NATURES TALES

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AANR World Record Skinny Dip

Due to the efforts of Randy Savage of AANR, Guinness has agreed to create a new category for the largest number of people simultaneously skinny-dipping. AANR is the contract association for this record event, and we at Natures will be participating in what is hoped to become an annual event.

The skinny-dipping event is planned to take place on Saturday, July 11, 2009 at 3 p.m. Eastern Nudist time, which is 2 p.m. Natures Resort time.

Photos will be taken at this event, so we will gather at the pool area at 1:00 p.m. to sign the photo release form and shower before entering the pool.

We realize that this is the hottest part of the day, so we will have ice cold lemonade available for everyone during the sign-in. As soon as you are signed in and showered you can jump in the pool and stay cool until the count has been taken.

At 2:00 p.m. the official counters will take a count of everyone in the pool and everyone who is counted will be given an award certificate stating your participation in the attempt to set a world record.

Once Guinness World Records has approved the record, Natures will purchase souvenir wristbands from AANR for all the participants.

AANR is hoping to make this an annual event, but being a part of the very first one is

unique and obviously a once in a lifetime occurrence. We encourage everyone to join in the AANR World Record Skinny-Dip and be counted in the first world record.

Tidbits from Speckles, your proud Natures Cat!



Speckles doing her rounds at Natures

Oh, the lazy days of summer. Life can't get better than this! But I still take time from sunning myself to check on all that is happening around here! With the weather getting hotter, so many people are leaving us and heading up north. I DON'T WANT THEM TO GO.

- Friends of Ron and Lynne visited for a week, and on their way out of the park they stopped at Site #60 to say goodbye so I sat myself down in front of their motor home so they couldn't leave! My plan worked well until I realized that they have two poodles! I decided it would be prudent to step aside and wave goodbye!
- There is a lot of fixing and repairing going on. We have such nice people here, always wanting to help keep our park looking great!
- You have got to see the shed door on Site #205. Carolann has painted a seascape on it. Check it out!!
- Connie has been through a rough time, but she is now out of the hospital and back in the nursing home. Every body was happy to see her at Natures for the Memorial Day picnic!
- The big concrete truck has been back.
 Rene and Fern have a new cement slab on Site #70 as has Jean R on Site #10.
- The dog run doesn't prickle my feet so much anymore, thanks to Tom – Site #112 - who sprayed the sand burrs.
- I keep hearing this loud chomping sound

 and have discovered that it is Frank
 chomping at the bit ready to leave on his much needed vacation.
- Stan and Sue got a new puppy! I can't wait to meet him!

That's all from me. I hope that you all have a purrifect summer!



From the Mail Box ...

Dear Friends at Natures Resort,

Thank you so very much for hosting the 2009 AANR-SW Fun in the Sun Weekend again this year! What a wonderful time it was for all who attended. You are a great group and your kindness and good organization made the entire weekend a joy!

"Your thoughtfulness knows no end and there is no end to how grateful I am!"

I am looking forward to coming back next year, so please reserve a spot for us!

Thanks again, Sincerely, Ludy Heide, AANR-SW President.

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To all our dear friends at Natures,

Thank you all for the support, meals and shuttling to and from doctor appointments. Your kindness and thoughtfulness is greatly appreciated. Sandy is now on the road to recovery.

Bill and Sandy S.

Summertime Fun!

Any excuse is a good reason for a gettogether. The barber on Monte Cristo Road gave Natures Resort a big watermelon — so it was Watermelon Feast time! Cold watermelon on a hot day with good friends — What a good way to spend an afternoon!

Getting Ready for the 2009/2010 Season!

It's never too early to start the repairs, maintenance and improvements getting ready for the 2009/2010 season. Although we will be

getting contractors in for some of the big, specialized jobs, work is being done to get everything tidied and spruced up so that you can all be proud of "your" Natures Resort. A great deal of this work is being done by our wonderful volunteers. We are so grateful for their willingness to help so that Natures will continue to look clean, well maintained and attractive.

- The outside bathroom doors have been repaired and painted
- The new gate has been given a second coat of paint.
- The NR sign and scroll work at the entrance to the driveway has been painted.
- The grass continues to be mowed and trimmed.
- The carriage house was completely reorganized. All the decorations have been stored in labeled boxes and the un-needed things were set aside for the garage sale.
- The memorial garden has been worked on as have the flower beds on the north side of the pump room and the east side of the clubhouse.
- The fridges in the guestrooms have been refurbished.
- Ceiling tiles in the guestrooms and card room have been replaced.
- New hot water heaters have been installed.

- New curtains were put up in the indoor showers.
- The south east corner and north west corner of the grounds have been cleared.
- More of the tree stumps left by Hurricane Dolly have been removed.
- The entrance to the outdoor showers has been caulked and painted.
- A new fenced area to house (and hide) the maintenance "junk" has been built.
- A drip system for the ficus trees along the west fence has been installed.

Thank you, our wonderful volunteers, for all of your hard work.

There will be more information at a later date regarding the contract work being done at Natures.

On a Sad Note ...

One of our members, Norm C – Site #71 passed away in April. He was loved by all at Natures and will be greatly missed. Our hearts and condolences go to Kat as well as Norm's family in their great loss.

Memorial Day Picnic!

Church's Chicken, coleslaw, beans, hot biscuits, Mexican spaghetti, marinated tomatoes, onions and cukes, plus several desserts, ice tea and lemonade! What more do you need for a wonderful Memorial Day picnic? Friendly, happy people – the kind you find at Natures Resort!

It was very hot, but good company and good food made for an enjoyable event. Happy Memorial Day!