

# NORVA NEWS

December 2020



## PRESIDENT'S CORNER

### THANKFUL?

By: Gerry Nagel

Are you a person with a glass half-full or half-empty? Your answer to that question can be a blessing or a detriment to your attitude about life. Patsy and I are persons with a glass half-full and we have many things to be thankful for in 2020. 1. We have good health. 2. We are members of the Wally Byam Airstream Club. 3. We are members of the best local Airstream club (Northern Virginia Airstream Club-NORVA). 4. We have made many friends and are excited about welcoming new friends (members) into NORVA.

NORVA has a great slate of officers and active members with new members stepping up and getting involved in club activities. We had great rallies this past year and have many exciting things planned for 2021. We are planning a bowling rally, an escape room rally and possibly a super bowl rally. Plans are also underway for our annual maintenance rally, a NORVA Spring rally which includes a movie at a drive-in theater, a caravan to learn about the eight presidents from Ohio, and a caravan through Tennessee in route to the International Rally in Lebanon, TN. We anticipate the chance to attend the Old Fiddler's Convention in Galax, VA in August followed by the Commonwealth rally in September. With a few other weekend rallies thrown in, there is a lot to look forward to in 2021.



Now I want to give a little history of Thanksgiving and how it came to be celebrated in our country and how it continues to be celebrated at critical points in the United States of America. I read two articles, one by Myra Kahn Adams, media producer and writer who serves as Executive Director of SignFromGod.org ministry, on "Thanksgiving to God." In the article she brought up a couple of examples of the real meaning of Thanksgiving. The first instance comes from the "Father of Our Country" George Washington, who also fathered the Thanksgiving holiday. As you read his brief proclamation dated Oct. 3, 1789, notice how Washington incorporated reverence, obedience, recognition, and praise for "Almighty God." Remember when Washington wrote this proclamation, the U.S. government, under its new Constitution, was only seven months old. This was an underlying reason why he offered "a day of thanksgiving and prayer" acknowledging God's role in that bold endeavor. The proclamation reads:

"Whereas it is the duty of all Nations to acknowledge the providence of Almighty God, to obey his will, to be grateful for his benefits, and humbly to implore his protection and favor -- and whereas both Houses of Congress have by their joint Committee requested me to recommend to the People of the United States a day of public thanksgiving and prayer to be observed by acknowledging with grateful hearts the many signal favors of Almighty God especially by affording them an opportunity peaceably to establish a form of government for their safety and happiness.

Let's move ahead 153 years to Thanksgiving 1942 when Psalms were central to President Franklin D. Roosevelt's proclamation. Keep in mind 1942 was our nation's first and very tough year of combat in World War II. Roosevelt began his



proclamation with a verse from Psalm 92:1 – "It is a good thing to give thanks unto the Lord." The president expressed "our dependence upon Almighty God" and asked for "holy Protection." Read how he incorporated all of Psalm 23 into the proclamation, a Psalm of trial, suffering, death, praise, and gratitude:

"It is a good thing to give thanks unto the Lord. Across the uncertain ways of space and time our hearts echo those words, for the days are with us again when, at the gathering of the harvest, we solemnly express our dependence upon Almighty God. The final months of this year, now almost spent, find our Republic and the Nations joined with it waging a battle on many fronts for the preservation of liberty. In giving thanks for the greatest harvest in the history of our Nation, we who plant and reap can well resolve that in the year to come we will do all in our power to pass that milestone; for by our labors in the fields we can share some part of the sacrifice with our brothers and sons who wear the uniform of the United States. It is fitting that we recall now the reverent words of George Washington, 'Almighty God, we make our earnest prayer that Thou wilt keep the United States in Thy holy Protection,' and that every American in his own way lift his voice to heaven."

The second article is by Susan Stamper Brown, a columnist who has written for USA Today, Townhall, The Christian Post, and Jewish World Review. The article "Remember the Long Game This Thanksgiving" quotes President Abraham Lincoln in 1863 with a divided nation. He officially set aside the last Thursday of November "as a day of Thanksgiving and Praise to our beneficent Father who dwelleth in the Heavens." He requested everyone offer up "the ascriptions justly due" to God "for such singular deliverances and blessings...with humble penitence for our national perverseness and disobedience...and fervently implore the interposition of the Almighty to heal the wounds of the nation and to restore it as soon as may be consistent with the Divine purposes to the full enjoyment of peace, harmony, tranquility and union."

Now in 2020 our country is at a crossroads of division and it behooves us to recognize that we are all Americans and God is in charge. So let's give thanks to Him for all our blessings.

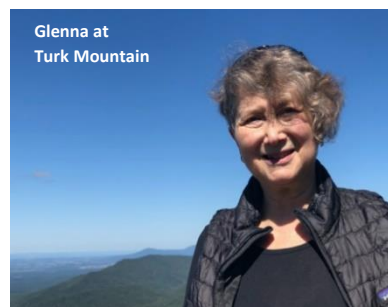
- Gerry

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## H.U.G.S

By: Glenna Winnie and Jeff Cooper

Our journey had its beginning in 2016, when we bought an Airstream 26U Flying Cloud. We christened her Arianrhod (pronounced AR-ee-ann-throd), the Celtic Goddess of the Silver Wheel, or in more modern times, the Celtic Goddess of the Milky Way. We were both working full time, but our intention was to take many long trips to thoroughly explore the country after we both retired. In the meantime, we went out for two or three day-long stays and "practiced for retirement." Glenna retired in September



2018, and when Jeff retired in January 2020, we started to plan a long trip through the Rockies, looking forward to visiting parks, quaint small towns, restaurants and museums in multiple states. In preparation for that journey, we took our first long trip in February, a 3 ½ week shakedown expedition from our Alexandria, Virginia, home down to Miami, Florida. On that trip we were accompanied by our sweet 14 year-old Welsh terrier, Crystal. We explored wonderful places like Hilton Head, SC, Savanna, Georgia, and the wilds of north central Florida around Lake Oklawaha. We ended our travels in Florida with a huge change of pace, by attending





the wedding of the daughter of family friends, a black-tie affair held at the Four Seasons Hotel in Miami. During that wonderful trip we gained confidence in our ability to live in the Airstream, learned what items we did and did not need, and got much better at hitching and unhitching! Also, during that journey the first local cases of COVID-19 were reported in the United States, and the Diamond Princess cruise ship was quarantined off the coast of Japan.

Five days after returning from our Florida adventure, we left for our annual “nerd cruise” to the Caribbean, the JoCo Cruise on Holland America.

(<https://www.nytimes.com/2019/05/06/travel/joco-cruise-jonathan-coulton.html>).

We had some trepidation about going, and 3 days into the cruise the Centers for Disease Control and the Department of State recommended that US citizens no longer take cruises. Fortunately, the cruise line instituted infection control measures that were dutifully followed by all of us nerds



Tough Creek State Park

on the ship. We were turned away from two ports of call because of concerns about coronavirus, but we passengers made the best of it by entertaining ourselves. In the end no one got sick. However, by the time we disembarked, our continuous care retirement community Goodwin House of Alexandria indicated that we would have to quarantine away from the community for two weeks after our return. We decided that the Airstream would be the perfect place to quarantine, and booked one week at Prince William Forest campground, and the second week at the Fredericksburg KOA. However, shortly into our quarantine, things got dire. Governors were closing

state campgrounds. The Forest Service and the Park service for parks and forests. We found it difficult to get food safely. People were getting edgy. Full timers were asking the part-timers to delay camping. Every day we wondered whether the campground would tell us to leave because they were closing, or if Goodwin House might refuse to let us return. Although we had found the Airstream to be an incredible base of



Rayston Lake, Pennsylvania

operations, we discovered it was not an ideal place to be quarantined. After 1 ½ weeks, we were allowed to return to our apartment to finish our quarantine.

At home, we were confined to the grounds of Goodwin House. We practiced social distancing and wore masks when we left our apartment to walk the grounds, but basically stayed in our apartment waiting for the COVID-19 pandemic to subside. The weeks passed. The months passed. We waited for things to get better. Of course, things did not get better. However,

campgrounds, state parks and federal lands slowly reopened. The “End of Summer” NORVA rally planned for September 24 – 27 seemed to be a much-needed break from our limited activities at Goodwin House. However, since we would have to be quarantined for 2 weeks when we returned, we decided to make it worthwhile by going to the Shenandoah Valley Campground more than a week before the rally,

giving more time to hike and bike in the Shenandoah National Park area. It also seemed logical to further extend our time away and see fall colors before returning to quarantine, so we booked a week in the Rayston Lake Recreation Area north of Saxton, Pennsylvania.



Daniel Boone National Forest Park







Sharpsburg, Maryland

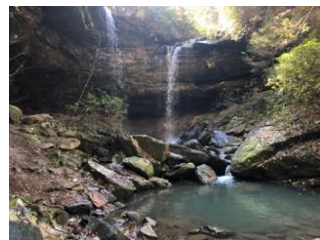
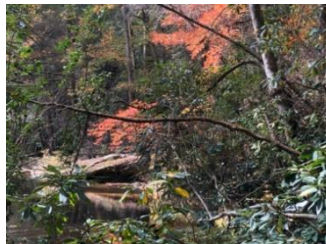


A 3 week-long trip is a fairly long trip, and in September you need clothes for a wide range of temperatures and circumstances. As we packed for the trip, we packed for flexibility, and both had the suspicion that we might be gone longer than 3 weeks. We found homes for most of the plants, and brought mint, basil, and rosemary plants and a gro-light with us. We emptied the refrigerator of perishables. We brought extra medications. We enlisted friends to help with the mail and packages. We tried to prepare for 3 weeks or longer!

The 2 weeks at the Shenandoah RV Campground were wonderful, and meeting with the folks at the rally was the highlight of the visit. Our campsite backed up to the river, and there was a beautiful waterfall at the campground. We rode

bikes, hiked up Turk's Mountain. We learned that we could get by without a sewer hook-up, and figured out that we could boondock for 4 days if we were very careful with water. We found that we could go to the grocery store when it first opened in the early morning, wearing mask and face shield to minimize COVID exposure. We discovered we could safely enjoy the food of Staunton, a foodie destination, by ordering contactless pickup from a restaurant – and realized that we could order multiple items from the menu to eat for the next several days! But since it was so great to be out in the Airstream, enjoying the beauty of nature while avoiding coronavirus, why not keep going? We could continue vacationing until we tired of it – there was nothing to stop us! Since we found that it was difficult to make reservations at RV campgrounds for the weekends, we decided that we should make reservations a bit farther out; the spontaneous moving around that we had dreamed of was not practical in this time of COVID, increased RVing, and fall colors. So, we started planning our activities at least a month ahead.

We have now been on the road for 10 weeks, with no end in sight. Arianrhod has proved to be the perfect camper for us. We enjoyed the fabulous fall colors and



We came upon a Big Creek unexpectedly during a trek in beautiful Sam A. Baker State Park near Poplar Bluff Missouri



Saxton Campground



Our campsite at Kenlake State Resort



West Virginia sunset

starry skies outside Saxton, Pennsylvania. We found the site where my great-grandfather fought at Antietam (he survived that and 21 other Civil War battles as a Union artillery gunner!). We hiked in the beautiful Red River Gorge and the Cumberland Falls areas of Kentucky, and around Poplar Bluff, Missouri. We discovered that state parks are wonderful places to camp; many of them have paved pads, water and electricity, and some have full hook-ups – and the sites are usually larger and wilder than those in private campgrounds. We visited our son in West Virginia, and my brother and his wife in Missouri, always practicing social distancing and wearing masks. We have been amazed at the beauty and diversity of our country, and the friendliness of fellow campers.

When are we going to stop? We are not sure. Next week we will camp in Arianrhod outside Branson, Missouri. We have



plans to visit Arkansas, and to spend the cold months of December and January in Louisiana and Texas, hiking, biking, and exploring. We are starting to plan the coming summer, and hope to make that circuit through the western states and Rocky Mountains. We will keep going as long as our health holds out or until we get tired of it. There is so much to look forward to when exploring this amazing country. Every place is unique and has its wonders to share with the curious traveler. So, here's to being on the road in an Airstream!

## Camp Hatteras – Great Fun Again

By: Greg Heuer, President, Spirit of Virginia Airstream Club

Our Seventh Year at Hatteras proved the value of this annual end-of-season gathering. Fifteen Rigs from three of the four Commonwealth Clubs came together for fellowship, food, and adventure. As you can see, we were treated to one beautiful sunset on the Sound, just beyond our trailers.

Rob Richardson won the Second Annual Meatloaf Mania cook-off. In truth, we were ALL winners because we had multiple delicious dishes to sample at the buffet in the Conference Center.

Kirk made Cowboy Coffee for all of us. What a treat!

Phil Miller entertained the whole group with a selection of his fabulous photographs from the 2018 North to Alaska Caravan. He and Connie got up close and personal with some mighty big bears. The 'scope' of Alaska is impossible to capture in words or pictures. GO when you can.

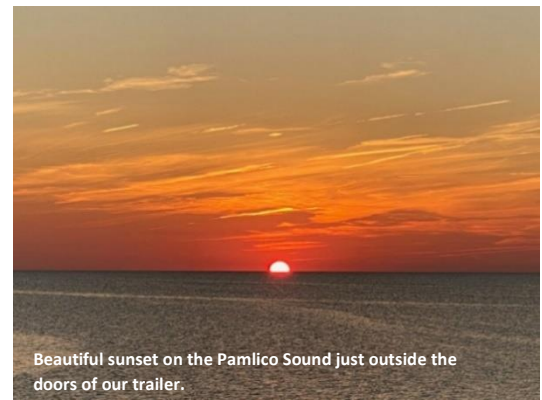
Some of us have "winterized," and others are headed for the Southland for more Airstream Adventures.

Whether it's a good book or Kindle by a small campfire, or a chance to travel and possibly see family in the safety of your Airstream, our way of life is some of the best on Earth.

*NORVA Notes: The following NORVA members attended the Camp Hatteras Rally: Scott Arnold, Bob and Lois Hitchcock, Gerry and Patsy Nagel, Gary and Sue Shepard, and Laural Veloz. In addition to the fun mentioned above, we enjoyed a Friday night Potluck dinner featuring Beef Brisket and all the trimmings. Saturday morning, Laural and Scott invited everyone to a breakfast potluck, which featured Laural's famous French toast and Scott's favorite cinnamon roll and sweet apple casserole.*



Airstream trailers on the sound



Beautiful sunset on the Pamlico Sound just outside the doors of our trailer.



Cape Hatteras Light





# MEMBER SPOTLIGHT

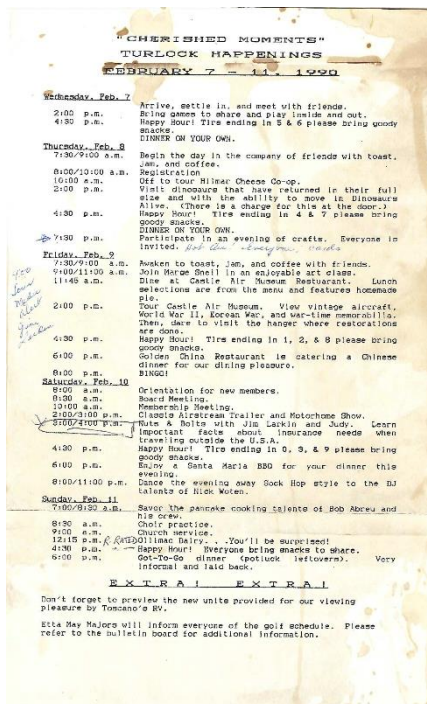
## Airstreaming Over the Years

By: Ron and Chris Raymond

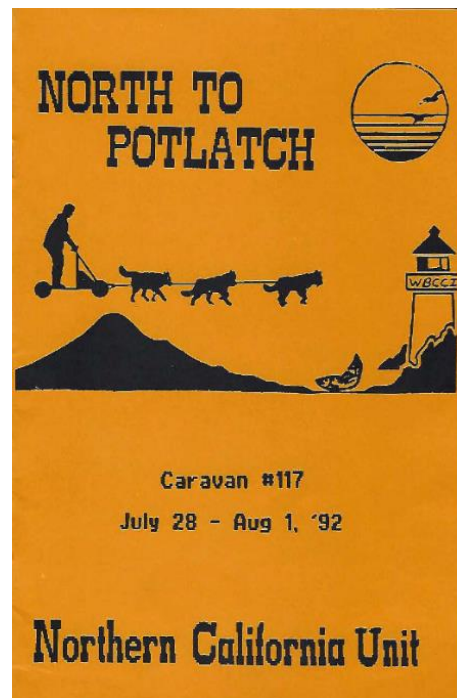
Ron and I come from the finance industry. Ron was an active district manager in mortgage lending overseeing five states. I was a banker and certified financial planner.

Thanks to Walter (coworker) we were introduced to Airstreams in 1987. Walter only had to mention Airstream to Ron for the journey to begin. Ron hunted and found a 1978 25 foot. Next WBCCI! Walter invited us to a rally and upon arriving were instructed to leave rig where it stopped, whisked to the general meeting already in session, rushed to the podium and inducted as new members. That fast!

The next few years were filled with so many adventures and friends. We quickly learned the more we participated, the more we got in return. Our monthly club outings in the 80s and 90s often drew 100+/- rigs from Thursday to Sunday. Like now, a rally manager picked rally locations with a \$25. night max usually at fair grounds with 6+/- amps per unit while members would sign up to plan and execute. It takes volunteers to pitch in to make these rallies successful. NO matter what part you do, it's needed. Ron was on the rally committee, choir director, membership, etc....I was membership and volunteer+.



Itinerary from one of our rallies given to all participants at check-in



Another: Caravan #117 (cost \$150 per couple)

*Each participant individual/couple was assigned duties, ours: one days journal entry, one days travel caboose, and final nights entertainment we chose to do a skit (plan, write, and perform) This was as easy or complicated as wished. We elected to roast the sponsoring couple over a campfire on stage!*



We have owned a 1978 25', 1989/1990 29' Excella (lived in while home built); 2008 30' Classic with Slide (lived in), Flying Cloud, and 2020 27' Globetrotter.

We started Airstreaming when our son was in elementary school and in college, he negotiated to use the Airstream for college housing. We had several friends who purchased Airstreams for college housing and after sold giving kids \$\$ to start their lives or businesses. All made investment returns.

Once we hit the road, Ron managed campgrounds and an Escapee co-op. We have volunteered at Yosemite, Elks Lodges throughout the United States, etc. We lived in an RV for two years before hitting the road and not looking back. We have appreciated all the United States has to offer, the many dialects of the English language, different lifestyles, and people. 5 years on the road our son, James, asked, "Wouldn't it be nice to have family dinners together" and then "You're going to be grandparents." Hello Annapolis where we now live.





# HOLIDAY SURVEY

WHERE ARE YOU SPENDING YOUR TIME THIS HOLIDAY SEASON



| Where will you spend the holidays?  | Where will the road take you?   | What's your favorite camping gadget?   | Submitted by:           |
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| We will be spending the holidays in Fort Myers Beach, Florida, at a very nice place called Indian Creek Resort. | We left Virginia, heading for Florida, on October 15th. We camped in the mountains of Virginia, North Carolina and Georgia. Following that, we stayed a nice campsite in Auburn, Alabama. Entering Florida we then spent one night at the Casey Jones RV Park before reaching our destination at Indian Creek.  | Although not camping gadgets, we enjoy our electric bikes and the Berkey water filter.   | Ed and Nancy Matricardi |
| Home. In Fairfax  | Not traveling   | Netflix  | Larry Riley             |
| We're going to Manassas, VA to our daughter's and her family for Thanksgiving.                                  | Either back to Manassas or staying home. We know that our son and his family will not be coming north to VA from Decatur, GA, unfortunately. We'll be ZOOMing with them on both holidays.   | I really like the collapsible dish drainer and the collapsible bowls and colanders that save space. Also, though not a gadget, I love it when we are eating at the dinette and need another spoon, I can just reach across the aisle to the drawer where we keep the silverware and get it without having to get out of my seat. | Ed and Beth Jones       |
| In our Airstream  | This winter we will join the Arizona Airstream Club when we can for monthly trips and rallies at Arizona State Parks. After we have moved into our new house, we plan to hit the road before it gets too hot in Arizona and head north for higher altitudes and cooler weather, perhaps to check out Colorado and Utah. There is so much BLM land out here, we'd like to try our hands at some serious boondocking. | Our favorite camping gadget is the Level Mate Pro. We love that thing and use it wherever we go -- along with our Anderson levelers -- to get perfectly level.   | Steve and Sue Jones     |





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| In Florida   | This is a first for us. We will not be at home for Christmas this year, first time in 50 years. After spending Thanksmas with our family, we will pull Silver down to the sunny, warm climate of Florida to Travelers Rest RV Resort in Central Florida. We are packing a few decorations to keep the season in our hearts. We will be sharing the winter season with Airstream and Travelers Rest friends, as much as one can share during the pandemic. | Within our first year of ownership back in 2003 we had to find something to keep the smoke detector from going off when I cooked or used the toaster. We discovered a shower cap, like you get in a hotel bathroom, or you can buy one at a drugstore, worked really well. You may have to loop it twice to get the elastic to fit snug over the detector. BUT, remember to remove it when you are done cooking. One time a man told me after I shared this idea with him, "Now I can have toast again in my trailer!" | Bob and Carol Luther  |
| The Colby's, fearful of the virus, will stay at home in Loudoun County. Last February, they bought a derelict former dairy farm and work will continue through the holidays. Built in 1918 with a soldered in place tin roof, the farm house is getting insulation, new wiring, new plumbing, new kitchen, new master bath and etcetera. The post and beam barn, with mortise and tenon joints and built from oak beams and columns (some measuring 10" x 10") is slowly being rehabilitated, along with the blacksmith shop, spring house and icehouse. | Our travels are (and will be) limited to Home Depot, Tractor Supply, Auto Zone, grocery stores and laundry facilities.  | Our favorite "gadget" is TIREMINDER tire pressure monitoring system. Recommended by fellow Norva member Dick Arnold, and used extensively with Goodyear's Marathon junk, this has been a real mind easer for us.   | Eric and Norma Colby  |
| We are staying home cooking for our son and family.  | Will will not travel the roads until late March,  | Chris' sewing machine.   | Ron and Chris Raymond |
| We are staying home for the holidays.  |   | Gerry says his favorite camping gadget is his tool kit.<br><br>Mine is my BaByliss Pro TT 1000-watt hair dryer. It will run off our generator. Another item I like is my collapsible dish pan.   | Gerry and Patsy Nagel |
| We are staying home for the holidays.  | We will travel to the grocery store because we are cooking for 20+ family members.  | Our favorite family gadget is our "Little Red Campfire." We can take our campfire with us wherever we go.  | Doug and Gail Perkins |



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| We will be at home for the holidays.  | We will circulate between our place and our daughters only 8 miles away.  | Favorite camping gadget, Stromberg hose holder. Really tames the hose and makes them easier to store. Plus they are sturdy.   | Bob and Lois Hitchcock  |
| In front of a warm fireplace, sipping bourbon, waiting for Santa, dreaming of our next Airstream national caravan adventure.          | Travel? Not during the pandemic. Not until everyone is vaccinated.  | My wife.  | Chuck Walters           |
| We plan to spend the holidays at our home in Virginia and are working on plans for our 2021 Airstream adventures.                     |   | One of our favorite camping gadgets is the portable clothes washing machine that we bought early on...it does a great job washing small loads that we then hang on a collapsable rack for drying. | Christian Schultz       |
| Will be spending Christmas here in Manassas.  | Susan has left for Mississippi to see her 96-year-old mother. She is driving, 1000 miles by herself. She'll arrived back in Manassas on the 29th I was solo, so I traveled to Cracker Barrel. | My favorite camping gadget is my camp chair. Whenever I get to sit down for a minute, which is seldom, it rocks. Camping was NOT created for relaxing or reading a book!                          | Doug and Susan Anderson |
| We will spend Thanksgiving safely at home in our Bridgewater Retirement Village. The Dining Hall has a delicious meal planned for us. |   | Our favorite camping gadget is the Power Line Monitor. It has saved us at least four times from storms and poor campground electricity.   | Dick and Jane Arnold    |
| We will be here in Richmond for Christmas and New Year's.   | I'm traveling to Fort Lauderdale in December. We will share a holiday dinner at my buddy's house with three best friends from high school.  | My favorite gadget is my wireless speaker so I can play Pandora 70's music when camping   | Tom Carmichael          |
|   |   | Camco Sewer Hose Rinser, with Power Jet Cleaning Action, and Shut-off Valve   | Laural Veloz            |
| Bay Port, Michigan  | We will travel for Thanksgiving and back again for Christmas.   | Sue's favorite gadget is Gary. Gary's favorite gadget is the tire pressure monitoring system.   | Gary and Sue Shepard    |



## CELEBRATING OUR NEW MEMBERS



### Matt and Casey Waeschef

Hello NORVA! Matt and I are excited to meet all of you. I'm a children's book writer and my husband Matt is a retired navy helicopter pilot. We are finally empty nesters. We recently moved home to Northern Virginia after being in Florida for Matt's work.

We have been searching for an Airstream for about 2 years. We finally pulled the trigger about two months ago on a 2019- 23-foot, International Serenity. The trailer was previously owned by another pilot, Kismet! We have spent every single weekend in our Airstream touring. We have plans to be on the road

through Thanksgiving and then we'll put her away until spring.

We look forward to visiting friends and family all over the country. Our itinerary includes Louisiana, Washington, Florida, New Hampshire, Iowa, New York, Massachusetts, Maine and every spot we can find in-between. In addition to seeing our friends and family, we are excited to visit as many state and national parks as we can. We are planning to join as many caravans and rallies as we can along the way in an effort to meet fellow Airstreaming friends.

We have taken advantage of Harvest Hosts and are absolutely in love with the wonderful scenery and various farms and sites that we get to explore.

## NORVA's BEST / COOKING ON WHEELS

### Scott Arnold, Recipe of the Month

We had a suggestion by a member to include a recipe of the month in the newsletter. Coincidentally, at the same rally we received the request, Scott Arnold hosted an outdoor breakfast at his picnic table. It was AMAZING!

#### From the Kitchen of Scott Arnold *Apple Pie Monkey*

##### **Ingredients:**

2 tubes Pillsbury Grand Cinnamon Rolls with Cream Cheese Icing  
1 - 20 oz can of Apple Pie Filling Optional; Chopped Walnuts or Almonds  
Peach Pie Filling Vanilla Ice Cream

##### **Instructions:**

Preheat oven to 375 degrees. Grease a 2-quart baking dish. Cut each Cinnamon roll into quarters or bite sized pieces.  
Mix Pie filling with Cinnamon Roll pieces. Place into the 2 qt baking dish. (mix in nuts if desired) Place in preheated oven for 25 to 40 min. (or until rolls are cooked and golden)  
Remove from oven and spread icing on top of the baked rolls.  
*Add Ice Cream if desired. Enjoy!*







# UPCOMING EVENTS

## JANUARY 16<sup>TH</sup>

### WINTER LUNCH & BOWLING EVENT- Hosted by Laural Veloz & Scott Arnold

Since all trailers are hibernating for the winter months, we thought it would be fun to get together for lunch and bowl a few frames with our Airstream friends.

**When:** Saturday: January 16<sup>th</sup>- 2:00pm

**Where:** Bowl America- Woodbridge, VA

**Rally Fee:** \$13.00 per person

**Lunch:** Order from the snack bar on your own

**RSVP** to Laural or Scott by *January 8, 2021* via email: [Laural.veloz71@gmail.com](mailto:Laural.veloz71@gmail.com) or [rsafireguy@yahoo.com](mailto:rsafireguy@yahoo.com)

## JUNE 18-20<sup>TH</sup>

### OUTLANDER RALLY- Hosted by Doug and Gail Perkins

The Perkins have agreed to host a rally. The location of the rally will be at the Outlanders River Camp, Luray, VA. The campground will hold spots for us until February. More details to follow. In the meantime, you may want to get your arms in shape for corn hole and wine tasting that will definitely be on the rally agenda.



## 64<sup>th</sup> WALLY BYAM AIRSTREAM CLUB ★ INTERNATIONAL RALLY ★ ★ July 17-24, 2021 ★ LEBANON, TN ★

### REGISTRATION

**RALLY FEES** – \$265 for an RV On-Site with 30 amp electric, water, and pump-outs; \$125 for each Adult (18+); \$40 for each Youth 13-17; Free for Children (12 & Under).

**ADA ACCESSIBLE PARKING** – Special parking, if requested, is near the central rally area for members. We ask that you provide your government/state-issued placard or supporting documentation during registration.

**REGISTRATIONS** – Through the courtesy of Airstream, Inc., members registered before the start of the Rally are entered into a prize drawing. Gift certificates for parts and service will be drawn with a total of \$2,000 in prizes to be given away. Registrants must be present at the Airstream presentation to win.

**STAGING AREA** – In an attempt to keep the rigs moving, you will receive a rally arrival date in the Spring of 2021. If you can't make it on that date, the Rally Arrival Team will be ready to park you when you arrive from 8:00 am to 8:00 pm. Arrivals after dusk may stay overnight in the Staging Area, with no hookups, until parking begins the next morning.

**CANCELLATION POLICY** – Refund requests received by May 22, 2021, will be assessed a \$50.00 fee. Refund requests after May 23, 2021, will be assessed a 50% fee. NO refunds after July 3, 2021. *If you might have to cancel after that day, please consider obtaining travel insurance.*

**RALLY PARKING DATES** – General parking is tentatively scheduled to begin around July 14<sup>th</sup>. Parking dates will be sent via email in Spring 2021. Caravans of 5 or more need to contact HQ at [rally@airstreamclub.org](mailto:rally@airstreamclub.org) for available arrival dates.

**HOW TO REGISTER** – Go to [airstreamclub.org/Lebanon](http://airstreamclub.org/Lebanon), call HQ at 937-596-5211 or fill out this form, make a check payable to WBCCI, in **US Funds Only** and mail to: WBCCI, P.O. Box 612, Jackson Center, OH 45334. Email questions to [rally@airstreamclub.org](mailto:rally@airstreamclub.org).

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### 64<sup>th</sup> WALLY BYAM AIRSTREAM CLUB ★ INTERNATIONAL RALLY JULY 17-24, 2021 ★ LEBANON, TN

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| Rally Attendee(s)        | Quantity Info  | Quantity | Rate                | Amount  | Parking Options     | Yes |
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| RV On Site               | Yes = 1 No = 0 |          | \$265.00            | \$      | Vintage             |     |
| Adult (18 & Over) (Each) | Enter number   |          | \$125.00            | \$      | First Time Attendee |     |
| Youth (13 - 17) (Each)   | Enter number   |          | \$ 40.00            | \$      | ADA Accessible      |     |
| Child (12 & Under)       | Enter number   |          | \$ 0.00             | \$ 0.00 | Band Member         |     |
| Lifetime Member Discount | Limit 1        |          | \$-20.00            |         | Generator           |     |
|                          |                |          | <b>GRAND TOTAL:</b> | \$      | Solar               |     |

Registration Date: \_\_\_\_\_ Rec'd By: \_\_\_\_\_ Registration Source: ☐ Mail ☐ Online ☐ Rally

Payment Type: ☐ Cash ☐ Check ☐ Credit Card Amt Paid: \$ \_\_\_\_\_ Check #: \_\_\_\_\_



# AIRSTREAM GEAR

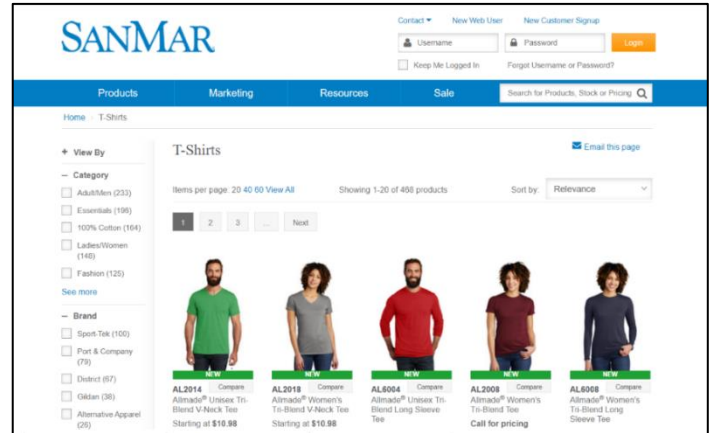
There are two options for ordering official NORVA Logo Apparel.

Lands' End Store Front: Please click the link and place your order directly with Lands' End. This link will take you to our logo. No other information is necessary.

[https://business.landsend.com/store/norva\\_airstream\\_club/](https://business.landsend.com/store/norva_airstream_club/)

OR

Find a product you like at [www.Sanmar.com](http://www.Sanmar.com), then send an email to [janetsgraphics@yahoo.com](mailto:janetsgraphics@yahoo.com) or call/text at 989.415.6324. Please provide the product item number and color you would like along with your name and contact information. If you have any questions, please contact us anytime and we will be happy to provide further information



## December Birthdays

Janeene Rider - 1st  
Sue Jones - 3<sup>rd</sup>  
Doug Anderson - 5<sup>th</sup>  
Susan Anderson - 5<sup>th</sup>  
Karen Hendricks - 8<sup>th</sup>  
Gary Shepard - 11<sup>th</sup>  
Jeff Cooper - 11<sup>th</sup>  
Wendy Meyer - 13<sup>th</sup>  
Charlene Mayfield - 17<sup>th</sup>  
Tom Park - 21<sup>st</sup>  
Jonathan Hicks - 25<sup>th</sup>  
Maria Slowe - 27<sup>th</sup>  
Allysa Kropp - 27<sup>th</sup>  
Ann Newman - 27<sup>th</sup>  
Michael Coffman - 28<sup>th</sup>  
Kara Jefferies - 28<sup>th</sup>



## December Anniversaries

Doug and Gail Perkins - 11<sup>th</sup>  
Harry and Carol Zint - 28<sup>th</sup>





## **Renew your membership on-line for 2021**

It's easy to renew your WBAC/NORVA membership on-line.  
Just follow these steps:

1. On your computer, laptop, or tablet, use a browser to go to the Airstreamclub.org web site. You can click on this link:  
<https://airstreamclub.org>.
2. At the top of the Airstream Club opening page, click on "Current Members" and the "Membership & Benefits" page will appear.
3. Click on "Renew Your Membership." A renewal page will appear. Scroll down and fill in your personal information. Also, answer "yes" or "no" to the questions asked. Be sure to fill in all the appropriate blanks.
4. Click "Next Page."
5. Click "yes" on this page if the information on file with WBAC (from last year) is still correct or, if your address or other information has changed during 2020, click "no" and you will be asked to provide any changes.
6. Click "Next Page."
7. Click the drop down boxes to select the WBAC annual dues you are paying. For most members this is \$75 for one year regular WBAC membership.
8. From the drop-down box for club/unit dues, select "Northern Virginia Airstream Club" to pay NORVA dues (\$20).
9. Click "Next Page" and fill in billing and credit card information.
10. Click "Submit" to complete the registration and process the payment.



## NORVA Officers

October 1, 2020 – September 30, 2021



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Gerry Nagel



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Loral Veloz



*2nd Vice President*  
Jackson McBroom  
Club Caravan Leader



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Janeene Rider



*Treasurer*  
Kevin Quinn



*Membership Director*  
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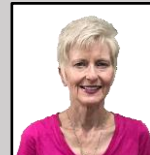
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*Storekeeper*  
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*Parliamentarian*  
Ed Jones



*Webmaster*  
Patsy Nagel



*Past President*  
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