new sounds, too. For one thing, then as now, the musicians took “breaks.” That is, they traded turns playing the instrumental lead—a departure from the unison approach of much old-time string band music. And those instrumental breaks were often highly improvisational. While improvisation in old-time music is subtle, bluegrass makes greater flights of fancy, an approach often compared to the creative spirit of jazz.



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K-2 was the winner of the July 4th bingo black out. As a result, she won the new Triple Creek T shirt. Notice that it says....

"I don't need THERAPY, I need to go to Triple Creek RV Music Park.

Actually, she needed something to cover up her loud colors that she was wearing. We

think she is too young to be wearing hippie clothes, but there she was in all her radiant color! Oh my.



Who is this?

For as long as Marc and Karen have lived at Triple Creek, a lady that lives there has been touting how she looked when she and John were young. In fact, she often eludes to a picture of her and how she looked in her coconut bra. Well to protect the innocent, we have removed her face from this picture. However, we all know her and love her. Lets see, to give you a hint of who this is, we will tell you that she now lives in a park model next to DJ.

BTW, this is the same lady that was out in her leopard print house coat the night our house burned down. She was proudly showing that off to all the fire fighters that showed up. Gosh she looked great in that evening glow of the fire.

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. Weather 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

Monthly Show

The BABA monthly show is held on the third Saturday of each month at the Johnny Arolfo Civic Center (except July and December) at 300 W. Walker, League City. The stage show begins at 7:00 PM, but pickers are welcome to bring their instruments and come earlier.