

# The SCOOP



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## LABOR DAY

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Labor Day signals Summer's finale, Autumn's arrival and the approach of our Winter season.

Sadly, one of our great crew members will not be with us when



the new season begins. Don Pitkin, who worked tirelessly for a decade to make Cathedral Palms such a great place to visit, passed away last month.

Don's presence was evident everywhere on the park, from the

Even with Fall approaching, we continue adding to our list of attractions.

Our newest is the Disc Golf course. Plans are being made to



**Ally admirer Mike Chipman** host several tournaments before Winter arrives. We are very fortunate to have a great course designer who is an avid player himself. He will be helping us with the tournaments.

Our guests have been having a great time around the park as Summer winds down.

As we begin to feel that first little Fall chill in the air, we can't help



**Drive-in movie** but get excited about all of the events we still have planned for the remainder of 2022.

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The **All American RV Club** is our growing network of RV Parks and 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 Club** membership card!

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### South wall site improvements

We are now finishing up Don's final project on the south border of the park. Sites 41 through 48 lack privacy hedges between sites but that is set to change. Rather than planting oleanders as has been done throughout the park, ficus trees will be planted this month or next and will be a great improvement.

Meanwhile, Paulette is easing her way into her new position as manager. There is a lot to learn but she is

sparkling clean pool and spa, his colorful flowers, the dog park and loving care of all things flora. We'll be holding a Celebration of Life for Don during the upcoming season.

Looking forward to the challenge and will certainly be ready to fully take over the reins once November 1 rolls around.

Just in case you wonder if the great food events will suffer,

Paulette will still be handling food service just as in the past, albeit it with some more kitchen help.

We hope you're looking forward to joining us for all of the Food, Fun and Friends as much as we're looking forward to hosting you!



### Kristin cooling off

**Bruce Howell, Manager**

**Paulette Davis, Future Manager**

We have an exciting September planned that will lead us into our Halloween Spooktacular events. Cross River Junction will join us again on stage during our Redneck Redux. Redneck weekend is so



**Regatta winners**

popular we had to do it twice this year, and we're adding a Pitmaster Challenge to it. After that, make sure you have your detective skills up to date because we're doing our second Murder Mystery within the park. Play along as we try to figure out who the killer is. We close out the month with our Fall



**Craft kids**



**Future hero**

Festival, featuring games of skill and change throughout the clubhouse.

In August we took a little time out to honor our local heroes around the area. From our area fire departments to our local sheriff's office, we had demonstrations throughout the park from safety services. We ran a 50/50 raffle in honor of Deputy Yates, who lost his life in the line of duty, and were able to generate over \$800 for his family. We wrapped the day up with a concert and invited all our local heroes to enjoy.

We also held our 3rd Annual Cardboard Regatta in August that saw over 30 boats built within the park. With some cardboard, duct tape, and a lot of imagination, creations ranging from a cow to a couple of rubber ducks competed. We had some boats make it easily across the pool, while others barely made it past the starting line. This has become one of our all time great Summer events, and we can't wait to see what our families come up with for 2023.

Get your reservations in now; there's no better place in Ohio to be Making Memories, One Campsite at a Time.

**Darren Rambo, Manager**

A big Thank You goes to Activities Director Ragan Daigrepoint for all of her hard work. Ragan loves her job and we see that every week in the creative activities she plans for both kids and adults. Of course, Ragan sees that Ally the Alligator goes for a ride throughout the park, greeting kids and allowing photo ops every week.



**Disc Golf course designer Tony Bass**

Coming September 29 through October 1, Hidden Springs will hold its first Arts & Crafts Festival/Flea Market. Vendors will be able to rent an RV site and set up at that site. We have had great response from a variety of vendors. We still have a few sites available if any of you members would like to participate.

October 8 will be our Camper Appreciation Weekend. We will have a Drawing for two nights free camping and other prizes. Pulled pork, ribs and all the trimmings will be available.

October 22 and October 29



**Ragan Facepainting**

will feature our Halloween Haunted Trail. If anyone would like to help please give us a call. The more volunteers we have the scarier the trail will be. Last year we had two great weekends with Costume Contests, RV site Decorations, Trick 'r Treat and the Haunted Trail. We look forward to an even better turn out this year.



**Kailey Eaveson, arts and crafts**

Last, but not least, thanks to the Novelli Family. Kathy and Tony spent a few days with us in August. Kathy was fine tuning the cabins and sprucing up our common areas. Tony made some great videos for promotion; if you get a chance please check them out. Thanks to Leo as always for the support and help he gives us here at Hidden Springs. Leo, we love the new Starlink Satellite service.

**Don Mathis  
General Manager**