

THE MOUNTAINEER



Newsletter of the Georgia Mountaineers chapter of FMCA

December 10, 2010 Christmas Luncheon Smith House, Dahlonega, Georgia Hosts: The Christophers and the Longs

Members attending: Carl & LaVerne Abbott, Ken & Margie Alexander, Van & Miriam Armstrong, Ted & Martha Barrett, Bob & Eva Beilemeier, Sam & Margaret Broady, Jerry & Dot Carpenter, Chris & Stella Christopher, Tommy & Angie Coleman, Don & Peggy Crump, Bill & Pat Denny, Ken & Dee Early, John & Diane Franklin, B.G. & Irma Greulich, Don & Marquita Haines, Don & Lois Hardison, Robert Hicks, Mike & Judy Hughes, John & June Huffman, John & Sandra Long, Larry & Audrey Martin, George & Dorothy Silver, Bill & Gayle Smith, Warren Swanson and Joyce Vance, Willard & Sue Swanson, Jack & Millie O'Donovan, Ray & Barbara Rowe, Jack & Chris White, and Liz Yarbrough

Visitors attending: Carl & Frieda Stutz

The Smith House provided a wonderful setting and fabulous food for our annual Christmas Luncheon.

President Bill Denny welcomed everyone. Chris Christopher gave a brief history of the Smith House. George Silver said the blessing. Lunch was served family style. Fellowship around the tables was warm and friendly.

After lunch Stella Christopher thanked everyone for bringing children's presents to be given to the Community Helping Place, a Dahlonega ministry that is supported by local churches. Each year they have a White Christmas project that distributes gifts to children in the area.

Ted Barrett installed Diane Franklin, treasurer, and LaVerne Abbott, corresponding secretary, as officers for 2011. They were unable to attend the rally in Gadsen when other officers were installed.

President Denny presented John Huffman, outgoing President, a card and gift certificate thanking him for his work for the group over the past few years.



A drawing was held for door prizes. Some of the prizes were free nights camping at different RV parks, Woodall's bags, pecans, restaurant meals, and a Winegard advanced antennae.

Our hosts, Chris and Stella Christopher and John and Sandra Long, are to be commended for all they did to make the day pleasant and enjoyable. It was a delightful time.



Announcements:

Southeastern Area FMCA Rally February 2011

Let John Huffman know if you want to go in with the Ga. Mountaineers group

International FMCA Rally March 2011

Let Ted Barrett know if you want to go in with the group.

Hosts needed for Ga. Mountaineers Rallies for 2011

Let Jack White know when you want to host

LaVerne Abbott

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