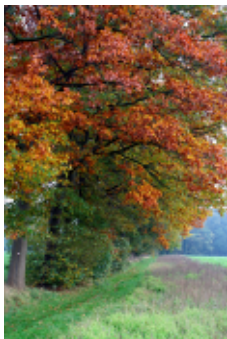


MCW NEWSLETTER

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STATE FALL CAMPOUT IN HASTINGS



Nothing like the crisp air and beautiful leaves of Fall.

Fourteen coaches enjoyed a wonderful weekend at the Barry County Fair grounds in Hastings, Michigan. Many State members arrived early on Wednesday and Thursday so they could

have a few extra days to enjoy the area. A group went golfing on Thursday afternoon. Thursday evening found a very large group at the local Pub in Hastings enjoying some really great food.

Friday was spent rehearsing for the entertainment section of Saturday. Van Hutens and McCowans enjoyed going to the car museum near Kalamazoo to see the Gilmore collection.

Friday night was a Hobo Dinner and everyone was to dress as a Hobo. There were some pretty grubby looking characters eating dinner! Dinner was followed by Card Bingo, while others enjoyed pulling chairs together and catching up with each other.

Saturday morning started with an early breakfast of pancakes and sausage . There was a game of Beanbag Baseball. Motor Cities Winnies were eliminated very early in the contest. Oh well, there is always May to look forward to! The rest of the morning and early afternoon were left for enjoying the area and fellow members.

At 4:00 p.m. we had chapter meetings followed by a 6:00 o'clock dinner , a General Meeting, and an evening of entertainment put on by each chapter. A lot of work and practice went into each presentation and all the clubs did an outstanding job. We believe there may be some budding thespians! in the wings!?!?

Sunday morning we enjoyed another full breakfast put on by the Cereal Cities club. They did an outstanding job of catering all the meals themselves! After breakfast it was back to the coaches to get ready to leave for home. We all enjoyed a great weekend of fellowship!



September Business Meeting

The September Meeting of the Motor Cities Winnies was called to order by President Judy Hennells at 4:00 o'clock. The following members were present: Dunns, Eickholdts, Hennells, Hanlons, Hornsby, Senkowskis, Yates, Emersons, Johnsons,

Van Houtens, McCowans Paszkos Garcias, and Simonds.

Minutes from the August meeting were read by Secretary Sharon Emerson. It was moved that the minutes be accepted as read by Ron Johnson and seconded by Ran

Hennells. Motion carried.

The Treasurers report was given by Marty Senkowski as follows:

Camping Balance \$980.00 Check #1038 to Mackinaw Mill Creek Campground for August 13-16, 2009

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CAMPING BALANCE
\$640.00

OUTSTANDING CAMPING FUNDS

Groveland Oaks	\$50.00
Yogi Bear	\$50.00
Mill Creek	\$640.00
Total outstanding	\$740.00
Total Camping \$1,080.00 Fund	
Regular Balance	\$1992.13

Beginning Bank balance
\$2972.13

Check #1038 Mill Creek
\$640.00

Total Bank Balance
\$2332.13

Outstand Checks \$100.00
\$640.00 Closing balance is
\$2332.13

A cashiers check was given to Nance Johnson to open a new account. It was moved

By Ron Johnson to accept the treasurers report seconded by Bob Dunn. Motion carried.

OLD BUSINESS:

Traveling Trophy was given be Bob Garcia to Don and Maria Eickholdt for keep on traveling on!

Judy Hennells reported that the money that was given to us from General RV for Grandparent weekend that was not used will be ap-

Oct. Birthdays and Anniversaries



BIRTHDAYS

Skip Yates	8
Jeff Ferreri	10
Pat Polakowski	17
Pat Trainor	28

ANNIVERSARIES

Leonard & Pat Polakowski	10/12 51 years
Elena Garcia & Jeff Ferreri	10/23 9 yrs
Don & Marie Eickholdt	10/19 51 yrs
Bob & Carol Bolter	

10/16 43 yrs

Calendar Of Coming Events



October 3-5 East Jordan
Nov. 7-9 Frankenmuth
Dec 6 Atlantis Restaurant

WE NEED WAGON MASTERS FOR APRIL. PLEASE CALL JUDY HENNELLS IF YOU ARE INTERESTED IN HOSTING.

September Minutes Con't

plied to the Christmas Party. The Christmas party has been changed from the 13th to the 6th of Dec. Also Al B. will be providing a tree for the ornament exchange, so please do not wrap the ornaments for exchange, they will be hung on the tree. Please also bring hats, mittens and scarves for children, all sizes, also unwrapped. More information will be coming on menu and cost of the dinner.

Judy Hennells also reported that we still need WAGON MASTERS for April.

Frankenmuth Nov. 7-9 Menu will be in the next newsletter. Saturday night will be dinner at Gracie's.

Shirts: Nancy Yates and Nance Johnson have the shirts that were ordered. You can pick them up from them. They had a catalog of additional shirts and sweat-shirts as well as denim shirts that could be or-

dered. If you are interested please contact them soon.

NEW BUSINESS;

Judy Hennells brought up 50/50 tickets. Should we sell them to put more money in tres. To defray costs of Christmas party and money for camping fees. A vote will be taken at the next meeting.

Judy Hennells brought up that we needed to have a copy of medications and a person to call in case of an



Directions to East Jordan Campground

Directions to East Jordan.

Take I-75 to exit 254 , Grayling. Go through Grayling to third light and turn left onto M-72. Take m-72 to Sigma Road (about 15 miles.) Make a right onto Sigma Road and take to Mancelona. Turn right at M-131 in Mancelona. Go through the stop light and at the flashing yellow ,turn left onto M-66. Take M-66 to

East Jordan. Go through the light, you can see the campground. The entrance is on the right immediately after the bend in the road. Stop at the office, you made it!!

If you follow your GPS and go through Gaylord, M32 is VERY curvy and a 2 lane road. It is a very pretty drive, however several people felt the Grayling

route was an easier way to go and a little shorter mile wise. It is your choice!



Change is the law of life. And those who look only to the past or present are certain to miss the future.

John F. Kennedy

OCTOBER EAST JORDAN WEEKEND

The Oct. 3rd East Jordan/Charlevoix outing is set to go!. Reservations are under the name EMERSON. The phone # of the campgrounds is :231-536-2561. The price of camping is 25.00 per night. You pay when you get there. We have reserved 14 sites. Please let Melinda Dunn 248-682-6769 or Sharon

Emerson 586-264-7097 know if you are going as they need a head count for food preparation.

MENU:

Friday: Veg. soup & grilled cheese sandwiches, dessert

Sat. Breakfast: Egg casserole & juice

Lunch on your own

Dinner Jordan Inn. Cost \$15.00 per person which includes salad, soup, chicken breast entrée, vegetable, dessert and non-alcoholic beverage. A cash bar is available.

Sunday: Hot cereal and toast.

PLEASE LET MELINDA OR SHARON KNOW IF YOU ARE **NOT** ATTENDING THE DINNER ON SATURDAY BY SEPTEMBER 30TH SO THEY CAN COMPLETE ARRANGEMENTS!

President Judy Hennells
734-453-2687
Treasurer Nance Johnson
Sec. Sharon Emerson
586-264-7097

The Motor Cities Winnies is a Winnebago and Itasca motor home camping club in the metro-Detroit area. We have camping outings monthly during the camping season. Most outings are held in the state, except for the annual Grand National Rally, which is held in Forest City, Iowa. We welcome owners of Itasca's and Winnebago's to join us in the fun and fellowship our club has to offer.

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October 3-5 East Jordan
November 7-9 Frankenmuth
December 13th Atlantis Rest. Christmas Party

Emergency. It was suggested that we tape this information to an inside cupboard so there was easy access so it could be passed onto an EMS person.

Judy Hennells read four things to test for in the event you feel someone is having a stroke.

A motion was made by Melinda Dunn to close the meeting. It was seconded by Bob Dunn. Motion carried. Meeting closed at 4:38 P.M.

Respectively submitted by
Sharon Emerson
Secretary