The SCOOP







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Another fantastic season has come and gone, and with it memories of a park filled to capacity, lots of activities, many returning RVers, new friends and lots of improvements to the facility.

Last month we had our two bestever food events, the steak BBQ on the 5th and St. Patrick's dinner on the 17th. Our grill masters served up 90 perfectly grilled half-



Dan and Deborah DeBono recently visited and camped in their 1966, 13 foot Cardinal Lovebird trailer, pulled with their 1951 Chevy standard pickup truck.

pound steaks and 60 RV leprechauns enjoyed 60 pounds of corned beef, 25 pounds of carrots, 25 heads of cabbage and desserts that gave new meaning to sugar rush!

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As you may have heard, the Great Flood of 2016 caused major damage here at Hidden Springs when the Bouge Chitto River rose to nearly 32 feet (about twice the normal flood stage) and overflowed its banks.

We were shocked and in awe! The original storm prediction made us think that we would be spared but when Winston awoke at 3:00 am,



Yes, the water was THIS high!

water was up to the kitchen. He went and got life jackets and the boat while I called for help. The park was already majorly flooded so all we could do was pray for all the flood victims everywhere, and pray we did.

We were so thankful for the outpouring of help from the

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It's that time of the year finally; the grass is getting green, the birds are singing and Spring is in the air.

After such an unusual Winter, we're looking forward to hosting all of our good friends from the past and those who we'll meet for the first time this season. We're sure



New transformer

that all of you are eager to hook up the camper and head out for another Spring and Summer of great camping in the great outdoors.

2016 year is the 30 year anniversary of our campground so

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The *All American RV Club* is a new and growing network of campgrounds that offer significant discounts (most are 50% off their regular rates) to the members of All American RV Parks. There is no book to buy, nothing new to join or any additional cost to be part of this program - it's open to all members in good standing. Just show your All American RV Parks membership card! Here's one more reason why membership is the best way to go camping!

A complete listing, including the latest updates, is available online at www.AARVClub.com



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we have some exciting things planned for the season. We'll be filling you in on all of the details but for now, we can tell you that the 30th Anniversary Celebration will take place on Saturday, June 18, beginning with a pancake breakfast from 8:00 am to 10:00 am.



Working on our electric upgrade

Following that, the celebration and fun continues to 4:00 pm. We're in the process of finalizing the entertainment and vendors so stay tuned!

Work on the electric has gone well and will be completed by the time the park opens on April 15.

to call and make your reservations for the Summer. We always fill up fast, especially for the holidays! The Golf Car Company will be here April 16 to assist with any questions you might have for your golf carts. You will need to sign up in advance if you need battery testing or anything else. Please call the office for information. We will also be having a pot luck dinner that evening. Once again this year we have need for

Speaking of April 15, don't forget

lifeguards so if you know anyone interested, please let us know.

Have a safe trip back and we will see you then.

Dorothy and Frank Downing, Managers



A very popular new event was created by a small group of our members and guests that steadily grew into a great way to end every day. Each evening at 5:00 pm the group gathered in the BBQ area for Happy Hour, each bringing a tasty snack to share



90 perfectly steaks, grilled to order

along with their favorite beverage. Over time the group grew to include upwards of 20 folks and sometimes even more. Definitely something we see getting more popular with time.



Corned beef and cabbage for everyone!

One more event that was added this year was a twice-a-month Yard Sale, featuring everything from clothing to crafts to 'what is this still doing in our storage?' items. This is another one that we see growing in the future.

Our future here is bright and we look forward to sharing it with you and your family for many years to come. We wish everyone a great Summer of RVing and look forward to welcoming all of you back next Fall! Get your reservations in early so you don't miss a moment of fun, food and friends.

Bruce Howell, Manager

Walthall Sheriff's Department, Walthall Civil Defense, Mississippi Wildlife and Fisheries and numerous volunteers who came with boats to help.



Kids and water, always a fun time

Everyone was brought to safety, along with their pets. We can't thank all those enough who pitched it and appreciate all of the assistance.

With heavy hearts we had to cancel our Easter celebration. After putting in so much hard work, preparation and hope for the event, we and our volunteers were shattered. But, the park will reopen this month with everything in full swing. We are looking forward to an exciting and fun season.

So, dust off that camping gear or hookup the RV and enjoy some downtime with us. Enjoy a sky filled with stars, the smell of a campfire, the chorus of owls and quality time with family and friends. If you have cabin fever, we have the cure. Come enjoy some lazy days relaxing by the pool, fish or canoe in the river and enjoy cozy nights by a campfire.

We hope to see you soon.

Winston and Sheila McDaniel, Managers