

# Three Rivers Chapter Chatter



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Our August campout met at the Tievoli Hills Resort, 25795 Hwy N, Clarksville, MO. It also served as our participation in the State's Virtual Rally.

Members in attendance were Ford, Hunter, Stanton Burhorn, Sheehan and Weber/Gassmann.

Guest campers were Dave and Terry Huskey, sponsored by the Burhorns.

On Wednesday, Burhorns, Huskeys, Hunters, Fords, Sheehans and Stanton arrived in camp, were hooked up and were ready to take it easy. It was HOT so all were happy to find some shade and relax. Everyone managed their own dinner in the cool of their A/C.

Thursday Carol Weber and Don Gassmann arrived to complete our first 100% gathering of the year. All afternoon we watched rain showers skirt around us, but we escaped without getting wet. Those who went to the pool appreciated that!

Behind the Burhorn's rig became our gathering place. The large shade tree along with the Ford's two dining flies and a picnic table, provided the perfect spot for morning coffee, gab fests, meals, the meeting and Kevin's birthday party. It also became the spot for us to enjoy Don Ford's gas firepit in the evenings

The days were occupied with just hanging out or side trips to Louisiana, Clarksville or just cruising the countryside to admire the scenery. Of course, at least one outing was designated a treasure hunting trip. Not much came of it though.

Evening meals were pot-luck affairs with pulled pork, burgers and brats accompanied by a large variety of salads chips and then ice cream drumsticks.

The regular business meeting was held Friday afternoon with all active members present (highlights are below). Later Dale got us connected with Larry and Darlene Picraux at their home in Arizona. Each of us had a chance to say "hello". They are doing well although they voiced some displeasure with the temperatures (90 deg. considered cool).

The Huskeys left on Friday and the Burhorns did so on Saturday. Those of us remaining enjoyed Saturday's dinner of "Burgers by Kevin" and corn on the cob by Carol Weber which was capped off nicely with Kevin's birthday cake, and an enjoyable evening around Don's fire pit.

Sunday morning Jim Stanton pulled out leaving the rest planning on heading home on Monday. I'm pretty sure they all made it okay.

**Dale Hunter**  
President

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Booker

**Don Ford**  
Treasurer &  
Webmaster

**Linda Hunter**  
Wagon  
Master

## **THE BUSINESS MEETING AUGUST 14, 2020:**

The August meeting of the Three Rivers Chapter was held at Tivoli Resort and Campground in Clarksville, Missouri.

The meeting was called to order a 3:00 pm on August 14, 2020 by President Hunter. He then led us in the Pledge of Allegiance.

We sang Happy Birthday to Jim Stanton and Kevin Sheehan. There were no anniversaries to honor.

The July minutes were read and approved with no changes.

### **Treasurers Report:**

Don Ford reported a savings balance of \$5.02 and checking balance of 194.85 after sending a memorial donation to Back Stoppers honoring Meg Miles.

### **Correspondence:**

A letter was received by President Hunter, from Scott Leven, officially cancelling the State Rally, He also received one announcing the 2020 MO State Virtual Rally.

### **There was no New Business:**

### **For the Good of the Chapter:**

Carol Weber has spoken to the daughter of Jim and Renate Ehrhard. Their daughter reported they are not getting any better. Jim uses a walker but moves very slowly. Both are having issues with memory.

President Hunter spoke with Larry Brinkman, He just got out of the hospital. He is dealing with several health issues so please keep him your thoughts and prayers.

President Hunter also spoke with Larry Picraux. He and Darlene are doing well. He mentioned he had looked at an RV in the neighborhood, but he was outvoted by Darlene.

Bette Ford spoke with Dorothy Charpiot and said she is doing well and says to say hello to everyone.

Carol Weber spoke with Sandy Luzynski. She stays very connected to her family and still plans to travel.

President Hunter asked for a motion to adjourn which was made by Carol Weber and seconded by Linda Hunter.

The meeting was adjourned at 3:26pm.

## **FUTURE MEETINGS:**

**September 18-20:** Campout at the Boomland RV Park & Campground (<https://boomland.com/boomland-campground/>) , 100 Beasley Park Rd Charlestown, MO 63834 phone: 573-683-6108.

COST: \$15/night

DIRECTIONS: Take I-55 south 1 mile past the Sikeston Exit to I-57 east. Go 10 miles to the Charlestown Exit. Boomtown is on the right. Make a right at the exit on to Hwy-105 (S. Main St), and then left into Beasley Park Rd. Go past Boomland to the RV park on your right.

**October 15-18:** Campout at the Lazy Days RV Park, 214 Hwy-J Danville, MO 63361, (573-564-2949 or <https://www.lazydaycampground.com> ) This is a joint campout along with the **Heart of Missouri Chapter**. **Please confirm your individual reservation with the campground as soon as you know you are going to attend, BUT NOT LATER THAN September 27th.**

DIRECTIONS: I-70 west to exit 170 (Montgomery City / Danville), up the ramp, turn left on Hwy-J, stay on Hwy-J to Campground entrance on the left.  
 COST: Full hookup with 30 or 50amp: \$34.00

**November: TBD** - Luncheon meeting Hosted by Don and Bette Ford.

**THE SCHEDULE FOR THE NEXT 12 MONTHS IS SHOWN BELOW:**

<u>Month</u>	<u>Host / Location</u>	<u>-</u>
===== 2020 =====		
December**	Stanton	12/20/2020 1:30 pm @ Mimi's / Chesterfield
===== 2021 =====		
January**	Hunter	TBD
February**	Sheehan	TBD
March**	Burhorn	TBD
April	Campout	TBD
May	Campout	TBD
June	Campout	TBD
July	Campout	TBD
August	Campout	TBD
September	Campout	TBD
October	Campout	TBD
November**	Weber/Gassmann	TBD

**\*\* If you will be traveling away from the St. Louis area during your month to host, please make a reservation in advance and ask someone else to be your substitute contact person for the venue and for those attending.**  
 Please notify Linda Hunter of any changes at: 636-337-7925 or at <mailto:bdhunter40@hotmail.com>



Get 'em up This could be a holdup!