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6:30pm
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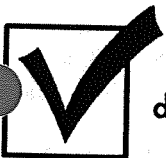
February 2002

- 7 Volunteer Board Meeting, 6pm
- 12 Deadline Bayou Foliage, 4pm
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March 2002

- 7 Volunteer Board Meeting, 6pm
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Volunteer Board Elections!



See page 5 for more details.

abnc STAFF NEWS

Expense Approval

At the October 18, 2001 meeting of the Executive Committee of the Board of Trustees, a motion was made, seconded and approved that requires all expenses be approved by the Interim Executive Director.

This action will remain in effect until further action by the Executive Committee.

If you have any questions please call the ABNC office.

volunteer OF THE MONTH

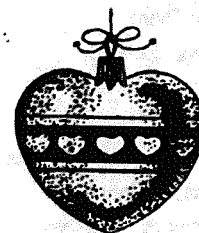
Each month an ABNC Volunteer is recognized for his or her outstanding service to the Nature Center. This month's special volunteer is Lew Hornung.

During our challenging time of staff changes, he came to me and simply asked, "How can I help?" Little did he know what he was getting himself into. Since that day, he has been servicing as Facilities Coordinator. The staff has seen many great changes in that area and appreciate all of his hard work and support. It has been a true pleasure working with Lew.

You may remember Lew was named volunteer of the month in June. This is probably a first for an ABNC volunteer, but Lew is very deserving of the honor. When

I spoke to Lew, he graciously reminded me he had just been named volunteer of the month a few months ago, and he insisted that I name someone else. (Just another example of why he is deserving of the title) I assured Lew the title is given to a deserving volunteer no matter how many times they have been named volunteer of the month.

Lew, you serve as a model to ABNC staff and volunteers. Thank you!



--Linda Sumner

abnc volunteer MEETING MINUTES

from meeting on November 8, 2001

The meeting was called to order by Ed Adams, and the minutes of the October 1, 2001 meeting, as amended, were approved.

The Treasurer's report by Ken Russell will appear separately in the next issue of the Bayou Foliage.

Stan Krauhs (Vice-Chair) reported that the next Volunteer meeting in December will be the Pot Luck Christmas Party. It will have a Western theme, and the trail guides will provide decorations. Gifts will not be exchanged. Spouses are welcome.

More information will be available in the Bayou Foliage.

Laura Bradley (Weekday Outdoor Education) reported that activity is brisk. 180 children are scheduled for the November 13-16 period. More adaption leaders are needed.

Stephania Rogers (Weekday Farm)

encouraged cookie donations for the Fall Festival.

Eldine Owens (Weekend Demos) requested help for the Sunday after Thanksgiving.

Dottie Evans (Outreach) reported that we are winding up a great year.

Jane Bingel (Interpretations, Greeters) said that coverage is generally in good shape. Help is needed on November 25, and there are a few open slots in December and January.

Jim Callan (Stewardship) said that activity has slowed down a little in October and November. A prairie burn training session will be scheduled soon.

Wanda Hayden (Foliage) has resigned from the distribution activity. A volunteer is needed.

Linda Sumner (Staff) reported that Creepy Crawlers brought in 924 people, and raised just under \$9000 in revenue. Interviews are underway for the Executive Director and Facilities Manager positions.

Lou Hornung was named Volunteer of the Month.

Polly Swerdlin (Fall Festival) outlined activities for the event. Friday, November 9, will be a work day. Recognition was given for the new canoe dock in Mays Pond.

Anne Tincher (Nominating Committee) reported nominations for the 2002 Volunteer Board positions. Stan Krauhs has been nominated for Chair, and Anne Tincher for Vice-Chair. Elections will be held at the next Volunteer meeting.

Respectfully submitted,
Bill Cooke

volunteer HOLIDAY POTLUCK

Mark
Your
Calendar

Date: Dec 13, 2001

Time: 6:30 pm Coffee/Tea/Social
7:00 pm Potluck Dinner
8:00 pm Business/Elections

Come to the December Volunteer Meeting and Holiday Party. Our volunteer program for December is the annual holiday potluck dinner. Please bring your

spouse or significant other to enjoy the evening with you. This is a wonderful time to visit with everyone. The social begins at 6:30 and dinner will start at 7:00.

Turkey and ham will be provided as well as plates, cups, utensils, and napkins. Coffee and tea will also be available, no alcohol is allowed. We ask that you bring an appetizer, vegetable, salad, bread, or dessert dish of your choice that will serve 6.

After dinner there will be a brief meeting to recognize those volunteers

going off of the Volunteer Board and to vote in the new members for 2001.

Then the entertainment begins. Ruby, Stan, and the Weekend Trailguides will be hosting the entertainment this year and it will have a decidedly western theme. Perhaps another group of volunteers will create a theme for the picnic in June or the holiday party next December.

Come out for good food and great company, and to support the new volunteer leaders.

-by Stan Krauhs

abnc volunteer BUSINESS REPORTS

Armand Bayou Nature Center Volunteers Treasurer's Report November 2001

Beginning Balance	\$2754.84
Expenditures:	
Postage - Bayou Foliage (October 2001)	\$ 33.00
Bank Service Charge	\$ 2.00
Total Expenditures	\$ 35.00
Income:	
Paper Recycling	\$ 18.86
Total Income	\$ 18.86
Current Balance	\$2738.70

*Hats off to five wonderful volunteers. They have contributed the proceeds from their handmade pillow sales to the Volunteer Budget (shown next month). The amount was a very generous \$300. These volunteers will be recognized at a future Volunteer meeting.

abnc STAFF DIRECTORY

Interim Executive Director
 Director of Development
 Stewardship Coordinator
 Senior Naturalist
 Visitor Services Coordinator
 Front Desk
 Animal Collections Assistant
 Education Coordinator
 Accountant

Linda Sumner
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 Jo Evans
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 Chris Battan
 Melissa Aguilar
 Lynda Tanner



Season's Greetings

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abnc FALL FESTIVAL REVIEW

Success and Kudos!

I write this note to thank each and every one of you who helped out with planning and preparation for 2001 Fall Festival. At the present time, I can only list the Planning Committee and the Chairs of each Activity. I want to thank Ephriam Dickson for his idea for the Festival theme, "Country Fair". This was a good place to start. I must now go overboard in my kudos to Jo Evans. Jo took over after Ephriam's resignation. She was really a BIG help, making things happen and keeping me on track.

Jane Bingel was especially busy working on publicity. Becky Brignac did a fine job on finding locations for everyone, calling some demonstrators and vendors she knows that I didn't have on the list, and scolding me once in a while 'cause I didn't "take over". Jim Callan jumped into the fray with his SERVE group for the food booth. Merle Bunde orchestrated the boy scouts in the parking lot and worked on the traffic situation. And where would we be without the Jim crew (Jim Edwards, Jim Hawkins, & Roland Borey)...once again ensuring that the nuts and bolts of this operation turn smoothly. And lucky for us that we can rely on the expertise and counsel of our old farm hand, Lew Hornung.

More thank yous for our Chairs: Ed Adams, Zel Arbuckle, Patsy Baukman, Chris Bingham, Jo Ann Corry, Pat Doerr, Dottie Edwards, Hilary Gibbs, Helen Harger, Joan Henderson, Susan Hesley, Martha Hood, Kristen Knoedler, Dick Miller, Eldine Owens, Dan & Jen



Pelletier, Stephania Rogers, Cris Santiago, Tom Scarcella, Eleanor Stanley, Paula Thorson, Alan Wenger, Scot & Ross White, and Penny Woodward. I know I can say with confidence: "Nice work, folks".

Of course, the ABNC staff participation worked above and beyond their daily tasks for this Festival. Chris Battan spent her time at the quilt booth and Melissa Aguilar worked at the gift shop booth. Dick Phelps and Barbara Gillem helped at admissions with Linda Sumner, Lynn Shigekawa worked on exit interviews, Lynda Tanner was running about collecting \$\$ money from various booths. George Regmund and Mark Kramer could be seen around the Festival "looking for trouble". I am truly grateful, as I know most of them worked on their days off to make this happen.

The final numbers haven't been published yet, but I am sure the public was pleased with the Festival. Besides all the demonstrators, vendors, and entertainers, it would not have been possible without the wonderful folks who worked during the festival (see

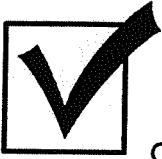
below). Please forgive any omissions or misspellings of names. I can't thank all of you enough. It was fun and I look forward to an even better year next year.

Thanks to: Anne Prosser Anne Tincher Ashley Ray Barbara Miller Bill Cooke Bill Howe Bonny McKinley Candice Morris Carey Little Carle Adams Carolyn Lovell Casey Hendrix Charles Buren Cherry Barfoot Chelsey Hernandez Chris Eklund Chuck Snyder Cline Tincher David Dies David Weseloh Dewanna Norris Diane McMahon Don Lanier Don Shigekawa Drew Snyder Emily Giesinger Erin O'Donnell Fred Henderson Fred Swerdlin Hanna Drago Hannah Kise Henry Stanley H.L.S.&R. Holly Rogers Irene Ward Jacy Jarvis Jane Krauhs Jim McMahon Joan Brunkow Joan Shack Joanna Wator Joe Clem Joy Harderty JT Chapman Judy Sharp Jytte Fielder Kate Wator Kathy Ching Ken Russell Kim Wasserman Kristie Adams Lauren Moore Leroy McKinley Linda Kato Loren McDaniel Louise Peck Marianne Phillips Marie Asscherick Marilyn Clark Marjorie Borey Mary Alice Trumble Mary Draper Mary Garrett Matt Hall Matt Hicks Molly Ganter Pat Bates Patricia Martin Patsy Cashion Paul Brunkow Paul Leskowitz Paul Shack Paula Jachimiec Robin Maltsberger Ron Slaughter Ruby Dilgren Ruth Elder Ryan Johnson Sandra Watters Sandy Parker Sarah Jachimiec S.E.R.V.E. Sondra Gaubatz Stan Krauhs Steven Powell Susan Hesley Tabitha Holt Volundeers Wells Fargo

-Polly Swerdlin

abnc volunteer BANTER

Volunteer Board Elections at Volunteer Meeting & Potluck Party



Come to the December 13th Volunteer Holiday Potluck Party and vote for the new 2002 Volunteer Board.

Here is an opportunity to work more closely with fellow volunteers & be involved in decision making. The Volunteer Board is elected by a majority vote of the members present and voting. ABNC Volunteer Board members put in a lot of hard work behind the scenes throughout the year.

The candidates are:

Chair-Stan Krauhs; Vice Chair-Anne Tincher; Secretary-Bill Cooke; Treasurer-Ken Russell; Stewardship-Jim Callan; Info Services & Interp.-Ruby Dilgren; Admissions-Sally Hall; Weekend Demos-Eleanor Stanley; Weekend Trail-Odie Asscherick; Weekday Farm-Tabatha Holt; Weekday Outdoor Education-Jane Bingel; Outreach-Laura Bradley

Elections for Volunteer Board will be held at the **Thursday, December 13th** at 8pm. Come to the party, eat, be social and then meet and vote for the candidates running for the Volunteer Board.

--Judy Sharp

New news from old friends

Kim Wasserman, former ABNC staffer, dropped a note to thank everyone for the great going-away party. "I enjoyed seeing everyone. I have been very busy, but school is going great! Thanks again."

Also, former long-time volunteer Barb Hill has landed in her new home and sends greetings to her ABNC friends. She is busy meeting new neighbors and getting the lay of the land and would love to keep in touch with her Texas buddies. Feel free to write her at Barb Hill, Box 211, West Chatham, MA 02669 or bhill01@flash.net or call her at 508-945-9180. Texas Travelers are always welcome.

Wish List for Winter Camp

20 oz. Plastic bottles
Toilet and paper towel rolls
newspapers, magazines
plastic fruit baskets
shoeboxes and old socks
egg cartons and hangers
Circulars/advertisements
1-quart empty/clean milk cartons
old panty hose
baby food jars

Winter camp is just around the corner and the education department would appreciate your help in collecting these items to be used as camp supplies. Thank you.

Holiday Canoeing & Breakfast

Get into the spirit by taking a special holiday canoe trip down Armand Bayou. Start off by personalizing your canoe with various provided holiday decorations. After working hard at decorating your canoe, take a leisurely paddle to the the boathouse to enjoy a light breakfast. Then continue canoeing down the bayou to discover what winter wildlife awaits you. Travel approximately 2-3 miles round trip. Beginning and experience canoers are welcomed. Canoes will be provided by ABNC. A brief orientation will be given for beginners. Contact Jo Evans at 281-474-2551 for further information.

Ages: 10-adult (children under 18 must be accompanied by an adult)

Date: Sat Dec 8, 2001

Time: 7:30 - 11:00 am

Fee: Members \$20

Nonmembers \$25

Bayou Foliage needs Help

Folders & labelers needed! If you would like to help prepare the *Bayou Foliage* for mailing please contact Ken Russell at 281-488-0390 or pacloon@aol.com

abnc volunteer CALENDAR

Dec 1	Sat	Prescribed Burn Class	10a-2pm	Mark Kramer
Dec. 1	Sat	Reptile B-day	1-3 p.m.	Chris Battan
Dec. 1	Sat	Girl Scout Badge	9:45-3:00	Melissa Aguilar
Dec. 1	Sat	Night Hike	6:30-8:30 pm	Ruby Dilgren
Dec. 5	Wed	Pond Pals Class	11:00	Laura Bradley
Dec 6	Thurs	Volunteer Board Meeting	6pm	Ed Adams
Dec. 7	Fri	Track the Trails	10:30	Laura Bradley
Dec. 8	Sat	Insect B-day	1-3 p.m.	Chris Battan
Dec 8	Sat	Holiday Canoeing & Breakfast	7:30-11am	Jo Evans
Dec. 9	Sun	Reptile B-day	2-4 p.m.	Chris Battan
Dec 11	Tue	Deadline for <i>Bayou Foliage</i>	4pm	Molly Ganter
Dec. 12	Wed	Pond Pals	11:00	Laura Bradley
Dec 13	Thurs	Volunteer Holiday Potluck Party (Elections for Volunteer Board Members)	6:30pm	Ed Adams
Dec. 15	Sat.	Girl Scout Badge	9:45-3:00	Melissa Aguilar
Dec. 25	Tues	Christmas (Nature Center Closed)		

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Jan 3	Thurs	Volunteer Board Meeting	6pm	Vol Board Chair
Jan. 5	Sat	Reptile B-day	11:00	Chris Battan
Jan. 5	Sat	Girl Scout Badge	9:45-3:00	Melissa Aguilar
Jan 8	Tue	Deadline for <i>Bayou Foliage</i>	4pm	Molly Ganter
Jan 10	Thurs	Volunteer Appreciation Dinner	6:30pm	Linda Sumner
Jan 12	Sat	Annual Member Meeting		Linda Sumner
Jan. 16	Wed	Vol. Orientation	6:30 p.m.	Linda Sumner
Jan. 19	Sat	Girl Scout Badge	9:45-3:00	Melissa Aguilar
Jan. 26	Sat	Girl Scout Badge	9:45-3:00	Melissa Aguilar
Jan. 26	Sat	Vol. Training	9:00 a.m.	Linda Sumner
Feb 7	Thurs	Volunteer Board Meeting	6pm	Vol Board Chair
Feb 12	Tue	Deadline Bayou Foliage	4pm	Molly Ganter
Feb 14	Thurs	Volunteer Meeting	6:30pm	Vol Board Chair

NOTES: Education Classes - If you plan to buddy or observe a program it would be a good idea to let the coordinator know so he/she can call you in case of a cancellation. Please keep in mind that instructors arrive at least 30 minutes before the program to set-up and stay after to clean up. Set-up and clean up are part of the program. See EcoAdventures Brochure for a program description. Remember to wear your nametag and your khaki uniform shirt when doing your volunteer duties. Depending on your activities at the Center, it is a good idea to bring mosquito repellent and sunscreen.

Stewardship Saturdays - Meet in the ABNC parking lot at the project's designated time (Green House if it is raining). Dress appropriately for the activity. Sign up for an activity when you arrive. There may be a limit of volunteers for certain projects. If you have never volunteered at ABNC, you must fill out appropriate forms. If you are between the ages of 14 and 17 you must be accompanied at all times by an adult. You are welcome to bring a drink and a snack. Log your hours before you leave. **Garden Days** - At the Farmhouse, held each month on 1st and 3rd Saturdays at 9:00 am (unless otherwise stated). **Prairie Days** - Every Friday is Prairie Day. Contact Mark Kramer for more information.

abnc INFO

Prescribed Burn Class

Mark Kramer will be offering a Volunteer Burn Training class for those of you that haven't attended previous classes. The class will be focusing on the use of prescribed fire at the Nature Center. Whether you are a long time blackliner or have never attended a controlled fire before, this will be an important class to attend.

We'll be discussing fire



ecology, fire behavior, laws and regulations, burning techniques, safety, and equipment use. We'll also light a small test plot if conditions are favorable.

If you are interested in attending any future burns please plan to attend. Please call the front desk to register.

The class will be held **Saturday, December 1st, from 10 a.m. through 2p.m.** Attending this class will be required to participate in any future burns.

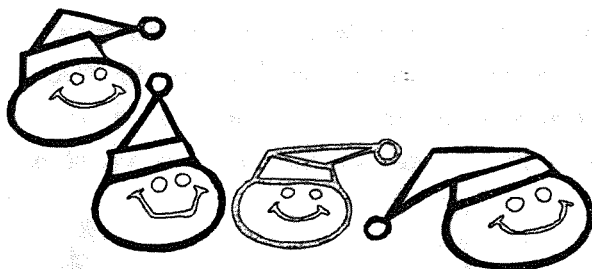
abnc POSITIVE ATTITUDE**Attitude is contagious; would someone want yours?**

I enjoy being around people who are positive, who seem to know what they want to accomplish. We generally put on our best performance for our customers and genuinely want them to enjoy their experience at ABNC. But what about our interactions with other volunteers and with the staff?

Do you help to brighten their day or not? No matter what your circumstances at work or home or getting honked at for turning into the nature center driveway, you control your attitude. I challenge you to leave everyone you talk with feeling better about themselves for having met you today. You will feel better too.

And ABNC will not only retain volunteers but will also attract additional positive, energetic volunteers. It all starts with you and me and an attitude we'd want to catch if we did not already possess it.

--Stan Krauhs

**Creepy Crawler Success**

Another great year for Creepy Crawlers! Everyone had a great time and all were wearing smiles by the time they left.

We had good support from the volunteers - everyone worked very hard and the results showed in the positive comments documented in the exit interviews. The numbers go like this: Friday= 496, Saturday = 428 totaling 924. The goal for Creepy Crawler was \$9000.00 and we were right on target. Another success.

The animal demos in the auditorium were a big hit and captured everyone's attention as they went through the Education Building. The masks and the face painting were true art. We saw some terrific masks coming out of the pole barn and lots of great artwork on cheeks and arms. The witch's brew was a popular spot and the farmhouse dining room table cookie decorating crew served up almost 1000 cookies. The hayrides went very smoothly and everyone enjoyed the talking animal trail hike.

It takes all of us to make Creepy Crawler a success and we did it again this year. Thank you for all your hard work!

--Jo Evans

abnc volunteer MANUAL**Armand Bayou**

Armand Bayou begins as a small, freshwater stream fed by run-off from its watershed in southeast Harris County. The waters of Armand Bayou meander some 13-river miles to Clear Lake, a back bay of Galveston Bay. As the bayou nears Clear Lake, it is increasingly influenced by tides and fresh water mixes with saltier water from the bay to form a **brackish** water estuary. The bayou has sluggish appearance because its below-sea-level channel allows water to flow slowly in both directions depending on the tide and more importantly, on the wind direction. The partially submerged trees seen throughout the bayou indicate subsidence of the banks due to the pumping of ground water for drinking and industry.

Armand Bayou's natural channel, vegetated banks and shallow water habitat, provides excellent nursery ground from many species of marine fish and invertebrates. The sluggish water traps nutrients and provides for a double food chain driven by both **phytoplankton** (microscopic algae) and **detritus** (decaying plant material). Throughout the year, water level and water color fluctuate from green in the summer to brown in spring and fall, while winter's nutrient-poor conditions cause the bayou to be clear and cold. Hurricane storm surges or flash floods can swell the bayou over its banks, mixing the nutritious silt and sediment particles into the otherwise thick, clay soil. Thousands of years of this activity have created a soil type suitable for forest growth. In winter, fronts push all the water down into the channels revealing expansive mud flats.

Despite these widely changing conditions, animals in the estuary adapt and survive. The young of many fish species migrate into the bayou in spring and grow through the summer months by feeding on the rich sources of worms, crabs, clams and shrimp found on the bayou's productive mud and sand bottom. Year-round residents of the bayou like the sheepshead minnow, gulf killifish and sailfin molly live among the marsh grasses and shallows feeding on mosquito larvae and small crustaceans called amphipods. They, in turn, are fed upon by the larger, commercially important species like flounder, speckled trout, and redfish. Nearly forty species of fish and invertebrates make their homes in Armand Bayou. The most visible to casual onlookers are the striped mullet, which will often leave the water to leap several feet into the air. This behavior may be an escape response from predators such as the alligator gar. Gars can be seen laying on or rolling near the water's surface. These two species comprise most of the biomass of fish, especially in the summer. Learning the inhabitants of the bayou is a fun and challenging hobby for many nature center volunteers. Special training sessions are given specifically for that purpose.

Armand Bayou is a scenic, productive and fragile environment. Real estate development in this area has led to excessive nutrient loading of Armand Bayou causing algal blooms, which can lead to low dissolved oxygen levels. Small amounts of pesticides and industrial run-off can be accumulated over long times in fish, shellfish, and birds. Like many other Texas estuaries, Armand Bayou faces the detrimental effects of coastal development.



abnc volunteer DUTY ROSTER

In an attempt to take some of the load off the Coordinators, and to help cut down on our "no show" rate the Bayou Foliage will print a monthly list of folks who have volunteered for various assignments. If you are scheduled for a particular duty and you are unable to attend, please find your own substitute. You may be able to trade weekends or swap a day with someone who has another duty during the month. Use the roster below to find your substitute. Please inform the ABNC desk and the activity coordinator if you trade assignments. Also, if you can fill in any of the blank spots, please call the appropriate Coordinator. When you do your assignment please check in at the front desk with Joe Evans. Thank you.

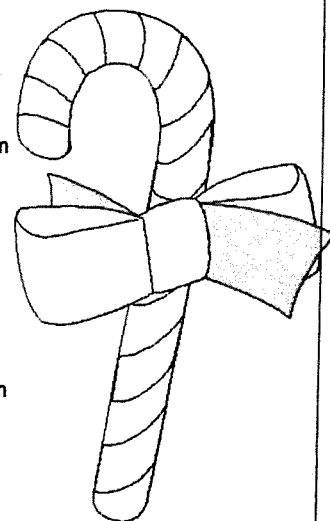
DATE	11:00 TRAIL Coordinator, Ruby Dilgren	2:00 TRAIL Coordinator, Ruby Dilgren	INFO SERVICES Coordinator, Jane Bingel	FARM INTERP Coordinator, Jane Bingel	FARM DEMO Coordinator, Eldine Owens	NAT HISTORY DEMO Eldine Owens
SAT 12/1	<i>Kelli Glenn</i>	<i>John Siptak</i>	<i>Dina Supple</i>	<i>Susan Hesley</i>	<i>Tom Scarsella Blacksmithing</i>	
SUN 12/2	NO TRAIL SUN AT 11:00 AM	<i>Marie Asscherick</i>	<i>Ken Russell</i>	<i>Dottie Evans</i>		
SAT 12/8	<i>Jim Crabb</i>	<i>Tom Scarsella</i>	<i>Paul Brunkow</i>	<i>Joan Brunkow</i>	<i>Stephania Rogers Ropemaking</i>	<i>Anne Tincer Ponds</i>
SUN 12/9	NO TRAIL SUN AT 11:00 AM	<i>Marie Asscherick</i>	<i>Betty Snider</i>	<i>Polly Swerdlin</i>	<i>Ann Brinly Bobbin Lace</i>	
SAT 12/15	<i>Louise Peck</i>	<i>Joe Bryan</i>	<i>Pat Bates</i>	<i>Stephania Rogers</i>	<i>Jane Bingel Cheese</i>	<i>Eleanor Stanley Reptiles</i>
SUN 12/16	NO TRAIL SUN AT 11:00 AM	<i>Merle Bunde</i>	<i>Joe Bryan</i>	<i>Eleanor Stanley</i>	<i>Mary Ann Tucker Basketweaving</i>	
SAT 12/22	<i>Ray Parker</i>	<i>Charles Buren</i>	<i>Pat Bates</i>	<i>Joyce Roberts</i>		
SUN 12/23	NO TRAIL SUN AT 11:00 AM	<i>Stan Krauhs</i>	<i>Merle Bunde</i>	<i>Dottie Evans</i>		<i>Polly Swerdlin Bird Adaptations</i>
SAT 12/29	<i>Anne Tincer</i>	<i>Charles Buren</i>	<i>Patsy Cashion</i>	<i>Jane Bingel</i>	<i>Irene Ward Wood Stove</i>	
SUN 12/30	NO TRAIL SUN AT 11:00 AM	<i>Stan Krauhs</i>		<i>Paula Thorsen</i>		

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