

BELLE POINT SAM CHAPTER APRIL 2025 NEWSLETTER

The following Belle Point Sam Chapter Members attended the April Campout/Meeting at Four State Fairgrounds in Texarkana, AR: Ronald & Janet Cullen, Cliff & Sonya Hiatt, Johnny & Ann Martin, John & Phyllis Prell, Tom Tarkington, Carl & Rosemary Underwood and Sally Wheeler.

Most members arrived on Monday, got set-up and sat outside enjoying the weather while their rigs cooled down. Tuesday was also an arrive and set-up morning and in the afternoon we got to complete our registration and sign-in our respective Chapter pages.

Wednesday there were games, line dancing lessons and fellowship to be had. There was a Pot-Luck for lunch. More games in the afternoon, a Sky Med seminar and a jam session. Sam & Corinne decorated the stage and tables. We had some very good evening entertainment followed by door prizes.

Thursday morning the State Staff provided biscuits/gravy. There were more games, dance lessons, a presentation by County Extension Agents on Healthy Foods and First Timer's meeting. There was Beans & Cornbread at lunch for \$5.00. There were more games in the afternoon. The opening ceremonies had the parade of flags and presentation by Assistant Mayor, Chamber of Commerce & Fairgrounds CEO. Ending with Samgo Bingo.

Friday there were more games, the Park Host members lunch followed with the Park Host seminar and presentation of Year bars by AR State Park Rangers. All Chapter Secretary's met in the afternoon for their meeting. Prior to the evening entertainment was the Raffle Drawings and after the entertainment the door prizes.

Saturday all Chapter Presidents attended the AR State Committee Meeting. Belle Point conducted the Cake Walk followed by the Ice Cream Social. There were more games and a Hot Dog Chili, Chips & Drink provided for supper. Evening Ceremonies included the Chinese Auction drawings, parade of Chapter Flags, entertainment and door prizes.

Sunday morning we had a non-denominational worship service and a special tribute to deceased members. We all packed up and headed home looking forward to the rest of our camping season.

Laugh when you can, apologize when you should & let go of what you can't change.

Safe Travels

Secretary, Ann Martin