

Classic RV Club 17th Birthday Luau – August 13-16, 2009

Beach Getaway ...

While some started the weekend campout earlier in the week, the RAT-pack arrived at Andersen's-On-The-Beach Thursday – Al & Rose, Bill & Juanita, Chuck & Carolyn with daughter & grandkids, Dale & Pauline, Dennis & Jan, Eric & Carmen & Family, Frank & Dianne, George & Candy, Jerry & Michele, John & Elaine with granddaughters, Larry & Anita, Larry & Erica & Family, John & Bonnie, Terry & Judy. Dinner choice for the evening was Chico's Pizza while some stayed back and ate in their rigs. Later, George treated us to homemade peach ice cream – you can do that again anytime, George!



George treated us to some delicious homemade peach ice cream!

Friday brought the rest of the club – Dan & Sue with daughter & family, David & Chris, Joe & Judie. We missed Terry & Judy the rest of the weekend as they had to leave Friday for some other obligations. Other guests included Fred, Ruby, & Phoebe who were checking out our club after finding us on the web.

Sand, Sea, and Birds by the Thousands!

Friday was a leisure day with beach walking, bird watching – more pelicans and terns than most of us have ever seen at one time – and just enjoying this quiet, relaxing place. Some visited the Cranberry Museum and the shops up and down the peninsula. I think half the club was at Jack's Country Store in Ocean Beach! Most of the group went out for a great seafood dinner at Doogers. Our complements to the wait-staff for handling our large crowd as we took over half of the restaurant!



What's Eric fishing for in the tree? Or is this proof that Frisbees grow on trees?

Luau Games and More ...

Saturday morning we gathered on the lawn for some "luau" games including water-bottle bowling, washer toss, hula hoops, and more. Meanwhile, we made "grass" skirts out of garbage bags in preparation for a group photo. Rest of the day was free for beach walking, shopping, snoozing, visiting, or whatever was your fancy.



What form! Joe tries his hand at tossing the ball closest to the stakes!



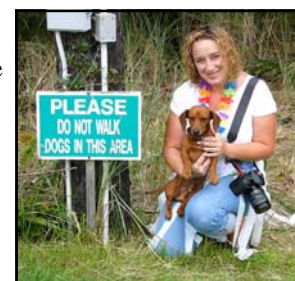
A couple of "natives" ready for the luau (hope that isn't poison ivy)!

In the evening, we gathered in the club house for the Classic RV Club version of a luau – as usual, lots of good food! And of course there was birthday cake in honor of our seventeen years as a club and our traditional gift exchange.

This was followed by a Farkle tournament and other table games (your editor will spare you the details of who won the tournament but his initials were D.A.).

Brunch: Don't Leave (for) Home Without It!

Sunday saw us gather for our traditional Sunday brunch and some last minute details. Then it was time to set off for home until we meet again at Blue Ox RV Park in October.



Question – Is it OK to carry your dog?

Next Outing

**Merry-Go-Around Adventures
Blue Ox RV Park
4000 Blue Ox Dr SE, Albany, OR
October 1-4, 2009**

- Dentzel America Carousel Museum (guided tour)
- Linn County Covered Bridges
- Thompson's Flour Mill State Heritage Site
- Saturday Potluck – Italian Cuisine (details by phone)
- Check host reader board at campout for additional details

See the campout promo sheet on the web for details

**For campout information, contact Jerry/Michele 503-642-2345,
Bill/Juanita 503-252-1195, or Joe/Judie 503-655-6153**

For RV Park information, contact Jan @ 503-638-8080

Classic RV Club Business Meeting – August 2009

Meeting was called to order at 6:40pm by Club President Joe followed by the Pledge of Allegiance.

Joe reported that 19 rigs with 34 members, 5 kids, and 4 guests were in attendance.

Dale read the minutes of the last meeting; there were no corrections to the minutes as read.

John S gave the treasurer's report – see the detailed report elsewhere in this newsletter. There were no corrections to the report as presented.

New business - Vote on officers: Proposed slate-of-officers for 2010 was presented; Joe was re-elected president and Dale secretary.

New business - Vote on budget and dues: Proposed 2010 Club budget and dues was presented; approved.

New business - February outing: Dale presented information on a possible outing in February 2010 to Evergreen Air Museum with dry camping at Spirit Mountain Casino. Due to low interest, it was decided to have a breakfast outing on President's Day instead.

August birthdays: Shirley 2nd, Erica 2nd, Cameron 8th, Anna 10th, Paula 13th, Frank 21st, Brendan 21st, Bob 23rd

September birthdays: Pauline 7th, George 15th, Larry O 15th, John T 20th, Juanita 26th, Al 30th

Medical updates: Future medical updates will be reported as they occur via the email/phone tree.

Other: We were informed that charter member Glenna McIntyre passed away August 7.

Next outing: Jerry K discussed the next outing to be held at Blue Ox RV Park in Albany, October 1-4; see details elsewhere in this newsletter and the accompanying promo sheet.

Joe thanked our hosts for another great outing: Eric & Carmen, Larry & Erica. Thanks also to Michele for providing crafts for the kids.

Meeting was adjourned at 7:20pm.

Submitted by Dale A, Club Secretary



The 2009 Classic RV Club Group photo!

NOTE: Limited space prevents us from showing all the pictures from this campout; check out the Photo Gallery on the club website for additional pictures:

www.classicRVclub.org/Gallery.html

Treasurer's Report

Beginning Balance	\$819.31
Receipts	
RV Park Deposit Refund	\$100.00
Deposit Return	<u>\$5.00</u>
Total Receipts	<u>\$105.00</u>
Total Available	\$924.31
Expenditures	
Supplies - Pictures	(\$34.50)
Deposit Overpay	<u>(\$5.00)</u>
Total Expenditures	<u>(\$39.50)</u>
Ending Balance	\$884.81

Submitted by John S, Club Treasurer

2009 Activity Preview

Classic RV Club activities scheduled for upcoming months

Date	Location	Hosts	Deposit
Oct 1-4	Blue Ox RV Park Albany, OR	Jerry/Michele Joe/Judie	\$35.00
Dec 6 (Sun) 9am	The Portlander Inn Portland, OR	Jan	na

2010 Activities (preliminary subject to change, check final 2010 schedule)

Jan 9 (Sat) 2pm	Village Inn Tualatin, OR	Jan	na
Feb 15 (Mon) 9am	tbd	Jan	na
Mar 25-28	Lone Fir RV Park Cougar, WA	Dan/Sue Jerry/Paula Terry/Judy	\$xx.00
May 20-23	Mallard Creek RV Park Lebanon, OR	Al/Rose	\$33.30
Jun 24-27	Casey's Riverside RV Park West Fir, OR	Frank/Dianne John/Bonnie	\$35.97
Aug 19-22	Seven Feathers RV Park Canyonville, OR	Bill/Juanita Larry/Anita	\$29.00
Sep 16-19 (dry camping)	Stark's Homestead Ranch Oregon City, OR	Jerry/Michele	\$0.00
Oct 21-24	Devils Lake RV Park Lincoln City, OR	Dale/Pauline George/Candy John/Elaine	\$29.84
Dec 5 (Sun) 9am	The Portlander Inn Portland, OR	Jan	na

- Prices subject to change; final prices posted on signup sheet.
 - Deposit is due at the preceding campout; if you cannot attend preceding campout, get your deposit to the host in advance.
 - If you decide to attend campout after registrations are sent in, you must call the RV park directly; also let the host know you plan to attend.
- For additional information on activities listed above or for additional scheduled activities, check the Activity page on the Classic RV Club website:
www.classicRVclub.org/Activities.html.