

December 2018

Season Greetings to all!

By now, all of us in Region 2 who stick around for the winter months have gone thru the process of winterizing our Airstreams. I know the pink stuff is running through our Airstream's water pipes. Our shiny #1512 is tucked into the corner of the driveway not to move until April. Oh, I'll be out to visit it, for sure. When Kathi can't find me around the house, she knows to come out and check the Airstream! There will be more than a few days where I'll go out, turn on the heat in the trailer to sit and read a book or just daydream about new adventures. Or reminisce of travels past; both equally enjoyable. Not to mention installing the latest gizmo, widget or doo-dad that has caught my eye. There are definitely a couple of items on my Christmas list! How about you?

The improvements to our Region 2 website continue. Webmaster Lawrence Northway says we should have PayPal up and running by the time you read this. It will be a great convenience for our members to be able to electronically register and pay for the Region 2 Rally right here on our website. Next up is a new Gallery for pictures of Region and Unit rallies and activities. I have asked the Unit Presidents to send Lawrence and me pictures to use in the website header as well as in the Gallery. When sending photos, please identify the activity, date and location. We will add a caption and text as best as the WordPress templates allow. Hopefully, our Units will send pictures on a regular basis in order to keep the gallery fresh and interesting. Now would be a great time to send in pictures of your Officer installations and new Officers. Remember, the photos are not only for our current membership to view and enjoy but for new Airstream owners and prospective members as well.

Your Region 2 President and First Lady, Mark and Debbie Hammer, are gearing up for the Mid-Winter IBT meeting to be held Robertsdale, Alabama in January. I'll attend as well and we will bring back news and information from the three days of meetings and seminars. It is not all business though as it will be great to see and visit with many of our Airstream friends for at least a few days. And here's hoping Alabama will be a little warmer than the New Jersey shore at this time of the year. I'll be ready for a few warm days!

Whether you say Merry Christmas, Happy Hanukkah, or Happy Holidays our wishes to all are the same. Have a wonderful Holidays with your family and friends. To those fortunate enough to be traveling to warmer climates, travel safe!

Kathi joins me in saying Merry Christmas and wishing all a healthy and Happy New Year.