

# Oregon River Ramblers

## May 2010 Newsletter

What a wonderful rally we had this past weekend at Remote! Our hosts, Jim, Bonnie, Dennis and Joyce really provided us with delicious food.—all we had to take was a dessert and fruit! We had a baked potato bar and salad on Fri., a hot breakfast dish and rolls for breakfast, tri-tip, chicken, potato salad, baked beans, and garlic bread for dinner Sat. Sun breakfast was our traditional fare. Just so everyone knows, hosts can do anything they want, be it asking everyone to provide food or not, this was just their choice.

Those in attendance were Stuart, Breckenridge, Ferguson, Larson, Smith, Brockett/Holcomb, Bush/Moore, and guest Rick James.

The park setting is delightful and the owners are very accommodating. (We have already booked a weekend there in May of 2011). We had the option of using the pavilion or going inside to the club room. We did a little of both. We ate all of our meals outside and enjoyed socializing around the fire-place. The business meeting was held inside and we played bingo there in the afternoon. We played five games with prizes, and the last game was black-out with the prize being half the money collected from the entry fee.....I was the big winner of \$40..... yahoo!!!!

Besides bingo and socializing, there was a little bit of fishing, some games of Blokus (a game I purchased at Christmas and it's simple, but challenging), and watching the hundreds of yellow finches gathering around the feeders.....at times there was no space between them. There also were two nice cats joining us from time to time. Of course, all of our 4 footed friends provided lots of entertainment??!!

The business meeting was short. Pertinent info to share: 1. Check your rally schedule to see how to make reservations for each month and do as designated. If you don't have a current schedule, let Wagonmaster, Les Ferguson, know and one will get sent to you. 2. If you have or need info pertaining to recruiting, please use Jim's email address emjimbo@yahoo.com or cell phone # 541-530-0593 to reach him. 3. FMCA is in need of volunteers to help with trams and seminars at the rally in August. If you would like to go and help please contact Gary.

The next rally is June 11-13 at Elkton RV Park. Gary and I are hosts and are in the process of planning the weekend. If you haven't already signed up and would like to attend contact us at garaftie@aol.com or 541-672-1137. I will have to send in a list to the park soon, so don't delay getting included.

The July rally is the 16-18 at Oceanside RV Park. John Bush and Carol Moore have stepped up to host because Ferguson's won't be able to attend. If someone would like to help host, let them know. Also, it's important to follow the designated instructions for making reservations.

Birthday wishes this month go to Jane Benson, Dennis Breckenridge, Joyce Comstock, Bob and Barbara Ellis, David Liskey, and Jerry and Ann Mitchell.

For those of you having health issues or feeling under the weather, we wish you all a very speedy recovery.

We hope we will be seeing you at a rally soon. Til next month, Afton