

GEORGIA TRAVELERS #216

Newsletter Mar - Apr 2016

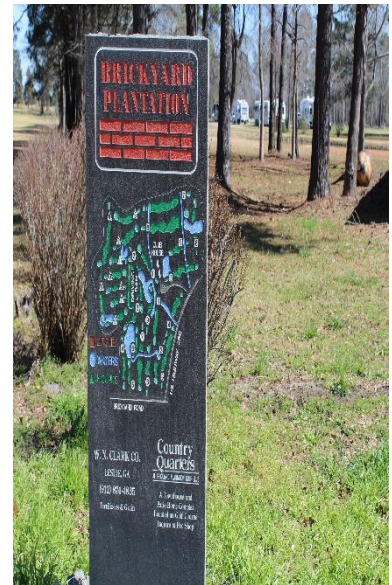
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Brickyard Plantation Golf Club and RV Park



Our MOT with newest edition, Axel

House was all ours for our covered dish dinner



What a great place we had for our February campout!! Really a nice place. We had BIG long pull-thru sites, with full hook-ups and 50 amp service. There were other people there (naturally), but we were not crowded. The golf course was adjacent to the campground, and the site fee covered all the golf you wanted to play, anytime. Looked pretty nice. Problem was we didn't have any golfers with us. Camping were Dan and Margaret Bond, Sandra Germain (Matt was off in NC with Scouts), Phil and Charlotte Hadarits, Bill Foster

and Axel, and Dean and Peggy Miller (with Wally wanting outside). It was cool and windy on Thursday night so we all ate in. Friday night we went into Americus to eat, and we had our covered dish dinner and meeting Saturday night. We had pretty weather the whole time we were there. It was nice to have the whole house to ourselves, though it would accommodate several groups in the separate dining rooms. In the building housing the restrooms and laundry there was an area with exercise equipment. If you missed it, be sure to plan to go next February, especially if you golf.



Even though we were small in number we really enjoyed it and look forward to our return trip.

The sun sets on our week-end--

Birthdays/Anniversaries

Again, this is behind on birthdays. Belated wishes to these who have already celebrated! Hope your day was a great one! For the ones with their special day coming up, hope it is a great one.

Birthdays

Mar

Dean Miller – 5
Peggy Miller – 8
Ron Swanson - 14

Apr

Mary Ann Davenport – 4
Dwight Swanson - 6
Joe Damino – 9
Jimmy Wentworth – 26
Margaret Bond – 28
Lina Herring - 30

Anniversaries

Mar

Ron & Joan Swanson – 5

Apr

Joe & Dean Damino - 16

Sickness and Distress:

Our sincere condolences go out to Bill Foster for the loss of his brother-in-law. Dan and Margaret Bond's granddaughter had to have a pacemaker put in. Sandra Germain recently became dehydrated, and the doctor had to give her fluid. Prayers for these.

2015 Camping Schedule

Get the most of your membership in NCT and join us at our campouts. We don't have any monetary benefits, but we do have the benefits of a week-end getaway from the usual "grind" and catching up on the news of friends, old and new, and usually a few of the world problems are solved, accompanied with good laughter (laughter is good for the soul). And last, but not least, good food. Speaking of food, it's always fun to discover new places to eat.

Apr 28 – May 1 Piney Woods Lake Campground, 3326 Piney Woods Lake Road, Glenwood, GA 30428. Phone 478-463-3301, Howard Swinson; no reservations needed. From I-16 toward Savannah exit at Hwy 19 (last Dublin exit), turn right and go about 15-16 miles, turn right at Piney Woods Lake sign and go 5 or so miles and turn right at White Springs Baptist Church. Campground is on right about 1 mile. From Glenwood, turn left at sign for campground and follow above. (Hwy 46 and 280 intersect with Hwy 19) From there you turn left on Hwy 19 and left at campground sign. Camping fee: \$15.00 per night. The State meeting will be in conjunction with this campout. Website: pineywoodlake.com

May 19 – 22 District 4 Friendship Rally, Stone Mountain Campground, 4003 Stonewall Jackson Drive, Stone Mountain, GA 30083. Reservations must be made directly with Stone Mountain Park, Darlene Sentell, (800) 385-9807. Reservations must be made no later than Apr 15, and tell her you with NCT. Site fee is \$38.00 per night and this rate will be good for 2 nights prior and 2 nights after rally. There is a one-time entrance fee of \$10.00. A one night deposit will be charged to a credit card at time of reservation. Registration form attached.

Jun 23-26 Hard Labor Creek State Park, Rutledge, GA. Directions: From Jct of I-20 and Exit 105, N 4.9 miles through Rutledge. Follow signs to park. State park reservations 800-864-7275 or hard_labor_creek_park@dnr.state.ga.us.

Jul 17-21 National NCT Rally, Frankfort, NY. Check News to Campers for info and application.

Aug 25-28 FD Roosevelt State Park, Pine Mountain, GA. From junction of US 27 & SR 190, east 3 miles on SR 190 to entrance. We usually camp in section 5 near pavilion. Reservations: 1-800-864-7275 or GeorgiaStateParks.org

Oct 25-29 Palmetto Cove, Cleveland, SC, 864-836-6221. SC Friendship Rally. Pay campground for camping fee when arrive, and registration fee or food fee to SC upon arrival.

Dec 3 Noon Christmas luncheon: Place TBD. Informal campout: Arrowhead Park, Lake Tobesofkee, Macon.

