



# Turtleback RV Resort Spring/Summer 2009 Newsletter

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## *The fun we had...*

What a great season!

While there were good day to day activities around the park, there were some great day trips, too. Rainbow Springs to picnic and snorkel; Crystal River & Fort Island Beach to picnic, see the manatees & enjoy the Gulf; and Silver Springs to pontoon and float down the river, check out the monkeys & other wildlife! There's a rumor there may have been some "wildlife" on the boats, too! It's true - a great time was had by all! Every event left folks saying, "Let's do that again next season!"

For the sportsmen at heart there was a fishing tournament with good-natured competition galore! Winners were chosen weekly with categories for weight and size, with an overall winner taking the grand prize! It was overheard that the fish never had a chance!

Turtleback was blessed with a host of excellent volunteers this season. Group carry-ins were sponsored, prepared & cleaned-up by these wonderful people! The food was abundant and tasted so great. Everyone brought their favorite dish to pass and there was more than enough! Yum - have we got some great cooks!

A Luau, sponsored by Turtleback RV Resort, was our way of saying "thank you" to all our wonderful volunteers who helped make things happen! We ate, we drank & we laughed A LOT!

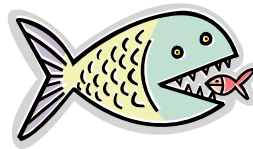
Friendships were made this season that for sure will last a lifetime! Shuffleboard, pontoon rides, fishing, swimming, and walking the dog, bike riding & friendliness all brought people out to enjoy each others company.

## *What we are up to...*

We are actively preparing Turtleback RV Resort for the group of folks coming this next season. The park will be nearly "full" and truly full of fun! Along with our returning seasonal residents, we'll be welcoming new ones to Turtleback!

We are anticipating an abundance of new & familiar campers for the 2009 - 2010 season. You'll be able to see lots filled as seasonal residents arrive to join the warm and wonderful life in Florida.

Many sites will see new shells & trimmed trees and a few getting new patios. The summer months are hot & humid and give us the opportunity to move through the campground making improvements & updates as needed.



*Turtleback RV Resort Luau 2009*



## *Looking forward to 2009-2010...*

We hope to have some new activities for our next season. Our Turtleback clubhouse is spacious and can accommodate both small groups and large activities. How does line dancing sound? How about arts & crafts? Do you have a talent or hobby that you would like to share with others? Please let us know and we'll see if there's a match!

We are looking forward to meeting new campers, welcoming back familiar ones & enjoying the great life we have here at Turtleback RV Resort! Our new season promises to be full of fun, festivities & great folks!

See you soon!

## *And you thought that was funny...*

Dogs & cats instinctively know the exact moment their owners wake up. Then they wake up 10 minutes earlier.

Experience is a wonderful thing. It enables you to recognize a mistake when you make it again.



## *One final word from us to you...*

"There is nothing better than the encouragement of a good friend."  
*Jean Jacques Rousseau*



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