



Happy Valentines Day !!



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Trying to think of how to describe this month's activities? I guess it was a multi-tasked month, which included regular maintenance, socializing, a historic happening, and some fun activities.

Well, the historic happening involved the demolition of an out-dated power plant in Conway, SC. It has been a landmark for the past 50 yrs for those traveling route 501 to Myrtle Beach. The implosion of the two stacks marked the end of the project one Sunday morning in the rain. Present for the event was the local TV station, local officials, former employees, and the general public. Everyone looked at the event as an historical event. We watched from home via the local TV station. Everything worked perfectly! See pictures on the right....now they are gone!

As planned, Bob & I began a 6 session course on "*the Rice Plantations of Georgetown County*" given by the Lifelong Learning Institute through Coastal Carolina University. At the end of the 6 sessions, we will be taking a full day tour of several plantations with our instructor, Robin McCall - who is also with *Storehouse Tours*. Robin will be taking over *Storehouse Tours* as Bill & Betsy are retiring. She is extremely knowledgeable on local history, and has a winning personality in communicating it.

As for maintenance, Billy and Sam did a great job power washing our driveway and walkway. They then applied textured paint to the walkway, which turned out great! On the lower right corner, I am the one getting the maintenance - in the way of a hair cut, by Debbie Hicks. Other than that, Bob & I attended the *Rivertown Blue Grass* show, I started a new group "*Your Health Forum*", and my *Photo Group* is taking on a new project which you will hear about in the future. We also were invited to two very nice dinners with our neighbors - the Budniaks and the Harrisons. For Valentines, Bob & I went out to eat at our favorite crab leg restaurant. Since I did not take many pictures this month, the above is just a brief summary.

