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UTAH STATE DIRECTOR'S MESSAGE

"Teamwork divides the task and multiplies the success. Chapter members make a difference."

This year has gone by so fast that it is hard to believe the Holiday Season it is almost here. I am looking forward to the Presidents' Meeting in December and the installation of Harold Jacklin as the 2011-2012 State Director. The last four years have been a great experience for Carol Jean and me; however, it is time for someone else to take charge.

I would like to thank all of you for giving me the pleasure of being your State Director, and to my State Staff, for making my job easier. If anyone has been offended by how I have done my job, I would ask for your forgiveness. As many of you know, in July I spent a few days in the hospital, and I am grateful for all the prayers, calls and cards that I received. I am doing much better now and am looking forward to following the sun south for the winter.

As I recall some of the highlights of my tenure, it has been exciting to be part of the interaction of all the chapters pulling together to make our Samboree the best in Region Two. We have received many positive responses and I want you all to know your work and effort has not gone unnoticed.

As we have traveled within our region and part of Region One, I have been proud to represent the great State of Utah. Thanks for the opportunity of getting to know you. I will always treasure the many friendships we have formed. Keep building your chapters by adding new friends.

May all of you have a Happy Holiday Season.

~ Glenn and Carol Jean

OUR NEW UTAH GOOD SAM STATE DIRECTORS FOR 2011-2012

In January, Harold Jacklin will take over the reins of State Director for the Utah Good Sam Organization. Harold and his wife Rosalie are members of the Utah Deer Sams and Harold has served as his chapter's president from 2006 through 2009. They have four children, eight grandchildren and two great grandchildren.

Harold's professional life was spent serving in the educational community. After 34 years in public schools, he taught secondary education at BYU for ten years. He has also held leadership positions in his local community of Pleasant Grove. Harold has stated that he is "committed to the goals and objectives of the International, State, and Local Good Sam organization."

Welcome to the Jacklins as our new Utah State Directors!



Rosalie and Harold Jacklin

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Welcome @ New Members

Ron & Eileen Gonzales ~ Happy Hobos Lyman & Jane Tidwell ~ Happy Hobos

CHAPTER NEWS

BEEHIVE ROAMERS ~ Salt Lake /Davis Counties

AUGUST: Declo, Idaho, here we come! Eleven rigs and twenty-one members set off for our week long camp-out. After arriving and setting up, a potluck was enjoyed by everyone. Many attended church on Sunday, relaxed and watched a movie, resting up for a trip to Perrine Memorial Bridge in Twin Falls on Monday. Dinner was at Golden Corral on Monday evening so everyone had plenty to eat before playing games. Tuesday was a free day with various activities including golf, lawn games, reading, visiting and just relaxing. Bill & Gerri Finch made a yummy dessert for everyone in the evening. A tour of Minidoka Dam, including a picnic at Lake Walcott, was the highlight for Wednesday. Our business meeting was held on Thursday afternoon followed by a delicious meal served by our wonderful hosts for the week, Jay & Millie Francis, Bob & Joan Barlow and Don & Eleanor Lange. Friday was an open day with a Rodeo in the evening at the Cassia County Fair in Burley. What a wild and fun way to end our week long excursion before leaving.

SEPTEMBER: Five rigs and eleven members enjoyed the Tag-Along in Delta. Thank you to our hosts Merrill & Carole Rowley. We enjoyed the car show, lots of good eating, time spent with other chapter members, games with winners galore! Bob Barlow was a big winner, along with Merrill and Carole. Congratulations to all the winners!

OCTOBER: East Bay R.V. Park in Springville was our final camp-out for 2010 with 27 members attending. Many days were spent quilt tying by numerous hard working members to take to Primary Children's Hospital. Also many baby hats were donated by members. Wednesday morning we visited the Krishna Lotus Temple in Spanish Fork. Our visit included a tour of the temple, lunch, entertainment. It was a most enjoyable experience. Dinner was at Sizzler's in Provo. Our meeting was held on Friday afternoon with Chapter President Merrill Rowley presiding. An election was held. Elected was Frank Murphy as Vice President and Arlene Stringham, Secretary. Our sincere thanks to Frank and Arlene for their service. Much discussion was held as to ways our chapter can save money. Assignments for 2011 were drawn, and a motion to Pledge the Flag before each business meeting was passed and will begin in November. A delicious dinner was served and a big 'thank you' to our hosts Bill & Geri Finch and Dean & Dawn Callister. The past several months three of our members have passed away: Norma Jean Lord, Norma Philbrick and Jean Hubbard. Our love and sympathy goes out to the families of these wonderful women.

~ Marcenne Calderon

COLOR COUNTRY RAMBLERS ~ Washington inty.

<u>AUGUST:</u> Bryce Canyon Pines RV Park, Utah, was a perfect weather location for our get together. Our designated hosts,

Joe and Gwyn Moore, sadly could not attend due to the sudden death of their son. Gwyn had prepared most of the dinner for Thursday night and many ladies gathered to assemble it. The furnished spaghetti with homemade sauce, salad and garlic bread was delicious. Twenty-two members had a good time playing Washer Toss and Mexican Train. One couple even went fishing in a nearby lake, but just drowned worms. Joe Barnes, Marlene Edwards and Sharon Holwager celebrated birthdays in August.

SEPTEMBER: We combined our Annual Steak Fry, potluck and meeting with the State Tag-Along in Delta. We were honored to have State Directors Glenn and Carol Jean Carroll as our guests. Just 12 members were able to attend but all had a good time. The Power Plant tour was an extra bonus plus games, golf tournament, and a local car show. Jim Jensen was a winner in this local car show with his Ford Falcon convertible. There was an Apple Pie Contest with Nancy Holmes receiving an Honorable Mention award with a jar of apple butter. The Holmes won a \$50.00 certificate for Good Sam merchandise with their door prize ticket. September birthdays included Bob Benser, Gwyn Moore, Joe Moore, Richard Edwards, Roger Ensley, Richard Etzel, Kent Nicklas, Margaret Miller, Marge Crook and special friend Liz Blackwell.

OCTOBER: The Willowind RV Park in Hurricane, Utah, was the go-to-place for October. Twenty-seven members enjoyed this campground very much. We had some rainy weather, but the top-notch clubhouse saved us. Hosts Kent & Myra Nicklas planned our outing perfectly and fed us Thursday evening with a baked potato bar with all the goodies, salad, and desserts. Once again, a couple (namely Bob and Elverna Botts) went fishing and just drowned worms. Happy Birthday this month to John Holwager and Gary Harvey.

~ Dave Holmes

DEER SAMS ~ Utah County

AUGUST: Nestled in the beautiful Midway Valley, we enjoyed camping, fishing, four wheeling, golfing, yard sales, a Live Chinese Auction, ceramics, horse shoes, games, and "Minute to Win It". We never lack nourishment at our campouts and August was no exception. We had Allen's famous scones for breakfast, Lynn's wonderful homemade syrup and blueberries on our pancakes, Brent and Ron's great egg burritos, a potluck dinner, and the best for last, a milk can dinner. We had two special guests who made this milk can dinner successful, Gary and Linda Bridges. We appreciated them for sharing their talents and their friendship; they are both loads of fun and great friends. After our August chapter meeting we all laughed and enjoyed watching the "Minute to Win It" activity. We had members pulling tissues out of boxes; unwinding crepe paper; blowing up beach balls and letting air out of them; placing an Oreo cookie on your forehead and getting it into your mouth; and more. Everyone was laughing at how coordinated we all were. Our "Minute to Win It" Champion was Maryl Richards who just edged out our chapter president Lee Gillman by bouncing balls off the table into buckets. Everyone attended our campout, hosted by Ron & Lynn Todhunter and Brent & Jean North, except Alene Peay who had recently had heart surgery, and Carl & Kathy Pace who was attending their grandson's wedding. We had two couples tag-a-long. Later we received the devastating news of our cherished chapter member Carl Pace passing away after a courageous battle with cancer. He was truly the reason our chapter has grown and flourished. Carl nurtured each of us with his caring loving personality. We all are a better person having known him and will be forever grateful to him for this. Birthdays were: Jean Harvey and LaVern Walker. Anniversaries were: David & Maryl Richards, 51 years, and Ron & Lynn Todhunter, 44 years.

SEPTEMBER: Heading to Delta for the Fall Tag added excitement and enthusiasm to our chapter members as they met at Walker's in Payson to convoy to a weekend of fun, games and companionship. Everyone enjoyed participating in the games, golfing, and the apple pie contest. Several members walked away with golf awards; our team won the Bean Bag Baseball and the Crazy Golf tournaments. As a chapter, we were awarded the "Game Trophy." Phyllis Deuel won the Apple Pie Contest which just added to the success of the chapter's participation. Hosts were Gary & DyAnn Houston and Lee & Carolyn Gillman. Birthdays were: JJ Bowers, Ray Freeman, Ron Todhunter, Karen Jensen, Paul Morrell, and Steve Walker. Anniversaries were: DeLoss & Alene Peay, 61 year; Ray & Neva Freeman, 59 years; and Rulon & Venice Gammon, 47 years.

OCTOBER: Our dinner meeting was held at Sizzler Restaurant in Orem. Don & Jean Harvey and Allen & Louise Austin were our hosts. Everyone brought items such as baby receiving blankets, knitted shawls, and hygiene items. Cloth diapers, baby blankets, zip lock bags, onesies, thermometers, and cash donations were other items donated for our Haiti Project. The items are going to Haiti to a volunteer birth center and clinic there. In the rural areas of Haiti only 15% of births are attended by someone with the training and the supplies needed to make birthing safe. Items also were brought for an Eagle Scout Project donating to Afghanistan orphans. Hygiene kits, toothbrushes, slippers, blankets, school supplies, toys, clothes were some of the items donated to these children who have had a tough life and don't have much. Prizes were given to two lucky couples. Birthdays were: Bud Jensen, Jean North and Rulon Gammon. Anniversaries were: Harold & Rosalie Jacklin, 53 years; JJ & Sharon Bowers, 34 years; and Chris & Betty Christiansen, 57 years.

~ Jean North

HAPPY HOBOS ~ Utah County

AUGUST: We traveled to Manti for our four day outing. There were 15 rigs present which included our two new chapter couples who were voted in last month, Lyman & Jane Tidwell from American Fork and Ron & Eileen Gonzales from Pleasant Grove. We are excited to have them join us.

We were saddened to get the news of Jack Pace's accident while at Mt. Pleasant, making it impossible for them to come and join us and hope he has a complete recovery. Time was spent with the usual visiting, table games, Happy Hour, potluck dinner and chapter meeting on Thursday. The hosts planned a breakfast for Friday morning and with extra helping hands, cooked ham & eggs, hash browns and hot cakes. Our evening meal, fajitas, was catered, followed by the park owners driving us around town on a hay wagon to see some of the historical buildings in town. Saturday morning some of the group met at McDonald's in Ephraim for breakfast before the drive home. Birthdays this month were: Margret Miller, Wayne Peay, Ann Johnson and LaRae McMullin. Hosts were Richard & Marie Howell and Ken & Gwen Unthank.

SEPTEMBER: This reporter was unable to attend the Fall Tag-Along but those attending had a great time and said the state officers pulled off a great affair. Birthdays were: Loretta Carter, Jack Phillips and Jerry Wadley.

OCTOBER: A short drive down the freeway to East Bay RV Park was our destination. Our hosts were LeGrand & Marsha Whatcott and Jack & Joyce Phillips. They had the place really decorated for Halloween. Our scheduled outdoor games became indoor games because of the "iffy" weather.

That is what is so neat about going to East Bay; the indoor facilities for Plan B. Marsha conducted some unusual but fun games. Have you ever put an Oreo cookie on your forehead and worked it down to your mouth to eat? Sounds impossible but three in our group did it! Jim Green, Gwen Unthank and Ken McMullin. Ken did it twice, so he was the champ. We had a wonderful potluck on Wednesday and on Friday we went to the Chuck-a-Rama. There were several who went to the Springville Art Museum. Only two rigs were not present; however Jack & Darlene Pace and Jack Howell came and attended some of the activities. Birthdays: Arlo Walker, Ken McMullan, Lynn Gray, Jack Pace, Eula Riding, Ben Miller, Jerry Wadley and Wes Swenson. A note of extreme sadness for the Happy Hobos: our Wagon Master, Wayne Peay, passed away suddenly on the 19th of October from head injuries due to a fall the day before. We extend our love and sympathy to his wife Geri and his family.

~ Gwen Unthank

NORTHERN UTAH GOLDEN SPIKERS Ogden

AUGUST: Our campout was held at Mathews Meadow up Blacksmith Fork Canyon. It is a beautiful and peaceful place – however, it was an eventful and not too peaceful trip for some. As we headed up Sardine Canyon, the transmission blew on Wayne and Deyon Spendlove's truck. Not a good way to start the trip!! They spent a few hours on the side of the road waiting to get the truck and trailer towed. They were able to borrow their grandson's truck and bring the trailer up later that day. I'm thinking that they thought "Oh Bill" was getting too much attention, so the focus needed to be taken away from him!! Our meeting was held on Tuesday evening and a potluck dinner followed. Thanks to Deyon and Wayne for cooking the delicious turkey. There was lots of good food. We played the candy bar game and I know there were a couple of

individuals hiding those candy bars to keep for themselves! We played the Beanbag Toss game and had an enjoyable time together. Happy Birthday was sung to Bob Lansford.

SEPTEMBER: Our campout was held at Ft. Buenaventura in Ogden. It is a fun place to camp. You would never know you are right in the middle of the city, once you are there. We boiled omelets in a bag the first morning with all the yummy stuff to go in them; they turned out great! We also had a potato bar with all the trimmings for dinner. I'm thinking all we do is eat at these gatherings! A nominating committee was set up and we will vote next month on officers for next year. Happy Birthday was sung to Kevin Burlison and Leslie Lansford. Doc and Barbara Kilbourn celebrated their 11th anniversary this month and Bill and Darlene Marsh celebrated 49 years. Not quite enough for the "Over 50" club, but working on it!

OCTOBER: Happy Haunting!! Our dinner meeting was held at Lucky China in Roy. There were 26 in attendance. Thanks to the Trudels and the Kilbourns for hosting the meeting and for the great favors. Dues were collected for next year and t-shirt orders paid for. The election for officers for next year was held: President, Bill Marsh; Vice President, Del Earley; Wagonmaster, Kevin Burlison; Secretary, Leslie Lansford; JoAnne Trudel, Treasurer; and Ella Folsom, Charity. They will all do a great job! Happy Birthday this month to Bill Timmerman, Jim Smith and Mary England. It was reported that Darlene Marsh had a stroke and is in the hospital. We love her and wish her a speedy recovery. Note: At the time of this writing, she is back at home and doing better. She is going through therapy and working on recovery!

~ Julie Thomas

OLYMPUS SEAGULLS ~ Salt Lake County / Tooele

AUGUST: Our chapter met at Ophir Campground in Ophir, Utah; hosts were Bill & Mary Jo Bohmholdt. There were seven member couples and one guest couple attending. Our guests were Robert & Karen Lane from Grantsville, Utah. They are a great couple and we were happy to have new faces meet with us. We had a fun time playing games and enjoying great food at the potluck dinner, as well as the catered dinner by "Ultimate Catering". We will be asking them to cater another dinner for us because the food was delicious. The nomination committee reported on the election of new officers. The new officers are: President, Richard Snideman; Vice President, Mary Jo Bohmholdt; Secretary, Janet Snideman; Treasurer, Dennis Park; Wagon Master, Cloyd Theobald.

SEPTEMBER: In Delta, we met at Antelope RV Resort on Monday for fun and relaxation. We tried the new Taco Bar as well as the Mexican restaurant. A potluck dinner was held at Oak City Canyon where our hosts Cloyd & Connie Theobald provided some delicious chicken. Thursday morning we left for the Tag-Along. As usual, the State Staff outdid themselves on providing entertainment and games. Our chapter made out at the Door Prize Drawing with a lot of great gifts. Connie Theobald won 2nd Place for Traditional Apple Pie, Cloyd

won the drawing for Local Receipts, Richard won the novelty Good Sam Bus, Marilyn won a tablecloth, the Youngs won a table, and our guests, the McGrafs, won a 3# bag of spaghetti. It was fun to have the vintage (and not so vintage) cars drive through the campground. Later, some of our members drove to Wendover, Utah, for a spectacular and awesome "Air Show". We all had a great month.

OCTOBER: There were 24 members and two guests present for our meeting at the Chinese Gourmet Restaurant in West Valley City. Jack and Janice Young reported on their trip to Europe. They spent 15 days on a tour of seven countries. While in Germany, they went to the "Passion Play". They were the oldest couple on the tour and as a result were treated very well.

~ Mary Jo Bohmholdt

OVER THE HILL SAMS ~ Ogden / Roy

AUGUST: Well, here we are plowing through another hot summer, which reminds us that what we've got to look forward to is another wonderful, enjoyable fall, and with any luck it will last until the middle of January. (I know, dream on, kids) Anyway, it has been a very busy summer. Our group went to the Castledale Pageant, which is all about the settling of Emery County. It was a very interesting presentation of the history of that area. President Uchtdorf and his family were in attendance that night, and he spoke briefly to the crowd before the program. Several of our group were lucky enough to shake hands with him. We went to the Pioneer Museum and the Emery County Museum and enjoyed a dinner put on at the park. We also took a tour of the Huntington coal fired power plant. Thanks to Phil Wheeler, our Wagon Master, for making these arrangements for such an enjoyable outing.

SEPTEMBER: Hurrah! This month our chapter was off to Blacksmith Fork again for a three-day campout, another enjoyable time of games, gabbing and campfires. A delicious dinner of steak, corn on the cob, tomatoes, and a heap of other good food was furnished by the chapter and members. Our meeting was conducted by President Doug Smith. The list of prospective officers for the coming year was presented by the nominating committee, made up of Darlene Warren, Dean Scadden and Larry Stimpson, and an election of officers was held. The chapter is setting aside a fund to help needy elementary school children with shoes and clothing. Sharon Wheeler and others are still working on the blanket project, and Sharon has added new books to our book exchange library, and has them available at her home.

OCTOBER: Our installation dinner was held at Golden Corral. After an enjoyable meal, President Doug Smith thanked everyone for their support throughout the year. He then announced the following officers for the coming year: President, Ron Sewell; Vice President, Joyce Smith; Secretary, Beverly Sewell; Treasurer, Ralph Osborne; and Wagon Master, Wayne Wilde. They were sworn in by Bernie Voorhees. Doug was presented with a plaque made by Don Child for service as Chapter President. We offer our sincere congratulations to Lee & Catherine Clements on their 70th Anniversary. WHAT AN ACCOMPLISHMENT!!

They are a very special couple and have been very active in service to our chapter. Due to health problems, Lee and Catherine have recently relocated to Orem.

~ LaMar Scadden

PEACH CITY SAMS ~ Brigham City

AUGUST: Our meeting was hosted by Boyd & Doris Giles and held at Bert's Cafe with 24 members present. We were very saddened at this time with the passing of one of our good members, Neil Donohoo; he will be missed. Plans were made for the upcoming campout at Mathew Meadow and the Fall Tag-Along. We decided to participate in some local parades to try and generate some interest for new members. A flatbed trailer was decorated with a replica of a teardrop trailer, pine trees and a fireplace, with members fishing off the sides. We had a really good time decorating the flatbed and participating in three parades. Six couples attended our campout at Village of Trees in Declo, Idaho. We spent time playing games, going on a boat ride on the river and tying baby quilts for charity. Fred & Laura Curtis were our hosts. On the 31st, six couples went to the Humanitarian Center in Ogden and attended a presentation on how the center works; it was very informative: At this time, we donated a queen size quilt, seven sets of plastic canvas blocks, 15 stuffed teddy bears, 25 wood toys, a doll rocking chair and 25 knitted/crocheted children's hats.

SEPTEMBER: Twenty-three members were present for our chapter meeting held at the Brigham City Emergency Services building. Bernie & LeeMaye Voorhees were guests, as well as Penny Kidman and Christine Beaver, daughters of some of our members. Our campout this month was held at Mathew Meadows with eight members present. Also camping with us were Bernie & LeeMaye Voorhees and Tom & Jean Ellery, along with Fred & Jean Hunsaker, prospective new members invited by Fredrick & Paula Kluss. Walt & Shirley Summers and Richard & Barbara Gill joined us for an evening meal. We enjoyed many good meals, good stories, lots of fun and games. Then we headed out to Delta for the Fall Tag-along. There were three couples attending. We enjoyed good food, lots of activities and good entertainment.

OCTOBER: This month found our chapter working on nominations for next year. The meeting was held at the Brigham City Emergency Services building with 25 members present and two prospective new members, Fred & Jean Hunsaker. We discussed the responsibilities of chapter officers and the need for people to be willing to participate in these chapter positions. A list of nominees will be assembled and will be ready to be voted on at our November meeting. After enjoying a meal of homemade soups, breadsticks and pie, a Halloween party was enjoyed by all. Several members dressed up in costume, games were played and prizes awarded. Jim & JoAnne Stephens were awarded the prize for the best costumes. We enjoyed a nice evening of fun and games.

~ Arlene Hales

P.P. & P.S.O. ~ Past Presidents & Past State Officers

No report. 😊

RED CLIFF CHIEFS ~ Nephi/Levan

AUGUST: We had another fantastic adventure which we have made it a practice to enjoy once a year. We loaded up our RVs and headed to the Palisades campground in Sterling, Utah. What beautiful weather we took with us this week. As usual we always enjoy each other's company and joined in lots of games, activities and good food. Those who wanted took in some sightseeing, watching those little white balls go up and down and around the golf course. We had a real great time and ate lots of good food and are looking forward to doing this again next year.

SEPTEMBER: We met with lots of our Good Sam friends in Delta, both in our chapter and throughout the state, for the Tag-Along. We looked forward to the fun times, activities, programs, games, and great food. Once again, we were not disappointed. The State Staff always provide us with a great time. We really are fortunate to have such a great committee to rely on. We thank them for all the work and effort they put into these outings and look forward to another great year.

OCTOBER: This was the month for our yearly chapter Steak BBQ. We relish the thoughts of those good hot BBQ'd steaks and all of the trimmings that everyone brings. Yum, yum. We gathered at the home of Merrill & Dody Carter where we were able to set out tables under the old apple and plum trees in their backyard. We were joined by special guests, Bud & Dana Keisel from Manti; also future members, Norm & Phyllis Dinsdale, whom we are excited to welcome to our chapter. I believe that someone special was looking out for us because we were able to pick out the very best day of the whole month for our BBQ, as most of October was rainy and cold. We held our monthly meeting, played our usual card games, and just enjoyed each other's company. We can hardly wait for next year's BBQ!

~ Dody Carter

SQUAW PEAK SAMS ~ Provo/Orem

Thirty-one members accepted the invitation of "Let's Go Fishing" at Rockport State Park. As we were getting settled in, the weather decided to change and brought rain and more rain. We all got into the trucks and went to Oakley's Dairy King for lunch. Even though the power went off, we were able to get our orders. Thanks to our hosts, the Perrys, Henries, and Hunts, we had a great campout. Friday night they treated us to a delicious salsa bar that included taco salad and all the fixing. Every morning found our fishermen and woman down at the reservoir catching their limit of trout. Those that didn't fish took hikes, played cards and just enjoyed each other's company. Several of our group took a ride to the Smith & Morehouse Reservoir. What a beautiful area, well worth the drive. Later in the afternoon John Saxey taught us a new game called Kubb. Friday night's dinner was held at the Oakley's Road Island Diner where we met the current owner. He explained the diner was the only diner on the National Registry. The history lesson about the diner was as good as the food. One of our alumni couples, Dean & Dorothy Lallis, joined us for dinner and fellowship. Saturday seemed to be our "pig out day" with a potluck breakfast,

potluck lunch and then to top it off, a trout fish fry. Ray Snow knows how to cook that fish. We spent time Saturday afternoon making more marshmallow blow guns to be sold at the Festival of Trees in December.

SEPTEMBER: Fourteen rigs journeyed to Delta for the Fall Tag-Along where we had perfect fall weather for our entire weekend. After setting up our rigs, registering and signing up for the games, we took the tour of the Pat Prices' new Cameo 5th wheel. The Prices are now full time RVers. We had an early dinner at Mi Rancherito. Playing Samgo that evening was a great time for our group. Becky Price, Linda Bridges. Scott and Shar Lee Spencer were all winners. Friday was busy with all the games, golfing, and tours planned for us. Again we did well as our three golfers were on the third (Scott Spencer), fourth (Shar Lee) and sixth (Pat Price) placed teams. Gloria Despain and Becky Price made it to the 3rd round of Crazy Golf and lost in sudden death play. Our Bean Bag Baseball team lost after tying the game to the 1st place team in the last inning. Pat Price, the defending champion, won the Prairie Schooner Race for the second time. Prior to our business meeting, the Bridges provided Subway sandwiches, salad & chips for our dinner. We were glad to have Gerrie Howorth, Sambassador from California, and Bob & Louise Hinkle from Tacoma, Washington, join us. Delta provided a great car show on Saturday. Of course we had to be back to watch the BYU football game and to help Pat set up his satellite antennae. The state staff provided a spaghetti dinner with the chapters bringing salads and desserts including apple pie from the apple pie contest. After dinner, winners of the games were announced and door prizes were drawn. Maris Baxter won a casserole dish and Rex Christensen won a set of luggage. We were then entertained with some good western music. Once again the state staff planned a great outing.

OCTOBER: It was "Halloween Party" time in Moab at the Portal RV Park. Hosts Rex & Fawn Christensen, Randy & Debbie Christensen, and Neal & Donna Price planned some great fall activities. Since Moab is a longer distance to travel, we journeyed down on Wednesday. Twenty-six members and two guests, Sharon Cook, (from Tooele Travelers) and Linda Gordan (the Eklund's daughter) made the trip. After everyone was set up we went for dinner at Denny's. We had good food and celebrated Gary Bridge's birthday. Thursday was our free day where we could do nothing or explore the area. Those who brought ATVs rode to Gemini Bridges, then to the Bull Trail. Friday we had a delicious potluck breakfast. We then packed a lunch and drove to Dead Horse Point State Park and Canyonlands where we found a place to eat our lunch. You would think people our age would have more sense than to go down the Shaffer Trail. Talk about a scary ride! It was a little more rugged than planned, probably due to the recent rain. Friday night was our Halloween party with homemade chili, clam chowder, and broccoli cheese soup, made by our hosts, served in bread bowls that looked like pumpkins. After dinner we played Bean Bag Toss to a cut out pumpkin, Ring Toss to a witch's hat, knock over bottles with a ball, and hit the pumpkin piñata. We had a special visitor, 'Madam Rose', who told each member's fortune. What a fun time! Saturday morning our hosts treated us to a pancake breakfast. After the business meeting, many took a ride to the John Wayne museum. Several had to leave but those that stayed had a

potluck dinner after which the gals played cards and the guys watched BYU football.

~ Becky Price

SUNBURST SAMS ~ Provo / Orem

AUGUST: This month we traveled to Wyoming. Comments from members: Clifford & Sheila Stubbs said, "We enjoyed the shrimp tacos and the good weather." Herby & Glenda Edwards said, "Wyoming is always a cool and pretty place. We would go just for the fresh seafood in Afton and the cheeseburger in Alpine." Raymond & Deanna Lloyd said, "Very relaxing." Charlie & Kwan said, "Enjoyed it. Loved the ride up there and the beautiful scenery; clean and no pests! We would like to go back."

SEPTEMBER: The Tag-Along was attended by twelve members. Kwan said, "Riding a tricycle was a new experience." Myron & Pat Clegg missed the Wyoming trip as they were in Europe with the Lairds and had a wonderful time. They thought the Fall Tag-Along was fun, fun, FUN!" Mel & Jane Laird said, "We enjoyed visiting with the Koyles," (they were invited to the chapter's potluck). "Maretta and I found we had a mutual friend from Mapleton. We liked the golf."

OCTOBER: The chapter dinner/meeting at the T-Bone in Springville was attended by 22 members and six honorary members. The restaurant did an outstanding job as did the hosts, Clyde & Carol Lassen. What fun to visit with our honorary members who no longer are traveling with us. President Glenda Edwards talked about our upcoming Christmas party and our options. We voted to have it at Molly's in Provo. Next item was the planning of our August 2011 trip to the Long Beach Kite Festival in Washington State. Reservations have been made for 13 rigs. If you want to go with us, let us know ASAP so we can make more reservations. This will be a super trip!!! Ellen from the Utah Food Service gave Jerry Olson a special thanks for the Sunburst Sams chapter's good job at their banquets. We say thanks to Jerry for organizing the time and number attending. The treasurer's report was given, birthday wishes were extended, and with this, our night out was a huge success.

~ Jane Laird / Janet Clements

SUNDOWNER SAMS ~ Salt Lake County

AUGUST: The last of July and the first of August, four rigs went to Canada. A total of three weeks were consumed in this trip. Heading north, we stayed in different parks and used the most popular ones as base camps. We made it all the way up to Jasper, Alberta, on the Glacier Highway. What a sight! All those glaciers; but they are melting at a rate that is unbelievable. Returning though the customs gate at Oroville, WA, we returned to the coast of Washington through the north Cascades. While there, we then went to Vancouver Island for a couple days. We then returned home via Coeur D'Alene, ID. It was not a cheap trip, because there were a number of incidents that took place along the way that made us ask the question, "Do we want to continue?" Now we just laugh at

our experiences as we traveled on. This month was our chapter's 29th birthday. We celebrated it at the Midvale Golden Corral, with thirteen couples in attendance. The hosts, who provided neat decorations, were the Zobells and Gilbert. Thank you, guys. Anniversary: Ralph & Shirley Mortensen are celebrating 41 yrs.

SEPTEMBER: This month was the State Tag-Along in Delta. Our chapter didn't get involved in any state games or competition; we just took it easy and kind of did our own thing this year. A few went down to the car show. We just 'laid low' but we still enjoyed ourselves.

OCTOBER: Its election time for new officers. We have had a good two years, with Leon Higgins as our President and his staff, and have accomplished a lot of things, both chapter wise and member wise. Our membership has just about completely changed; from the original group that formed the chapter and then the group having to drop out because of age and health concerns. At our next meeting, we will be voting for new officers. Good luck to them. Our last camp-out for the season was at Springville's Canyon View RV Park. We had 11 rigs show up through the course of the weekend. October is such a fickle month to camp, sometimes you get good weather but most of the time it's lousy. But that's what camping is all about anyway, just doing it. We all had fun!! Anniversaries: LaVar & Sharon Burton 52 years and Russ & Ruth Ferre 45 years. Congratulations to these two couples.

~ Marvin Lee

TIMP MOONSHINERS ~ Salt Lake / Utah Counties

AUGUST: Thirteen couples made the trip to the Star Valley Ranch RV Park in Wyoming. The campground has a large covered building that came in very handy for our evening meal when the weather turned bad. The campground is very clean and quiet; it is off the main road so you do not hear a lot of road noise. It also was an ideal spot for several in the group to gaze at the Perseid Meteor Shower. We did a lot of sightseeing while in this beautiful area; Jenny Lake, Cheese Factory, Teton Village and Jackson Hole. Aside from the usual shopping many took the tram ride to the 10.450 foot peak to enjoy the view. We learned that this peak is actually growing taller by half an inch every year! We also went to the Bar J Wranglers dinner and show and some went to the Bar T 5 dinner and show. Guests enjoyed a five mile covered wagon ride along the river on Forest Service property where we feasted on a wonderful Dutch oven dinner and entertainment. The highlight for many of the women was the shopping trip to True Value to stock up on yarn and fabric. Another highlight was going to the Senior Citizen Center for a tasty lunch. Many of our group went every day since it was such a great bargain at \$3.50 and the food was GREAT! We were glad that Glen Carroll had recovered enough from surgery and a blood clot to join us. Congrats go to Carol Jean for driving the motor home! Thanks go to our hosts Boyd & Carla Christensen and Glen & Carol Jean Carroll; it was a very fun outing. Birthdays: Glen Carroll, Lois Freed, Missy Rhodes, Lily Gull, Boyd Christensen. Anniversaries: Walt & Lois Fread, Bryce & Lynn Rawlings and Craig & Berniece Straw.

SEPTEMBER: This month found us Delta bound for the State Tag-Along. We had eleven couples join us for this outing. The State Staff did a great job. We enjoyed the food, entertainment and friendly competitions. Christensen won \$18 playing Samgo; Lynn Rawlings and Marylou Johnson took 2nd Place in Crazy Golf. Many from our chapter got involved in Bean Bag Baseball. Even our President, Alan Hancock, who NEVER plays games, got involved! Alan also won a prize at the U-dig Fossil presentation. Craig & Bernice Straw took 1st Place in Bean Bag Toss and Bryce Rawlings and Boyd Johnson placed 2nd in the game. Elmer Johnson, Tim McRae and Lynn Rawlings participate in the Scooter Race. It was a lot of fun cheering them on. It was our privilege to have Good Sam members from British Columbia, Lynn and Larry, join with us for our potluck dinner. Birthdays: Carol Jean Carroll, Craig Straw and Gary Hancock.

OCTOBER: Eleven couples met for lunch at Texas Roadhouse in Sandy to enjoy each other's company and a good meal. New officers were elected at our meeting. They are: President, Dave Williams; Vice President, Tim McRae; Treasurer, Becky Thurgood; Secretary, Marva Williams; Publicist, Carol Jean Carroll. We are saddened by the passing of one of our beloved members, Ken Gull, on October 3rd. Ken and his wife Lily have been members of our chapter for many years, and Ken had served as chapter president. Ken had a very contagious smile and was friendly to everyone. He had a great talent and gift at creating exquisite wood carvings and shared his talent with all in the group by giving some of them as gifts. We will remember him affectionately. Our sincere condolences go to Lily and her family. Birthdays: Marva Williams, Rick Rhodes. Anniversary: Bob & Barbara Little.

~ Marva Williams

TOOELE TRAVELERS ~ Tooele

AUGUST: Eleven of our members were off to Hyrum, Utah, for a campout at Mathew's Camp. The trees were beautiful and the streams were running, so we had a wonderful relaxed three days. The guys did not catch any fish, but we were not surprised since they would have had to clean and cook them. Of course, as usual, we did not go hungry. Our hosts, Lloyd & Sharon Howell, had plenty of food prepared, and we all ate well. Between the hikes each morning and some excursions during the day, we still found time for games and of course a great campfire at night. Dave Herrera was always ready with music to meet everyone's liking. The conversations lasted late into the evening as we enjoyed the fire and just relaxing. We discussed reserving the camp for three days next year.

SEPTEMBER: We were a small group at the Tag-Along, but still really enjoyed the Good Sam group and did get involved with the games. The weather was great; warm, but dry

OCTOBER: The Tooele Travelers goblins met at the Senior Citizen Center for a pork dinner with pumpkin cookies and candy for dessert, hosted by David and Arlene Herrera. The slate of officers was presented and after there were no volunteers from the floor, the slate was approved by the members. President, Joyce Rigby; Vice President, Matt Gillis;

Secretary, Arlene Dennison; Treasurer, Jane Gillis; and John White, Wagon Master. The 50/50 raffle was won by Beverly Caldwell and Iras Reed; Kristi Roberts and Genella Smith won the door prizes.

~ Dana Smith / Jane Gillis

TRAIL BLAZERS

Roy / Ogden

No report. 😣

TRAIL DUSTERS ~ Utah County

AUGUST: We camped near the lake in Scofield. Roy and Arlene Kendall have a cabin near by where we spent one day. They served great meals and we enjoyed the peace and quiet. We visited the Skyline Coal Mine and Clear Creek and drove down to Helper one afternoon and saw the Museum and had dinner in a restaurant. We had fun getting to know each other better and hear about missionary and war experiences as we sat around the campfire that Leo Freeman built each evening. Even though our numbers are small, we have had a great summer. During our Fillmore outing it rained every day, but we took our coats, hats and umbrellas and went to the Territorial Capital Building. They have a nice museum and we all enjoyed seeing the clothes, household items, guns, farm tools and other pioneer relics. They also had large framed pictures of early Pioneers. Among them we found pictures of some of our ancestors and were able to obtain copies. At another camp out, we stayed at Fabrizio's Over The Hill RV Park in Hanna. Fishing was available and all kinds of games such as volley ball, basket ball, horse shoes, Crazy Golf, etc. The group visited Snooks Roberts Museum which was really something to

SEPTEMBER: The Tag-Along in Delta was great. We enjoyed the facilities at the Millard County Fairgrounds. There was something fun planned for each day. We took advantage of the tour of the Intermountain Power Plant and visited the Topaz Museum. The Antique Car Show was excellent. The husband and wife, Mike and Pat, who entertained us with music and old time songs that we love, were great. We enjoyed the meals together, the pie contest and the many door prizes. Thanks to those who provided.

OCTOBER: Our group met at the Golden Corral in Orem for our meeting. The tables were festive with decorations and favors provided by Roger & Mary Smith and Elaine and Helen Richan. New officers were elected for next year: President, Arlene Kendall; Vice President, Jerry Griffin; and Wagon Master, Karl Koenig. Chloe Freeman will continue as Treasurer.

~ Eva Wright

UTE SALT SHAKERS ~

Salt Lake County

AUGUST: Our hosts, the Havilands and Mundees, planned a great mystery trip and what a *mystery* it was. We left Utah, having no idea what our destination was. Turns out it was the Village of Trees in Declo, Idaho, a beautiful place with huge sections of lush green lawns and huge trees. We received a letter each evening telling us what to be prepared for the next day. Monday evening we had our usual delicious potluck. Tuesday the Village of Trees personnel came to our grassy area with their food cart and prepared a full breakfast which

we all enjoyed. We then visited Albion Normal School and their very interesting museum. The school opened in 1893 for the purpose of teaching teachers how to teach. From there we proceeded on to the City of Rocks which was a fascinating ride. Wednesday we visited two beautiful falls. Shoshone Falls and Twin Falls. We enjoyed viewing the large bridge over the Snake River Gorge, and then had lunch at the Brick Oven in Twin Falls. Village of Trees personnel cooked hamburgers one afternoon, with our hosts providing salads. etc. Thursday we went on a two hour boat trip down the Snake River and were serenaded with country music by our boat operator as we neared base camp. The campground personnel provided ice cream sundaes for our dessert. Thanks to our hosts for a wonderful mystery trip. Thirty-six members, two prospective members and ten guests attended. We are sorry to report that our good friend and honorary member Gloyde Dangerfield passed away on the 21st.

SEPTEMBER: Twenty-one members and four guests attended the Tag-Along. Everyone enjoyed dinner one afternoon at the Loft. We participated in the games and had a fun time. George Grippen's team took Second Place in the Golf Tournament and Curt Haviland came in 5th in the Prairie Schooner Race. We had two entries in the Apple Pie Contest and enjoyed sampling the delicious pies. New chapter officers were installed with Leona Killen as President; Bonnie Grippen, Vice President; Dorothy Parker, Secretary; Richard Baer, Membership Chairman; Charles Mundee, Wagon Master; Mike Wims Legislative Representative; VonaMae Dunn, Publicity; Phyllis Mundee, Historian. Valda Dietrich will continue to serve as Treasurer for one more year. Darlene Baer will be our Sunshine Lady.

OCTOBER: Thirty-eight members and ten guests spent a fun week in St. George, in spite of a bit of rain. Our hosts were Parkers and Grippens. We stayed at Zion's Gate RV Park in Hurricane; very nice facilities. The afternoon of our arrival, we enjoyed a planned potluck in the park club house. Some members took a 'dip' in the indoor swimming pool and hot tub. Several members enjoyed the pool table in the club house, while others spent time playing games and visiting. One day we visited Pipe Springs in Arizona and enjoyed the facilities there. The day we were planning to attend "Crazv for You" at Tuacahn, it rained the whole day and all the way to Tuacahn. Everyone was sure the play would be cancelled. However, the rain stopped shortly before show time, they mopped up the stage, and the show went on. We were able to enjoy the show and then on our way back to Hurricane, the rains began again. By Friday, as we retuned to Tuacahn for our second show, the rain had stopped and we all enjoyed the performance of "Tarzan". During our week's stay, the ladies enjoyed a couple of shopping outings at the Outlet Stores. It was a fun filled week!

~ Vona Mae Dunn

WASATCH WAGONS

Salt Lake County

AUGUST: Our meeting was at the Lakeside RV Park in Provo. Members in attendance were: H. Maestas, N. Maestas, Bowmans, the Wells and Kathy Vordos. We also had one guest: Nick and Celia's granddaughter, Nicole Hakkinson.

Friday night the RV park had a BBQ that was very good and it was lots of fun meeting new people. Saturday night we went out to dinner at the Brick Oven in Provo. Good food. The Shackelfords were both under the weather and were unable to attend. We were informed that State Director Glen Carroll is on the mend. Business discussed: The Tag-Along next month; Voted for State Director. Thanks to Glen and Georgia Wells for hosting this campout. Birthdays: Marilyn Smith, Ken Peck, Sally and Celia Maestas. Anniversary: Boyd and Gerrie Bowman, 47 years.

SEPTEMBER: No report. **OCTOBER:** No meeting.

~ Marilyn Smith

WEBER WAFFIES ~ Ogden / Roy

AUGUST: Our campout this month was at the Village Of Trees in Delco, Idaho. The weather was beautiful. The first day we just settled in and played Bingo in the evening. Tuesday was our dinner and meeting. President Emmett Daugherty welcomed everyone and thanked the hosts Don & Delores Deis and Lawerence & Genevie Siler. Emmett reminded us of the Tag-Along and East Bay camp-out in September. We had a lot of good food and played games. Wednesday we had our Cooks Night Out at the Sage Grill. After dinner we rode out to see a herd of elk; there were some big ones. Thursday some of the members had to return home; the rest stayed for another day.

SEPTEMBER: We had two members travel to Delta for the Tag-Along, Don & Renee Gilmore. Don invited his sister to go and she was on the winning golf team and also won a prize for her Apple Pie. The East Bay trip was cancelled as no one could attend.

OCTOBER: Our meeting was held at the Golden Corral in Layton. President Emmett Daugherty welcomed every one and thanked the hosts Dar & Diane Perry and Fae Urry. There were 24 members present, three honorary members, and Walt Summers, our State Advisor. We are sad that Ben & Jeanne Cogdill have to become honorary members due to illness. Al Watson asked for suggestions for next year's trips. The new officers were installed by Walt Summers and Emmett Daugherty. They are: President, Emmett Daugherty; Vice President, Boyd Ressler; Treasurer, John Rhodes; Secretary, Jan Ressler; Wagon Master, Al Watson; Reporter/Legislative Representative, Vivian Jensen; Historian, Margaret Hadley.

~ Vivian Jensen

SENIOR'S DRESS CODE

Many of us 'Old Folks' (over 50) are quite confused today about how we should present ourselves. Feeling 'young', we try to conform to current fashions and present a youthful image. Contrary to what you may have seen on the streets, the following combinations DO NOT go together and should be avoided:

- 1. A nose ring and bifocals
- 2. Spiked hair and bald spots
- 3. A pierced tongue and dentures
- Miniskirts and support hose
- 5. Ankle bracelets and corn pads
 - 6. Speedos and cellulite
- 7. A belly button ring and a gall bladder surgery scar

8. Unbuttoned disco shirts and a heart monitor
9. Midriff shirts and a midriff bulge
10. Bikinis and liver spots
11. Mini skirts and varicose veins

TAG-ALONG GAMES



1ST PLACE

Team #7: Harold Jacklin ~ Utah Deer Sams
Bob Barlow ~ Beehive Roamers
Darrell Miller ~ Color County Ramblers
Vickie Nelson

2ND PLACE

Team #8: George Grippen ~ Ute Salt Shakers Alan Austin ~ Utah Deer Sams Ron Olsen ~ Red Cliff Chiefs Jane Laird ~ Sunburst Sams

LONGEST DRIVE

Men: Ted Sperry
Ladies: Dody Carter ~ Red Cliff Chiefs

CLOSEST TO THE HOLE

Merrill Carter ~ Red Cliff Chiefs

GAME WINNERS

BEAN BAG BASEBALL

Utah Deer Sams

BEAN BAG TOSS

Craig & Berniece Straw ~ Timp Moonshiners

CRAZY GOLF

Dan & Lorna Davies ~ Utah Deer Sams

PRAIRIE SCHOONER RACE

Pat Price ~ Squaw Peak Sams

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