



Hi everyone,

Well it is about time for me to shame those of you who have not as yet affirmed your attendance at the regional reunion and barbecue dinner at Ray and Mary Booth's place on Lake Travis, so here goes.....□

As of today we have 36 folks planning on enjoying the great barbecue and socializing. The current list is posted below. Granted the Corona Virus is still a consideration, but honestly, in spite of the recent news, it seems that the severity of the virus has diminished enough that we can feel fairly safe to have a gathering. It is hoped that more of you HCLAC members will decide to attend, especially since we are sponsoring the regional gathering this time. For those who might wish to get a hotel for a night or two, Bruce Harris has recommended the Hampton Inn on the River in Marble Falls. It is a very nice place, good restaurants and watering holes near, and the price seems affordable, about \$100 per night or less if you can negotiate a discount.... airline, military, old guy, senile, etc.

By the way, the code to access the airport gate at Windamere Airport to get to Ray's place is now 0259. The code for the gate to Ray's place is keykey2020.

Here are the top 10 reasons to attend the reunion □:

10. The food is free
9. The drinks are free
8. There is no charge for parking
7. The weather is predicted to be perfect.....well, mostly.....hopefully.....maybe.....
6. We will have name tags for everyone, so if you forget who you are, this will help.....
5. There are no riots or demonstrations planned in Ray's neighborhood at the time of our reunion, but just in case, he has his arsenal readily accessible. Note: All land mines have been removed for the reunion.
4. No tipping at the barbecue dinner is allowed, however if you want to put a little something in Ray's tip jar, he kinda` wants to get Mary something nice besides a new chain saw for Christmas this year. (just kidding...no tipping. Sorry Ray!)
3. Most of us have been locked up in our homes...time to get out and smell the roses

again.....the barbecue should smell pretty good too! ☐ ....and don` t worry, the cows and goats have been moved away from the area so we can smell the roses and the barbecue.....

2. Bruce Harris has told us he plans on bringing a smokin` hot lady again this year.....that is if his begging and pleading works again.....

1. ....and the *number one reason* to attend the reunion.....Gentry has promised he won` t do a hula dance for us in his grass skirt this year.....even though he is having another birthday.....It` s hard to believe he is only 83.....doesn` t look a day over 99! ☐ Happy Birthday Don☐☐.

So I hope more of you will decide to join the festivities at Ray`s for our reunion on the 21st. Please let me know if you are planning on gracing us with your presence....it will help us plan on how much chow and drink to order. If you don` t come, we will definitely talk about you.....☐

All the details are in the last monthly update and will be posted again on October 15th.

List of attendees as of 4 October:

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Ray and Mary Booth

Dave and Kay Newell

Don and Francia Gentry

Wayman Curry

Buck Wroten

Lee and Pam Meyners

Dave and Sandy Judson

Les and Ida Cook

David and Tina Hughes

Ben and Chris McKenzie

Roger and Carol Bartel

Loyd and Debbie Robeson

Gary Small

Bernie and Sandy Hallee

Paige and Kay Seats

Charlie and Cynthia Starr

Bob Macaluso (fly in)

Ray and Denise Quigley

Bruce Harris (+ 1?)

Kent and Patti Muhlberger



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