

# ROUNDUP

# **Quick Notes**

Arizona Airstream Club Website

You should see the cool pictures that Jerry Nelson, Webmaster, has posted on our website. Go to <u>ArizonaAirstreamClub.net</u>, and click on Photos.

The Duties of Officers are in our Bylaws.

Go to <u>ArizonaAirstreamClub.net</u>, and choose Governance under Documents. A page entitled Governance will pop up with links to both the Bylaws and Constitution. Click on Bylaws.

<u>Ajo Rally, April 2nd-5th, Shadow Ridge RV Park</u>. Registrants voted to cancel this rally due to the coronavirus threat.

Executive Board Action on Rally Fees See the President's message below. April 1, 2020

## Spring Break for Grownups, Lake Havasu, March 2 - 9

Cheryl Carmichael

Let me begin – this Lake Havasu 8-day rally brought music to my ears and left songs in my heart. As the pictures show – we all had a great time.

Monday - those with electric sites, set up in the wind and rain. Then, we all gathered at Dave and Karen Corbett's home for our happy-hour/(Honey Baked Ham) potluck- to



watch a beautiful sunset over LHC.

Tuesday – many enjoyed the morning Lake Havasu Museum tour, followed in the afternoon with the London Bridge walking tour. The wind stopped at sunset.

Wednesday – we were off to find Replica Lighthouses from our two rented pontoon boats driven by experienced boating members! You can read about these lighthouses at <u>www.lh-</u> <u>lighthouseclub.org</u>. Simply fascinating. We ate our

provided lunches on the calm water of Copper Canyon. We returned to our campground dock via the channel under London Bridge. Many ended the day together for beer tasting and dinner at Mudshark Brewery. Those at the dry camp sites began arriving – all having a view of the lake and sunsets.

Thursday – while the remaining dry campers arrived, many groups headed over to our golf tournament at Bridgewater Links EGC. So much fun! Players told their stories over beers at the clubhouse. Yes – the London Bridge can be seen in these photos. At 5, happy hour on the beach at the Flamingo Tent brought everyone together. We enjoyed the Fiesta Dinner of tacos, ribs, and chili. The sun set over the lake and the group joined singing



Camp Fire Songs with David & Leslie.

Rick commented to me that his favorite part of the rally - was getting to know everyone during these group meals. There were 27 Airstreams, almost 60 attendees, including our 4 local hosts – representing many clubs within both Regions 11 and 12, hailing from 10 states!! I visited with so many new and old friends. Sharing with me their





experiences in Airstream leadership, caravans, and rallies. So many great ideas and experiences to look forward to – as we continue our friendships and travels in the future.

Friday – Havasu Bluegrass Festival – 3 days of great music. Lawn seating. Food/ drink venders. Lake views. Those in the dry camping lots – could hear the music from the comfort of their own awnings! Brian with Airstream of Scottsdale

parked a new Globetrotter 23FB-twin. And Laura hosted an Airstream of Scottsdale happy hour gathering while we all toured the inside. The evening ended for many at the dinner at Shugrue's.

Saturday – began with the group breakfast on the beach at the Flamingo Tent – all day Bluegrass music – then many enjoyed a delicious catered dinner at Shugrue's, starting with drinks on the patio, taking couples' pictures with London Bridge in the background.

Sunday – started with an hour Bluegrass Gospel music including a short sermon reminding us "to love God... and love our neighbor as yourself" Matt



22:36-40. My favorite! Some Airstream families headed home. David and Leslie sang campfire songs at Laura's vintage Airstream.

Monday – one last group breakfast and happy trails farewells. We were told time and again how beautiful this Lake Havasu Arizona State park was – many wanting to return again... I'm glad the Arizona Airstream Club is venturing out looking for new ways of enjoying our Airstreams... *this little light of mine, I'm going to let it shine*... "

## **President's Corner**

### Jim Moser

Thank you to Rick and Cheryl Carmichael and their team for organizing and executing a wonderful rally at Lake Havasu. The music, the singing, the boat rides and golf; the food, and the fellowship were enjoyed by all. Thank you David and Karen Corbett for

being our on-the-spot planners and also for graciously sharing your home with us. Thank you David Vangelder and Leslie Ritter for providing music for us, and also thanks to David V. for arranging our golf outing and cooking great chili. Thank you Tony and Betty Sica for sharing a delicious ham and for cooking other goodies. And finally, thank you Ernie Nitka and Vicki Ottosen for coordinating the Colorado Unit caravan with our rally so members of your (Colorado) unit could rally with us.



Betty and Tony, Cheryl and Rick, Leslie and David, Karen and Dav id

#### Notice

The Executive Board has placed a <u>hard deadline</u> for refund of rally fees. The club will refund rally fees up to one month before the start of any rally. After that date, if a registered participant backs out for any reason, refund of fees are not to be expected. This is necessary because hosts must contract with venues, as well as purchase food

and other items. If participants back out at the last minute and expect refunds, either the other participants or the club must absorb the cost. This policy applies only to rally fees and does not apply to camping, special events, or excursions which are handled separately.

## Fun Definitions

**Bozone** - the substance surrounding stupid people that stops good ideas from penetrating.

Giraffiti - vandalism spray-painted very, very, high.

**Intaxication** - euphoria at getting a tax refund, which lasts until you realize it was your money to start with.

**Cashtration** - buying a house, which renders the subject financially impotent for an indefinite period of time.

**Sarchasm** - the gulf between the author of sarcastic wit and the person who doesn't get it.

Wife: How long will social distancing last? My husband keeps trying to get into the house.

On a message board:

Single male w/TP seeks single female w/hand sanitizer for good clean fun.



The Bundesrat (German congress) declares that any household with more than ten rolls of toilet paper is now a public restroom.

Due to the pandemic, the International Rally at Loveland, CO, has been cancelled. As of now our Arizona Club rallies from September through the end of the year are still

on. I will send out notices, if and when there are any changes. Be safe and be well. Hope to see you down the road. —Jim

# **Rally Schedule**

Dates	Event	Location	Campground	Hosts	Co-Hosts	Helpers
Jan 16 - 19	AZ Club Rally	Yuma	Bonita Mesa RV Park (928) 342-2999 (801) 349-9780	Bob & Val Edwards (206) 734-8794	Jim Moser (570) 594-8585 Shelley Randall (570 594 3944	Charles & Jane Wright
Feb 20 - 23	AZ Club Rally	Wickenburg	Wickenburg Community Center (928) 855-4033	Tom & Deb MacWilliams (585) 694-5859 (585) 262-7781	Pete & Judy Vergalla (928) 231-4417 (928) 233-9353	Lisa Parr
Mar 2 - 9	AZ Club Rally	Lake Havasu	Lake Havasu State Park	Rick & Cheryl Carmichael (480) 231-7925	Dave VanGelder (520) 309-5396 Leslie Ritter Tony & Betty Sica (530) 748-9802 David & Karen Corbett (252) 230-3377	
Apr 2 - 5	RALLY CANCELLED	Ajo	Shadow Ridge RV Park	Mike & Gail McBurney (520) 471-4296 (520) 471-4297	Wayne & Kay Madewell (918) 839-0838	
Jun 20 - 27	WBCCI International	International Rally Cancelled				
Sep 17 - 20	AZ Club Rally	Flagstaff	Wanderland Campground	Rick & Cheryl Carmichael (480) 231-7925	Jerry & Candace Nelson (602) 300-5599	NEED HELPERS
Oct 3 - 11	Balloon Festival					
Oct 22 - 25	AZ Club Rally	Camp Verde	Distant Drums RV Resort (877) 577-5507	Steve & Karen Barton (602) 320-9308	Tom & Deb MacWilliams (585) 694-5859 (585) 262-7781	
Nov 12 - 15	AZ Club Rally	Tucson	Catalina State Park Loop B, Sites 50 - 74	Jerry & Candace Nelson (602) 300-5599		
Dec 5	AZ Club Luncheon	Mesa Elks	6718 E Avalon St Mese, AZ 85205	Jim Moser & Shelley (570) 594-8585		

Arizona Airstream Club Rally Schedule 2020 (update 4/1/20)

## **Truck For Sale**

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