

Fall State Committee Meeting  
09-06-08

In a beautiful building with murals painted of Delta our State Director, Glenn Carroll, welcomed everyone. The pledge of allegiance was led by our wagon master, Boyd Bowman. Chapter roll call was taken, sixteen chapters were present, and those not in attendance were; Color Country Ramblers, Over The Hill Sams, Peach City Sams, Rainbow Sams, Timpanogos Roadrunners, Timp Moonshiners, Trail Dusters and Wasatch Weekendrs.

An updated message of Gary Taylor's condition was given by State Staff Director, Glenn Carroll. They were going to cool Gary's body down and watch him very closely. He is still in very critical condition.

The facilities were wonderful. Everyone voted for our 2009 Fall Tag to be held here next year. Glenn Carroll stated that Delta was working on putting more power in and would try to have it ready for next year.

Glenn Carroll asked that the Salty Sam be distributed to your members. Everyone pays their dues each year. Five dollars of these dues goes to the publication and distribution of the Salty Sam. Maybe the Salty Sam will generate more interest in your members to come to meetings, samboree, and tag a long. Please make an effort to get these out to everyone. If anyone has honoree members and they would like to have a copy of the Salty Sams you can collect five dollars from them and then they can have them for the year.

A planning calendar was handed out to everyone so they could have an overview of next year's agenda. It was suggested that the state let the chapters know the agenda and assignments at least two months in advance so they can make assignments and calendar items. Next years Samboree is not held on Fathers Day. It will be June tenth through the thirteenth. A correction for the PP-PSO meeting on Nov. 22<sup>nd</sup> was made by Peggy Anderson. She also encouraged all past presidents and past state officers to join PP-PSO.

A format for Chapter of the Year was handed out to each president and they were encouraged to apply for Chapter of the Year this year. Applications are due to State Director, Glenn Carroll by September 30, 2008.

Chapter rosters were given to each of the Presidents. They need to be looked over very carefully. Please check the expiration dates of membership. Make any corrections and get them back to State Director, Glenn Carroll by November first. Make sure both Rosters are updated. One copy is for National and one is for State. After all the corrections are entered in the computer you will receive an updated copy at our December Presidents Meeting.

State Director, Glenn Carroll would like to have an email address for all presidents. If you have not already emailed one to him please do so. His email address is: [carrollg@utah-inter.net](mailto:carrollg@utah-inter.net). He would also like you to visit the Utah Good Sam web page. Check it out for misspelled words or any other corrections then email them to him. The site is: [www.utahgoodsam.org](http://www.utahgoodsam.org) . (all one word)

Other items of business were:

People Mover; Make sure it is being maintained. We need to keep it nice and keep it up. Want to make sure that it is being stored in an enclosure. Look at purchasing something so the people mover will be well taken care of.

When going to Samboree, tag a long, chapter camp outs etc. we need to remember to maintain fire lanes. This is needed for our safety. Also be courteous and respectful to those who are handicapped.

Wagon masters would like to come a day later to the Samboree because they have nothing to do after their 30 minute meeting. A suggestion was made to have an early morning meeting the day everyone was coming to park. It was suggested that we invite the wagon masters to the vendors dinner on Tuesday night. State Director, Glenn Carroll suggested that we look at different options and will report back at our December Presidents Meeting.

Entertainment during Samboree needs to be on Friday night. Housekeeping items such as drawings, door prizes, etc. need to be taken care of on Saturday night. This way the entertainment will not have to break for drawings etc. State Director, Glenn Carroll, encouraged chapters to stay to dinner on Saturday night. Meals are paid for if you go home early or not.

Attendance at the parade is poor. Chapters are doing a lot of work and would like to see more people there to enjoy the parade. It was suggested that maybe the people from Nephi could be invited to watch the parade. Maybe put the schedule of the Samboree events in the local paper and have the city "Come See Old People Make Fools Of Themselves," let the city really see what the Samboree is about. Others voiced their opinion that the Samboree was for Good Sam Members, not the city of Nephi.

Members would like to have something other than hot dogs for the men's social. A suggestion was to have Sloppy-Joe's instead.

Our next State Director will be announced at the December Presidents Meeting.

Meeting adjourned.

State Secretary  
Jean North