



The Chatter – January 2018

Newsletter of the Clackamas Campers, A Chapter of the Oregon Good Sam Club

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2016 DFD Good Sam Club State Winner!

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Happy New Year to all.

Looking forward to a new camping season in this The 28th Year of the Good Sam Clackamas Campers (our BD is January 1990). And from the CC Roster goes congrats to *Betty Ely* for being a member since March 1991!

A big thanks to the 2017 CC team: Bob Schuckman-Pres., Carol McLaughlin-Sec., Cheryl Ridlon-Treas., Don MacKinnon-Wagonmaster, Dave Paulson-Membership. And welcome to your 2018 team: Art Hanson-V. Pres., Burt DeGraw-Treas., Teresa McGivern-Sec., Carol McLaughlin-Chatter Newsletter editor, Bill Shearer-Wagonmaster. Looking forward to the 2018 camp outs and extended trip.

I heard that you all had a great Christmas dinner Dec. 3rd at the View Point thanks to your hosts MacKinnons and Hansons. (Sorry that we missed it—it was our 51st wedding anniversary). For everyone not headed to the land of palm trees and sunshine, hoping that your rigs are winterized and you are staying warm.

Looking forward to seeing you at The Viewpoint Restaurant on Sunday, January 14th at 1 PM.

Dan

MINUTES: CLACKAMAS CAMPERS MINUTES, Devils Lake, October 28, 2017 and Dessert Auction, November 5, 2017 were printed in the Nov 2017 Chatter

WAGON MASTER REPORT – Bill Shearer

UPCOMING CAMPOUTS:

January 14, 2018 – Viewpoint Restaurant, Estacada at 1 PM. Hosts: MacKinnons. Dinner cost will be \$20.00 including gratuity. The DFD Raffle volunteers are MacKinnons, Hansons and DeGraws.

February 22, 2018 – Heidi’s Restaurant, 1230 Cleveland Ave., Gresham, OR – Hosts: Rileys. You will be ordering from the menu. We need volunteers for the DFD Raffle!!

March 22-24, 2018 – Portland-Woodburn RV, Woodburn, OR. Phone: 888-988-0002. Hosts: Hansons/DeGraws. DFD Raffle volunteer is Schuckmans. We need at least two more volunteers.

As a reminder, there is a change in the 2018 camping schedule. Drop April, Port of Newport; add April 12-14, Kampers West, Warrenton, Oregon. First night’s deposit is being paid by Clackamas Campers and will be reimbursed to the group at campout.

BIRTHDAYS AND ANNIVERSARIES

Happy belated January 4th birthday to Wayne Hauck!!! And Happy Belated Anniversary January 4th to Bob and Bonnie Gardner. Rumor has it they are getting close to the Golden Year!

NOTICES:

2018 Clackamas Campers Roster, Revision 1 is attached. Update includes new address for Shirley Cullison (shown in red). Changes to the Roster include removal of Barb Guetschow and Murva and Don Milbradt. Bill and Bea Conley have gone to Associate status.

June 7-9, 2018 Campout is at Olde Stone Village in McMinneville, OR. Phone 877-472-4315. Hosts are Pendergraft/Riley. Don Pendergraft advises we need to call **now** and make our own reservations.

The volunteers for “Dogs for Better Living” (DFD) Raffle is attached. Please consider filling in the blank lines at least for February and March. Let Carol McLaughlin your preferences.

Our 2017 donation to Dogs for Better Living (DFD) honoring *Jim Guetschow and Ardis Hood* was \$2062.25. Thank you to everyone for your support! We will be visiting the facility in 2019.