

HAPPY TRAILS RV MEETING –November 1, 2018

Before the meeting, our speaker for the day was Jeff Hayward from Orangewood RV. He spoke about the changes that are being made in the RV business (such as Ceramic Coating on RV). He also answered questions from the audience and gave out some \$20 vouchers to be used at Orangewood).

Meeting was called to order by President Marie O'Brien at 6:33 pm in the Chuckwagon.

Several new members and guests were introduced.

The minutes were approved as printed on the Web Page. The Treasurer's report was also approved.

Wagon Masters (Vern and Alana Alvis) gave a report of the June rally to Alberta Canada. 9 rigs participated. Wagon Master (Marie O'Brien) gave a report of the October rally to the Albuquerque Balloon Festival.

Sam Throm, Trip Director, introduced some possible sites for this year rallies and noted that Wagon Masters are needed.

Tubac and Patagonia Lake, December. Possibly too late to make reservations for this year.

Yuma, February 4 – 7, 2019. This rally is a go and deposits for this trip will be collected at the Dec. meeting. Plans include Hull Mine Tour, Castle Dome Museum/Ghost Town and the Oorah! MCAS Yuma tour.

Usery Mountain Regional Park in Mesa; Rocky Point, Mexico; or Dead Horse State Park, Cottonwood are possible sites for March.

Lone Pine, California possible for late April.

Meet ups are a possibility for 1 day car trips. Mel Hinterlong will be planning the meet ups. He needs the members to contact him with suggestions.

Note for January meeting: Tabling the FMCA vote until the January meeting when more members will be present.

Novemberfest is scheduled for Nov. 16 from 10 to 1 in the Town Center Courtyard. Our club has been asked to figure a mini golf hole for participants to win prizes. Volunteers are need to help design the

hole and man it during the hours 10 -1. Vern and Alana have agreed to head this venture. We will donate a \$20 gift certificate to Orangewood RV as our prize.

Speaker for the Dec. 6th meeting will be someone from Arizona Dept. of Transportation.

Vern also reminded the members to keep checking the Happy Trails RV Club.org for the latest information and postings.

The drawings of a free turkey was won by Paula Hovde and Cathy O'Brien.

Next happy hour is scheduled for Wednesday, Nov. 28, 5:00 pm in NC2.

Next meeting is scheduled for Thursday, Dec. 6, at 5:00 pm in NC2.

Meeting was adjourned at 7:30 pm.

Barbara Throm, Secretary pro tem