

CHAPTER NEWS

Ambling with the Ramblers

The Ramblers have logged over 150 SPC miles since we began in September. Hooray! We have also installed officers and finalized our schedule for 2010.

December brought us a mixed bag of weather including snow with record breaking cold as well as almost record breaking warm temperatures. The Holidays are now a memory that is until we get the credit card statements. FCRV has the first RV show under our belt. Oh, great here comes "cabin fever" as we wait impatiently for spring and the first camp out of the season.

The Rambler's have had a wonderful non-camping season so far. In November we did a dine out meeting and enjoyed being pampered a little by not having to cook, clean up, or do dishes. December we had a Christmas mixer with snacks and appetizers and a rousing game of Christmas trivia. I bet you never thought Christmas trivia could be rousing, but you have never played that game with the Ramblers.

January we will be doing CPR training. As the camping family ages (not me, of course) this training becomes more of a necessity. If other clubs are interested in CPR training contact the Ramblers and we can put you in touch with our CPR trainer.

As we look forward we see our first camp out is only 3 months away and Spring Fling is just beyond that. We hope to see all of you in Brush this year. The Ramblers will be doing a chapter sales project so stop by and see what we have to offer.

Until we see you again stay warm and safe.

Rambler TIP: ***Keep chewable baby aspirin in your camping rig.*** Chew a baby aspirin should you experience chest pain that comes and goes and get worse each time; if you have radiating pain in the left arm; should you experience intense jaw pain; if you have chest discomfort with nausea, vomiting, shortness of breath or flu like symptoms; or if your skin becomes pale, cool, and sweaty. These symptoms may be signs of heart distress or even a heart attack. Chewing a low dose or baby aspirin can mitigate the effects of a heart attack. If it is not a heart issue the baby aspirin can help with the discomfort. Seek medical attention QUICKLY!

Submitted by Barb Brown

INVESCO FIELD at MILE HIGH TOUR

The Gypsies took a tour of Invesco Field at Mile High and the Colorado Sports Hall of Fame on January 23, 2010. The tour consisted of the beautiful corporate owned suites that are located on the west side of the stadium, including the suite that is owned by Owner Pat Bowlen and of course former Bronco quarterback, John Elway's suite. They were also in the announcing booth, which is just a plain glass enclosed booth, but when the different networks come to broadcast the games, they bring their own backdrops and equipment which is usually very vibrant and colorful as shown on national TV. They toured the visitors locker rooms which is down below ground level, and the training room. **Did you know that there are 14 officials at every NFL game??** Some are way behind the scenes that we never see on the TV. They visited the "keg" room, which stores all the kegs of beer that is consumed at the games. All the beer is piped to the different bars that are located in every suite, plus the concession stands. Lots of beer is flowing through those vinyl pipes throughout the stadium during one NFL game or any other venue that is occupying the stadium at any one time.

There are several large party suites that are available for rent, if anyone is interested. Many high schools rent the Club Suite for their proms and reunions. The famous "5280 Club Suite" is also available for cocktails and dining before and during the football games.

It's a must see tour for anyone, even if you're not a sports fan!!

We then went to dinner at the Wishbone restaurant on North Federal.

