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WE'RE ALL CHOCOHOLICS NOW

A MESSAGE FROM YOUR PRESIDENT



Wayne Thomas,
President

Georgia Winnie Rebels were well represented at GNR this year with five coaches, and apparently they had a ball. A lot of work was completed and a lot of bugs were worked out.

I hope everyone has had a good summer and put a lot of miles on their rigs. I look forward to comparing notes on vacations.

Our new pamphlets are coming along great and just about ready to go to press.

Our September, 2013 Georgia Winnie Rebel state outing was held at the Calhoun KOA in Calhoun, Georgia. We had thirty-two in attendance and all seemed to have a marvelous time. The weather cooperated except for Saturday, but the rain didn't seem to affect the program.

The Metro Atlanta Winnies were hosts, headed by Co-Presidents Barbara and Nick Nicholson. They did an outstanding job. Thanks, Metros!

Our hosts had plans for the early birds. Thursday afternoon at 4:00 we had a Social Hour. Early birds gathered on the patio in front of the hosts coach for an hour of snacking, visiting, and hearing about each others summer vacations. The following pictures show relaxation at its finest.

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Nick Nicholson, Wayne Thomas, Barbara Nicholson, Nancy and Paul Carrier, Linda Swanson and Pat Thomas relax in the balmy weather.



Tom and Annette Wilson and Melva Dalton seemed to like the relaxation.

Friday we were on our own until the kick-off dinner prepared and served by the staff of the Calhoun KOA. We had barbecue with all the trimmings. Delicious!



Aaron and Mary Ann Walkover, Calhoun KOA managers, and helper.

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OUR NEWEST MEMBERS



Allen and Patty Wheelus live at 54 Dusty Ridge Trail in Ringgold, Georgia 30736. Their telephone number is (706) 935-4804 and cell number is (423) 413-0120. E-mail address is awheelus@chattanoogaalighting.net. They are now members of the Gone with the Winnies of North Georgia and therefore welcome members of the Georgia Winnie Rebel family.

NEW HONORARY MEMBER



Judy Seifert and her husband Ken have been faithful members of Gone with the Winnies and Atlanta Metro Winnies for many years. After Ken's death, Judy sold her motor home, but enjoys keeping in touch with her RV friends. Therefore, we have requested that WIT allow her to stay on as an honorary member. We look forward to seeing her often.

About all we were able to do after that huge Friday night barbecue dinner was just relax and visit with friends.

Saturday morning the hosts treated us with assortment of luscious breakfast casseroles, fresh fruit, juice and coffee.

Immediately following breakfast, we had the Georgia Winnie Rebel's business meeting. The chapter business meetings followed shortly thereafter.

We were on our own most of the day, but at 4:00 we had a CHOCOLATE PARTY! You would never believe the assortment of chocolate goodies we had.



The Chocolate Party was the brain child of host Barbara Nicholson.



Karen Sidlauskas looks as if she is sneaking up on a chocolate goodie.

I wonder how many calories we all consumed.

A late dinner consisted of several pots of home-made soups: vegetable soup, taco soup, chili and clam chowder. We had lots of leftover chocolates for dessert.

Most of the evening was spent watching the Notre Dame vs. Michigan State football game on the huge screen in the club house. There was also a lot of snacking going on. All this will explain our newsletter headline: WE'RE ALL CHOCOHOLICS NOW!



Sunday morning after breakfast, we had devotions led by Chaplain Jesse Chambless, then said goodbye again until our next outing. It was another good one!



We were pleased to have Peggy and Dean Woodruff of Integrity RV with us again. Their monetary contribution covered expenses for most of the food for the outing. Thanks, Integrity. Thanks also for the folding chairs (and other items) for door prizes.

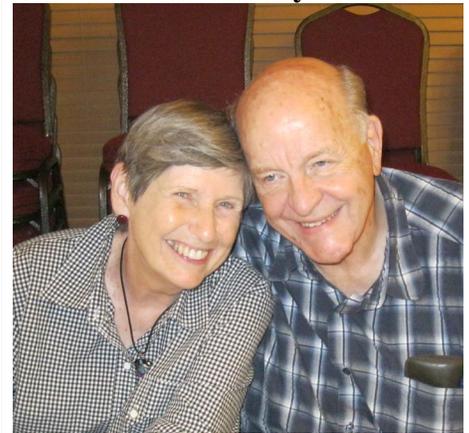


I think Wanda Eubanks likes the bear that stands outside the club house.



The petting farm always adds interest to our stay at Calhoun KOA.

Our GWR Family Album



JoAn & Hubert Blankenship



Milt & Paula Burtch



Elaine & John Byrnside



Nancy & Paul Carrier



Theda & Jesse Chambless



Melva & Milton Dalton



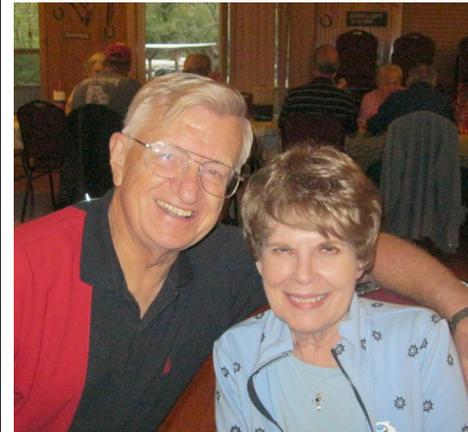
Wanda & Bobby Eubanks



Ruth & John Huelsbeck



Nick & Barbara Nicholson



Sid & Karen Sidlauskas



Mike & Martha Schneider (WIT)



Sarah & Roy Sowers



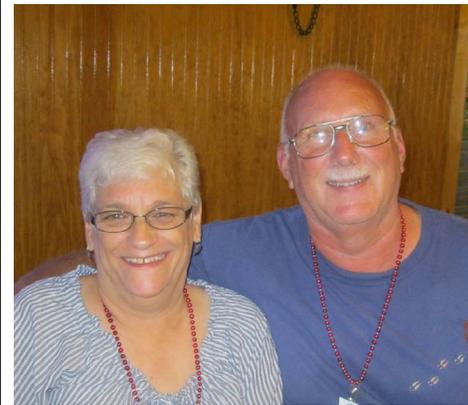
Linda & Larry Swanson



Wayne & Pat Thomas



Patty & Allen Wheelus



Annette & Tom Wilson

2013 WIT GRAND NATIONAL RALLY

Those attending GNR from Georgia Winnie Rebels State Club were: Nick and Barbara Nicholson, Jim and Barbara Bell, Franklin and Margaret Jackson with granddaughter Madison, Sid and Karen Sidlauskas and Roy and Sarah Sowers.

Photos by Roy Sowers



WIT GRAND NATIONAL 2013



Franklin Jackson sampling at State's Row Party



Presenting the Flags at Opening Ceremonies



Andy & Jeanie Bievenu - Western Area Reps
Doug & Pat Formanek - General Manager
Butch & Becky Moore - Eastern Area Reps



Sarah & Roy Sowers with Madison, Franklin and Margaret Jackson's granddaughter



Sarah Sowers at Row Party



The Georgia Winnie Rebel Crew enjoying Sarah & Roy's hospitality in their coach



Jim Bell
Jim, did the vanilla work on keeping those black bugs away?



WIT Singers with Barbara and Nick Nicholson