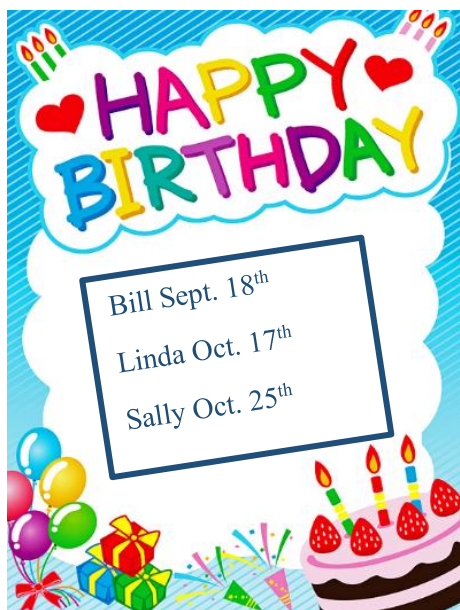


## September-October 2022 NEWSLETTER



The September campout was the West Tennessee Fall Rally held at Natchez Trace State Park on the 22<sup>nd</sup> thru the 25<sup>th</sup>. There were four rigs in attendance. Bill and Chris came in around 1 on Wednesday followed by myself a little after 2. The Bakers arrived late Wednesday evening. For an early fall campout, it was extremely hot to start. Thursday was pretty much everyone on their own until the Meet and Greet held at the shelter. Everyone brought snacks to share and people had time to visit. There was also a short informational time. Games were held later at the tent by sit # 44. The best part of Thursday was the great drop in temperature to everyone's enjoyment.





Friday morning's first step outside was a shock for me. Apparently there was some activity by the beaver that had been doing some damage in the campground area up from the lake. I was the "lucky" recipient that morning of the previous night or early morning's actions. The tree was leaning against the corner of my awning but I was able to get it off with no damage. The rangers did have to come and take care of another tree close by that was much bigger. They also said that they needed to trap it.



Friday's activities for everyone started with the Corn Hole games by the State Director's site. Bill and I came out victorious for the session with a perfect record. There was also a short meeting with everyone to discuss possible changes for next year's Fall Rally and also the Spring Rally in Pidgeon Forge. It was an enjoyable afternoon for all. Several of the group then went to the Pin Oak Lodge for the evening buffet. There were more table games in the evening with Dominoes by the River M tent and Hand and Foot by the State Director's site.





Saturday morning was coffee and doughnuts plus a breakfast potluck. It was a nice time to visit again with most everyone from the weekend participating. There was a scheduled activity time at the shooting range from 11 – 1 with about 8 people going to the range. Bill and Chris spent a large amount of time there. Jackie and I joined them with Jackie getting a chance to shoot with them and I continued to “shoot” pictures.





Saturday evening was another whole group activity with hot dogs, baked beans, and chips provided for everyone. Each rig brought their drinks and a dessert to share. There was also a “door prize” giveaway with items donated by the Camping World. Sunday morning also had a devotional service.



Trace State Park, November 10-13 662-489-2958 Klancy Site # 32;  
Bill Site # 34; Ed Site # 25; Glen and Linda: attending but not camping.