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# **Utah State Director's Message**

Our first year as state directors has come and gone. We wonder-- where did all that time, worry, and effort go? But it did pass quickly for us. We made a lot of mistakes, blunders, and some good things as well.

We are looking forward the next year with the theme for the "Rally" Hawaiian Holidays". Too bad we can't celebrate on one of the Islands, but when you get to Nephi, you will find yourself "transported" to the Islands. It is amazing how each Chapter undertake their assignments and start preparing for them well in advance. That really is the only way to make such a "Big" thing take shape.

This coming year, 2016, has been designated as the 50<sup>th</sup> year to celebrate the organization of the Good Sam and the Camping World concept. It all stated right here in Utah. Maybe a lot of you know the story. But since we have many new members who have joined us recently here is the short version: "It all started in 1966 when Ray D. Joens from Roy, Utah had an idea and shared it with the RV Magazine entitled "TRAIL-R-NEWS". He was disagreeing with a previous letter which was being critical of RVers in regard to courtesy on the highways. Mr. Joen's letter was published in the July issue of the magazine. The letter told of the way in which an RVer group, in which Mr. Joens was a member, helped other RVers who were having trouble. They then gave the RVer a card which stated that a local RV group was their "Good Samaritan"

The Editor of TRAIL-R-NEWS, Art Griffin, read Mr. Joens letter and it was in accordance with the ideas he had of forming an RV Club whose aim would be courtesy to fellow travelers and good campground conduct. Mr. Joens had suggested the idea of the logo bumper sticker, or decal, which would identify the occupant of a rig as a person dedicated to these concepts". How the "Chapters" got their start is another story, but also started right here in Utah at the "Provo City Power building".

So it was, one idea and now a whole nation, and the country of Canada are in the "Family. We are part of a great history with lots to be proud of as we wear our shirts, vests, hoist our flags, and recite the Pledge.

Keep up the good work and may we always be that Good Samaritan who someone, sometime may need. Thanks again to all of you for your hard work and friendship. You are the "HEART" of the Utah Good Sams.

Stan and Jerry Griffin Utah State Directors

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Barbara Moran.... Color Country Ramblers



Gordon & Arlene Strigham ...Beehive Roamers ...52 yrs Jay & Millicent Francis...Beehive Roamers...63 yrs Darwin & Donna Lloyd ..Beehive Roamers ... 64 yrs. Deloss & Alene Peay .. Deer Sams ...66 years Harold & Rosalie Jacklin ..Deer Sams...58 years Rulon & Venice Gammon ..Deer Sams...52 yrs Rex & Fawn Christensen ... Squaw Peak Sams... 61 yrs Boyd & Geri Bowman.. Squaw Peak....52 yrs Gary \* LaFae Pyne..Squaw Peak... 60 yrs. Jim & Linda Burrell.. Squaw Peak... 50 yrs. LaVar & Sharon Burton... Sundowners....57 yrs



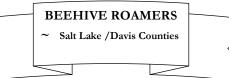
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# CHAPTER NEWS



#### AUGUST

The Bees flew to Brigham City. We had a yummy dinner at Maddox. Peggy and Dick were our host for the camp. Peggy always comes up with fun crafts to do. This time she helped us make flowers out of aluminum cans...how is that for recycling? Go Beehive Roamers!! We also had an ice cream social.

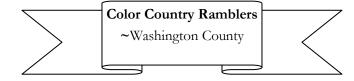
#### **SEPTEMBER**

We camped in Coleville hosted by Geri and Bill Finch. Thursday we traveled to Morgan for a wonderful dinner at Taggerts...you can't go there without having one of their great desserts. You know we Bees can't resist sweets. On Friday we flew to Midway to the Swiss days. We wore out our bee knees walking around at all the booths. Bill Finch (a "rare bird" but really a true blue Bee) was our chauffer for all our trips... Thanks Bill! That night we played games and had an ice cream social. Saturday some played golf or played games at camp. That night the Finches provided sloppy Joes and everyone else brought salads and desserts. The club donated \$156.25 to the Ronald McDonald house in honor of Bernie Voorhees, who passed away.

#### **OCTOBER**

Happy Birthday to Jay Francis on his 90th birthday. We had our last camp at Springville KOA. Our hosts were Darwin and Donna Lloyd and Dick and Peggy Anderson. We tied quilts for our charities all 3 days, completing 31 quilts. We played games including Halloween bingo and went to dinner at Sizzler's in Provo. Friday we had our business meeting to plan for 2016; reelected Bill Finch as President, Jay Francis as Treasurer and Merrill Rowley as Wagon Master. The club voted to donate \$150 to Ronald McDonald House, \$250 to KSL quarters for Christmas shoe drive and \$500 to the food bank. We had potluck dinner following. Some of our Bees knit hats during the month. Tim and Connie Schieving knitted 47 hats for Primary Children's Hospial. The Lloyds made 44 and the Francis' made 103 hats. These two couples donated to the Huntsman XCancer Center.We planned our 2016 year for camping and luncheons. A good time was had by all.

~Deanna Grimsrud



#### AUGUST

August found our group camping for 3 days once again in the delightful weather and beautiful surroundings at Camp Lutherwood – 7500 feet elevation, sunny days and comfortable nights, with the deer roaming freely through our camp. Our hosts, Grant and Linda Larsen treated us to a wonderful BBQ turkey feast (with side dishes provided by the rest of the group). Since the Color Country Ramblers will be in charge of bocce ball at next summer's rally, the club purchased a bocce ball set so that we could begin practicing and become familiar with the rules.

#### **SEPTEMBER**

We unfortunately did not have a quorum for our September campout, but those who attended had a wonderful time at Bryce Canyon Pines. September is still very warm in St. George, so we enjoyed the cooler weather on the mountain, within a short distance from Bryce Canyon. We were saddened to hear of the passing of one of our long-time members, Barbara Moran, toward the end of August.

#### **OCTOBER**

We had a great turnout in October when we once again gathered at Zion National Park. Zion has become so busy that it is very difficult to get reservations, but we were all reminded (several times) to call for reservations 6 months in advance, and it worked out well. Several of us enjoyed riding the shuttle through the park or taking short hikes during the days. The weather cooperated nicely, and we were able to have a campfire each evening, where our hostess, Joanne Walrath, played the accordion and led us in a sing along, followed by stories from each of the members. Our hosts treated us to a delicious spaghetti dinner on Thursday, and we had our annual steak fry on Friday afternoon. We are putting our calendar for 2016 together now, and it seems that most of our slots are already filled for another fun-filled year.

Sharon Holwager





## AUGUST

We spent our August campout in beautiful Heber Valley at the Meacham property. The Hosts were Lee & Carolyn Gillman and Mike and Marcia Jarrett. We had an enjoyable time sitting around the campfire and listening to the music of a very special guest artist. We tied nine quilts, play a fun game for gag prizes. We enjoyed just relaxing and being together and getting away from the cares of the rest of the world.

# <u>SEPTEMBER</u>

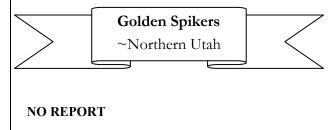
We attended the fall Tag-a-Long in Delta, UT. It was nice to relax and enjoy one another's company. The Hosts were Brent and Jean North and Rulon and Venice Gammon. We participated in crazy golf, regular golf, bean bag baseball and Samgo. Samgo is always fun, but much more fun to win the money. We enjoyed trying new games.

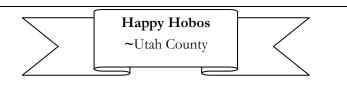
## <u>OCTOBER</u>

We met at the East Bay campground. Our Hosts were Harold and Rosalee Jacklin and Don and Jean Harvey. We rode the Nebo Loop road to enjoy the wonders of nature. We rode the Halloween Boat ride on Provo River which was a blast. We took items for charitable donations. Play games potato bowling and turtle races. We had a live Chinese auction with our favorite auctioneer, Allen Austin to raise money for the Wounded Warriors. We have a number of excellent articles that were auctioned off. We also welcomed new members John and Connie Van Dorn. Now it time for some to put their trailers to bed for the Winter, while others will go to warmer climates for a few months. All in all we have had a great camping season!

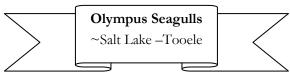
City. We missed those who were unable to attend. We visited Promontory Point and enjoyed a great meal at Maddox. We look forward to many more enjoyable camps. We also enjoyed each other's company at breakfast.

~ Carolyn Gillman

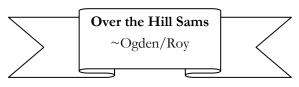




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## AUGUST

Let me thank Janet Leckington, Sharon Wheeler, and Gerry Seele for the information in this newsletter. Bill and I were away during the last three months and missed all the activities and trips.We held our Cooks' Night Out luncheon at Sizzler in Layton on August 5th. On the 19th we enjoyed a breakfast at Criddles Breakfast.

Our stay at Blacksmith Fork was lots of fun. Our hosts for the week were Darlene Warren, Margaret Child, Edith Osborne, and Paul and Marilyn Petersdorf. Mike and Sally McFarland treated everyone to breakfast burritos. Tuesday morning the girls went shopping. Wednesday we had a fantastic steak and corn on the cob lunch furnished by the Club. After lunch we held our monthly meeting. During the afternoons some of us played frisbie golf and beanbag baseball while ours cheered them on. One evening we watched a movie using the side of the Brimhall rig as the screen.

## SEPTEMBER

Several from our chapter went to Delta for the Tag-a-Long. Delta is one of our more relaxing excursions. We visited a museum in town and some old ruins. We ate at a Mexican restaurant and played games among which were Five Crowns and Wizard. Everyone had a good time until Marilyn fell and hurt her hip. She is still suffering from that injury. Janet took her puppy, Valisa, with them to Delta. Valisa is her newest puppy in the Guide Dog training program.

We had the privilege of serving a luncheon at the Salt Palace. We always enjoy those events.

Cooks' Night Out was held three times this month: Chuck-A-Rama, Lucky China, and Applebees.

#### **OCTOBER**

This month our business meeting was held on October 13 in the Washington Terrace senior center. Janet was sworn in as secretary and the remainder of the officers are staying in for the next year. Sharon brought us up to speed on our service projects and Dave led us in a discussion on suggestions for trips for next year.

Our condolences, thoughts, and prayers are with both Mike McFarland and Darwin Brimhall and their families with the passing of their mothers.

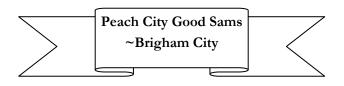
We have two new members this month. Ray and Karen Palmer from Layton. They are both retired and ready to have some fun. We are so glad they decided to join our chapter.

This month about 20 of us traveled to the South Town Expo to serve a meal for a UDOT gathering. We always appreciate these opportunities to serve.

Hint--If your RV has a door mounted wire frame rack for holding a plastic grocery bag for garbage, here is a good solution for keeping the bag in place. Insert the bag, then clip a couple of plastic bread clips (that come on hamburger and hot dog packages) over the bag and frame. It works really well. This hint was taken from an old Airstream magazine.

Many thanks again to all who helped me write this quarter's newsletter.

Carolyn Gedris



#### AUGUST

We camped at Marsh Lake in the beautiful Uintah National Forest. The weather was perfect—even the rain one afternoon. We had seven rigs on this campout. Only one rig missing because the couple were out of state. Tuesday afternoon we drove to Fort Bridger Historic Site; ate our lunch at picnic tables; toured the old fort which was established by Jim Bridger and Louis Vasquez in 1843 as an emigrant supply stop along the Oregon Trail. It was obtained by the Mormons in the 1850s, and then became a military outpost in 1858. In 1933, the property was dedicated as a Wyoming Historical Landmark and Museum.

We played bean bag baseball and learned how to keep score so we will be ready for our bean bag game assignment at the Utah RV Rally in June 2016.

We had a group picture taken which has been printed on a flyer with an invitation to join our chapter. This flyer is very well done and all of us have copies to hand out to friends and neighbors.

#### **SEPTEMBER**

We had a picnic at Snow Park in Brigham City to make final

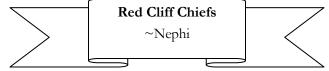
plans for the Tag-a-Long. We had four rigs at the Tag-a-Long and had a great time. We had nine people so had just the right number to be a team on the bean bag baseball game. We were so good on our first game we should have taken 1<sup>st</sup> place but our luck ran out and we ended up 3<sup>rd</sup> place.

#### <u>OCTOBER</u>

Our October dinner meeting was held at the Golden Coral in Ogden, UT. Had a great turnout of seventeen of which three were guests. One new couple we hope will join our chapter.

For our October activity we had dinner at Maddox Lodge and then attended a play, Jekyll & Hyde, at the Heritage Theater in Perry, UT.

~Shirley Summers



#### AUGUST

Our meeting for the month of August on the 20th was held up in Nephi Canyon at the Steels Family Retreat. Before our meeting we enjoyed a potluck dinner hosted by Bill & Faun Lofgran, Gary & Janice Taylor, and Gary and Connie Lofgran. Everyone enjoyed the meal and the comradery of all the members. We had 27 members present. We have two new members that want to join our chapter Allan and Charlene Ricks from Mona Utah. We are excited to have two more to add to our group. The Juab County Fair was this month and 12 of our members helped usher at the Demolition Derby which was greatly appreciated. We talked about the upcoming Fall Tag Along in Delta and our responsibility in organizing the Golf Tournament and about some of the activities that are planned for the games and classes offered. We have one couple whose anniversary was this month, Bill & Faun Lofgran they were married on August 15, 1950 and have been married for 65 years. What an accomplishment that is congratulations are in order. Dody Carter closed our meeting with the thought of the day.

#### **SEPTEMBER**

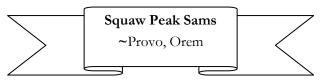
We held our September meeting at the Delta Dari Freeze on the 26<sup>th</sup> with 19 members present. Our host for our meeting was Derrell & Joyce Johnson. We had our meal first and everyone got to order what they wanted from the menu. The food here is excellent and everyone seemed to enjoy it. The group talked about some of the responsibilities our chapter is in charge of for the Samboree next June. Even though it is a ways off we want to be thinking about ideas for next year. Everyone enjoyed themselves and had a great time. We had no anniversaries in September.

## OCTOBER

On October 20<sup>th</sup> our meeting and meal was at Lisa's Country Kitchen in Nephi Utah. We had 25 members present and our hosts were Steve & Rose Olsen and Jim & Janice Stephenson. Our chapter donated \$150 to the Ronald McDonald House for

2015. We all felt good about being part of the \$2500 donation from the Good Sams Clubs of Utah. It is for such a worthwhile cause. The dues for next year were collected and we had elections for a couple of vacated positions. Diana Holt was voted in as our secretary and Gary Lofgran as Vice President and me, Rose Olsen as reporter for the Salty Sam paper. Our newest members Allan & Charlene Ricks were sworn in and we are all delighted they decided to join us. I guess they were impressed by our group enough to want to join in the fun we all have. We also discussed our Christmas party and about decorating a float for Nephi Christmas light parade. Charlene Ricks and Eudean Anderson both volunteered to head up the project. We had one anniversary in October Gary and Eudean Anderson on October 13, 1973 they have been married 42 years, congratulations to them.

 $\sim$  Phyllis Dinsdale



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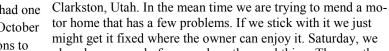
The campout for August was held at Flaming Gorge. The theme was "Casino Fun" and was built around playing cards, casino games, and poker chips. "Monopoly" money was used by everyone to play the games. There were field trips to the dam and to Vernal museums. A vote was conducted for new officers for the 2016 calendar year. At the meeting, a thought was given by Jack Hansen: "To change the world, we need to change ourselves– to share what we have such as talents, respect, good deeds, laughter and tears".

#### **SEPTEMBER**

Members enjoyed the State Tag-along in Delta with the theme, "back to School" and graduated with certificates after rotating through various classes. They enjoyed entertainment by "one Man Band" and a dutch oven dinner provided by the State. Members turned out in great numbers at a Salt Palace serving opportunity this month. It was announced that the Samboree next year will have a Hawaiian Holiday theme.

## **OCTOBER**

The October campout was held at the fairgrounds in Ferron. The theme was "Cowboys and John Wayne". Under the direction DeAnn Dodge the women painted wooden pumpkins, and under John Saxey's direction the men made pens on lathes. There were side trips for those who wanted to fish, to a site with Indian writings and to the miners' memorial for those killed in the Crandall mine a few years ago.



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played games and of course done the meal thing. Then on the 21st we went to Jim's in Riverton and celebrated the chapters birthday of 35 years. We also went to the This Is The Place Monument end of the month and spent the afternoon

Sundowner Sams

~Salt Lake County

For our camp out this month we went to Matua, east of

Brigham city. ower hosts was Susen and Marty Zobel. we had

nine rigs, total 20 members. Even though we were by the lake

no one went fishing. On Friday afternoon we went to dinner

and then attended the Martin Harris Pagent in the evening, in

We had no anniversaries, and few birthdays. We still have a few that are recuperating from hospital stays, we wish them speedy recovery.

### SEPTEMBER

Time for the Tag-a-long, We usually use the tag for our September camp out and it being so late in the month this time no one wanted to go to Delta. I didn't spend much time there either being that I had a wedding in SLC, so we traveled there on Friday afternoon. No mater it was still fun being there and rubbing elbows with all our friends. We went to the Zoo as a group this month for our monthly extracurricular activity of which we have decided to do to see those thing in the area of interest.

We did not have any anniversaries again this month but we did have a few Birthdays. They were sung to.

#### **OCTOBER**

We had an impromptu camp out in October cause there wasn't one in September, at the Beaver Creek Nudist ranch. Had a bunch of us there. So for our Monthly meeting we met at gecko's Restaurant in South Jordan With Ethel and Tom Jeffs as Host. Played a few games and had a short meeting about up and coming things to plan on. Later in the month we went to the U of U Natural History Museum for the afternoon. Then on the twenty-eighth we toured the Evans and Early Funeral home in the evening. and the about does it for the month. Birthdays we sang happy birthday and we had a special anniversary of 57 yrs, the Burton, LaVar and Sharon, Congratulations to them.

~Marvin Lee



#### AUGUST

South forty RV Park, Marysville Utah. August 20 – 23, 2015

Thursday was group arrival day, and we ended up at Hoovers Restaurant for a nice dinner.

Friday, eight of us mounted our ATV's, and UTV's, and four others drove in a pickup to Koosharem for lunch at the Koosharem Café. One rig had broken down, so they rode back in the pickup, and went back to retrieve their machine. The off roaders put in 94 miles of dusty, mountainous, and beautiful trails that day.

Saturday we started the day with a group breakfast of omelets, and other great breakfast foods. We mounted up once again, and this time several people joined us on the trail in their Jeep, and another pickup. We went over the mountain, and dropped over to I-70, and visited the Fremont Indian Museum. Most everyone took I-70 back to the trailers. Group dinner of Steak and Chicken Fajitas later that evening, and joining us was Greg and Nancy from Sacramento, and the camp owners Jim & Terri Peterson.

Camp hosts for this event were Jim and Cathy Bean, and Lynn and Sandy Hicks.

#### **SEPTEMBER**

Fall Tag in Delta, My wife and I didn't attend, so I don't have notes. We had Jay & Dorothy, Tim & Leslie, Gary & LaDean, and Boyd and his daughter Carma who attended. Hopefully I didn't miss anyone.

#### **OCTOBER**

You would have thought we were at a Hawaiian Luau, instead of Jim and Cathy Beans back yard!

Jim slow roasted an entire pig! We had a huge turnout for this dinner. There was tons of potluck food to accompany the roasted pig.

It was raining when we arrived so almost all thirty people in attendance piled into the kitchen and living room, but there was seating for 24 inside, and only a few sat outside under a covered patio.

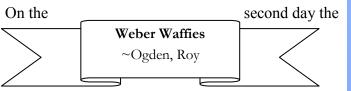
We may not have camped, but this turned out fantastic due to the hard work, and generosity of the Bean's.

#### ~Lynn Hicks





It is hard to condense in a few words the great times we had together as Utah Trail Dusters for the months of August, September and October. Seven of our couples made their way to Delta for the 2015 Fall Tag. The theme was School Days. A lot of thought went into this fun three days. On the first day, we all started school again! The large group was divided into 12 groups according to the month of their birth. This was a great way to get people acquainted with many other Good Sammers. Of course, we all went through all the grade levels but we might have ended up in one grade or another rather than 12<sup>th</sup>. Each grade had a special teacher to teach different subjects. Each teacher had a great subject to teach. A sack lunch was given to each of us for dinner! The following morning we went to share donuts and chocolate with many others. While there, we looked at old school pictures and year books. It was really difficult to guess who was who! Age certainly changes one's looks. The next day, many of our group took the senior driving course. I am glad we were not tested. We might have needed to repeat this important class. Al and Linda Andrew flew in to Delta just to take that class. We waited for dinner, but it was well worth it. After the driving course there were old games to play such as jump rope, jacks, etc. Those not involved in the driving course, competed in various games. We had Dutch oven barbecued ribs with all the trimming. The rolls did not arrive on time, but we forgave the lady because they were so good when they came! Can't tell you how much the One Man Band entertained us. He played and sang for a long time taking requests at the end. On the third day we had breakfast burritos. No need to cook ourselves on such an outing. Later we had our chapter meeting at a nearby park. Pot luck lunch made for a lot of happy people. Our September outing was at the Over the Hill campground in Hanna. Mornings were wonderful, but the wind picked up each afternoon. It was good for the farmers to dry out the hay, but noty so good for the 10 rigs of Good Sammers which would have preferred something else. We had a great host's dinner with ham, potatoes, watermelon etc.



games went into the rigs. We rotated to accommodate everyone because the wind was so unpleasant. Needless to say, we had a great time. Our dinner on the town was changed due to the sickness of the cooks at the place where we had our reservations. We did find a place which worked out for us close to where we were camped in Hanna. Several couples needed to leave early because of other important commitments that they couldn't change. The mountains were just beautiful, and we had a good time despite the bothersome wind. A new couple was able to join us there--Val and Lila Hutchings. October found five of couples and rigs camped at 1000 Lakes RV park in Torrey close to the Capitol Reef National Park. This time we were challenged with rain; however, we had a great time. We enjoyed our tour guides- friends and fellow Good Sammers, Jerry and Stan Griffin. Jerry had been a former Forest Ranger and knew how beautiful this great country was. The formations were amazing. We took many pictures. Many of us had never been there before, so it was with awe that we looked at these beautiful formations and colors. We had our dinners in close quarters because of the weather, but we had a great time! Jean and Al Ewell and RaMay and Val Rasmussen were not there due to their own health challenges. We missed them. 

#### WANT TO WORK IN ALASKA FOR THE SUMMER?

Julie Tarr, of Princess Cruises, wanted to let us know that Princess Cruises has 13 lodges throughout Alaska and they have often hired retired folks to act as tour guides, gift shop attendants etc. They pay and treat their employees very well. They really like people who can drive RV's to drive their tour buses. Some of the properties are quite large and is often a ways from the cabins which visitors stay in, so they run shuttle buses around the property, pick up the people and take them to the restaurant etc.

They work from May to September 5 days a week, (I think she said) and when it is all over you earn a cruise. So if two of you work, that is two cruises". Call Julie Tarr at 206 336 5876 if you are interested.



Dear Utah Good Sam's,

Thank you so very much for your extraordinary gifts this year totaling nearly \$2,900.00, in memory of Bernard "Bernie" Vorhees. These gifts will help provide direct support to families of seriously ill and injured children at Ronald McDonald House Charities of the Intermountain Area during the next year.

We are truly grateful for your traditions of service and support for Ronald McDonald House Charities. Please accept our gratitude on behalf of the families that call our House their Home. Your volunteer time, charitable gifts, pop tab collections, hand-made quilt and toys have been deeply appreciated. Thank you again for honoring Bernie's memory in this meaningful way.

## **Carrie Romano** Executive Director

