



SPECIAL EDITION

**MARCH 2008
BULLETIN BOARD REVIEW**

Marty Tuttle Benefit
Saturday April 26th, 2008
4 pm to 11 pm
At *The Plaza*
Food Raffles Auctions

Your log in information was provided in your March Newsletter. Please contact the resort if you need your account to be reset.

Website Log In Instructions

To view Members Only information on our website, please follow the below instructions:

1. Go to www.sunsetlakesresort.com
2. Locate the log in fields at the top right hand side of the homepage.
3. Your user name is your four digit Member Number followed by a zero (or your account number off of an invoice). Enter this into the 1st field.
4. Enter your password noting special case and or special characters in the second field.
5. Click the Login button.

If you have problems logging in, please contact us at 1-800-747-5253 or memberbilling@sunsetlakesresort.com

Marty and Terri Tuttle, and their daughters Nissa, Michelle, and Missy have been members of Sunset Lakes Resort since 1995. Terri has been employed as a part time resort staff member since 1998. Since winter of '06 Marty has been fighting kidney disease. After failed treatments and prescriptions, his condition turned for the worst in late fall of '07. Marty is now on permanent dialysis three days a week, 25 minutes from home. His eligibility for a kidney transplant will be determined in the coming months.

The Tuttle's have requested to utilize The Plaza to hold a benefit to raise funds for mounting medical bills. Marty has been off work since Fall. Terri has a group of friends and family organizing the benefit. Sunset Lakes has agreed to offer The Plaza free of charge and waive all daily gate fees during the event.

Please plan on attending and a bring friend. Those unable to attend but wishing to make a donation for the Marty Tuttle Benefit can do so through IH Mississippi Valley Credit Union.

SAVE OUR TREES!!

DNR warns that the Emerald Ash Beetle is invading the state killing Ash trees.

Almost 1/3 of our shade trees are ash, and their loss would be a detrimental change to our landscape.

Only wood from the QC area should be brought to the resort. Please also avoid pallet wood as it may have come from an infested area.

Thanks in advance for your cooperation.



Luck O the Irish St. Patty's Day Dinner
Saturday, March 15, 2008

Dinner will be served at 5:00 pm

Adults	\$7.50
Ages 5 - 11	\$4.00
Ages 4 and under are	FREE

SLR grill staff will be preparing a traditional Corned Beef & Cabbage

(oven roasted) dinner, Beef-N-Noodles, oven roasted Carrots and Potatoes, assorted salads, Sliced Bread, Dessert and Drinks. Hot dogs will be available for children.

Please make your reservations by Wednesday, March 12, 2008 at 4:00 pm. Call now 1-800-747-5253 or 309-658-2131 and make those Reservations.

National FCOC Rally

Sunset Lakes Resort is proud to host the 2008 National FCOC RV Rally! Freightliner Chassis Owners Club has chosen our park to host their four day event from July 19th thru July 23rd. They expect 125 to 150 camping units with at least 215 people!

Members should expect a limited number of campsites to be available by reservation only. We encourage you to find an alternative location to camp this weekend.

The Grand Dining Hall will be dedicated to the FCOC for meal service and meetings. During the event, the adult lounge will be available to all members and general snack bar service will take place from the coffee bar. All other services such as swimming, amenities, member services, and day usage will not be affected. The Wednesday Night Delight Dinner will be open to both members and FCOC.

We will make every attempt to minimize inconvenience to our members. It is our intent to take a portion of the proceeds from this event to purchase new furniture for The Plaza. We appreciate your support.

Council Corner

- The Council is in need of volunteers for 2008 events. Watch for further details.
- The council is requesting activity suggestions for late 2008 and 2009. Please offer to be on the committee to steer it to completion!
- Please collect craft items such as coffee cans, cardboard tubes, large and small boxes, pinecones, yarn, and fabric. Think Creative and drop off at the Plaza.
- Council Meetings are held the 1st Saturday of each month at 3:30 pm at *The Plaza*. (March meeting is the 8th) All members are welcome.

FOR SALE

*1988, 30ft Monitor HRC Trailer. Asking \$2,000.00. Call Neil at 309-738-6814.

*1997 Jayco 30' Bunkhouse Trailer. Twin bunks, Full Kitchen, Sleeps 8. NADA "average" condition is \$6,325.00. Will take reasonable offers. Call Bob at 309-269-1169.

News in *not quite* 60 seconds

Members

- We encourage you to visit our website for complete and up to date news and information. Some items may be expanded upon online.
- Member Cabin Reservations can now be made more than 6 months in advance. Start planning now and get your reservation in sooner than ever!

Guests

- Groups and Reunions require extra coordination. Please call in advance if you would like to plan a special event. Special rates and policies can help you plan a great getaway. Contact Jay or Arine for details.
- Brown Guests passes and your 2007 punch card have expired. The 2008 punch pass will be available in April.
- We will continue the new Guest Rebate program for 2008. The Guest Rebate program replaced the old "guest of a member" camping rates. Please view the program at www.sunsetlakesresort.com/other/guest_rebate_disclosure/
- Encourage your guests to reserve now for anytime this year. We expect our nonmember sites to be reserved well in advance and we wouldn't want your friends to miss out on available camping. Have them call 1-800-747-5253 for reservations.

The Plaza is reserved:

- Saturday, March 15th St. Patty's Day 5:00 pm get your tickets now! All are welcome!
- Saturday, March 29th, Private Party 6 pm to 10 pm
- Saturday April 26th, Marty Tuttle Benefit No gate fee that day for guests! All are welcome!

Sympathies

Our deepest sympathies go to Tom Ferrish for the loss of his wife, Margaret, who passed away in December 2007.

Our deepest sympathies go to the family of Steve Goldsberry, who passed away in January 2008.