THE GREATER MOZARKIAN

January 2021 NEWSLETTER

Presidents Message:

Happy New Year and welcome to 2021. My wish for 2021 is that everyone stays healthy and safe. I would like to thank everyone who volunteered to be an officer this year and who set up rallies for the coming year. I am looking forward to seeing old friends and making new ones. And I would like to thank Linda Rush our Past President for a job well done in such trying times with COVID-19.

We are going to do the rallies a little different this year due to COVID-19. All meals will be on your own we will have a happy hour where everyone brings their own drink and snack. We will socially distance and wear our mask when in close contact with one another. There will be more on this issue in a later newsletter.

There is one thing we must accomplish this year and that is to update the Missouri Greater Ozark Constitution and By-laws. There is a committee working on this right now. We will bring it to the unit members for consideration and then to vote on.

One more thing to the Missouri Greater Ozark Unit members if there is anything you would like to contribute to the newsletter please contact me at krupic15@outlook.com.

Happy New Year

Colette Krupco

President

Past Presidents Message:

Just a note of Goodbye. Wanted to thank everyone for their support during this last year. It has not been the same not having rallies to go to. Hopefully things will improve in the next year and we can see all of our Airstream buddies! So far, we have remained healthy and hope everyone else has too.

I wanted to give a special "thank you" to Joan Viney. She is retiring from the recording secretary position. I couldn't have made it without her help. She always mailed out my newsletters in a timely fashion even when it was an imposition. Thank you so much Joan!

Colette Krupco will be the Unit president and I'm sure she will do well! She served as President of the Kansas unit several years ago. Congratulations Colette!

Again, thanks for all the support for a crazy year!

Linda Rush

Region 8 President Message:

Hi all, I received a message from Karen Fisher about the WBCCI foundation. The group is looking for board members to replace those whose terms are/have expired or resigned. Please check with club members to see if anyone would be interested, let me know.

Additionally, my term as Region President ends July 2021. Soon I will be sending out the ballot to unit presidents to vote on a new region president. Assuming Greg Vadner, our 1st VP, will be elected, he will be installed as Region 8 President at International. There is not a VP behind Greg. We have been recruiting for Region VP's so that person can get in and learn the job. Due to previous president's leaving office early for health reasons (not due to being President!) and completing an out going President's term, the time commitment has been reduced to 4 years. The time goes by quickly and, yes, there are required meetings and you get a travel budget that covers most expenses. If anyone is interested in finding more about the position, contact myself or Greg. As when I was recruited, former region presidents offered their assistance in any way so you aren't there alone.

The region rally is still a go and the registration form will be out very soon.

Happy New Year

Mike Sisk

President, Region 8

December Luncheon:

The annual Missouri Greater Ozark Christmas party was held December 5th at The Pitch Pizza & Pub restaurant. Those in attendance were Mike & Joyce Allen, Jim & Rhonda Lersch, and Steve & Jane Mathias. Because of COVID-19 we were socially distanced and spent our time visiting and getting acquainted with our new members. The food was delicious, and the fellowship was even better.

Joyce Allen, Contributing Editor

Announcements:

Please welcome new members Greg & Sharon Staples BRN 1605, Kevin & Lynette Callahan BRN 3059, and welcome back Larry & Ann Barclay BRN 3059.

I am sorry to announce we have had two members pass away in November. They were Lawrence Viney and George Walters.

January/February Birthdays and Anniversaries

1-1 Eleanor Lippy birthday, 2-1 Gary & Linda Rush anniversary, 2-4 Bob Davison birthday, 2-24 John & Colette Krupco anniversary.

Next newsletter comes out March 1st

Follow your dreams with your Airstream for fun fellowship and adventure. Safe Travels