

N.A. OZARK AREA MINUTES

April 29, 2019

Hosted by We Do Recover

Meeting opened with Serenity Prayer; Read 12 Traditions; Read 12 Concepts. March Area minutes were approved. Ozark Area thanks Geovanny for the awesome food today and WDR for hosting. Agendas passed around to GSRs.

Administrative Assistants

Chair: Shelly W.

Vice Chair: Doug B.

Treasurer: Suzanne S.

RCM: Tina P.T.

RCM Alt: Meri H. (absent)

Secretary: Robyn C.

Vacant Chairs

Literature Chair

Subcommittee Chairs

AASC Chair: Kim S.

H&I Chair: Ivy B. (interim)

PR Chair: Jerry F.

Website Coordinator: Matt L. (mattlang@hotmail.com) (not required to attend)

in Attendance

Against All Odds

But Do It

Fifth Tradition

Knights in Recovery

Living Clean

Native American

A New Way

Onward

Straightline

Stray Katz

meeting

Survivors

We Do Recover

Groups Absent

Free & Clean-Miami, OK

Together We Can-Nevada, MO

Traditional Recovery

Inactive Groups

Clean and Serene-Joplin, MO

Under Grace-Carthage, MO *but actively meeting

Spiritual Principles-Joplin, MO *but actively

REPORTS

RCM: Hello Ozark Area, I am an addict named Tina, serving as RCM. I attended region this month with several others from our area. It was awesome to see our addicts stepping up and participating! We had 18/19 areas present for business on Sat. The motions we voted on for Regional guidelines changing to better serve our areas and insurance needs, all passed. There are several annual events coming up that you all should be aware of: May 1st -Service Day June 3-9 -PR week Sept 1- Unity Day Dec 1- Sponsorship Day The workshop topic was over MAT/DRT(medication assisted treatment/drug replacement therapy) . Great information was shared! A resonating theme was to have a welcoming attitude, practice open-mindedness, carry a clear NA message and meet the addict where they are at, because we want them to keep coming back. Information that was gathered was turned into world for input on the new pamphlet that is coming soon. You can also have input for this topic by going online to NA.ORG. It is due by May 15, 2019. I attended the literature review sub-committee and was able to be part of input for the new Mental Health IP. You can access this IP in review form and put your input in as well on NA.ORG. We also discussed the Spiritual Principle A Day book. There are 9 principle that you can participation on until June, then at that time World will remove these principles and add 9 more to discuss. This is an ongoing project for the next 3 years. I was given a form to fill out to update World with. The information on the form will need the most current chair positions listed for our area subcommittees. I have started the form but will need info from our chairs. Please see me after the meeting so I can mail this to world. During the zonal forum in March, there was a survey given to RCMS regarding perspective of the Region. The results from the survey pinpointed two top issues to work on; the website, and fellowship development. We have a new website coordinator who is working on the site and should have everything up and running by October. The site will be on prior to that with some information and is called MissouriNA.org. Open Forum we discussed the next workshop topic for July to be on mentoring and fellowship development-we were asked to invite everyone-especially GSR's to attend. Hotel rooms/rates were discussed for the next year, and it has been voted on, that after this current contract is up in October, our venue will change. Region will be meeting in Columbia at Drury Inn instead of our present location. My term is up next month and appreciate the Ozark area allowing me to serve as RCM. It has been a wonderful experience and I plan to continue to be a part of service work. I have resumes and a motion with my report. These will need to be brought back to groups and voted on for the next region. In loving service,Tina tinapellegrin@yahoo.com 417-296-1382.

RCM-Alt:

Treasurer:

OASC Account

Beginning balance

\$8652.19-\$59.44= \$8592.75

A New Way (donation) 3/17/19	\$20.00	
But Do It (donation) 3/17/19	\$10.00	
Against All Odds (donation) 3/17/19	\$100.00	
Knights of Recovery (donation) 3/17/19	\$20.00	
Spiritual Principles (donation) 3/17/19	\$40.00	
OASC meeting fee (expense) 3/17/19		(\$15.00) *Cash given
Freedom Voice (expense) 4/19/19		(\$42.47)
Pro Print Schedules/Copies (expense) 3/6/19		(\$59.44) *Needs paid
Check 1263 Show Me Regional Donation (expense)		(\$1616.13)
Check 1265 Show Me Regional Donation (expense)		(\$100.00)
Capitol Plaza Hotel (expense) 4/12-13/19		(\$354.51)
Post Office Box Fee (expense) 4/3/19		(\$80.00)
Walmart food/supplies H&I Speaker Day (expense) 4/4/19		(\$135.15)
ATM w/d Church rental H&I Speaker Day (expense) 4/8/19		(\$50.00)
Lone Star Regional Lit. & Books (expense) 4/24/19		(\$155.45)
Total Expenses		(\$2533.71)
Total Deposits	\$175.00	
Ending Balance	\$6293.48-\$59.44=\$6234.04	*Jocelyn B.

gave receipt for owe \$59.44 again.

AASC Account

Beginning Balance	\$3641.28	
Deposit HOLP picnic sales & merchandise	\$190.00	
Cutting Loose Graphics Merch. HOLP 3/18/19		(\$205.88)
Cutting Loose Graphics HOLP S.S. bottles 4/9/19		(\$495.48)
Cutting Loose Graphics HOLP Coffee mugs 4/19/19		(\$808.58)
Total Expenses		(\$1509.94)
Total Deposits	\$190.00	
Ending Balance	\$2321.34	

In loving service, Suzanne S.

SUBCOMITTEE REPORTS

AASC: Hello Ozark Area my name is Kimmy S serving as AASC chair. Our upcoming event for this area is the Area Birthday Bash . This is a free event which will be held in conjunction with a learning day .The event will be held on May 18th at Leonard Park on 4th and Turk at 1:00 We will have 50/50 - Raffle , and speaker Andrea R .

I would also like to remind everyone about pre-registrations for the picnic . Not only do you get a free coffee mug , but you are helping your area put on this event .

Our next meeting will be held at 2220 Jackson Ave apt C on May 11th at noon . Come be apart of.

ILS , Kimmy S

H&I: Hello, Ozark Area. I'm Ivy. I'm an addict serving as H&I interim. We opened with the Serenity Prayer, Traditions, and Concepts. Jasper county-men's met, women's did not due to lack of support. Joplin City-all met. Lafayette-All met. New Directions-all met. Women's House-still vacant. Speaker Jam was a success. We have a \$45.00 donation from the event. Discussed discrepancy with New Directions-further discussion will take place later. More will be revealed. I attended Region and we did a workshop on MAT/DRT. It was very informative and interesting to get new perspectives on how we should/could approach those who are on MAT/DRT. We discussed and decided to now meet in Columbia at Drury Inn starting in 2020. In loving service, Ivy B.

PR Chair: I'm Jerry F. the PR Chair for the Ozark Area. I've made sure that all the IP racks has been full for the month of April and will be placing an order for more IP for the upcoming month. I do have some disappointing news that I will be having knee replacement this month that will be affecting my abilities as Chair and the Area should be seeking a replacement for me as PR. I was unable to attend regional due to medical appointments. I'm truly grateful for the chance that the Area has given to me by nominating and electing me as PR but it would be unfair to the Area by not being able to attend meetings at Region and Area so I've decided to resign until a later time when my health issue has been resolved. In loving service, Jerry F.

Website Coordinator: Hello Area, I'm an addict named Matt serving as Ozark Area's website coordinator. Everything is going good with the site. I'd like to thank Deborah and Shelly for their help in making my transition smooth. I have been updating the site with the new minutes, schedules, and events as I receive them. I'd like to take this opportunity to remind everyone that if you are having an event and have made a flyer, to please email or text me the file to assure a high quality copy of the flyer will be posted to the calendar. Thank you for allowing me to be of service.

Matt L., 417-609-1623, mattlang@hotmail.com.

GROUP REPORTS

*Schedule passed for GSRs to make corrections.

Against All Odds: Good afternoon, Area. My name is Frank. I'm GSR for Against All Odds. We are located at 3003 N. Joplin, Pittsburg, KS. We meet at 630p every Sunday evening. ATC and Women's House attend regularly. We celebrate birthdays the last Sunday of the month and also have speaker meeting last Sunday of the month. Jessica M. from Fort Scott will be speaking April 28. All meetings were met with a low of 18 and high of 53. Thanks for letting me serve, Frank G. *Laura T. with 3y and Frank G. with 18mos.

But Do It: Hello Ozark Area! My name is Justin, serving as GSR for But Do It. We meet at 414 S. Virginia on Wednesday nights at 630p. The last Wednesday of the month is our birthday night. This month we celebrated Yvonne G. with 32y and Steve S. with 30y. Next month we have Tony with 8y and Kelly S. with 11y. We have a \$10.30 donation to Area. Thank you for letting me serve. In loving service, Justin P.

Fifth Tradition: Hello, Area, I'm Don Crockett, GSR of 5th Tradition Group. Attendance is average of 10-30+ people at meetings. We meet Monday and Tuesday at 630p at 1901 S. Pearl at the church in the basement. And we have a \$20 donation to Area. In loving service, Don Crockett, don_crockett@hotmail.com, 417--540-1168.

Knights in Recovery: Hello Ozark Area, my name is Adam and I am an addict. I am the GSR for the Knights of Recovery. We meet Monday thru Thursday at the Miami First United Methodist Church at 200 B NW, south side entrance on 2nd Street in Miami, OK. from 530-630p. We also meet Friday thru Sunday at the Wesley Student Center at 117 I NE, across from the NEO Administration/Library Building in Miami, OK from 530-630p. We now have book study on Thursdays and candlelight meetings on Saturdays. We have an average of 10 people attending our meetings and we would like to make a donation of \$20.

Living Clean: My name is Todd. I'm an addict. I'm the GSR for the Living Clean Group Pittsburg, KS. We meet at 3111 W. Michigan. Our meetings are Mon, Wed, Fri, Sat at 930a. Monday night the addiction treatment center and women's house attends. Wed night is It Works How and Why book study. Friday night is open meeting with the last Friday of the month is speaker and birthday night. This month's speaker was Justin and we would like to thank him for speaking. Sat. morning is Living Clean book study, and Saturday night is an open meeting. We have a \$20 donation to Area. Thank you, Todd Thomas GSR for Living Clean Group.

Native American: Hello Ozark Area. My name is Bobbie, an addict serving as GSR for Native American. Our attendance is up but the main people who are attending are newcomers from a transitional living facility. We are asking for more people to attend the meeting who are strong in recovery due to the blurred message. These newcomers are receiving, and in return, sharing a blurred message. We have a function coming up in July 20th with Stray Katz featuring Kim S. and Ed H. We have no donation at this time. In loving service, Bobbie M.

A New Way: Hi family. I'm Andrea R. serving as New Way GSR. We meet at 700p on Friday nights. We meet at the Kelly Club in Neosho, MO. Our attendance is 3-5 people. We had a member pass away recently. He had 10y clean. He will be missed. In loving service, Andrea R., groovy.ar@gmail.com.

Onward: Hello Ozark Area. My name is Doug, GSR for Onward group of NA. We meet in Lamar at 900 Poplar at the Methodist Church in the Mill St. entrance. We average 5-10 addicts

and we have \$10 to donate. Would appreciate local support. In loving service, Doug.

Straightline: Hello Ozark Area, I'm an addict named Keith serving as GSR for Straightline. We are located at 430 N. 21st St in Grove, OK 74344. We are averaging 20-25 addicts per meeting and we meet at the following times: Mon, 900a; Tue, 900p; Wed, 900a; Thur, 800p; Fri, 900a and 800p; Sat, 800p; Sun, 300p. We will have a bonfire speaker meeting Sat, May 4. Hot dogs and hamburgers at 700p, speaker at 800p. We have \$100 donation at this time. Thank you for letting me serve, Keith C.

Stray Katz: Hello Ozark Area, My name is David, an addict serving as GSR for Stray Katz. We meet every Saturday at 600p at House, Inc. Our average attendance is 40-50. We celebrate birthdays on the last Saturday of the month. We had one birthday this month, Reggie D. with 1y. We have a speaker meeting on the 3rd Saturday of the month. May speaker will be KL W. July 20th at 300p we will be having a function in partnership with Native American. (Speaker for even Ed H. and Kim S.) Please come be a part of. We have no donation at this time. Thank you for letting me be of service, David F.

Survivors: Hello Ozark Area, My name is Angel and I'm GSR for Survivors. We have changed our meeting times. So we now have group Monday and Tuesday at noon. We will no longer have meetings on Wednesdays and Thursdays. Our meeting on Friday will now be at 630p, and we have a noon meeting on Saturday. We are located at 22nd/Anne Baxter. We have no donation at this time. In loving service, Angel H.

Traditional Recovery: Hello Ozark Family, I'm an addict named Rick, GSR of Traditional Recovery in El Dorado Springs. We have one meeting a week on Sunday at 700p at First Christian Church, 300 S. Main St. Every other Sunday is a book study out of the Living Clean book. We have an attendance of 4-12 people, and welcome visitors. We have a donation of \$130.17. Thank you for letting me be of service, Rick T.

We Do Recover: Hello Ozark Area. My name is Ivy, an addict serving as Acting GSR for We Do Recover. We meet every night at 800p. We have a noon meeting Monday thru Saturday. We have a midnight meeting on Friday and Saturday. Sunday and Thursday are non-smoking. The second Friday of the month is our non-smoking speaker meeting. Speaking in May will be Paige H. from Pittsburg. The last Friday of the month is our non-smoking birthday meeting. In April, Crystal C. with 7y and Sterling K. with 1y had birthdays. We have no May birthdays as of yet. We voted yes on Eliminating Literature Chair, yes to Ed H. as RCM, and yes to Ivy B. as H&I Chair. We do not have a donation at this time. In loving service, Ivy B.

SHARING SESSION

- Day By Day (Fort Scott), any word if still meeting and still a part of our Area?

- Can we put other Areas flyers on our Area site? We send ours out; why not? Not to place onto our website calendar, but in addition to.
- Miami tribe plus NA? *Informed that NA cannot be combined. They may invite NA PR to coordinate.
- Outreach Adhoc: definition of subcommittee purpose. Outreach needs separate guidelines but they fall in together.
- Doug B. motions to amend the OASC Guidelines by inserting the following language at the end of Article 8, Section 1:
 “Each Subcommittee shall be given a hard copy of both the current OASC Guidelines and the Guide to Local Services in Narcotics Anonymous if the committee does not have them.”

Old Business:

- 1.) Region Motions: 9 positions for groups to vote. *Talk with Tina if you want a Regional position. Need rep from our area for SMRCNA.
 - 2.) Nominations for Open Positions
- Ed H. was approved for RCM.
 - Ivy B. was approved for H&I Chair.
 - Motion to eliminate Literature Chair position from OASC: motion was out of order.

New Business:

- Increase the schedules to 450: passes.
- Nominations open for PR Chair: Montel nominated; he accepts and submits resume, which is as follows: Montell, clean date 11/19/16. I have a sponsor and sponsees. I work the steps and am a motivation and strong advocate for the Program of Narcotics Anonymous. I travel to different meetings in other Areas and help unify our Program. In loving respect in service to Narcotics Anonymous. Previous GSR, Activities Chair, Hug Patrol, Cleaning Chair.
- Nomination open for Area Secretary: Shelie V. accepts and submits resume, which is as follows: Clean date: 10/9/13. I work NA steps with a sponsor. I work with sponsees. I chair a monthly meeting at my home group. I have served as Area Secretartm H&I Vice Chair, and Area Chair. I have served as Regional Literature Chair. My only motive is to welcome that addict yet to come.
- Nomination for open PR Chair: Albert M accepts and submits resume, which is as follows: My name is Albert, an addict and clean date is 9/10/14. I attend meetings, work steps, have an NA sponsor, chair meetings, attend business meetings, have a home group. I served as liaison for Jasper County Jail. I did H&I meetings at County and City Jails. I would like to further be involved. Thank you, Albert McGee.

**NEXT AREA - Sunday, May 19, 2019 at 3:00pm

301 W. Walnut, Nevada, MO
Hosted by Together We Can**

IMPORTANT LINKS

Ozark Area Website:	www.ozarkasc.com
NA World Services	www.na.org
Show Me Regional Website	*coming soon!*

**29th ANNUAL
SWANOANA - POSITIVE GROWTH
PIG ROAST**

May 31-June 2, 2019
Orleans Trail Campground, Stockton
Lake

Speakers: Kim S, 4 years, Joplin
Cory T, 7 years, Tulsa
Bob J, 32 years, Springfield



In addition to the old favorites:
Auction, 50/50, Pie Auction and Raffle
we are also adding 4 WORKSHOPS!

DIRECTIONS TO CAMPVENTION: The address is Camp Rising Sun Rd., Kaiser, MO 65047.

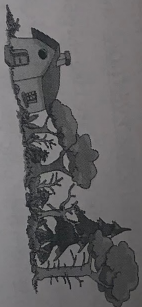
Once you are at the lake take Hwy-54 to Hwy-42 go east for about 4 miles. Turn onto Hwy-134 at The Lake Of The Ozarks State Park entrance, continue on Hwy-135 about 1 mile, turn right onto Whispering Oak Rd (just past small log cabin information booth) continue on Whispering Oaks Rd for about 3 miles. Turn left into Camp Rising Sun then you're there! Remember watch for the NA symbol signs that may help!

IMPORTANT REMINDERS

- Friday night talent show! Remember to bring your instruments or whatever you need for your talent!!
- All cabins have attached showers and restrooms! Bring your own toiletries, towels, & shower shoes
- Bring your own pillow & bedding for a twin size mattress!
- Bring your own fan(s) & power strip if you need one!
- Bring your own lawn chair(s)!
- There is NO tent camping or merchandising.
- NO PETS OR WEAPONS ALLOWED!!
- **Swimming is not a Campvention activity!** There are no life guards on duty so swimming is at your own risk!

Campvention Contacts

- Gina L – Campvention Chair (573)673-9633
- Bob Z – Registration Chair (573)231-6611 or Andrew W (573)239-6846
- campvention2016@gmail.com

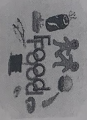


30th ANNUAL SHOW ME REGION UNITY CAMPVENTION 2019

SEPTEMBER 13th, 14th, & 15th

LAKE OF THE OZARKS STATE PARK
CAMP RISING SUN, KAISER MO 65047

- FULL REGISTRATION (ONLINE ONLY) - \$50.00
 - Includes:
 - Bunk for Friday & Saturday night
 - Food & Beverages
 - Admission to all activities
 - Snacks provided Friday night.
- MULTIPLE DAY PASS (AT GATE ONLY) - \$15.00
 - Includes:
 - Admission to activities Friday, Saturday, & Sunday
 - Beverages
- ONE DAY PASS (AT GATE ONLY) - \$10.00
 - Includes:
 - Admission to activities for one day
 - Beverages



PLEASE REGISTER AT <http://tinyurl.com/campvention>
REGISTRATION: April 14th to August 31st

Come Beat The Heat
With Stray Katz And Native
American NA Groups

Ice Cream Social

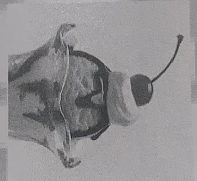
Saturday July 20th Booths open at 3:00 p.m.

Hot Dogs, Drinks & Ice Cream buffet with all the fixings

\$3.00 per person \$5.00 Per Cupble No Addict turned away

With Guest Speakers Ed H and Kim S
50/50 & Item Raffle

24730 State Hwy 171 Webb City MO 64870



SERVICE DAY

Being of
loving
service is
living
spiritually.
Living Clean,
Chapter Three,
"A Spiritual Path"

At the request of the 2018 World Service Conference, we will have special days similar to Unity Day.

Service Day is scheduled for 1 May, Public Relations Week is the first week of June (3-9 June), Unity Day is 1 September, and Sponsorship Day is 1 December. Moving forward, these will be annual celebrations.

We encourage you to consider and discuss how your community will celebrate these days.

If you have ideas for activities related to these special days, please send your comments to worldboard@na.org.



More fliers can be printed from www.dhoma1953.org. Check back regularly for updates

Please share your photos and experience on [Spirit Quest of DHOMA](https://www.facebook.com/SpiritQuestofDHOMA) Facebook page.

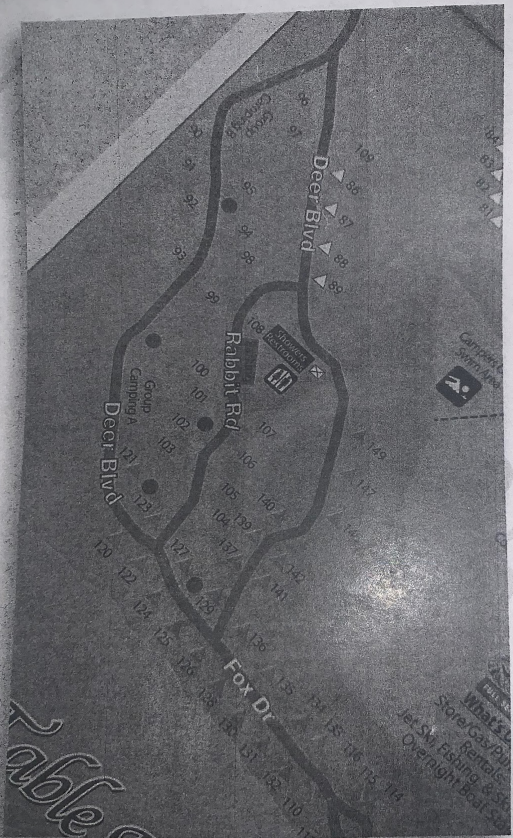
The official Facebook page for Spirit Quest is [Spirit Quest of DHOMA](https://www.facebook.com/SpiritQuestofDHOMA).

Contact the Port of Kimberling Marina Resort Hotel & Suites for camp site reservations at 417-739-3883.

Mention [Spirit Quest](https://www.facebook.com/SpiritQuestofDHOMA) for a reduced rate. Pick out your campsite at <http://www.mypok.com/campground>.

Click on the map tab to bring up an interactive campground map. Suggest reserving sites in the 90-140 areas. There will also be free camping inside the group area to promote unity. Note: sites within group area do not have electricity.

Power outlets in group area A is for Spirit Quest committee activities use only. If you need power access, see map for campsites with power.



Campsites with tri-angles have power.



SPIRIT QUEST 2019

XXVI Annual DHOMA Area

Narcotics Anonymous Campout & Picnic

September 6th, 7th, & 8th, 2019

FREE REGISTRATION - No addict turned away

Water's Edge on Table Rock Lake, 72 Marina Way, Kimberling City, MO

**Artwork, Designs, or Drawings for 2019 T-Shirt are
due by March 30th**

**Winner of the t-shirt design contest will receive a free hoodie!
Women speaker CDs for this year's Spirit Quest are
also needed by March 30th**

**Visit Spirit Quest of DHOMA Facebook page! Note: This is a public group and anonymity
may be compromised.**

Tentative 2019 Schedule - Big campfire circle for 24 hour sharing and caring the NA way

Friday evening: 5:00ish Hotdogs and S'mores provided

INFAMOUS Friday night Stick Meeting at the campfire 9:00ish or @ dusk

Saturday: 12:30 PM Noon to afternoon Spirit Quest step meditation and Spirit Walk
4:30 PM Dinner provided - Free (donations appreciated)

Raffle, 50/50, Auction (**ITEMS FOR AUCTION AND RAFFLE ARE NEEDED!**)
7:00PM Woman Guest **SPEAKER**.

Sunday: 9:00AM Morning Spiritual meeting

Questions should be directed to Spirit Quest sub-committee members below. Please Call.
Rose A. Chair: 417-335-0486, Alysha A. Alt. Chair: 417-229-4902, John D. Treasurer: 417-294-7956
Josh J. Secretary: 417-239-7790

Available Lodging:

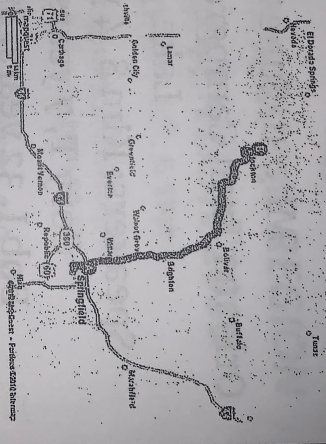
- Orleans Trail Motel & Restaurant.
15828 S 1525 Rd Stockton MO
417-276-3566
- Lake Stockton Motel
304 E Hwy 32, PO Box 538, Stockton, MO
417-276-5151
- State Park Inn
215 South Str, PO Box 218, Stockton, MO
417-276-5422
- Holiday Motel & RV Park
400 E Highway 32, PO Box 433,
Stockton, MO. 417-276-4443
- Cedar Oak Lodge
20225 S. 1527 Rd, RR4, Box 1608
Stockton, MO
417-276-3193
- Rockitt' G Resort
14980 N Orleans Trl, Stockton, MO
417-276-5959
- Owl Haven Motel
RB Rd, PO Box 345, Stockton, MO.
417-276-4907
- Mt Carmel Inn
S Highway 215, Stockton, MO
417-276-3349

Directions From Stockton To Campsite:

- Take 39 South from rt. 32
- Turn East on RB follow NA Signs to "Pig Roast at Orleans Trail"

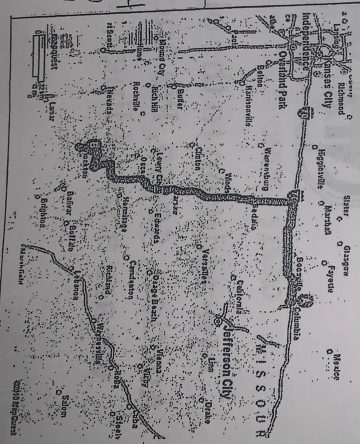
Trip to:
Stockton, MO
63.86 miles
1 hour 3 minutes

Springfield to Stockton



Trip from Columbia to Stockton, MO
194.88 miles
2 hours 55 minutes

Trip from Kansas City to Stockton, MO
183.5 miles
2 hours 16 minutes



Contacts:
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Wendy D. (609) 879 830
Robert B. (417) 849 6189