

JANUARY 2018



*The Ten- nessee State Club*  
**VOL State Winnies News**

VOL STATE WNNIES CAMPOUT –CO-HOSTED BY MCW

April 19-22, 2018

NASHVILLE I-24 CAMPGROUND

1130 Rocky Fork Rd.

Smyrna, TN 36167 615-459-5818

20 Sites have been reserved for VOL State Winnies. 50 amp sites are \$35.00 and 30 amp sites are \$33.00. Good Sam members will get a 10% discount from those fees. Each RV must make their own reservations and ask for the VOL State Winnies Group. The sites will be reserved until March 1, 2018 and then will be let go so make your reservations early.

Facilities include an enclosed shelter with electric outlets, heater if needed, a fireplace, picnic tables and some fold up tables. The rally fee will be collected at the Business meeting based on costs.

Schedule

Wed. April 18 Pre – rally

Visit local area

5:00 pm - LEO (Lets Eat out) at a local restaurant

Thurs. April 19

12 noon to 4 pm Arrival and Set up

5-5:30 pm - Opening and Welcome

5:30 pm - Potluck Dinner at Shelter, followed by games and/or fellowship. Bring your own plates, utensils and beverage.

Fri. April 20

7-8am - Coffee and Tea Available. Bring your own cup.

8-9 am - Toast, bagels, fruit available with condiments at shelter.

9 am - Visit Stands River National Battlefield & National Cemetery in Murfreesboro

12:30 pm - Lunch in Murfreesboro at Demo's Restaurant - 1115 NW Broad St. Murfreesboro

5 pm Dinner - Bring in Barbecue with applesauce & chips and dessert furnished at shelter. Bring your own beverage.

6-8 pm - Music at the Shelter furnished by the RV Park for all to enjoy.

Sat. April 21

7-8 am - Coffee and tea available. Bring your own cup.

8-9 am - Toast, bagels, fruit available with condiments at shelter.

9-10 am - VSW Business Meeting ( All Members)at shelter.

10 am - Chapter Business Meetings (Chapter members)at shellter

Afternoon – On your own. Ideas – Eat lunch at Bell Buckle Café – about 28 miles from campground, visit Franklin, TN a historical town about 21 miles, visit the Walking Horse Museum at Wartrace, or bone up on your holey board skills for GNR. We can form carpool groups where people would like to go.

5 pm - Dinner – Baked potato dinner with sides and toppings at shelter. Bring your own beverage.

Games /Fellowship

Sun Apr. 22

7-9 am - “On the Road Again” – Continental Breakfast at shelter. Bring your own cup.

We are glad you came and hope you had a great time. See you at GNR and in August at the campout with all three chapters.

## **PRES IDENT’S CORNER**

Welcome to 2018—It has started out with some severe weather, thus we can look forward to better things for the rest of year.

We were saddened by the loss of Yvonne Potts in December. She was Rocky Top Secretary and Vol State Winnies Sunshine person. We will all miss her positive attitude and willingness to assist wherever necessary.

With winter in full force, we need to think spring, i.e. April 19-22, 2018 VOL State Winnies outing at Nashville I-24 RV Park. in Smyrna, TN. Details of the outing are in this newsletter. Of special note you need to make your reservations at the campground by 1 March 2018 to insure obtaining a site. At the April outing we would like all to think of a theme for the 2019 VSW Rally.

Also all chapters and VOL State Winnies will be having a joint outing at Salt Lick Creek on August 17-19, 2018. Reservations for that outing can be made on the internet, but can’t be made until 6 months from the date of the outing. We recommend sites near the shelter. More information will be forthcoming in a February newsletter. Mark your calendar for those dates in order to save that time together. We will be celebrating Music Cities’ 44th Anniversary at this outing.



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**MEETING, CAMPOUT & RALLY SCHEDULES**

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|            | 2018   |     |
| Jan. 20    | Corner Pub - Mt. Juliet, TN 11 am  | MCW |
| Feb. 17    | Los Compadres Mexican Restaurant<br>12894 Lebanon Rd. Mt. Juliet, TN 11 am | MCW |
| Mar 17     | Cheddars—Hendersonville, TN 11 am  | MCW |
| Apr 15-18  | Lock A, COE CG, Part of Cheatham Lock &<br>Dam, Ashland City, TN           | WTT |
| Apr 19-22  | Nashville I-24 Campground, Smyrna, TN                                      | VSW |
| May 15-18  | Monte Sano State Park, Huntsville, AL                                      | RTT |
| May 18-20  | Lock A Campground, Ashland City, TN  | MCW |
| May 20-25  | America's Best Campground, Branson, MO,<br>Long Campout                    | WTT |
| Jun 7-10   | Sevierville, TN Campground TBD   | RTT |
| Jun 15-17  | Lillydale Campground Allons, TN Dale Hollow Lake                           | MCW |
| Jun 17-20  | Natchez Trace SP—Pin Oak Loop , Clarksburg, TN                             | WTT |
| Jul. 13-15 | Cedar Creek Campground— Mt. Juliet, TN                                     | MCW |
| Jul. 23-28 | GNR, Forest City, IA   | VSW |
| Aug 17-19  | Salt Lick Creek, Carthage, TN - Combined campout                           | VSW |
| Sep 16-19  | North Abutment COE CG, Gainesboro, TN                                      | WTT |
| Sep 21-23  | Salt Lick Creek CG, Gainesboro, TN   | MCW |
| Oct 21-24  | Long Branch COE, Long Branch, TN   | WTT |
| Oct 25-28  | VSW—Ward AG Center, Lebanon, TN  | VSW |
| Nov. 11-14 | Columbus/Belmont SP—Columbus, KY<br>( sites 23-28 full hookups)            | WTT |
| Nov 17     | Cheddars—Hendersonville, TN 11 am  | MCW |
| Dec. 15    | Chili's—Hendersonville, TN 11 am   | MCW |
| Dec.       | TBD—Dinner meal & meeting  | WTT |
| Dec.       | Member Appreciation Luncheon—TBD   | RTT |

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