

Dear Sammies,

The 2024 Arkansas Good Sam Rally is in our rear view mirrors now. Gary and Virginia Reynolds, Bob and Margaret Hazzard, new members Richard and Linda Stewart, and I attended. Our beautiful scrapbook was awarded first place. Thank you, Bev Puckett. It is beautiful. I will bring it to future gatherings so everyone can see it.

We have sent a \$25 memorial to Indian Springs Baptist Church in Bryant in memory of Don Cowell, former member and state director. I will get a check to the BV Garden Club in memory of Andrea Miers if I can ever get them to respond to inquiries about how we give them money!!!

Our nominating committee will begin working to find new officers for the coming year. Please dig deep and agree to serve in some capacity. We cannot continue without new officers.

Our chapter banner is missing. We had it at the rally last year. Gloria thought we had it at Friendship at Eufala but I wasn't there so don't know. If anyone knows where it might be, please let me know.

Attached is our new roster and a photo of our new members, Linda and Richard Stewart. They have already signed up for two camp host assignments!

Here is our schedule for the remainder of 2024. If you have not yet made reservations for any of these campouts and want to attend, please call them right away.

May 20-23, 2024* – Wanderlust RV Park, Eureka Springs, AR – Trail Bosses are Janie Robinson and Nancy Natividad

The campground Pavilion is no charge with firepit, Social Hall is \$75/1st day, then \$20/each day after. All sites have firepits and picnic tables. We have released our block but you may still be able to make a reservation if you act quickly. 2024 rates are \$38.95 for 30-amp sites (up to 30'), \$51.01 for 50-amp sites (up to 45'), plus there will be a \$3 reservation fee each for their new reservation system. **Call direct (479) 253-7385 to make reservations and tell them you are with the BVTS group.** Owners are Jeff & Cindy.

June 18-21, 2024* – Riverside RV Park, Bartlesville, OK – Trail Boss is Shari Ogburn. She may need assistance as they will stay with friends in Bartlesville. Call direct (918) 336-6431 anytime for reservations within the 12 site BVTS block. Rates \$35.10/night full hook ups.

July 18-21, 2024* – The Mt. View RV Park, Mt. View, AR – Trail Boss Jean & John Justice They have full hook-ups, and most will be pull-through sites with concrete pads. They offer an AC rec hall with full kitchen & grill which accommodates 36 people for buffet. Rates will be \$124.28/3 nights but if we use 10-sites they will give us 10% off which makes it \$112.15. Block of sites will be released 30 days out. **Call 870-269-3758 to reserve within BVTS block.** Stephen & Shannon are the owners.

August 8 – Ice Cream Social at Judy Duncan’s home, 8 Coldstream Circle, **at 6:30 p.m.**

Sept. 17-20, 2024* – Friendship Campout, Extreme RV Resort, 203 Adams St., Eufaula, OK. **Call 918-707-5636 to reserve a site within our BVTs block, then let Virginia Reynolds know that you are going.**

October – Activities/Campout TBD

November 6-9, 2024* - Devil’s Den Clean-Up. **Trail boss needed for this one.**

December – Installation of Officers and Christmas Party, TBD

**Note: These campouts below are for 3 nights. The first date is check-in, second date is check-out.*

I think that is everything I needed to tell you. We hope to see you in Eureka Springs!

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Jan". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style with a large initial "J" and a long, sweeping underline.