

Weekly - RESORT REPORT

UNDER NEW MANAGEMENT

The Glades is now under new management as of November 1st. **Artie and Dora Carnes** come to us from Freedom, Indiana. Artie is Executive Director for Christian Contender Ministries which operates from their 95-acre horse ranch. You can find out more about this ministry at www.christiancontender.org.

Dora left her job as a Family Case Manager for the State of Indiana so she could be part of the management team here. They are living in the park model on lot 272 which is located near the front entrance.

They also bring with them their daughter **Anthea**. She has extensive training in the food service industry and will be assisting in the Grill and other food services. Anthea has her daughter **Jacquelyn** with her. She is five years old and attends Kindergarten at Community Christian School in Port LaBelle. Artie and Dora's son **Arthur** is also here and is helping with maintenance as well as the Retreat Center which is located on the other side of the canal. Their oldest daughter **Anna** is staying on the ranch in Indiana with her husband Steve. They are expecting their first child in January. The youngest daughter **Amanda** is in Job Corps and will be visiting during Christmas.

The Carnes family is excited about being at The Glades and working with Jon and Sharon to continue making this beautiful place "*the closest thing to paradise on earth.*" They look forward to getting to know everyone in the park and meeting your needs to make your stay here as pleasant as possible.

The Interim Manager, **Shirley Nugent** will continue in the office as personal secretary to Mr. Loftis. She will be a great help to the new management team as they "learn the ropes" of this project. We appreciate all of her hard work to keep everything going during the management transition and are glad she will be part of our team.

We ask for your patience and understanding as the new management team settles into their roles. Please feel free to come to the office with your needs and suggestions. There are many ways you can volunteer to help make this the fun and friendly park it has always been. We are all looking forward to a great season!

The Glades RV Resort

CHURCH SERVICES . . .

Traditionally the worship service held at the Clubhouse begins in January. If you would like services to begin before January please come to the office and sign-up. If there is enough interest it may begin earlier. During season, for the first time, we will have a Park Chaplain. He will be conducting the services and supplying other spiritual needs anyone may have. More information on this will be forthcoming.



RODEO & RETREAT ACTIVITIES

Preparations are being made to expand the Rodeo and Retreat activities this season. In addition to the Rodeo the managers have brought with them a string of horses from their ranch in Indiana. Work will begin soon on a Livery Stable at the entrance to the Retreat Center. When this is completed there will be riding lessons, trail riding, and other related activities for all to enjoy. Volunteers are needed to help build the stable and fencing for this project.

All residents are invited to participate in the Rodeo program. The following is the schedule for November.

Every Tuesday @ 7PM **Barrels and Poles Practice**

Every Thursday @ 7PM **Roping Practice**

(These events are free and you are welcome to watch.)

Sunday, Nov. 8 @ 1PM **Cowboy Church**

(Come join in worship, fellowship, and refreshments at the Arena.)

Friday, Nov. 13 @ 7PM **Team Sorting**

(Entry fee is \$20.00 - Spectators are free.)

Saturday, Nov. 21 @ 5PM **Wild Horse Ministries**

(This event is free and includes a chili dinner. It is a horse whispering demonstration. Donation for their ministry will be accepted.)

Fish Fry

First Christian Church in Clewiston

November 7th @ 6:00pm

THIS SATURDAY!

Everyone is invited to attend and enjoy this fish fry but you must sign-up in the office by Friday.

Friendly Reminders

Each resident should have received a list of policies upon checking in. If you did not receive this list please come to the office to receive one. Just a friendly reminder on a couple of things:

1. Resort, Item B: *Boat trailers and storage trailers are not to be left on lots. They must be parked in storage area.* (This is a new policy for the 2009/2010 season. Let us work with you on this.)
2. RV Sites, Item H: *No large carpets/rugs allowed off cement pad. 2X3 mats allowed for entry.* (Because of the type of grass we have, carpets/rugs will kill the grass. Large RV mats that let water through are acceptable.)
3. Pets, All Items: (We love pets. All policies concerning pets must be followed for everyone's benefit.)



Let's dance . . . or anything else you would like to do, (that's legal). An activities calendar is currently underway and we need your ideas. We could also use more volunteers who would like to lead classes,

games, tournaments, field trips, or anything else you can think of. Come to the office with your ideas and see Ms. Dora. SHE LOVES TO PAR-R-R-TY!!!!



THANKSGIVING DINNER

AT THE GLADES

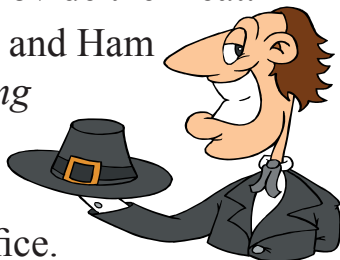
Thanksgiving Day at 2:00 pm

Glades will provide the meat:

Turkey and Ham

Everyone please bring dinnerware, drinks, and a dish to share.

Sign-up in the office.



First Christian Church - Clewiston, Florida
201 N. Francisco Street

SATURDAY, Nov. 14TH - 8:00 AM - 12:00 PM
HUGE SALE - HUGE SALE - HUGE SALE

Furniture, Appliances, Sporting Goods, Clothes, Tools, Fishing Equipment, etc.



Roses

Let's make roses!

Where: Club House
When: Nov. 17 - Tuesday
10:00 am thru 11:00 am
Cost: .75 @ rose
Contact: Patty - (414) 573-7819
Or sign up in the office.

Fast Golfer

A young man who was also an avid golfer found himself with a few hours to spare one afternoon. He figured if he hurried and played very fast, he could get in 9 holes before he had to head home.

Just as he was about to tee off an old gentleman shuffled onto the tee and asked if he could accompany the young man as he was golfing alone.

Not being able to say no, he allowed the old gent to join him.

To his surprise the old man played fairly quickly. He didn't hit the ball far, but plodded along consistently and didn't waste much time.

Finally, they reached the 9th fairway and the young man found himself with a tough shot. There was a large pine tree right in front of his ball - and directly between his ball and the green.

After several minutes of debating how to hit the shot the old man finally said, "You know, when I was your age I'd hit the ball right over that tree."

With that challenge placed before him, the youngster swung hard, hit the ball up, right smack into the top of the tree trunk and it thudded back on the ground not a foot from where it had originally lay.

The old man offered one more comment, "Of course, when I was your age that pine tree was only 3 feet tall."

Anybody seen Kenny?

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