

# Golden Triangle Newsletter



**May 2021**

**Even though all the Good Sam activities have been put on hold, our group of friends will continue to camp.**

**Visit our website at:**

<https://goldentrianglesams.blogspot.com/>

## April Birthdays:

Cindy Andrews 5/12  
Joe Fiorentino 5/9  
Janet Marks 5/8



## April Anniversaries:

Phil & Louise Huntman 5/22  
Bill & Michele Mann 5/25

## Sunshine News Updates, Cares & Concerns

**Allen Scheel** is undergoing chemo treatments and will also be having radiation treatment.

**Rose Mary Culp** thanked everyone for our help building the Habitat for Humanity house for her daughter and husband, and financial support for that organization. Please continue to pray for them.

**Cookie Green** will have a scan in September to determine if she is done with her treatments.

**Joe Fiorentino** continues treatment for his bladder cancer even though at this point he is cancer free.

**Shirley Zummo** is struggling with health issues and is being cared for by Joe Zummo.

Please keep our fellow campers with health issues in your thoughts and prayers. Reach out and give them a call if you get a chance.

## Campout News

### May Monthly Campout

Our May campout May 6-9, 2021, was hosted by Allen and Carol Scheel and Mickey and Janet Marks at Southern Oaks RV Resort in Summerfield, FL. This was the first time camping at this campground for many of us in the group. The hospitality provided by the campground staff was great, the sites all had nice concrete pads, and the hall was very nice. Our hosts did a great job organizing this campout, and it was well attended with 14 member rigs, one visitor, and seven couples driving in for our meeting and other events. Our visitors were John and Libby Veach. They are seasoned campers who we hope will consider joining our group.



**Friday afternoon we played games. I was reminded that this was "not" the official monthly beanbag baseball game.**

Friday evening 20 of us went to Sukura Japanese restaurant. It was different than our normal dinner outings and we really had a great time.



**Twenty of us at the Japanese restaurant**



**Jerry enjoyed a squirt of Sake**



**Jerry was outdone by Penny with her 30 second drink. She was like, enough already!**



**Jim was the only one who caught the broccoli flipped to him by the chef.**

After dinner on Friday several of us decided to have a movie night in the clubhouse. We watched an old movie titled *Wargames*. Much of it takes place in the North American Defense Command (NORAD) bunker in Cheyenne Mountain in Colorado Springs. While working for the DOD, Phyllis Horn had visited the facility, but had never seen the movie. We wanted her to verify the authenticity of the set, but she stayed silent because she did not want to have to shoot us. (I am just kidding about that part.)

In addition to the movie we had two tables with members playing games, and a large group of the guys who were just hanging out chatting.

Saturday morning a great breakfast was provided by our hosts. That sausage gravy and biscuits with scrambled eggs quickly disappeared.

At this campout we had some couples in attendance who had not camped with us in over a year. In addition, we had several couples drive in, including Dick and Dotty Weis who planned to sell their rig, but decided to continue to try to camp and rejoined our group. It was great to have so many of us back together at this campout.



**Saturday's meeting was the largest we have had in over a year. Great to see everyone!**

After lunch we had our traditional beanbag baseball game. It was a high scoring game and randomly drawn Team A won by a couple run margin. The game was tied until the team got up and FIVE people in a row scored home runs. Why can't we do this in the tournaments at rallies?



**The winning beanbag baseball team.**

Saturday evening our hosts cooked us a great spaghetti meal. This was followed by several desserts. These included birthday cakes for both Joe Fiorentino and Janet Marks.



**Happy Birthday!**

After dinner on Saturday we played five games of bingo. Each set of cards was \$5.00 which all went into our charity fund. Allen went to Camping World and they donated several prizes for our games.

Sunday morning we all shared sweets for breakfast, thanked our hosts for a wonderful weekend, and then parted ways for home.

**Future Campout Information**  
**Check our website for current status**

**OCTOBER:** (Sep 30-Oct3) Travelers Rest. Joe arranged special group rate. Call Jan Meacham 352-588-2013 and mention the “Joe Fiorentino group” to make a reservation. They take Passport America.



**South Carolina Good Sam**

**2021 Fall RV Rally**

Theme - **CARNIVAL**

**Oct 7<sup>th</sup> - Oct 10<sup>th</sup>**

[www.scgoodsam.com](http://www.scgoodsam.com)

This rally is the week following our October campout at Travelers Rest. Phyllis Horn and Sharon Hime organized a group who will be travelling and camping together before the rally. If you are interested, please let Phyllis know at [hornphy@aol.com](mailto:hornphy@aol.com). Registration form attached with this newsletter mailing.

**Florida State Fall 2021 Rally**

😊 **GOOD NEWS** 😊



Yes, we will have a Fall Florida State Rally. It is November 17-21, 2021. Mark those dates on your calendar and **let Phyllis Horn know at [hornphy@aol.com](mailto:hornphy@aol.com) if you are interested in attending** so we will have an idea about our possible attendance. Here is a link to Joe Weston, our Florida State Director’s page, with info and other links to forms.

<https://www.goodsams-florida.org/directors-page/>

A registration form is included with our newsletter mailing. Chapter=**Golden Triangle Sams #50**

