

SEADRIFT/VICTORIA CHAPTER

December 2010

Next Meeting

December 9 at Clubhouse

Visitation 5:30 pm

Potluck Dinner 6:00 pm

Meat will be provided by the
TDECU (Credit Union)

Program 7:pm

Music will be provided by **Sandra Glenn**, Musical
Director at Grace Presbyterian Church.

Meetings for 2011 will be:

March 10 at Victoria Electric CO-OP

June 7 at Clubhouse

September 8 at Victoria Electric CO-OP

December 8 at Clubhouse

Programs will be announced later.

Split the pot

Other groups have had success with Split the Pot as a means of getting money for the club for such things as stamps, envelopes, etc. Therefore, we have decided to give it a try. We will start with \$1 per ticket and \$5 per 6 tickets. This will substitute for the kitty basket.

OOPS!!

I really goofed on the last issue. I had three names misspelled on page 4 and gave location of the Victoria Electric CO-OP as Ben Wilson instead of Ben Jordan.

September Meeting



The meeting was held at the Victoria Electric CO-OP on September 9th with 31 folks in attendance. Ms Elidia Wilson, a

representative from the Victoria Social Security Office was the guest speaker and gave an excellent presentation. She spoke to the group about Social Security benefits and when you should apply for specific benefits. She discussed the various retirement ages, early retirement, full retirement, and survivor benefits.

If you were born January 2, 1943 through January 1, 1955, then your full retirement age for retirement benefits is 66. If you work and are full retirement age or older, you may keep all your benefits, no matter how much you earn. If you are younger than full retirement age, there is a limit to how much you can earn and still receive full Social Security benefits.

Ms Wilson answered quite a number of questions that were brought up during the meeting.

You may contact Social Security by visiting their website at www.socialsecurity.gov or call toll free, 1800-772-1213 (Monday through Friday from 7:00 AM to 7:00 PM).

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Memorials

Robert “Bob” Priest, 80, of Victoria died August 17, 2010. **Bob** retired in 1991 after 31 years service.

Faye Elizabeth Fagan Gamblin, 86, of Tivoli, died August 29, 2010. She was the mother of retiree **Janie Zeplin**.

Virgil Bassett, 82, of Strathcona, Minn. died September 27, 2010. **Virgil** retired in 1986.

Joe Sanchez Sr., 78, of Victoria died Oct. 11, 2010. **Joe** retired in 1987 as a heavy equipment supervisor after 32 years service.

Roland “Dutchie” Thieme, 76, died October 7, 2010. **Roland** retired in 1998 after 38 years service.

Gary Krock, age 67, of Victoria died October 26, 2010. **Gary** retired in 2001 after 34 years service.

Glenn A. Warren 81, of Chandler died October 28, 2010. **Glenn** retired from operations in 1991.

Wesley Zeplin, 78, of Victoria died November 1, 2010. **Wes** retired in November 1998 after 44 years service.

Phyllis Dermit, 83, of Victoria died November 14, 2010. She was the wife of retiree **Jack Dermit**.

Congratulations 55 Years



Clifford and **Rachel Townsend** celebrated their 55th wedding anniversary August 4, 2010. **Clifford** retired from Olefins in 1986 after 32 years service.

Congratulations 50 Years

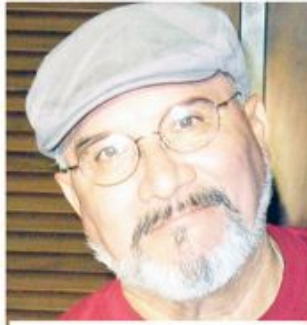


Larry and **Margaret Vaughan** celebrated their Golden Wedding Anniversary Oct. 1, 2010. **Larry** retired in 2001 after 40 years service.

Some attendees from Sept. meeting



Susan Najvar



David Sanchez



Betty Burns



Buddy Perkins



Byran Nelson



Carl Harding



Connie Marshall



Dennis Speed



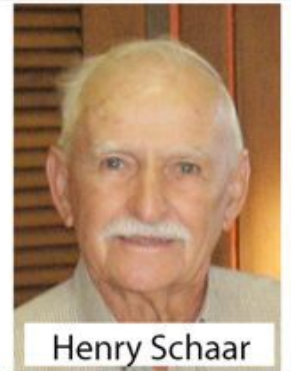
Doris Perkins



Gary Marshall



Helen Friedel



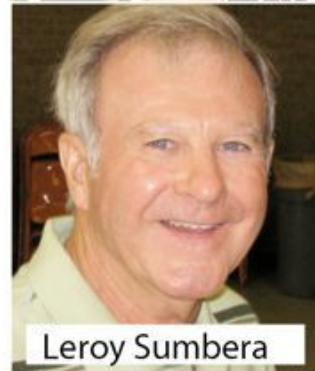
Henry Schaar



Jim Burns



Kaye Oliver



Leroy Sumbera



Mary Francis Schaar



Melva Tolar



Merlyn Hartman



Pat Miller



Mike Najvar

IMPORTANT PHONE NUMBERS

Aetna Member Services
1-800-736-9369

Retiree Service Center
1-800-344-0661

Praxair Retiree Services
1-800-727-7878

Aetna Home Delievery
1-800-736-9369

24/7 Nurse Line
1-800-556 1555

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Change of Address

Notice: I need you to continue sending me changes of addresses. I can change it in my data to send the newsletter, but you must send the change to Retiree Services at Dow. I cannot change it at Dow.

Wilburn Hoffman from 302 S Main St., Donna, TX to 6009K Country Club Dr., Victoria, TX 77904.

Don West from 2605 FM 622 Victoria to 443 Waters Edge Dr., Victoria, TX 77905.

Ray Carter Jr. from 601 Goodwin Ave. Victoria to 147 Dincans St, Inez, TX 77950.

Neil and Madeline Posey from 317 Sequoia to 1010 Northgate Road, Victoria, TX, 77904

Ernest Guajardo from 402 Ave B to 303 Dunbar Dr., Victoria, TX 77904

Ernest Studer from 2303 E. Walnut to 115 Mariner Dr., Victoria, TX 77901

Lost and not found

Claude Dykstra	Margaret Adams
R. E. Nichols	Willa Avara
San Juanna Yanez	Jerry Prokop
Johnnie Gail Bego	Wanda Berry
Fred Barnard	Anne Cole
Lillian Kelly	James Highberg
Cynthia Bourque	Joe Ewald
Edward Lambert	Jack Coffey
Elda Baros	

If you know how to locate any of these folks please let me know. Weldon