

Ready or Not, Illinois; Here We Come!

Greetings everyone! We're excited to open our rally year with the Land of Lincoln rally beginning July 16, even though we may have limited access to some of the tourist venues. See more details on page two of this newsletter.

Of course, the big bombshell this month is the cancellation of our October rally at Pere Marquette Illinois State Park due to renovations at the park. (Everyone will receive their full refund without having to take any action.) Therefore, we have moved the Installation rally to The Landing Point RV Park in Cape Girardeau, MO. Thankfully, the Healds will continue to host this rally with a little re-planning. **Be sure to make your new site reservations soon (see details to the right).**

Please see details of the Johnson Shut-ins rally on page 2. The Welshes are hosting and request some feedback from those planning to attend. KW already has a lot of great things planned.

I'm looking forward to seeing you down the road.

Barry Johnson (ctajohnson@aol.com; (314) 605-4214)

GSLAC Events Schedule for 2020

When reserving a campsite for one of our rallies, be sure to mention that you are a member of the Airstream Club and notify our rally hosts.

July 16-19 Land of Lincoln Rally @ Double J Campground near Springfield, IL. Call Liz or Larry Fons @ (217) 483-9998 to reserve a site. There are still 4 sites left. Hosts: Carl & Louise Richards at s.corn167@gmail.com or (217) 473-5332.

August 20-23 Johnson Shut-ins Rally @ Big Creek RV Park in Annapolis, MO. Call Patty @ (573) 598-1064 to reserve site ASAP. Hosts: Kathy & Kevin Welsh at kswelsh8017@gmail.com or (314) 565-8017.

September 17-20 Wilson's Creek Battlefield Rally (Annual Business mtg) @ the Springfield/Route 66 KOA. Call Cameron before September 1 @ (417) 831-3645 to reserve. Hosts: Larry & Jackie Weidle @ grandpa1shot@hotmail.com or (573) 694-7642.

October 15-18 The GSLAC Installation Rally has been changed to The Landing Point RV Park in Cape Girardeau, MO. Hosts: Lyn & John Heald, (314) 803-3699 or john.lyn33@yahoo.com. Reserve site by calling (573) 334-7878

December 5 GSLAC Holiday Luncheon @ Russel House Restaurant in Hillsboro, MO. Hosts: Greg and Frances Vadner.

Important Note:

Some changes have occurred since our original schedule was published. Always use the most recent information in the newsletters and let me know if you find errors.

Welcome New Members

(Since the May newsletter)

Ken & Carla Wise

Trish Cheatham & Kevin Zimarik

Jeffery Radford

Jim & Donna Mussulman

Drew & Rose Garland

We look forward to meeting you

2021 International Rally

Lebanon, TN

July 16-24, 2021

No information available yet on how to sign up; will keep you informed

Land of Lincoln Rally

July 16-19

Double J Campground & RV Park
9683 Palm Road, Catham, IL 62629

Hosts: Carl & Louise Richards

We are not able to plan this rally in great detail because of the virus restrictions but, at a minimum, will be able to enjoy the campground, local parks, biking and hiking trails, and local restaurants. We are hopeful that other visitor attractions, possibly the Lincoln Library, will be open by mid-July.

One important restriction is that no visitors are allowed in the campground at this time, only registered guests.

Johnson Shut-ins Rally

August 20-23

Big Creek RV Park, Annapolis, MO
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Hosts: Kathy & Kevin Welsh

Kathy Welsh has prepared a preliminary rally schedule which is attached to the newsletter email. Please review that and respond to Kathy with your menu choices at Thee Abbey Kitchen and your interest in the Murder Mystery Dinner. You will notice many other interesting activities and I hope you will join us.

The Challenge

Our Region 8 President, Mike Sisk, challenged each club to donate to a charity that helps the victims of the coronavirus. Our Executive Board approved a \$500 donation to the Salvation Army from our Treasury, and encouraged members to make additional donations on behalf of the GSLAC. To date, an additional \$355 have been received and donated.

Congratulations and Thank You

