## Rainier Ramblers RV Club

A Washington State Chapter of the WIT Club



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### A Message from the Rainier Rambler President

Happy New Year, Ya All,

Can't believe 2017 is coming to a close. I heard a cute thing on TV the other day, "This Decade is now of legal age – 18". Meaning the second decade of this Century is also coming to an end. Well, so much for the BS, on to more important things like the 2018 schedule of outings.

It is time to sign up for Wagon Master at an outing of your choice. This is a GREAT opportunity to put your personal brand on an outing. It is only as much work as you wish it to be and there is always a lot of help. I would also like to emphasize what Chuck has said in his letter. Please sign up early for the outings; this includes making the reservation at the RV Park as well as on our club site. Especially note the ones he talks of in his greeting to all of you!

I want to thank Chuck and Jolene for a fantastic Christmas Party. We had a GREAT time and the gift exchange game was really a lot of fun. I think we had 8 coaches represented. One of the highlights is always the presentation from Purdy Pet Partnership and being introduced to one of their service dogs.

Here's looking forward to 2018 and to all the places we will be visiting and the people we will be having a GREAT time with. I'm really looking forward to meeting the new members and those checking us out!

Joe Robel

#### **Greetings from your Vice President:**

Well now that Christmas is behind us, and the new year is right around the corner, it is time to start planning for our 2018 outings. We will need wagon masters for all of the outings. Jolene and I will be wagon masters for The Cove in June, but we need volunteers for the rest of the outings.

We have had two locations call us asking for people to call in with their deposits, John Wayne in August and Copalis Beach in July. If you know you are going to an outing, it wouldn't hurt to go ahead call and put in your deposit.

We are looking forward to a great 2018, Happy New Year!

Chuck Laguna



# December 'TEXAS' Rainier Rally Submitted by Sharon Stanford December 3-7\*

The Rainier Ramblers

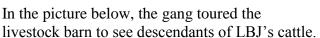
December 'TEXAS' Rally was held December 3-7 at Quiet Creek RV Park in Fredericksburg, TX. Three coaches were present – Gleims, Cooks, and Stanfords. The rally started on a sunny, 80 degree Sunday afternoon with Happy Hour and snacks outdoors. Fun to catch up on each other's travels.



On Monday, the gang headed east to the LBJ Ranch to learn about the 36th President of the United States.

In the photos below, Jerry risked life and limb to entice the longhorns for a photo op! That eventually led to some nice shots.







On the right, Robyn couldn't resist stepping to the podium to explain the direction our nation must follow. LBJ looks pleased with her message.

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The group enjoyed touring LBJ's home, including seeing this tree that became known as the "Cabinet Oak" since many cabinet meetings were held beneath it.

After a great day at the ranch, the group adjourned to The Fredericksburg Brewery for "linner", a combo of Lunch and Dinner. On the way home they enjoyed the Christmas Lights in Fredericksburg's Market Square and then retired to the Campground for a fire and discussion of the day.

On Tuesday, the gang headed into town for shopping along

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Later, they headed to Luckenbach.



The girls did a little Jam Session.

They also had time to listen to the pro's jam.

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After Luckenbach, they went into Johnson City and had "linner" at the Pecan Street Brewery. This gave them front row seats for lights on the square. This is the court house to the left.



The picture on the right are the lights next to the local electrical Co-op office.

On Wednesday the group woke to rain and cooler temperatures (30's). Part of the group went into town for a visit to The Museum of the Pacific War while part of the group stayed at the campground to catch up on various things. Later, they gathered in the Stanford's coach for Happy Hour, snacks, and a review of the day. A fun time was had by all. After hugs and goodbyes, they all agreed that it was great "to have this time together and to share a laugh or two". Missed all those who are still up north and looking forward to seeing all of the Ramblers next spring.

\*The secretary didn't know we had an 'official' TEXAS outing!! I missed out!

#### 2018 Rainier Rambler Outing Schedule

April: Silver Cove RV Park: April 13-16, 351 Hall Road, Silver Lake, WA 98645

Space Rent: \$37.23 per night

May: Winnebago State Rally: Cashmere WA., May 17-20, Details to come.

June: The Cove RV Park and Country Store: June 7-10, 303075 US 101,

Brinnon, WA 98320 Wagonmasters: Chuck & Jolene Laguna

Space Rent: \$31.50

July: Driftwood RV Park: July12-15, 3209 WA-109, Copalis Beach, WA 98535,

Phone: 360-239-4278 (Continued on next page)

<u>August</u>: John Wayne RV Park: August 9-12: 2634 W Sequim Bay Road, Sequim WA. 98382, Phone: 360-681-3853, Space Rent: \$47.56 per night

<u>September</u>: Cannon Beach RV Resort: **September 6-9,** 340 Elk Creek Road, Cannon Beach, OR 97110, Space Rent: \$52.87

October: Wine Country RV Park: October 11–14, 330 Merlot Drive, Prosser, WA 99350, Space Rent: \$ 43.97

<u>November</u>: Midway RV Park - **November 8–12**, 3200 Galvin Road, Centralia, WA 98531

**December**: Christmas Party (TBA)

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<u>January</u> <u>Birthdays:</u> © www.calendar<u>pedia</u>.com <u>January</u> <u>Anniversaries:</u>

23<sup>rd</sup> Joe Robel

No Anniversaries



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