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Triple Creek RV Music Park Newsletter



OUR FAVORITE NATIVE:
PILEATED "WOODPICKER"

Late Again ???

The editor of this newsletter (Marc) is spending more and more time with his momma as her Parkinson's progresses. She is doing OK and with the help of Marc, she is still living in her own home.

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

CURRENT ACTIVITIES

February 14, there will be a Valentine's dance with 50's music. Love will be in the air as our Valentine's party is the place to be to celebrate friendship and romance. Come one and come all to the dance. Who knows, we might even turn the lights down low so you can have a little snuggle with your honey (you will get that intensely romantic ambience)! Of course, the color palette will be red, pink and white!



- We are expecting famous couples to show up such as Romeo and Juliet as well as Cleopatra and Marc Antony.
- We are anticipate movie and literature inspiration such as "Phantom of the Opera", :Casablanca and other movies.
- To further heighten the ambiance, we will be playing only romantic music. Who knows, we may even get in some Frank Sinatra, Etta James, and other artists known for romantic music.
- Our own house band, *The Dirt Road Express* is preparing to take the stage with a list of romantic music to fill the mood.

Oh, and look for Mrs. Audrey's cookouts. You know how she is when the spring hits her! That outside kitchen of hers goes into action !



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)

God Bless America !



For those of you that have seen all of Dan's eagle carvings around Triple Creek, it will come to no surprise to you that Karen has carried the American theme a little further. She now has a beautiful truck that she calls "America". While America has the capacity to be a real working truck, we just don't think it will ever see any duty other than hauling her around. Right now she's thinking it looks good, but with a little more frills, it will look great. What we know is that it turns heads where ever she goes. When she parks it, there are always plenty of people coming out to take pictures of it. Somewhere on it, she is going to have to add the words, "God Bless America"! That will do it!



Join Us for Pickin' in the Pines!



Remember Charles?

As you know, we have been looking for a lovingly affectionate name to refer to him by. The name of "Charles" just did not seem appropriate for a fellow that is so connected with nature. No, if he was going to live at Triple Creek, he needed a name that is more in line with his real charisma. As you know, we have been working on this for a while, and finally Royce hit upon a winner. We now refer to Charles as "Lewis and Clark", or just "LC" for short. If you remember your history, Lewis and Clark was the first expedition to cross what is now the western portion of the United States. Well LC has been exploring all around Triple Creek. He and "Deadwood" Dan have found all kinds of artifacts that are now in the Jam Shack. Take a look at what they have found and then just envision what animals were around Triple Creek hundreds



Charles Kruvand or "Lewis and Clark", or just "LC" for short is a professional photographer. He is continuously capturing the beauty that surrounds us here at Triple Creek. Here are a few pictures that he took just behind us on rush creek. Take the time to explore the area. Thanks to the effort of some work campers, you can now easily follow a nature trail in



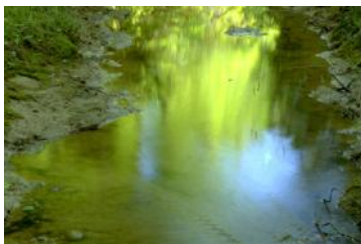
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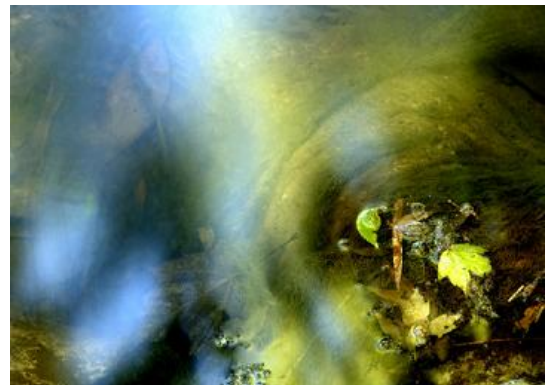
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The recipe for beauty is to have less illusion and more Soul, to retreat from the belief of pain an pleasure in the body into the unchanging calm and glorious freedom of spiritual harmony.



Beauty is an experience, nothing else. It is not a fixed pattern or an arrangement of features. It is something felt, a glow or a communicated sense of fineness. What ails us is that our sense of beauty is so bruised and blunted, we miss all the best.



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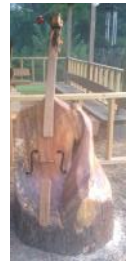
Deadwood Dan comes to Triple Creek

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



If you haven't been to Triple Creek lately, you are missing a real treat. Dan Tanner is a tree carver that lives with us now. Dan can provide quality Artwork in sculpture, architecture, furniture and attachables to increase dimension to your home and landscape. Let him know how to help you achieve your artistic dreams!

If you see any of his carvings around Triple Creek that you would like, they are FOR SALE. Please help support Dan's carving habits.



It was a grand time at Triple Creek for the new year. The Dirt Road Express took to the stage to provide an evening of dance music that kept the floor hopping. In fact, we have a guest from Oregon that was just stealing the show as he sounded off on his many instruments. Jerry is his name, and we think he can play anything that has strings. He would play the peddle steel with perfection, and then when you couldn't think he could do any better, he would pick up the fiddle and make it talk. Why even New Guy (Gary), was playing with him and loudly proclaimed, "I love that guy". It was just that good. Hope you make it to our News Years celebration in the future!



Meet Sandy

If you were in the park around New Years, you met Sandy. She is a sensation! She is from Canada, and with just a casual passing, you know that she is just no common person. She and her pup are traveling alone. When we all got to know her, we found out that she was a professional tennis player. She even brought out pictures of her playing with many celebrities that we all know. She said she had to let them beat her or their fragile ego would have been crushed. Then when we kept talking to her, we discovered she was a famous figure skater where she did all those fabulous balancing acts on ice. Just when we thought we knew it all about her, we found out that she was the first female in the RCMP (Royal Canadian Mounted Police). Due to her work ethics, she was soon promoted to the Canadian Secret Service where she protected the monarchy of Canada, Queen Elizabeth II. Sandy was only here for a week, but she has vowed to return and let us learn more about her colorful past. By the way, she is one party animal!

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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!



Work Campers

Please take time to remember all our work campers that help to make Triple Creek what it is. Take a look at all the picnic tables that Jim just recently finished. With the help of Bob, they put these all together, treated them and got them painted. Visitors to Triple Creek should be enjoying these for many years to come. We will get the scattered around the park, so if you need to use one at your site, just drag it over there. We want everyone to feel at home.

The pigs! Take a look at Dan's pigs that are up at the barn. They get to enjoy all the left overs from the Jam Shack. Dan captured them from the area right around Triple Creek. Cute aren't they! We have found out that these critters like about everything, but they especially like bones! Karen has been trying to buy them store bought pig feed, but these animals just won't have anything to do with it. By the way, while these pigs were caught wild, they are just pets now. LC and Dan have been leading them around. Good thing is that the pigs are rooting up the corral, and Dan is planning on planting his spring garden up there. The ground will be tilled and fertilized, so why not!



In The News!

- Remember Cowboy and Debbie? They came to visit Triple Creek recently. They are doing well.
- Jimmy Ray is moving out of Triple Creek. The VA van that picks him up and takes him for treatment wants him to be in a place that is more accessible for them to assist with his medical needs. Jimmy is on oxygen now.
- 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 on her face. It's Ricky that goes grocery shopping for her. He is a wonderful guy, even if he is a Yankee.
- Dudley and Miss Audrey. As you know, Dudley had a little medical set back. He is doing OK, but his mornings are far better than his evenings. In the morning, he is able to deal misery to Marc, so that's when I go see him.
- Leo! Have you met Leo? Leo started coming up here with New Guy (Gary). Well looks like Leo is going to be a new permanent resident of Triple Creek. Who knows, we may even elect him as Mayor.
- Our red head Debbie is leaving Triple Creek. Family issues are requiring her to go back to Arkansas. We will miss you, as you were really a bright spot around here. Debbie is the "sister" of Sandy (of Danny and Sandy).
- Pat and Floyd have moved to Cleveland to take care of his mom. They still show up at Triple Creek on weekends though.
- Dean and Jo Anne are moving on early this spring. They are headed up to a park around John and Doyleene Dobbs. We are expecting all four of them to make the trip to Triple Creek on the weekends.



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.