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Death Valley News 2018 - By Christine Nordstrom #2048

Thanks to the partial Government Shutdown, the Death Valley Desperados had to break tradition and find another location to meet due to the Sunset Campground being temporarily “closed”. Rosemary Webb came to the rescue and found an RV park nearby in the Amargosa Valley called Longstreet Casino and RV Resort. We did our best to get the word out to the Lazy Dazer’s regarding the change via text, email and Facebook messenger.

Dave and I met up with the Webb’s on Christmas Day and had a delicious dinner at the restaurant in the casino. We were soon joined by the Orr’s, Bob Filler, Steve Tivy, Penny & Troy, the Beckman’s and the Tutterrow’s for a total of 8 rigs in camp! We made sure we called Frances and Bob Smith via “FaceTime” several times during the trip so they could be with us in spirit!



It was freezing cold but we had full hook-ups for \$22.50 a night! Such a great deal! They even have a lake with ducks and a “petting zoo” with a water buffalo, a few donkeys and goats... We were able to go exploring in the “toads” and found Ash Meadows to be delightful and found an abandoned mine or two to photograph during our travels. The weather was colder than usual, so we experienced snow flurries and plenty of wind!

We celebrated the Webb’s wedding anniversary with dinner at the casino and the prime rib was awesome! Unfortunately, it was too cold to ring in the new year outside by the fire, so we all went inside the Webb’s coach to be warm and festive and a little silly blowing our horns. We had a wonderful time and I can’t wait to do it all over again! (Next time at Sunset Campground in Death Valley of course!) See you all next year!



LAZY DAZE CARAVAN CLUB

Camping Schedule 2019

<http://www.lazydazecaravanclub.org>

Caravan Dates	Location	Amenities	Phone no./Elevation
JANUARY 16 - 20 <i>Hosting Group</i> <i>Drifters</i>	La Paz County Park 7350 Riverside Dr. Parker, AZ 85344	Dry Camping Limited electric \$\$ Monday to Sunday rates	(928) 667-2069 435 Ft. Elevation
FEBRUARY 13 - 17 <i>Hosting Group</i> <i>Road Runners</i>	Lake Perris State Park 17801 Lake Perris Drive Perris, CA 92571	Water & Electric Hook-ups Dump Station @ park Bring extra leveling blocks Sunday to Sunday rates	(951) 657-0676 1658 Ft. Elevation
MARCH 13 - 17 <i>Hosting Group</i> <i>Firesiders</i>	Catalina Spa & RV Resort 18-800 Corkill Road Desert Hot Springs, CA 92241	Full Hook-ups Sunday to Sunday rates	(760)-329-4431 1076 Ft. Elevation
APRIL 10- 14 <i>Hosting Group</i> <i>Outbacks</i>	Tucalota Springs RV Park 41601 Benton Road, Hemet, CA 92544	Full Hook-ups Sunday to Sunday rates	(951) 767-0604 2345 Ft. Elevation
MAY 15-19 <i>Hosting Group</i> <i>Past Tents</i>	Cachuma Lake Route154 Santa Barbara, CA 93105	Water & Electric Hook-ups or dry camp Dump Station @ park Monday to Sunday rates	(805) 686-5055 810 Ft. Elevation
JUNE 5-9 <i>Hosting Group</i> <i>Drifters</i>	Silent Valley Camp 46305 Poppet Flats Road Banning, CA 92220	Full Hook-ups No Campfires Tuesday to Sunday rates	(800) 472-5601 3500 Ft. Elevation
SEPTEMBER 18-22 <i>Hosting Group</i> <i>Road Runners</i>	Ventura County Fair Grounds 10 West Harbor Blvd. CA Ventura, CA 93001	Dry Camping Monday to Sunday rates Dump Station available on Fair grounds	(805) 648-3376 10 Ft. Elevation
OCTOBER 16-20 <i>Hosting group</i> <i>Firesiders</i>	CatalinaSpa & RV Resort 18-800 Corkill Road Desert Hot Springs, CA 92241	Full Hook-ups Sunday to Sunday rates	(760)-329-4431 1076 Ft. Elevation
Dec. 4-8 <i>Hosting Group</i> <i>Past Tents</i>	Cachuma Lake Route154 Santa Barbara, CA 93105	Water & Electric Hook-ups or dry camp Dump Station @ park Monday to Sunday rates	(805) 686 5055 810 Ft. Elevation





WE SALUTE YOU
Host Tent Volunteers
For December

- Barbara Allen
- Bill Arthur
- Betty Boschma
- Bob Filler
- Carol Harter
- Carol Kratzer
- Dave Nordstrom
- Jean & Carl Orr
- Linda & Ken Palmer
- Past Tents
- Claude & Carol Potts
- Nancy & Tom Riley
- Bob Schmahl
- Sharon Turner
- Ferrell / Paulin Mary Sue Irene



Toys for Tots



Although Sally & I were unable to attend Live Oak, due to my breathing problems, the T4T collection boxes & banners were delivered to camp by Steve & Nancy Bourgholtzer-

Set up by the hosting Past Tents-generously filled by the L.D. members (5+Large yards bags full) - brought back to our home in Santa Paula by Bob Filler- & picked up by the Marines to be distributed to needy children in L.A., Ventura & Santa Barbara counties.

The Marines were very appreciative of our club's contribution (6th year ongoing)

of giving many children a very Happy Christmas time..!!

Gene Caulfield





December 2018

Len Philippi Memorial Washer Toss Tournamenty

Our Lazy Daze turnout was light with only 44 rigs attending the Live Oak Caravan. Undoubtedly the weather predictions had a lot to do with attendance.

Thursday dawned with rain and I was not sure if we were going to have a Washer Toss Tournament or Submarine Races. The predictions were that the rain would subside with no rain on Friday.

On Friday morning the weather was brisk and everyone was looking for a sunny spot to set up their chairs. We had 11 teams and started our double elimination tournament with gusto. Team 4, Claude Potts and Linda Palmer, defeated team 7, Herb Johnson and Susan Pyle, to win the winners bracket of the tournament. Herb and Susan had to play team 10, Vern Tutterrow and Nancy Riley, the winners of the losers bracket to advance to the championship playoff.

Vern and Nancy were victorious and advanced to the playoff where they had to beat Claude and Linda twice to win the tournament.

Vern and Nancy were successful in winning the first game, but Claude and Linda were able to come back and win the second game to win the Philippi Tournament for 2018.

Congratulations to Claude and Linda.



From Peggy Zabel

Well, here it is, the last email update as your Chairman of the Lazy Daze Caravan Club. What a rewarding (and at times, challenging) year this has been. I have gotten to know a lot more of the members of our Club and am so grateful for that opportunity.

Congratulations to Christine and Dave Nordstrom on their award as Caravaners of the Year. This is a perk of being Chairman, choosing someone to get this special award. It is also a very difficult decision because so many people are such hard workers and are deserving of this award. Christine and Dave were my perfect choice for what they have contributed to the Lazy Daze Caravan Club during my term.

A huge thank you to my husband, Marlin, who has been a great support throughout this time. As a past Chairman, he had a lot of advice to pass along to me. Thank you, Marlin.

Also, a great Executive Board is something that every leader hopes for in their term and I am so blessed to share that I had a fantastic board to help with the management of the Lazy Daze Caravan Club.

Christine Nordstrom, you have been a rock, especially when Connie and I were unable to attend the March outing at Stagecoach. Your handling of a difficult situation was greatly appreciated by all. I received many comments on the way you handled the entire outing. You have been there every time I needed advice and had great input.

Connie Johnson, you have also been a rock. You always were available for any needed advice and had great suggestions. Not only do you handle Pot of Gold and Bingo, you also are there for help and suggestions during outings.

Sharon Turner, what can I say except THANK YOU. The communication you and I had during this past year was outstanding. You handled the job as Secretary of the Lazy Daze Caravan Club with exceptional skills. You are such an asset to our club.

Charlene Tutterrow, you are my boulder, my big sister from another mother, my go-to source, and so on.... The Club is in such capable hands with you in charge of our monies. I am amazed at your memories of the past of our Club and how things have been handled in our past. You are an invaluable member of the Lazy Daze Caravan Club.

Dave Hurley, our techno man. Your Caravaner is always a treat to enjoy before our outings and also at the Caravan. Your skills show through with the beauty of the Caravaner. The Lazy Daze Caravan Club web site is loaded with needed information. As an added bonus, we all enjoy your beautiful voice when we sing Good Bless America at the end of our General Meeting.

Dave Nordstrom, you are the perfect Lazy Daze Caravan Club person to welcome new Lazy Dazers into our fold. We love when you and Christine bring Little Daisy to our outings. Your help with the sound system at our events are so appreciated.

Marlin Zabel, your record keeping as statistician is spot on. No one realizes, except me (watching from home), how many hours you spend each month keeping the records for our Club.

There are so many other people to thank that are on the Who's Who of Lazy Daze Caravan Club. **! thank each and every one of you for your help and support this past year.**

Caravaners of The Year



Congratulations to our 2018 Caravaners of the Year
Dave and Christine Nordstrom

YEAR	LAST NAME	FIRST NAME
2003	Fletcher	Joe & Jane
2004	Nelson	Don & Bobbie
2005	No-Mads	
2006	Joe	Terry & Lucy
2007	Filler	Bob & Di
2008	Mailliard	John
2009	Smith	Frances & Bob
2010	LaPorte	Donna
2011	Berggreen	Barbara
2011	Gibbs	Joe and Laureta
2012	Tanner	Terry
2012	Hurley	David
2013	Wayne	Bob & Joanne
2014	Zabel	Marlin
2014	Shaner	Mona
2015	Webb	Don & Rosemary
2015	Turner	Sharon
2016	Lovett	Georgeann
2017	Zabel	Peggy
2018	Dave & Christine	Nordstrom

YEAR	LAST NAME	FIRST NAME
1983	Fleming	Don
1984	Wine	Jack
1985	Matthews	Jim
1986	Saunders	Bill & Yvonne
1987	Kudell	Carolyn
1988	Barger	John & Marlene
1989	Cash	George & Dorothy
1989	Lawrence	Frank & Marion
1990	VonSoosten	Ron
1991	Graham	Bob & Beulah
1991	Williams	Lyle & Helen
1992	Wass	Roland & Edythe
1993	Boschma	Frank & Betty
1994	Moore	Earl & Florence
1995	Bevington	Florence
1996	Creath	Roy & Helen
1996	Holliday	Bob & Darlyne
1996	Reeder	George & Rose Marie
1997	Johnson	Herb
1998	Wayne	Bill
1999	Widmer	Ed
2000	Greene	Gordon
2001	Alford	Bill
2002	Edgecomb	Harry & Lurlie
2002	Tutterrow	Vern & Charlene



Very Special Persons for Outstanding Service



Charlene Tutterrow Rig #1222



Connie Johnson Rig #2985

December Wedding Anniversaries



Patrick & Barbara Lynn Barnes



Rich & Georgeann Lovett

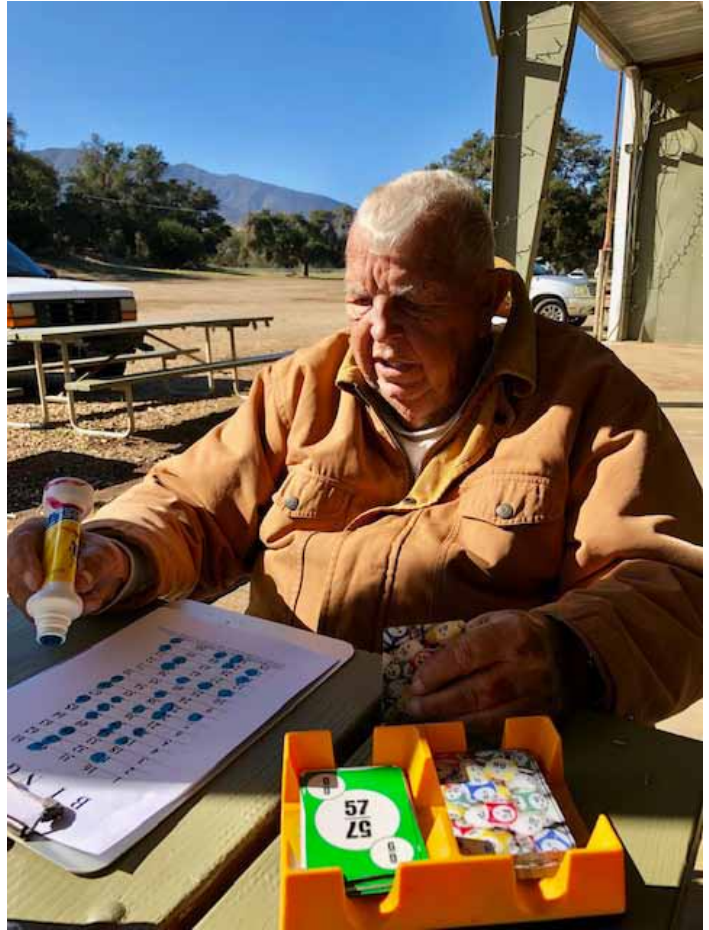
December Birthday



Lydia Granger



We are going to miss you Live Oak!



From the Editor

The deadline for articles is the Sunday following each Caravan. Thank you for your continuing support in the production of the Caravaner.



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