

The DelMarVa Beacon

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Club

Region 2
Unit #026

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President Art Potter

Photo by Region 2 President Richard Short



President Art Potter
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Merry Christmas everyone!! I am sure I missed a great Christmas luncheon last week, many thanks to Mike and Donna for hosting the event. Last I heard 18 people were signed up, that is a good turnout.

Liz and I are still unpacking boxes and this afternoon we finally found our drinking glasses! Neither of us can figure out how when moving into a little larger house we seem to have less room. Past president Bill and Sharon stopped on their way to Texas and made the mistake of asking if they could help unpack, free labor!! They were a lot of help not only in moving boxes but helping to figure out where to put things. They left here on a cloudy morning at around 35 degrees and parked at Gulf Shores to sun and 71 degrees, I am so jealous.

So I guess they have proved out our ability to have courtesy parking as they stayed a week. I hope all of you have a great holiday season and remember it's only 19 more weeks till the Maintenance Rally!

TTFN Art



Editor's Notes -

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It is January and a New Year begins. I hope your Christmas was a fine one with lots of family, love and joy, and that 2020 brings good things for you and your family, and copious amounts of time with your Airstream and Airstream family.

The photo this month comes from our illustrious Region 2 President Richard Short. He sent it for use on his message page, which I did, but I felt it screamed January so much that it would be a good cover shot. He graciously agreed to my using it for that purpose. So, not only is it from a different source than I usually use, but it is the first photo to appear twice in the same issue. Thank you Region 2 President Richard Short.

The cover photo of the butterfly and the flower is from a Delmarva Airstream Club Member, Claire Connelly Warden. I have told her it is one of those great shots that comes by once in a great while. A truly neat photo that she needs to print out and frame. Thank you Claire for the use.

As you start your new year 2020, glance through this newsletter and check the various events that have happened and schedule on your calendar for the events yet to come.

There is coverage of the fabulous Christmas Luncheon hosted by PP Donna Field and Mike. There is a notice for the upcoming Valentine's Lunch in Florida hosted by Mary Ann & Les Parks and a notice for the upcoming Snowball Rally at the host home of Malcolm & Sue Comstock. Put all these dates on your calendar and RSVP as noted.

There is an ad for a beautiful Airstream trailer. Most likely a great deal for those interested in a newer rig, or you could share it with someone you know who needs to get into an Airstream.

On the pages of this newsletter there is a message from the President of Region 2. Also there is a coupon for the the International Rally that needs action on your part.

Finally there is a page with a few photos of events of the year 2019. How many can you name?

DELMARVA AIRSTREAM CLUB #026 Website
<https://delmarva.airstreamclub.net/>



Photo by Claire Connelly Warden

Birthdays

Jeanette Douthwaite 01/07
Marcia Kelly 01/09
Carole Wade 01/23
Bob Pullman, Jr. 01/28
Helen McCann 01/30
Carl Morris 01/30
Glenn Michael 01/31

SUNSHINE NEWS Mary Ann Parks, Chair 302.584.3215 marybelle42@gmail.com January 2020

It is a “true test” of Les’s smooth driving skills that I write this Sunshine news as we are driving to North Carolina to spend Christmas with our family, and then on down to Florida! It is so unbelievable how fast this past year has “flown” by, and now we are on the “brink” of a new year - 2020! Prayers and wishes for a “Happy, Healthy” year for all of you.

As I have not heard news from any Delmarva friends, I am hoping that everyone who faces “health challenges” is doing better, and will be able to enjoy the New Year! To the “Snowbirds” who are in Florida during the winter, REMEMBER our Delmarva February Lunch on Saturday, February 15th, 12:00 noon at Buffet City, Brooksville, FL. Call Mary Ann Parks- 302 584 3215 to reserve.

New Years Blessings,
Mary Ann Parks. 302 584 3215
marybelle42@gmail.com

CHRISTMAS

PARTY

SATURDAY

DECEMBER 7, 2019

HALL'S FAMILY

RESTAURANT



HOSTS

DONNA & MIKE FIELD

Eighteen members, Associates, and Friends of Delmarva Airstream Club gathered just south of Dover at Hall's Family Restaurant in Camden, DE on December 7, 2019 for the Annual Christmas Luncheon. There was the usual chatter by friends getting together, especially as many hadn't seen each other in far too long a time.

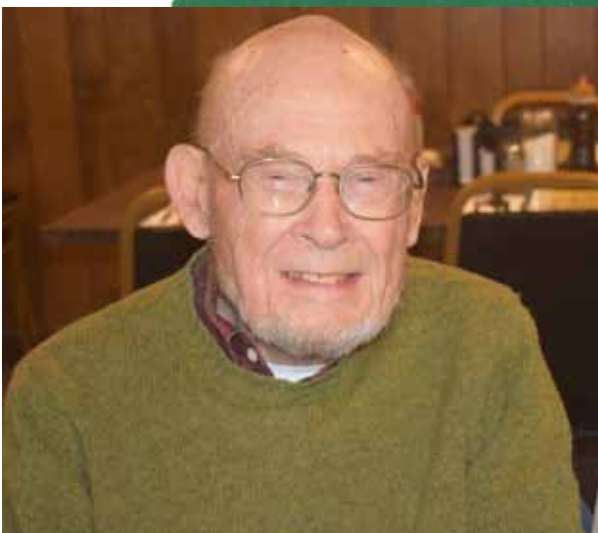
The food was plentiful and good and there was a room for groups.



Top to bottom - Bob & Laurie Pullman, Maggie & Chuck Halwig, Ed Kozlowski, whose significant other, Debra Lee, was caught in snow in NJ.



Clockwise from upper left, Bruce & Bonnie Purcell, Sue & Malcolm Comstock, Dick & Peg Talbott, Charlie & Iva Lee Carter, John Chromy. Unfortunately at the dinner I just didn't get a photo of Millie Brown, but she was there too.





SNOWBALL LUNCHEON

***January 18, 2020
570 Banning Road, Camden, DE***

***Hosts - Malcolm & Sue Comstock
Call or Text 302-724-0654***

Arrive between 12:30 and 1:00

No Fees

Bring an appetizer to go with soup, or a dessert

Hot and cold drinks and two kinds of soup will be provided.

Please call, so we know how much soup to make!

Valentine's Luncheon in Florida



**Delmarva February Lunch
Saturday, February 15th, 12:00 noon
at Buffet City, Brooksville, FL.**

Call Mary Ann Parks- 302 584 3215 to reserve.

2019 - 2020 Delmarva Airstream Club Schedule Art Potter - President

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| January 18 | Snowball Luncheon
570 Banning Rd., Camden, DE
Hosts - Malcolm & Sue Comstock 302-724-0654 |
| February 15 | Valentine's Luncheon, Florida
Hosts - Les & Mary Ann Parks 302-584-3215 |
| March 21 | St. Patrick's Party
Hosts - Bill Turner and Sharon Mirto
Location TBD |
| April 24-26 | Annual Unit Maintenance Joint Rally w Keystone & MAU
4-H Park, Centreville, MD
Hosts - Comstocks 302-724-0654 & Helwigs 302-730-1206 |
| May 22-25 | Chestertown Tea Party Joint Rally with Keystone
Hosts - Jody & Susan Dietz (Keystone) 610-327-3241 |
| May 21-25 | Region 2 Rally
Rideau Acres Campground, Kingston, Ontario, Canada
Host - Region President Richard Short & Kathi region2wbcci.net |
| June 20 - 27 | International Rally, Loveland Colorado airstreamclub.org |
| July 18 | Annual Unit Picnic
8371 Canterbury Rd., Felton, DE
Home of Carl Anderson & Jim Atkins 302-381-4557 |
| August/September | Locations and Dates TBD
President Art Potter is looking for volunteers to step up and plan and host a Rally for one or both of these months. |
| October 23-25 | Unit Installation Rally, 4-H Park Centreville, MD
Hosts - Art & Liz Potter 302-236-8830 |

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For Sale 2012 Flying Cloud 30'



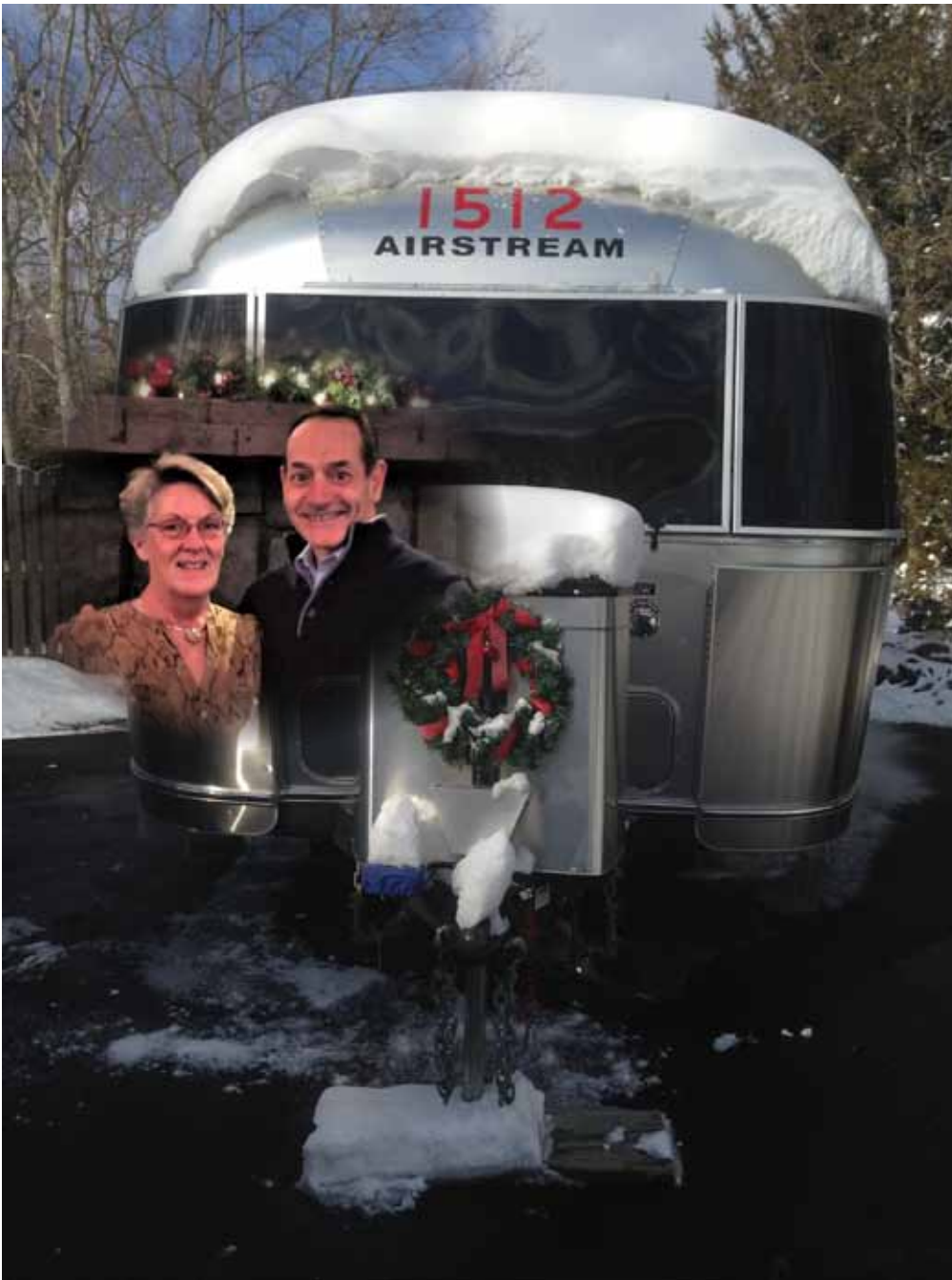
2012 Flying Cloud 30'

It has the factory installed recliners, full queen bed, Corian counter tops throughout, ultra leather dinette with improved cushions, new skylights, OceanAire blinds and many other upgrades.

When not being used it has been stored inside.

**Doug's contact info -
dkcj1988@gmail.com
or 302-753-0110.**

Region 2 News December 2019



Unless you are on your way South, or are already there, you have winterized your Airstream and lovingly tucked it away for the winter months. Although we will not be heading to someplace warmer this winter, Kathi and I are fortunate to be able to park the shiny #1512 in our driveway, next to the house. It is there every morning when I go out to get the newspaper and it's sitting there in the afternoon sun when I get back from running errands. It is a constant reminder of past adventures and of those yet to come. It is just barely Winter as I write this and I am already planning our Spring travels. "Can't wait" is an understatement!

I'm pleased to say that two more of our Region 2 units have voted to change their names to include Airstream Club. Congratulations to New York Finger Lakes Airstream Club (Pres. Randy Hill) and Al-Mon-O Pennsylvania Airstream Club (Pres. Vinny Rossitto) and their members for embracing the future of our Airstream Club, Int'l. That makes five (5) unit name changes in the six months since I became your President in Doswell this past July. Which unit will be next? There is no better way to define who we are to prospective members than having Airstream Club in our name. Please contact me with any questions on the process.

Registrations for the 2020 Region 2 Rally to be held in Kingston, Ontario Canada continue to come in. Out of 108 sites allotted to us by Rideau Acres

Campground, we have 87 rigs registered to date. Don't delay...make your reservations with the Campground today and sign up for the Rally online here: <https://region2.airstreamclub.net/files/2019/10/2020-R2Rally-flyer-v3.0.pdf> Its going to be a great time...don't miss it. More info on beautiful Kingston, Ontario may be found here: <https://region2.airstreamclub.net/files/2019/10/Kingston.pdf>

Region 2 Caravan Leader Kerry Mattila has informed me he has 17 names on his list for the Rocky Mountain High Caravan to Loveland, CO and the 63rd Airstream Club Int'l Rally, with room for a few more. The Caravan will be leaving directly from the Region 2 Rally in Kinston, Ontario. It will be a leisurely trip through Canada and the US, stopping along the way at various points of interest. More information and sign-up info may be found here: <https://region2.airstreamclub.net/rocky-mountain-high-caravan/>

I will be attending the Mid-Winter IBT meeting in Las Vegas, NV to be held January 20-24, 2020. There will be plenty on the agenda to discuss. I look forward to the Region Officer Roundtables where we share ideas that shape the future of our Airstream Club. If you have questions or input you feel valuable, please contact me. Email me at region2president@airstreamclub.net I would be glad to hear from you.

Kathi joins me in wishing all our Region 2 members and their families a wonderful Holiday Season, a very Merry Christmas and a

Happy, Healthy New Year.

Rich Short #1512

-JUST ARRIVED IN THE EMAIL -

Registration for the 2020 Region 2 Rally, being hosted by the Ontario Canada Unit, is now open! Go to <https://region2.airstreamclub.net/files/2019/10/2020-R2Rally-flyer-v3.0.pdf> to read all about it and register. The information will also be included in upcoming Trilliums, but with only 108 sites on reserve until April 1, please register early.

MAY 21-25, 2020 REGION 2 RALLY KINGSTON, ONTARIO

Caravan to Kingston, Ontario Canada in 2020!

It's about time! The last Airstream Club Region 2 Rally held in Canada was 2010. Now is the time to mark your calendars,



make your reservations, get your Passports in order if your traveling North and get ready to head to historic Kingston, Ontario in 2020. The beautiful Rideau Acres Campground features large spacious campsites with gravel pads. We have 108 sites reserved for our Airstreams! Those sites are about 50/50 w/e and w/e/s (all 30amp) with 10 or so full hook-up 50amp sites available. All on a first come-first serve basis. So, don't wait.

REGISTRATION IS NOW OPEN!

Let's make this the Biggest and Best Region 2 Rally in years!

For more Rally and Camping Fee info go to: Region2.airstreamclub.net

**REGISTRATION IS NOW OPEN
at
region2.airstreamclub.net**

**Make your camping
reservations DIRECTLY
with the campground**

**Explore Historic
Kingston, Ontario
Canada**

**-Catered Dinner-
-Food Truck-
-Pancake Breakfast-**

**Seminars, two nights
of GREAT
Entertainment and
MORE!**

RIDEAU ACRES CAMPGROUND

1014 Cunningham Rd
Kingston, Ontario K7L 4V3
613-546-2711

rideauacres.com

Reference: AIRSTREAM
CLUB RALLY



63RD WALLY BYAM AIRSTREAM CLUB
★ INTERNATIONAL RALLY ★
★ June 20-27, 2020 ★ Loveland, CO ★

REGISTRATION

LOVELAND2020 Logo, apparel & accessories are available EXCLUSIVELY on Lands' End

RALLY FEES - \$265 for an RV On-Site with 20 amp electric, water and pump outs; \$130 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 bring your government/state issue placard and supporting documentation with you to the Rally.

REGISTRATIONS - Through the courtesy of Airstream, Inc., all members registered prior to the start of the rally will be eligible to participate in a drawing for up to a total of \$2,000 in awards. The award may be redeemed at any Airstream Dealership or at the Jackson Center Service Facility for parts and service.

STAGING AREA - In an attempt to keep the flock moving, you will receive a rally arrival date towards the end of March 2020. If you can't make it by that date, the Rally Arrival Team will be ready to park you when you fly in from 8:00am to dusk. Arrivals after dusk may stay overnight in the Staging Area, with no hookups, until parking begins the next morning.

CANCELLATION POLICY - Refund requests emailed by April 25, 2020 will be assessed \$50.00 fee. Refund request after April 26, 2020 will be assessed 50% fee. NO refunds after June 6, 2020. *If you might have to cancel after that day please consider obtaining travel insurance.*

PAYPAL FUNDS TO: rally@wbcci.org
CHECKS PAYABLE TO: WBCCI "US Funds Only"

RALLY PARKING: Passes will be sent in Spring 2020
MAIL TO: WBCCI P.O. Box 612 Jackson Center OH 45334

FOR REGISTRARS ONLY: Registration Date: _____ **Rec'd By:** _____

Payment Type: Cash Check Card PayPal **Amt Paid:** \$ _____ **Check #:** _____

63rd WALLY BYAM AIRSTREAM CLUB ★ INTERNATIONAL RALLY
JUNE 20-27, 2020 ★ LOVELAND, CO

Last Name: _____ **First Name:** _____ **Email:** _____

Last Name: _____ **First Name:** _____ **Email:** _____

Address: _____ **City:** _____ **State/Province:** _____

Zip/Postal Code: _____ **Phone (m):** _____ **Phone (h):** _____

Rally Attendee(s)	Quantity Info	Quantity	Rate	Amount	Parking Options	Ye
RV On Site	Yes = 1 No = 0		\$265.00	\$	ADA Accessible	
Adult (18 & Over) (Each)	Enter number		\$130.00	\$	Vintage	
Youth (13 - 17) (Each)	Enter number		\$ 40.00	\$	Kiddo Village	
Child (12 & Under)	Enter number		\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00	Band Member	
Lifetime Member Discount	Limit 1		\$-20.00	\$	First Time Attendee	
					Emergency Medical Responder	
		GRAND TOTAL:		\$	WBAC BIG RED NUMBER	#

Registration Date: _____ **Rec'd By:** _____ **Registration Source:** Mail Online Rally

Payment Type: Cash Check Card PayPal **Amt Paid:** \$ _____ **Check #:** _____

Events of 2019

Can you name the event?

Were you there?

