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# President's Corner



## Times of Change

It seems I just started writing the President's Corner column, but here I am, writing my last column. Where did the time go? Hard to believe that almost a year has passed and Tye Mott will be the new President in July.

Our club has changed so much in the last year. I am so happy that even with all of the COVID problems, our club has moved forward and learned new ways to get things done. Change is never easy, but we are moving forward in a direction that should last for years to come. We've learned how to have Zoom meetings and socially distanced events. And we are stronger than ever in our membership numbers! COVID was a great excuse for folks to buy an Airstream and begin exploring our great land!

I want to thank all of the people that have helped me as President of a fantastic group. The volunteers of the club are great and have made my time as a leader pass by very quickly. When you have great people behind you, things get done! Running an organization like the Airstream International Club is like running a multi-year relay race. Mona Heath handed the baton to me, and I'm handing it off to Tye. None of us can run this relay without the ones who came before, and those who will come after us.

I am looking forward to being a PIP, Past International President. It has been a fun ride with a lot of fellow Airstreamers that I have traveled with and met along the way. Time to slow down and smell the roses in our new 30 ft. International trailer.

We still have our International Rally coming up in July in Lebanon, TN. We have had lots of people sign up in this last month. However, we still have room for you to sign up and enjoy a really awesome Rally. It's a great chance to learn about the club and make some new friends and do some much-needed traveling in our Airstreams.

I close with a big thanks to Kathy Carl. We met through the Airstream Club in August and got married May the first. This was a big change for both of us. You never know who you might meet in this great club - might be your future wife. Kathy and I are excited to meet you down the road at a rally or on a caravan.

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# The Art of AIRSTREAM COOKING

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## Asian Slaw with Peanut Dressing

To find inspiration for your daily meals, it only takes looking beyond the traditional American fare to the food specialties in other countries. Our summers are filled with backyard (or campground) BBQ's, coleslaw and watermelon. All wonderful of course, but a riff on the traditional can bring unexpected flavors that compliment more than burgers or ribs. Try some ginger and miso glazed salmon with this, or some garlic shrimp.

Coleslaw is a European invention believe it or not. The origin of the Asian version dates back to the late 20<sup>th</sup> century wave of immigrants from Laos, Cambodia, Indonesia and the Philippines. The Asian reworking of coleslaw is less about comfort food and more about crispness and lightness. There is nary a mayo to be found near this slaw, and with a slight kick in flavor (should you choose that option), this is much healthier and crunchier than your average coleslaw. I love the dressing too, and the mix or more vegetables than just cabbage and carrots. It doesn't take much more time than usual, especially if you buy the bagged coleslaw mix and bagged shredded carrots. Of course, you can shred your own, time vs freshness is your choice.



### Ginger Peanut Dressing

- ¼ cup oil (peanut, sesame or vegetable; olive oil works but it's a bit heavy here. I used a mix of sesame and peanut oils)
- ¼ cup honey
- ¼ cup rice vinegar (unseasoned)
- 1 T minced ginger, or use 1 T of the squeeze bottle kind
- 1 t chili sauce or chili garlic sauce or Sriracha (optional)
- ½ tsp salt
- 1 T peanut butter

Whisk everything but peanut butter together in small bowl. I found it easiest to use a potato masher to blend in the peanut butter, though a food processor works best if you have one.

### Asian Slaw

- 1 large package of tri-color (red cabbage, green cabbage and carrots) slaw, about 16 oz.
- 1 cup shredded carrots, about 2 small carrots or one large
- 1 cup shelled edamame (can buy this in a bag, frozen)
- 1 red pepper
- 2 scallions
- ½ cup roasted salted peanuts
- ½ cup cilantro

Put slaw and carrots into a large bowl.

Cook edamame briefly by microwaving for a couple minutes or boiling for 2-3 minutes.

Slice pepper into thin strips, then cut each in half so they are shorter.

Finely slice scallions, both white and green parts.

Roughly chop cilantro, large stems removed.

Add peanuts and mix everything together.

Pour dressing over all and mix. Best eaten within 2 days though it will keep for a week.



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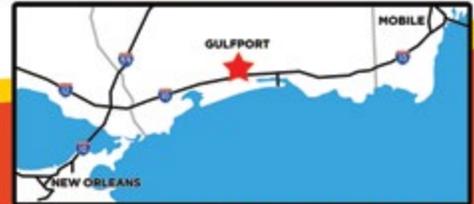
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## hq **HeadQuarters Notes**

Lori Plummer, Corporate Manager

The International Board of Trustees approved at the Mid-Winter meeting in Sarasota, FL, in January of 2021, to change the membership period from a calendar year to an anniversary year. An anniversary year will be based on 12 months from the original join date.

### **What does this mean for current members?**

There is no change. All current members will have the anniversary date of January 1<sup>st</sup>. This means your Membership will run from January 1<sup>st</sup> to December 31<sup>st</sup>. The renewal process for members will start roughly 120 days before the expiration date. HQ will send out notifications reminding members it is time to renew.

### **What does this mean for new members?**

Starting July 1<sup>st</sup>, 2021, new members will be on a true anniversary schedule. If a member joins July 15<sup>th</sup>, 2021, their Membership is active

from July 15<sup>th</sup>, 2021, until July 14<sup>th</sup>, 2022. New members will be charged one year of International dues and one year of Local Club dues. The pro-rated dues system will end on June 30<sup>th</sup>, 2021. HQ will notify local clubs of new members as soon as they are processed as we currently do.

**Why the change?** The benefits of an anniversary system are to simplify the dues structure and make it easier for new members to understand when joining. Plus, an anniversary system will eventually spread out the workload at HQ and cash flow for the Club.

As of July 1<sup>st</sup>, 2021, new Airstream owner information, also known as CPCs, will no longer be shared with officers and membership chairs. The distribution of buyer's personal information is ending due to violations of privacy laws. The

Founder's Award program will also be ending as of July 1<sup>st</sup>. Everyone is very appreciative of all the work these members have done. Founders recipients are listed on page 1 of the printed Membership Directory. The leadership team is working on developing a new program for member recruitment, retention, and acknowledgment.

Additional tools are under development and should be launched before the fall renewal season. Logged-in members will be able to renew their International Membership, Home Club Membership, and Affiliate Club(s) Membership ALL at the same time. Keep your eyes out for more information coming soon about these additional features. If you have any questions, don't hesitate to contact HQ at 937-596-5211 or email [info@airstreamclub.org](mailto:info@airstreamclub.org).

# Membership

Terri Warren #284, Chair



You'll notice a very different looking picture of me this month. During the pandemic, I decided to let my hair resume its natural color, which is actually no color at all. But I feel more authentic somehow and it's sure a lot less work and money. My husband Hal jokes that sometimes he rolls over in the morning, sees my silver hair on the pillow and thinks "Holy cow, (language edited for the column), I better get home to my wife!" He makes me laugh a lot.

Spring has definitely sprung and most of us have been out camping already, at least for a little while. It feels so great to get back in the trailer! Time to freshen up the spices, do a thorough cleaning, wash the bedding so it smells all nice, restock the food cabinets and check for things that have expired and give the trailer a good bath. While we were on our most recent rally in April, a rock punched a hole in the plexiglass rock guard covering the back window. That's a first for us, and my husband managed to repair it himself using a Tap Plastics replacement and saved \$500 doing so. He's such a handy fellow. How did I get so lucky?

Last month, I asked you to let me know about characteristics that you think should be present in the ideal Airstream Club. Several of you sent in notes – thank you – and I'll share some of those suggestions with you here:

1. Registration for rallies is available online using Paypal and/or credit cards as well as the ability to send in a check to the rally coordinator, treasurer or host.
2. Newsletters are published a minimum of four times a year.
3. The club website is updated a minimum of once a year.
4. Rallies are held in a variety of locations with some old favorites and some new places.
5. A minimum of 5 rallies per year are hosted by the club.
6. Taxes are filed in a timely way each year.
7. If grace is said at a meal, it is sectarian, not religious.
8. Lunches, breakfasts or happy hours (when not COVID) are offered at least three times a year
9. The club encourages and supports diversity in its members – people of color, different religions, LGBTQ folks welcome.
10. People of all ages and relationship status are welcome. Single towers are supported and welcomed and assisted by other members as needed.
11. Some rallies are held at places with lower costs, some at higher costs, so all have an opportunity to attend, regardless of their financial status.
12. Boondocking rallies are offered as part of the rally schedule.
13. The club hosts at least one newbie rally per year, if 10 or more new members join during the year.
14. At least 60% of paid members renew each year.
15. Weekend and weekday rallies are offered for those who work and those who don't.
16. A mentor program is available for new members.
17. Communication between board members and club members happens regularly to assess if club is meeting their needs.
18. Pets are welcome at rallies.
19. Gatherings are happy hour friendly.
20. Efforts are made to provide rallies for people who enjoy active outdoor activities like hiking or biking or kayaking.
21. Some rallies for larger clubs will focus on being child friendly.
22. The club has a credit card for ease of booking, record keeping, refunds. Some pay money back to benefit the club's treasury.
23. Politics and religion stay out of club activities.

As you look over this list, what are your thoughts? How many of these qualities does your club have? Do you see them as valuable or not? If you do see them as valuable qualities, what are barriers that your club has to obtaining them? Are there any of these that you disagree with? I personally think this is an amazing list with so many things to think about and work toward to make a better club. There are a couple of items here that my club doesn't have but we could and should definitely work towards. I'm really interested in hearing your opinions about the list at [twestover@mac.com](mailto:twestover@mac.com). Thanks to everyone who wrote in and added items.



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# Addressing Food Insecurity, Airstreamers donate 64,000 Meals

Mark Magie, BRN 24797

**T**his morning, more than 200,000 children in Arkansas woke up not knowing if they would have food to eat. That grim statistic is no surprise as Arkansas ranks No. 2 in food insecurity in the United States, according to the Arkansas Hunger Relief Alliance.

Members of the Arkansas Razorback Airstream Club learned those staggering facts and more at a club rally with 15 Airstreams boondocking in the semi-truck loading area of the Arkansas Foodbank in Little Rock, March 26-28, 2021.

Saturday morning, 40 club members ranging from age 9 to 75 were divided into four work groups – one group donned USDA protective gear and packaged 740 pounds of cereal. Another group packed 240 backpacks for school children and filled 520 emergency food boxes with canned goods, juice bottles and packaged food items. A third group freshened up the landscaping, and a fourth group built six raised garden

beds. Club member Tim Welch delivered a pallet jack donated by his company, Wiese USA, to which Airstreamers added their signatures.

One of the most outstanding contributions from the Razorback club was a donation of \$12,905 to the food bank which will be used to provide more than 64,000 meals. Razorback club member Trent Roberts, who also volunteers as an Arkansas Foodbank board member and treasurer explained, “Your \$1 donation can provide five meals to our neighbors in need. The foodbank has a relatively small staff of just under 70 employees that enabled several thousand volunteers to distribute more than 40 million pounds of food last year. It is the leveraging effect that impresses me.”

“Hunger is not only in your town and your neighborhood; it is a real problem that should not exist in a developed country and the pandemic really exposed the issue” he added. Roberts and his wife, Jennifer, hosted the rally.



Packing food boxes



Filling 240 backpacks

Rhonda Sanders, Arkansas Foodbank CEO, added, "I am grateful for the work accomplished this weekend by the Arkansas Razorback Airstream Club. We usually see more than 13,000 volunteers in a year who provide us with more than 36,000 hours of help. We cannot do our work without volunteers. We distributed 40 million pounds of food in 2020 to more than 280,000 people facing hunger. 2020 was an extreme year of need and it will take several years for the economy to fully recover. This means we will continue to see increased need for years to come. Partners like the Arkansas Razorback Airstream Club are how we will meet this need. Thank you for your help! And I thought your breakfast on the loading dock was one of the best breakfasts I've ever had." (It is a well-known fact that the Arkansas Razorback Club eats very well at rallies.)

Michael Shelley, Arkansas Razorback Airstream Club president, said, "Volunteering at the Arkansas Foodbank was an eye-opening and rewarding experience. We learned that food insecurity and hunger exist not only around the world, but in our own backyard. Our efforts and donations will help provide food to those in need. We can hopefully return next year to lend a hand and help our fellow citizens."

The Club had a wonderful time boondocking in the loading area. Meals included a catfish dinner Friday night; a big country breakfast Saturday morning featuring the world's best biscuits made in an Airstream oven by new club member Michelle Mercer; a "we're at the county fair" lunch

with fried pickles and cheese curds, fried onion rings, sweet potato fries and other assorted deep-fried delicacies; and smash burgers on the griddles for supper, followed by the Arkansas Razorbacks' NCAA Elite 8 basketball game projected on a wall in the warehouse which allowed for social distancing and many "Hog calls."

According to the foodbank's website, [arkansasfoodbank.org](http://arkansasfoodbank.org), the Arkansas Foodbank was created in 1984 as a 501(c)(3) nonprofit organization to serve several central south Arkansas counties by providing an affordable and credible food source for local agencies serving hungry people in the state. By 1986, the Arkansas Foodbank had its first year of distributing one million pounds of food. In 1989, the Foodbank became a member of the Feeding America national network and gained more assistance for acquiring and distributing food. Since that time, the organization has grown to include 450 local partner agencies. It distributes to 33 of Arkansas' 75 counties.

The Arkansas Foodbank has had several locations since it was founded in 1984. Today the Foodbank is located at 4301 W. 65th St. in Little Rock at the Donald W. Reynolds Distribution Center that was built for the organization in 2011. From this distribution center, the Arkansas Foodbank operates eight trucks to deliver and pick up food daily, Summer/After School programs and backpacks for children, local agency food pick up, training and capacity building as well as volunteer and fundraising activities. The current location houses freezers,



520 boxes packed and stacked



Filling cereal bags



Cooking for the Airstream volunteers



Spring cleaning in the flower beds



Club logo proudly displayed on donated pallet jack



Weston Welch tests new pallet jack



Who can resist bacon?

refrigerators and storage areas, plus workspaces and offices in 99,900 square feet, according to Sam Green, facilities coordinator.

In 2016, The Arkansas Foodbank and Arkansas Rice Depot joined together and became the Arkansas Foodbank: United to Fight Hunger. The new brand image reflects the partnership and honors the legacies of both organizations. This partnership combines unique and effective approaches to addressing food insecurity.

Arkansas Rice Depot's Food For Kids program has been replicated in over 40 states and Mexico because of its effectiveness in addressing childhood hunger and will remain a focus area; Arkansas Foodbank's local and national partnerships allow it to procure large quantities of food and other resources to distribute to Arkansans in need. Partnering improved upon what each organization did well and used collective expertise to implement new and innovative programming focused on serving hungry Arkansans with more healthy and nutritious food.



Packing and sealing cereal bags



Cereal transferred from large boxes to bags



Visiting at dusk in the parking lot



Relaxing after a day of volunteering

Arkansas Foodbank is a member of Feeding America and the Arkansas Hunger Relief Alliance. The Arkansas Foodbank is the foundation in the fight against hunger, finding pathways to connect people, resources and food to reach those in need, providing dignity, hope and a brighter future for all Arkansans. The foodbank's vision is for a stronger community where hunger needs are met with sufficient access to nutritious food.

Decisions and actions at the foodbank are guided by five core values: **Collaboration** – We are stronger when we work together. **Respect** – We value the dignity and diversity of those we serve, our partners, volunteers and coworkers. **Innovation and Creativity** – We seek, identify and implement the best solutions to fight hunger, meeting people where they are. **Service** – We are united in a belief to serve those in need. **Integrity** – We achieve our goals by maintaining the highest degree of ethical standards and by putting our values into action.



Arkansas Razorback Airstream Club at the Arkansas Foodbank



Assembling raised beds for vegetables



Razorbacks gather for a group photo in the parking lot

# US hunger crisis persists, especially for kids, older adults

*From the Associated Press as reported by Anita Snow, Rebecca Santana and Candice Choi with contributions by Camille Fassett, Leah Willingham and Cheyanne Mumphrey.*

PHOENIX (AP) — America is starting to claw its way out of the economic fallout from the coronavirus pandemic, but food insecurity persists, especially for children and older adults.

Food banks around the U.S. continue giving away far more canned, packaged and fresh provisions than they did before the virus outbreak tossed millions of people out of work, forcing many to seek something to eat for the first time. For those who are now back at work, many are still struggling, paying back rent or trying to rebuild savings.

“We have all been through an unimaginable year,” said Brian Greene, CEO of the Houston Food Bank, the network’s largest. It was distributing as much as 1 million pounds of groceries daily at various points during the pandemic last year.

Data from Feeding America, a national network of most food banks in the U.S., shows that its members dispensed far more in the last three months of 2020 compared with the same period in 2019.

The food banks that agreed to let Feeding America publicly share their data, 180 out of 200 total, collectively distributed far more food — about 42% — during the last quarter of 2020 than in the same period of 2019. The amount of food allotted in the last quarter slipped just slightly from the previous three months, down around just 1%.

Katie Fitzgerald, Feeding America’s chief operating officer, said the network’s members are still seeing demand above pre-pandemic

levels, although final numbers for this year’s first quarter aren’t yet available. Fitzgerald said she expects the food banks will collectively distribute the equivalent of 6 billion meals this year, about the same amount they gave away last year and far above the 4.2 billion meals given out in 2019.

“A lot of families who were living paycheck to paycheck before the pandemic were already experiencing food insecurity,” she said. “Now, the level of insecurity for some has grown more extreme, when you see real hunger — mom skipping meals to feed the family.”

America’s yearlong food insecurity crisis has been felt especially sharply by children who lost easy access to free school meals, and older adults who struggled to get groceries or meals at senior centers because they worried about contracting the virus.

## Hungry Children

When COVID fears shuttered schools around the U.S. last spring, school districts nationwide suddenly had to get food to students who rely on free lunches even in the best times.

The number of free meals districts served to children whose families meet income criteria fell sharply: Nationwide approximately 1.65 billion fewer breakfasts and lunches were served by child food service programs between March and November of 2020 than were served March through November of 2019 -- a decrease of 30 percent.

“There are definitely a certain amount of students that are falling through the cracks,”

said Reggie Ross, president of the School Nutrition Association, which represents school food service employees and food suppliers.

From rural to urban areas, districts have had to get creative to deliver the food to kids.

In Phoenix on a recent, hazy afternoon, grownups and kids lined up by a yellow school bus for bags of free food.

The tiniest kids balanced multiple bags as they trudged home to apartments nearby, an occasional apple or juice box tumbling onto the asphalt. A young woman stuffed bags of food under her toddler’s stroller seat.

In Mississippi’s impoverished Jefferson County, the school district for months has used aging school buses to deliver meals to the homes of remote learners. All 1,100 students in the district qualify for free school meals.

As districts reopen, including some with hybrid models where kids don’t attend in person every day, schools are trying to ensure their access to food is consistent. As New York City works to get kids back in school, the school district has made students’ meals available at pickup sites in the mornings. In the afternoons, families can also get free packaged meals and snacks available to the whole community.

The USDA has announced that during summer recess it will extend flexible food programs providing free meals to all children across the U.S. regardless of income.

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### Older Adults

Since the pandemic began, many older adults in the U.S. have turned to food banks, Meals on Wheels home deliveries and other charities to get enough to eat.

Daily meals at the local senior center are no longer an option during shutdowns and going to the grocery store may be dangerous. Many older people are cut off from family and friends trying to keep them safe.

Meals on Wheels programs that deliver food to homes were flooded with calls, while other programs also popped up to feed older adults nationwide. Meals on Wheels America said at the end of 2020 its branches nationwide were still serving on average 60% more seniors than before COVID-19.

Over \$1.675 billion in emergency funding has gone to nutrition programs under the Older Americans Act to pay for food, gas and drivers to deliver meals, along with masks, gloves and sanitizer to protect staff.

The New Orleans program pays local restaurants to make food that is delivered to people who qualify. It feeds 11,200 people including about 4,000 seniors and is a partnership between the city and FEMA designed to get food to people at a time when they were being encouraged to stay home. It isn't restricted to older adults, but officials had them in mind when they launched it last summer.

It's been renewed monthly since its inception in July. The city is planning a survey to get a sense of who will need help once the program ends so

they can help them with things like applying for SNAP benefits or finding other food services.

"We've had quite a few people tell us that they would not have meals, they literally would not have food if not for the program," said Darnell Head, of Revolution Foods, which operates the program in New Orleans.

With vaccinations hopefully hastening an end to the pandemic, advocates working with older adults who are food insecure worry the increase in clients won't abate when the outbreak does.

Economic recovery for people over 60 could be slower and more difficult. It's often harder for unemployed older adults to find work and they have fewer years to pull themselves out of poverty exacerbated by the pandemic.



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# Two Girls on 4,890 Miles of Road for 21 Days (437 Gallons of Gas and 1 case of masks)

Meg Riley, BRN 28240

There were no long suffered plans to take a three-week trip west this year. In fact, all of our Airstream plans had been scratched due to Covid-19. (More literally, all plans for anything and everything were cancelled.) Well by early June, I had had quite enough of working from home, eating at home, sleeping at home, cleaning my home...ugh! I decided that if I am to be effectively confined to my home I may as well stay in my Home-On-Wheels and enjoy a change of scenery. I have always loved Telluride, Colorado and wanted Laura to experience it as well. With that in mind, I set my sight on driving west, without any campground reservations other than in Telluride, and just take the road as it came. Basically we got on Interstate 70 and drove west, for days and days. Because I didn't spend time planning and researching the itinerary as I typically do, we just drove until we were getting tired. We used the App called Campendium to determine nearby campgrounds and gave them a call about an hour out to make a reservation. Because of Covid, most campgrounds had plenty of empty sites, even with their state imposed Covid spacing (typically every other site left vacant).

Day 1, June 13, from Colts Neck, NJ we drove 481 miles over 11 hours, including a lengthy stop for dinner at Cracker Barrel in Washington, PA. We spent the night at the National Road Campground in Zanesville, OH. It was a nice little family run park with gravel sites (not terribly level) at \$35 for full hook up. Day 2 - 413 miles over 9 ½ hours, stopping off for a walk around Fountain City, IN. Disappointingly we saw no fountains there, and certainly no city! There was however a pretty cemetery which we took a leg stretching walk around.

We also stopped in downtown Indianapolis for a lunch break. It was surprising to be able to park on a main street, but I guess the abundance of space was due to Covid closures.

We camped at the Okaw Valley Kampground in Brownstown, IL for \$49 with full hook ups. They also topped off our propane tank there. Day 3 we went 458 miles over 10 ½ hours. We made walk about stops at "Ozarkland" in Kingdom City, MO (nothing more than a giant store full of souvenirs and fudge candy) and at the Bass Pro Shop in Independence, MO.



We slept at Chapman Creek RV Park which is nothing more than a small highway stopover to sleep. It is literally right off the highway so it is convenient, but not so quiet. There was nothing to do there but sleep...no walking trails. \$34 with full hook ups.



Day 4 We drove through northern Kansas which was not easy. 363 miles over 8 ½ hours. The plains are flat and exceedingly windy. The kind of wind that pushes your tow vehicle and Airstream all over the road. It was a very tiresome drive but the vista was pretty!

Oh and I must mention that people in Kansas protect their toilet paper supply in a very serious manner!



We made it over the state line into Genoa, CO. We stayed the night at another spot right off route 70. It was called Genoa RV Park but it was not a "campground" by any measure. It was basically a gravel parking lot with hook up posts. \$39 per night. No trees, no paths, no other campers! The "town" was an eerie place with the faintest sign of life. Population of 84 although we only saw about 10 people when we were walking around the streets. Most of the



houses were boarded up or half blown away. I thought we were on an outtake of the *Fargo* movie! Eerie camping with eerie light and eerie silos next to us.



Day 5 we drove 270 miles over 7 hours to arrive at the beautiful Gateway RV Park in Carbondale, CO. Sites were \$40 per night with full hookups. Now this campground had a seriously stunning location.



There was a small river below us with a level biking path that went all the way to Aspen, and a boat/raft put in spot. Behind us was a gorgeous

mountain with hiking trails (which we couldn't access due to Covid restrictions). This was the first time on the trip that I experienced altitude sickness and needed to lay down to recover.

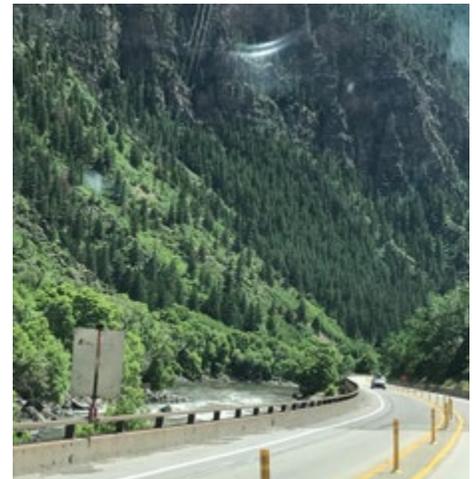


We liked this area so much that we stayed for three nights. We biked the path into town each day and hung out by a coffee shop to use the internet and catch up on a little work.

We also unhitched and went to Aspen for an afternoon. They sure have a fancy bus stop there!



Day 8 we decided to take the backroads toward Telluride. Route 133 is a small mountain road with many twists and switchbacks. We kept our speed at 35–40 mph for much of the ride and enjoyed the vista.



It took us 5 hours to go 175 miles, but the views were well worth the time. We dry camped at the Town Park in Telluride as they only allow tents and a very small number of trailers.



It was a magical five days there. The town was empty by their typical standards and only about 40% of businesses were open. Any restaurants that were open were serving at tables in the blocked off streets. They took Covid precautions very seriously, which we appreciated.

The Gondola was open and we went up and down the mountain a few times each day. They wiped down the seats after every person got off.



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Creekfire Motor Ranch

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Telluride has some serious mountain biking/ hiking paths. You can even take your bike up-mountain via the gondola and ride down on the ski trails. I was going to attempt this but was told that my bike was not suitable for the job. Apparently you need those big beefy trail tires, as well as high tech brakes...who knew?! We instead did the regular bike trails around town and the scenery was astonishingly beautiful.



The altitude in Telluride is no joke and I had to get cans of oxygen to deal with it. Laura actually went to a spa in town for a full hour oxygen treatment, while I had a

massage. In hindsight I should have done the oxygen treatment as well because later that day we attempted hiking the Jud Wiebe trail, well over 10,000 feet elevation, and I struggled greatly. Heat and high elevation can be a dangerous mix...more on that later!

We had a problem with the Airstream batteries dying after two days and had to drive an hour and a half to Montrose, CO to replace them (at roughly double the typical cost). This is our second set of batteries to die in just over a year, ough! Still trying to figure out why we are so lucky. Despite this hiccup we had a wonderful time in Telluride. And we had a dusty car to prove it!



Day 12 we headed south to Durango, CO which is a really pretty ride. It was only a three-hour drive to United Campground. During non-Covid times it would have been a good call as the train from Durango to Silverton rides through the back pasture behind the campground. However, the train was not running while we were there, so we unhitched and drove the route of the "Million Dollar Highway" which is a spectacular route that everyone should experience (but NOT pulling a trailer!). There were points on the drive that you could only go 25 mph due to the switchbacks and steepness...not for the faint of heart! Molas Pass was exceptional.

The town of Silverton is very, very small and quaint. Sadly it appears to have seen better days, as many of the houses and businesses were shuttered. We did manage to get a little work done using the free Wi-Fi in town.

While in Durango we did an afternoon of whitewater rafting, which was enjoyable but not super challenging. The downtown of Durango was an old cowboy town last time I visited (20 years ago) but it is now a thriving tourist destination. I didn't see any real cowboys there this trip. We spent two nights there @ \$53 per night with full hook ups. If we return to Durango in the future, I would camp in North Durango

as it is away from the hustle of downtown and much prettier.

Day 14 was one not readily forgotten! We originally intended to continue west to Utah in order to see Bryce Canyon, but we were loath to add 4 extra days to the trip to do so. Given that my daughter was due to deliver our first grandchild at some point in the next two weeks, we decided to start heading east. The drive on route 160 from Chimney Rock to Monte Vista is stunningly beautiful and equally frightening. Much of Wolfe Creek Pass was extremely steep and passable only at speeds below 30 mph. Remember my comment about heat and high elevation? Well as we gingerly traversed over the Continental Divide on Wolfe Creek Pass, we had a "freak-out" moment. We smelled gas leaking but there was nowhere to pull off the road for some time. When we finally were able to stop (at the entrance of Park Creek), we found that not only was our gas overflowing from the tank, we could actually hear it boiling from the heat! After frantic calls for advice to two members of our local Airstream club, we opened the gas cap on the Land Rover and waited an hour to cool it down. Apparently, it is a bad idea to completely fill your tank when going over the Continental Divide on a blazing hot day, as gas expands in high elevations and extreme heat. It took us three hours to drive 90 miles of that mountain road. Yikes! We eventually made it to La Junta, CO for the night. This was the only place where there were no open sites at a campground, so we had to stay in the Walmart parking lot for the night. (postscript: when we returned to NJ, we had to replace the fuel pump in our Land Rover due to this incident)

Day 15 we headed for Kansas via route 50. Driving through Prowers to Lamar made us literally gag from the stench of the cows penned in tight, ready for slaughter. I don't know how the locals can take this smell! We stopped for gas and groceries in Holly, CO where we were told that they refer to that stench as "the smell of money", as the Colorado Beef company is

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a big employer. We drove 486 miles, 12 hours to the Eisenhower State Park in Emporia, KS. Although all of Kansas is super windy, it was bearable here. The park is a real jewel. It is quite large and has several designated areas for camping. There is the main family area, an equestrian area for those who bring their own horses, a fishing area and a boating area. The lake in the park is huge and actually has white cap waves due to the winds. They have a sand beach for swimming. We enjoyed the park so much that we stayed two nights. The biking trails were really nice.

Day 17 We drove 413 miles in 9 ½ hours. We spent the night at the Cracker Barrel in Mt. Vernon, IL.

Day 18 We drove 401 miles in 8 ½ hours. We spent the night at the Cracker Barrel in Barboursville, WV.

Day 19 we drove only 232 miles in 5 ½ hours. We spent two nights at KOA of Uniontown, PA \$45 - \$67 per night. This campground was packed tight and we had to change campsites



in order to stay for both nights. They are a family campground with two swimming pools, a fishing river, and a nice camp store/snack bar. We were able to visit the amazing Frank Lloyd Wright's Fallingwater (outside tour only) as well as Polymath Park (inside tour). If you have never been to these places, you should try and visit! Also nearby is the FLW Kentuck Knob house, however we didn't have time to tour there as well in the same day. Be aware that despite their claim to have bus/rv parking at these tour sites, the roads are NOT traversable while towing! Thank goodness I thought better of trying and we unhitched before we went.

Day 21 we drove the 300 miles home to Colts Neck in about 7 hours. Whew, we made it! No baby news until July 29, when we were blessed with a beautiful granddaughter, Viviana Marilyn Vertullo!



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# HISTORICALLY SPEAKING

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## Airstream in the 1930s - Part 2: Growth and Expansion (1935-36)

For the ongoing celebration of Airstream's 90<sup>th</sup> Anniversary, we continue our review of Airstream in the 1930s as Airstream is getting ready to move to a new factory location and expand its model lineup.

1935 began for Airstream just like 1934 ended, with a focus on selling trailer plans rather than trailers as evidenced by its January 6, 1935 Los Angeles (L.A.) Times ad that featured the photo of an Airstream Torpedo and read, in part: "BUILD YOUR OWN TRAILER...Send 3 cents for illustrated folder of this and other designs. AIRSTREAM TRAILER CO. ...".

That illustrated folder was a newspaper type brochure listing two named models within its four pages, the Torpedo and the new 1935 Silver Cloud. The brochure explained the benefits of Airstream's streamlined design and provided instructions, illustrations, and materials lists for both models with full blueprints for either model available for \$5. It only briefly mentioned that "Custom-built Airstream Trailers" could be purchased, confirming that trailer sales were not the Airstream focus at that time.

Airstream soon returned to building trailers, though, as evidenced by a March 17, 1935 L.A. Times ad that read: "DON'T MISS SEEING A NEW MODEL OF THE FAMOUS AIRSTREAM, 3288 Fletcher nr. San Fernando Blvd."

The 3288 Fletcher address was likely a new temporary Airstream factory location, though it is also possible this was just a "display lot".

In 1931, this address was a Safeway grocery store, but starting in July 1935, 3288 Fletcher would become the factory address for the new Masterbilt Trailer Company. It is thus reasonable to think Airstream began building trailers in early 1935 at 3288 Fletcher rather than at the previous joint Byam-Yaehrling factory in Culver City, though this is not certain. It appears that William Yaehrling may have also briefly resumed production of Torpedoes in 1935 as ads for his Torpedo trailers reappeared in the L.A. Times from April 30 thru May 27, 1935 before he returned to the plumbing business full time.

No matter whether 3288 Fletcher was a factory or display lot for Airstream, it was short lived for that purpose as an April 13, 1935 L.A. Times ad read, in part: "AIRSTREAM TRAILERS, formerly on Fletcher Dr., now permanently loc. 304 W. 22 St.". 304 West 22<sup>nd</sup> Street, Los Angeles would remain the Airstream factory location until the end of 1937.

Once this new factory opened, the Airstream model lineup quickly expanded to four models. An April 21, 1935 story in the L.A. Times included a photo of an Airstream Silver Cloud and read, in part: "Officials of the Airstream Trailer Plant . . . last week announced the delivery of the English-type 'Silver Cloud' to Tom Mix, famous motion picture star. . . The Silver Cloud is one of the many Airstream models, others being the Torpedo, Torpedo Jr., and the Silver Bullet."

1935 Los Angeles Times



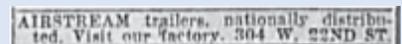
Jan 6, 1935 - Build Your Own Trailer



Apr 13, 1935 - Formerly on Fletcher



Apr 21, 1935 - Tom Mix Silver Cloud



Apr 30, 1935 - Visit Our Factory



Jun 16, 1935 - Licensed and Guaranteed



Nov 3, 1935 - Torpedo Junior

Airstream ads went on to often indicate that readers could visit the factory and see trailers being made, starting with this April 30, 1935 ad: "AIRSTREAM Trailers, nationally distributed. Visit our factory. 304 W. 22ND ST." Thus, Airstream factory tours began in 1935!

Airstream's second national ad ran in the May 1935 *Popular Mechanics* magazine and began: "BEFORE YOU BUY OR BUILD A TRAILER Let us send you our illustrated folder on building Airstream trailers (4 models)..."

The easy towing nature of Airstream trailers was emphasized in a May 16, 1935 L.A. Times ad which read, in part: "AIRSTREAM TRAILER... Don't load a car with a heavy trailer. An Airstream is light, strong, & safer."

Airstream's company pedigree and guarantee policy were first touted in a June 16, 1935 L.A. Times ad which began: "Airstream Trailers Why Take Chances? Buy from a reliable old established State licensed mfr. Satisfaction guar...". Following this ad, we soon find Airstream begins listing their State License No. "7" in their trailer brochures and eventually on the serial number plaques on their trailers.

The earliest known published photo of a **Torpedo Jr.** accompanied a November 3, 1935 L.A. Times ad, though the model's name was not mentioned.

To expand Airstream's potential customer base beyond those that could pay "cash", a December 22, 1935 L.A. Times ad was the first to mention that you could buy an Airstream on "easy terms". Similar statements would be included in many Airstream ads from this point forward.

Airstream closed out 1935 offering four models and with significantly increased production capacity. It was well positioned for the explosive growth the trailer industry was about to experience in 1936 as the industry grew from perhaps a few dozen manufacturers nationally in 1935 to 243 in February 1936 to an estimated

400 by the end of 1936! In February 1936, a United Press story predicted the potential 1936 demand at 200,000 trailers!

Airstream started 1936 with a monumental advancement! In the February 1936 issue of *Westways* magazine, a column titled "The Passing Show" announced that the first riveted aluminum Airstream **Clipper** was completed on January 17, 1936 and included a photograph of the **Clipper**. An Airstream ad on the same page had another **Clipper** photo. The iconic Airstream we know today had finally arrived!

The second oldest Airstream brochure known to still exist, another newspaper style 4-pager estimated to have been published in February 1936, mentions the new **Clipper** as well as the **Torpedo**, **Torpedo Jr.**, **Silver Cloud**, and **Silver Bullet** confirming the lineup was then 5 models.

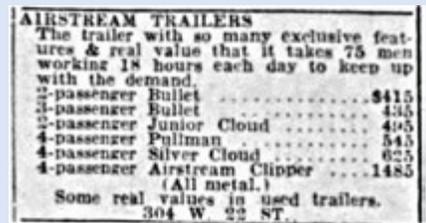
As 1936 progressed, the Airstream factory was really humming along as noted by a March 29, 1936 L.A. Times Airstream ad that read, in part: "...it takes 75 men working 18 hours each day to keep up with demand".

The Airstream model lineup continued to expand and by the end of April 1936, L.A. Times ads had also announced the **Pullman**, a boxy "trolley top" model meant for full time living, the **Silver Cloud Jr.**, a slightly smaller version of the Silver Cloud, and the 10 ft. **Pup**, which appears to just be an alternate name for the 10 ft. Silver Bullet. Going forward, the names, designs, lengths, and prices of Airstream's wood and Masonite models frequently varied in its ads and it is doubtful any of these trailers had model name badges.

Airstream's advertising and brand recognition was also expanding in 1936, as was its sales territory. Airstream ran ads or was mentioned or had photos in stories in the following magazines (and likely others) during 1936:

- Jan 1936 - *Popular Mechanics*
- Feb 1936 - *Westways*
- Mar 1936 - *Popular Science*
- Apr 1936 - *Popular Science*

### 1936 L.A. Times & Other



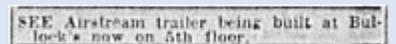
Mar 29, 1936 - 75 Men 18 Hours Per Day



Apr 15, 1936 - Choice of 8 Models



Jun 21, 1936 - Oakland Tribune



Jul 30, 1936 - Airstream Built in Bullock's



Aug 16, 1936 - Wilshire Display Grounds



Dec 1, 1936 - L.A. Daily News - "Rentals" and 16-Page Illustrated Catalog



Airstream Workforce Photo - March 19, 1936 (Trailers L-R: Silver Cloud, Clipper, & Pullman)

Jun 1936 - *Westways*

Nov 1936 - *Western Trailer Trails*

Dec 1936 - *Popular Mechanics*

While Airstream ads ran regularly in the L.A. Times and occasionally in other Los Angeles based newspapers, Airstream ads now began appearing in newspapers in other locations for local dealers offering a lineup of new Airstream trailers, including in the Ogden, UT **Standard-Examiner** starting on March 21, 1936 and the Oakland, CA **Oakland Tribune** starting on May 18, 1936. An October 11, 1936 ad in the Tucson, AZ **Arizona Daily Star** indicated Airstream was looking for someone to represent the company in that city.

As it grew, Airstream found it necessary to have a regular display of its model lineup. From April 12 thru July 24, 1936, this display was called "Trailer Village" and was located at the factory at 304 W. 22<sup>nd</sup>. By August 16, 1936, Airstream found this inconvenient and opened a semi-permanent Airstream Display Grounds at the corner of Wilshire Blvd. and Orange Dr., with the address initially given as 5101 Wilshire, but later as 5151 Wilshire.

Ever the promotor, Wally Byam arranged for a live display of an Airstream trailer being built on the 5<sup>th</sup> floor of the famous Bullock's Department Store in Los Angeles. Ads for this event ran in the L.A. Times from July 30 through August 14, 1936.

As the fall of 1936 approached, Airstream ads started to reflect a possible slowing of the trailer market. A September 6, 1936 L.A. Times ad was the first to start touting more Airstream trailer features than just streamlining and lighter weight when it mentioned the availability of trailer radios, gas stoves, hot and cold water, and even toilets and built-in showers. A September 13 ad talked about steel framed side walls and "Sea-Pak" airplane insulation and emphasized that Airstream could keep prices low because it owned its own direct factory sales lot and had no freight charges or dealer commissions to add to the price.

An October 25, 1936 L.A. Times ad was the first to mention that you could "rent" an Airstream rather than buy one. This same ad also announced five new 1937 models, surprisingly

including a "New Folding Type Trailer, Thoroughly mod., no canvas, wt. 700 lb. Only \$475". This is the only known ad to mention a "folding" Airstream, so that was likely a short-lived experiment.

A December 1, 1936 L.A. Daily News ad indicated visitors to the Airstream factory could receive a free copy of a 16-page illustrated trailer catalog without obligation. Two versions of this 16-page Airstream brochure exist, both likely printed around October 1936 to reflect the 1937 Airstream lineup. They are very similar, with both listing the **Clipper**, **Silver Cloud**, **Torpedo**, and **Torpedo Jr.**, while one also listed the **Silver Cloud Jr.**, and the other the **Silver Bullet**.

Even if the market was softening slightly as 1936 was coming to an end, Airstream was still in a strong position. Next time in Part 3 we will see Airstream hit stronger headwinds in 1937 and fight for survival.

Magazine Ads and Photos



May 1935 - Popular Mechanics



Jan 1936 - Popular Mechanics



Trailer enthusiasts willing to spend a little more should be interested in this brand new Airstream "Clipper" model. It will sleep four persons in its two compartments and has, among other things, an ingenious and efficient air-conditioning system.

Feb 1936 - Westways - Clipper Photo



Jun 1936 - Westways



Dec 1936 - Popular Mechanics (Silver Cloud at Top)

In Memoriam

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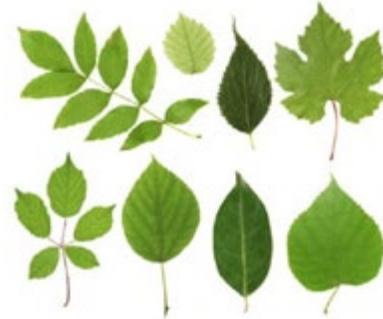
### leaf Scavenger Hunt



## Making Leaf Rubbings

### You will need:

- Selection of different leaves
- Paper
- Pencils or crayons

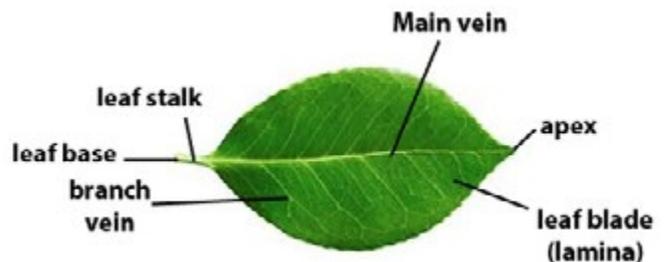


### Instructions:

1. Put a sheet of paper over a leaf.
2. Rub a pencil or crayon over where the leaf is underneath and you will start to see the outline of the leaf appear on the paper.
3. Experiment with different types and colors of pencils or crayons and different leaf shapes.



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## Correction

The WBCCI Foundation Annual Report in the April *Blue Beret* incorrectly stated that the Foundation secured IRS approval as a 503(c)3 organization. It should have stated the Foundation secured IRS approval as a 501(c)3 organization.



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**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.

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**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.

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Lifetime Member Discount	Limit 1		\$-20.00		Generator	
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## Community Service

Glenn Waters, BRN 214

I think I can say for all of us that 2020 is finally over. We had to cancel so many club events at all levels and it is time to begin 2021.

I have been asked to chair Community Service again this year.

If you kept items from last year, that is great - I will take them this year.

For those that are new to the club or to remind past members, we collect hats (homemade or bought), stuffed animals, tabs, blankets, money for a child that may need help with medicals bills, and items for women's shelters. We also collect food pantry items and animal supplies for animal shelters and food for cats and dogs. The tabs are cashed in, then the money is given to Ronald McDonald House. The other items are given to groups in the community that can use them.

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If you have any questions, you can email me at [gew26499@sbcglobal.net](mailto:gew26499@sbcglobal.net) with Community Service in subject line.

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Sherri Cofer, BRN 4533

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## Photo Print Contest Rules Lebanon, TN

1. Open to all WBCCI members & families/guests *attending* the 2021 International Rally in Lebanon, TN.
2. Previous WBCCI Photo Print Contest *winning* photos are not eligible.
3. Print size is 8 x 10 ONLY. Any other size will not qualify.
4. NO BORDERS. NO MATS. NO FRAMES.
5. Entries are limited to TWO photos per person per category, except "Your Best" category.
6. Photographer's name, Club name and WBCCI # must be on the back of each photo.
7. Entrants are responsible for picking up their photos after the judging/viewing ends.

If you have any questions regarding the contest rules or categories, please feel free to contact Jane Elgin Bartlett #4544 at [elginmj@gmail.com](mailto:elginmj@gmail.com)

### Categories for Photo Print Contest

Photo Print Contest is judged by non-WBCCI members.

1. Black and White
2. Sunrise or Sunset
3. Architecture
4. Airstreams
5. Water in Nature
6. Landscapes
7. Your BEST photo (One entry per person in this category)



## Snapshot Contest Rules Lebanon, TN

These should be fun, candid and/or casual photos.

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2. Previous WBCCI Snapshot *winning* photos are not eligible.
3. Print size is 4 x 6 ONLY. Any other size will be disqualified & will not be posted.
4. NO BORDERS. NO MATS. NO FRAMES.
5. Entries are limited to TWO snapshots per person per category.
6. No written identifying personal information on the front of the snapshot.
7. Photographer's name, Club name and WBCCI # MUST be on the back of each photo.
8. Entrants are responsible for picking up their snapshots after the voting/viewing ends.

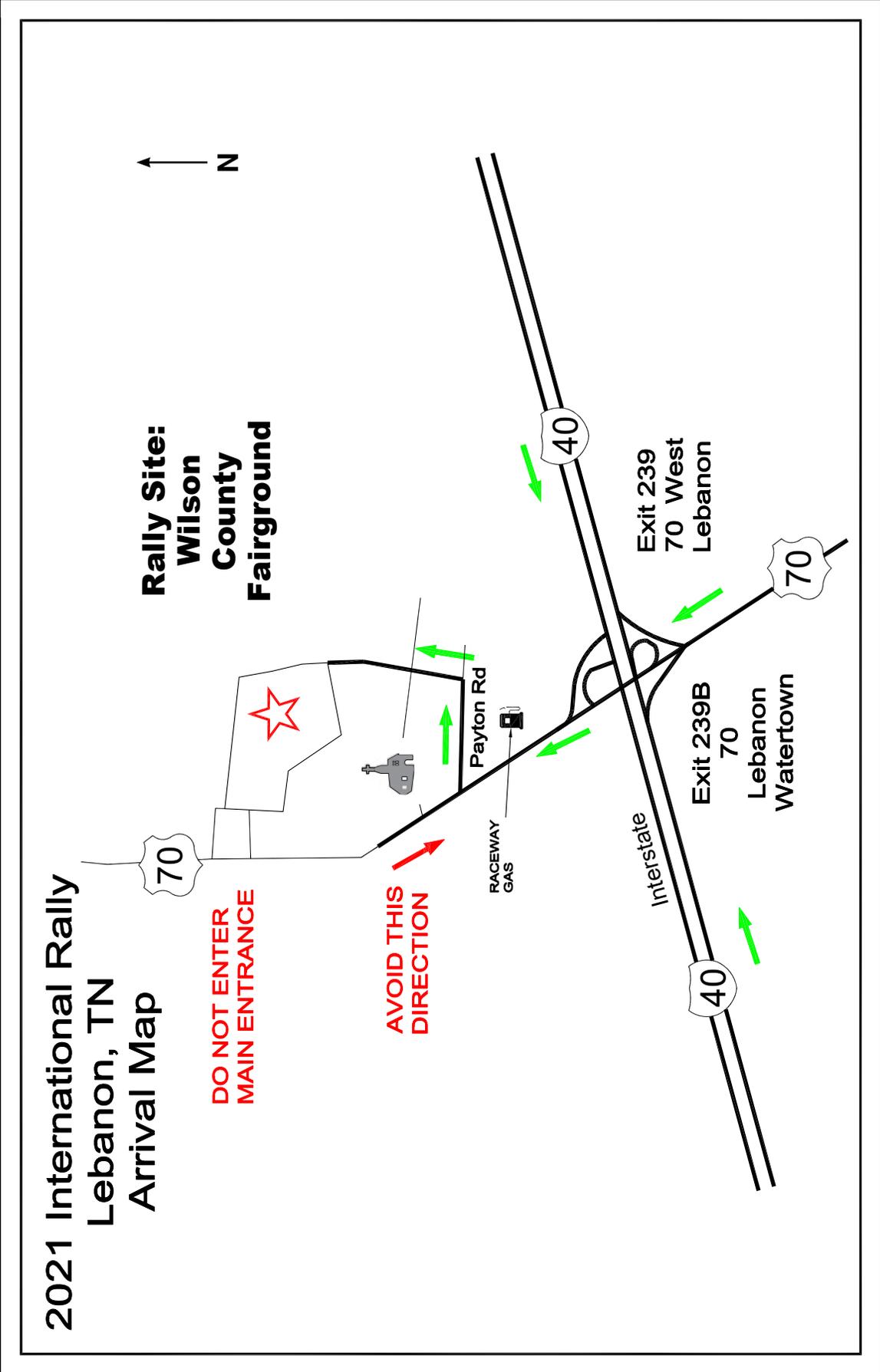
If you have any questions about contest rules or categories, please feel free to contact Jane Elgin Bartlett, #4544 at [elginmj@gmail.com](mailto:elginmj@gmail.com)

### Categories for Snapshot Contest

Snapshots are voted on by attendees at the 2021 International Rally.

1. Children - kids, grandkids, neighbors, friends
2. WBCCI Members - in action OR inaction
3. Animals - lions, tigers, and bears, oh my! Any animal
4. Signs - fun, funny or interesting
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Get prepared for an adventure. The Viking Trail Caravan is a longstanding bucket list caravan. Come join us and see why.

What makes this caravan so special? Newfoundland has some of the friendliest, welcoming folks on earth. Those that make it their home are full of happiness, generosity, pride of their land and their culture. Music, theatre, cuisine, and crafts are taken seriously. Be prepared to join in because “kitchen parties” are what they love and that means everyone is a part.

We start the caravan in North Sydney, Nova Scotia at a beautiful, scenic campground within five minutes of the ferry. Allow yourself a day or two before the caravan to stock up, get your rig ready and then join the caravan for a barn welcome! The leaders will escort you to the ferry - a 6-hour ride to the island of Newfoundland. A short drive to meet Dennis and Alice where they expertly escort you to each of your camp sites.

Now that you've landed, the real fun begins. Newfoundland is like nowhere else. Rugged land surrounded by ocean. An island isolated for centuries. People have made a very small footprint on this land. Before roads, villagers visited by scenic coastal paths or boat. These paths now make Newfoundland a famous destination for hikers.



Puffin viewing at Elliston

Civilization hasn't touched the many bird colonies (puffins!), caribou, moose. Spend a day looking down over the whales as they feed just off the shore. Find beaches where you may be the only one there. Catch sight of an iceberg or go cod jigging with the locals. Find rock formations seen nowhere else. Kayak amongst tiny iridescent jellyfish.

For those who love history, you can start by tracing the indigenous flow with the help of park staff and visit the site of the first Viking settlement in the new world. Portuguese, French, British and others came for the cod during Elizabethan times and some stayed. First intercontinental communication. Amelia Earhart heading on her transatlantic voyage. The American “invasion” where Newfoundland's strategic location made it so important to the Allied defenses in World War II and then the cold war. See Gander and see where travellers grounded by 9/11 were welcomed.



Viking Tales at L'Anse Aux Meadows, NL



Quidi Vidi fishing stages, St. John's, NL



Iceberg



Our very own Airstream Mummies at the final banquet at Pirate's Haven, Robinsons, NL



Potluck in Twillingate, NL. When Airstreamers go fishing, it's a good excuse for a party!



La Scie Campground. The town opened up for us with community get-togethers.

The leaders will keep you busy with tours, screech ins, music, theatre, boat excursions, and introduce you to the island's unique cuisine. You will visit national parks, historic sites - and an insectarium! As you start to settle in, you will have more time to discover Newfoundland focusing on your interests. Whether you love the arts, crafts, history or food, being outdoors or being challenged to something new - there is so much to do and see. Two months lets us work clockwise around the island from the southwest tip, through Gros Morne National Park up to L'Anse aux Meadows on the northern edge, then visit smaller communities on the eastern shore as we work our way south to the capital, St. John's. Expect to take in favourite tourist destinations as well as special insider tours and hidden gems the leaders have found. A week of civilization and then head counterclockwise back to the ferry and finish back at our starting point in Nova Scotia.

How to prepare? Have your rig in good working order. Plan freedom with no internet or cell service at times. Bring all weather clothing (sometimes worn in the same day). And sensible shoes. Discover the pleasure of living simply and at times a little roughly. Embrace the outdoors. Adjust to destinations with no street address. Remind yourself frost heaved roads mean drive slowly or find the contents of your cupboards everywhere. If you have a portable musical instrument, bring it. Independent travellers thrive on this caravan. Spontaneous fun happens on this caravan, too. Be



Rainbow at Codroy Valley

prepared to throw yourself into Newfoundland lifestyle.

And enjoy all this as you bond with 50+ marvelous and like-minded Airstreamers from all over. The leaders will send you more information once you're on the "go list" to plan extra excursions. If all this appeals, come join us!

## Meet the Co-Leaders

Chuck and Maggie Helwig joined WBCCI in 2006. We have been on fourteen caravans. Our third caravan was to Newfoundland and we thoroughly enjoyed every day of it. We have been two more times and looking forward to our return in 2022. Please come and let us introduce you to a very memorable experience.

Pat Leggatt with her co-pilot Murray joined the club in 2015. As a child, Pat would stop at Gander on occasion - an airline refueling stop en route to Europe. It's been a real pleasure to discover this magical place with other Airstreamers. This will be our third turn running a Newfoundland caravan and look forward to meeting our old friends in Newfoundland as well as our new friends in the caravan.

## Amateur Radio Club

Bob Caldwell, President

### So you got your Amateur Radio License, Now What?

Now the world is at your fingertips. Yes, it is as you can literally talk around the world with your General class or above license. After obtaining a radio, communication can be done from one radio to another radio bouncing a signal off the ionosphere or using a satellite or nowadays using the internet to make the connection. There are various ways to make connections via various modes using ham radios. A great way to learn about the hobby and its many aspects is to join with other hams in a club – like the WBAC Amateur Radio Club.

Ham radios are a great way to make friends in your local area, too. There are many Amateur radio clubs in almost any country. Most clubs have repeaters (a way of sending your signal farther) in a local area. You can learn a lot from hams when you have the opportunity to meet personally. Most are willing to help you understand a concept or help you erect an antenna if that is the kind of help you need.

Many hams enjoy making contacts with hams in foreign countries. This is called DX or DXing. Sometimes those foreign contacts have turned out to become very good friends and encourage travel to another country to visit them. There are many opportunities to make new friends via ham radio.

The WBAC also sponsors gatherings (on the radio) called “Nets”. There are three nets daily that Hams in North America can access – all are on the 40 meter band. Some are conducted daily and some are just M-F. Details are available on our website. This is another way to meet new friends and meet up with old friends. It’s all a way of staying in touch when you are not at the International Rally.

Antennas are another important part of Ham radio. Some hams have the space (acreage) for several large towers with antennas on them. But other hams live in apartments or subdivisions where antennas are an issue or forbidden. But don’t fret because there are antenna designs for any space constraint you might have.

Amateur radio has something of interest for those who like to just talk on the radios as well as those who enjoy building radios and various accessories. Experimentation is always of interest.

There are two MAJOR gatherings of hams, suppliers of new radios and “flea market” type sales during the year in North America. The largest ham gathering in the world, is in Xenia, Ohio in May. The other is in Orlando, Florida in February called Ham Cation. The ARC gathers at this one and has a Rally in the area where our Airstreams park – by the Lake. We normally have Happy Hours, tours and prize drawings – typically for Ham radios and other gear. These events are fun to attend. You can listen to presentations, talk to dealers and stroll the Flea Market area until your heart is content.

## Pendleton Round-Up Rally

Pendleton, Oregon  
September 13 - 19, 2021

Bryan Stewart



**What:** 55<sup>th</sup> annual Pendleton Round-Up Rally. If you have never been to the Pendleton Round-Up rodeo, you need to add it to your bucket list.

**When:** Monday, September 13 afternoon to Sunday, September 19 noon

**Where:** Pendleton Community Park

**Sites:** 20 sites. Water hook up. No electric or sewer; one pump out during the week.

**Meals provided by hosts:** Three breakfasts and four dinners, including breakfast at Roosters Restaurant with the Rodeo Court and Happy Canyon Princesses and dinner at the Tamastlikt Cultural Institute.

**Cost:** Full Rally: \$390 per couple, \$235 single. PayPal preferred or by check.

**Contact Info:** Bryan Stewart, [bryan.stewart48@icloud.com](mailto:bryan.stewart48@icloud.com), 910-584-1944

**Registration:** Register on the Oregon Airstream Club website at <https://airstreamclub.org/oac-pendleton-round-international-rally>

### What to do

We invite you to join the Oregon Airstream Club for the 55<sup>th</sup> annual Pendleton Round-Up National Rally. If you have never been to the Pendleton Round-Up, you need to add it to your bucket list. You will get the chance to meet and dine with the Pendleton Rodeo Court and Indian Princesses, get a behind the scenes tour of the rodeo, attend the world-famous rodeo and 104th Happy Canyon Pageant, experience the Western Ho Parade and so much more that the city of Pendleton has to offer. We will also have a tour and dinner at the Tamastlikt Cultural Institute. We will be camping in a lovely green community park surrounded only by Airstreams. The City of Pendleton offers extensive and inexpensive public transportation to and from our campground to many rodeo sites. The rodeo motto: **Let'er Buck!**

Included: Tickets for the Wednesday Rodeo, a Tamastlikt Cultural Institute tour with dinner and the Happy Canyon Pageant.

### Optional Tickets, limited quantities:

Friday Rodeo \$28 each

Saturday Rodeo (finals) \$28 each

Tuesday Pendleton Underground Tour \$15 each

**Rally is currently full with a waiting list.**

**Contact host to get on waiting list.**

## Athens Old Time Fiddlers Rally

**Athens, Alabama**  
**September 28 - October 2, 2021**

Russ Pry

Rally in Athens, Alabama for the 54th Tennessee Valley Old Time Fiddlers Convention. Early parking for the volunteers available on September 27. The Airstream rally starts on September 28 with welcome dinner. Upon arrival, sign up for tours to area destinations. A free concert opens the convention on September 30. The \$55/person rally fee includes two-day convention entrance fee, and two evenings of featured performances by headliner entertainers. Competitions include playing instruments, singing and dancing. Craft and food concessions are found throughout campus. Exclusive WBAC parking includes 20 AMP power, water and one (1) pump out for \$25/night located within 3/10 mile of the main venue. Parking reservations requires four (4) night minimum. Rally attendees are also welcome to stay at nearby RV Parks with full hook ups. Rally reservations and deposits are required by August 15. Visit <http://region6.airstreamclub.net> for Airstream Rally updates. Visit <http://www.tvotfc.org/> for convention information and schedule updates. All rally attendees are encouraged to bring their musical instruments. Jam sessions planned at the WBAC camp site and/or the Domino room at Athens - Limestone County Visitors Center.



## Sun Valley Jazz & Music Festival Rally

**Ketchum, Idaho**  
**October 12 - 17, 2021**

Bob Caldwell

Over 40 of the best musical groups from around the world – 200 performers in all - take the stages daily in the several venues at the Sun Valley Ski Resort, nestled in the heart of the Sawtooth Mountains, during the peak of autumn colors. Sun shining through the golden aspen leaves makes for spectacular scenery.

Although the festival officially begins on Wednesday, October 13, our rally begins one day earlier, on October 12. We will have **Social Hour Tuesday the 12th at 4:00 PM** and give you time to enjoy the area earlier in the day.

RV Parking (dry camping only) is available beginning on Sunday, October 11, for those who want to enjoy other activities in the area including the Trailing of the Sheep Festival. RVs must be self-contained; our site is not serviced - however, free use of luxurious bath and shower facilities at the River Run Lodge (a 3-minute walk) is included. Generators are permitted 7 AM to 10 PM. Weather is highly variable at this time of year and freezing nights are possible.

See the Sun Valley Jazz and Music Festival website [sunvalleyjazz.com/](http://sunvalleyjazz.com/). This year's rally takes place a few days after the Trailing of the Sheep Festival, so it's easy to attend both events. For further information, see [trailingofthesheep.org](http://trailingofthesheep.org)

**Volunteer opportunities are available** at the Sun Valley Jazz and Music festival. Those with a volunteer position confirmed by the Volunteer Coordinator and contributing 12 hours to the festival receive their festival pass and parking free as a "thank you." Those who wish to volunteer are urged to register early to ensure their volunteer position.

For further rally information and to register, go to [airstreamclub.org/sun-valley-jazz-and-music-festival-rally-2021](http://airstreamclub.org/sun-valley-jazz-and-music-festival-rally-2021)

For additional information and/or assistance with registration, email or call Bob and Darlene Caldwell: [airstream267@gmail.com](mailto:airstream267@gmail.com) 780-964-5444 or Tom and Marilyn Usselman [usselmant@hotmail.com](mailto:usselmant@hotmail.com)

# REGION 1

Doug Hart, Contributing Editor  
[airstreamclub.org/region1](http://airstreamclub.org/region1)

Greetings,

Nine years, 81 Blue Berets and 32,400 words ago, Rick Cipot began writing these articles for Region One. Rick has taken a much-deserved retirement from his position as Region One scribe, and we all thank him very much for all of his work on behalf of Region One. Thanks Rick!

2021 is in full swing with a full slate of rallies. On the weekend of April 9-12 many enjoyed the Pets and Paws National Rally in Provincetown, MA. The Saturday weather was perfect for all kinds of activities. Our Region One Rally is coming up from June 17-20 in Northampton, MA. There is something for everyone at this Dr. Suess themed rally.

If you take a look at the Airstream Club Region One map, you will note that it is filled with “dots” representing planned rallies with more on the way, not the least of which is the Columbus Day & Canadian Thanksgiving National Rally in Leicester, VT. And let’s not forget “nos amis” in Quebec. They have scheduled rallies as well.

2021 is a good year to check your tires, fill your tank and get back on the road. Most of us took a year off and are itching to travel. Enjoy the summer travel season and we will see you down the road.

# REGION 2

Kathy Blake, Contributing Editor  
[airstreamclub.org/region2](http://airstreamclub.org/region2)

We are entrepreneurs – well, some of us are! Hats off to two of Region 2’s entrepreneurs who make it their business to showcase what we all love – Airstream and Club paraphernalia and clothing! First up is Mid-Atlantic Airstream Club’s Christina Torcaso, creator of webstore Benander (combination of her children’s names!). It offers Airstream-themed kitchen towels, decorative pillows, garden flags, and clocks. Visit and shop at [www.benander.net](http://www.benander.net). You can also find the towels and an interesting story about Christina on the Airstream Supply Company webpage at <https://airstreamsupplycompany.com/story/benander-designs/>

Our second featured entrepreneur is Cody Klinger, member of the Al-Mon-O Pennsylvania Airstream Club and Al-Mon-O’s current newsletter Editor. Cody’s family business is Mike’s Embroidery offering tee and

polo shirt, hoodies and sweatshirt club apparel. Cody would love to work with local Clubs and Regions that want to have logo wear, as well as embroidered and vinyl patches, available for their members. Please visit the store at: <https://stores.inksoft.com/MAAC> to check out they types of logo-ware Mike’s Embroidery has available. (Mid-Atlantic Airstream Club’s logo is shown on the clothing but he can easily work with any Club’s logo.) To get in touch with Cody, email him at [cwk5292@gmail.com](mailto:cwk5292@gmail.com)

The Jon Bon Jovi Soul Foundation is Watchung New Jersey Airstream Club’s chosen charity for this year. I hadn’t heard of it before, so I looked it up <https://jbjsf.org/>. The Foundation’s motto is “Rebuilding pride in one’s self and one’s community – one SOUL at a time”. In addition to providing support for affordable and supportive housing in 11 states and Washington, DC, the Foundation’s expanded mission includes “Soul Kitchens”, two of which are located in New Jersey. It’s fitting when a Club chooses a charity close to home.

All Clubs in Region 2 but the Ontario Canada Airstream Club are into their rally season. Ontario’s spring campouts had to be cancelled because of the impact of surging COVID cases in April and May. Their next event is scheduled for late July, so please keep your fingers crossed that our Ontario members will be able to gather then.

Region 2 President Rich Short and Vice-Presidents RJ Marquette and Gary Russo remind you of the great luncheon they are putting together for those attending the International Rally in Lebanon, TN this July. The luncheon runs from noon to about 1:30 pm on Wednesday, July 21. Four different menu options are on offer – yours for the choosing (and the payment) on the Region 2 website at [airstreamclub.org/Region2](http://airstreamclub.org/Region2). If that isn’t enough to grab your attention, there’ll also be a drawing for door prizes, and you’ll get to meet and greet your Region 2 Officer hosts.

Since there is no July issue, I’m taking this opportunity to thank President Rich and First Lady Kathi for their leadership over the past few years. Rich initiated the “Renew Region 2” campaign when he became Vice-President. His energy, dedication, enthusiasm, encouragement and hard work has invigorated our Region. In a recent communication to Club Presidents in Region 2, Rich wrote “My responsibilities as our Region 2 President officially end after the first of the two IBT meetings held at the International Rally. Region 2 will be ably represented at the second IBT meeting of the Rally (first for the new term) by incoming President RJ Marquette and Vice-President Gary Russo. I am greatly confident our Region is in excellent hands. We have accomplished much these past few years, and I believe the future of the Airstream Club Int’l and our Region 2 is bright and vibrant. Let’s keep our Region and the Airstream Club rolling!”

## REGION 3

Joan Anderson, Contributing Editor  
[airstreamclub.org/region3](http://airstreamclub.org/region3)

Looking ahead to this summer...



Time passes and things change, but some things just keep on going. Wally Byam Airstream Club's Region 3 is pleased to announce its renewed sponsorship of the Galax Old Fiddlers' Convention National Rally.

### GALAX REVISITED

#### A WBAC Region 3 Special Event Rally

The format is changing, but the music never will. The Old Fiddlers' Convention is scheduled for August 9-14, 2021. Cool Breeze Campground will once again be our gathering place. Robert, the owner, continues to provide live on-site entertainment of the up-and-coming Bluegrass musicians from the Appalachian region as well as some of the long-time local favorites.

Wayne Henderson has stopped offering large group tours of his guitar building workshop, and the old Rex theater is under new management, but there will still be plenty to *do* and *hear*. Longtime local Galax planners and patrons Betty and Junior Patton are stepping back to an advisory role, and Spirit of Virginia Airstream Club members Christine and Joe Baum are assuming the role of both host and Region 3 representative (Christine is Region 3's 1<sup>st</sup> VP). Christine and Joe have been attending the Galax rally for years and just couldn't let it fade away. You will still find lots of familiar faces, including long-time Region 3 representatives Lynne and Julian Clements, along with plenty of new ones as well.

Registration information will be available as details are ironed out so watch for an announcement soon.

## REGION 4

Cindy Conant, Contributing Editor  
[airstreamclub.org/region4](http://airstreamclub.org/region4)

The Airstreamers of Region 4 would like to acknowledge Karen Fisher for her dedication to our region as President of Region 4 for the past 2 years.

Along with her board, she introduced the members of the region to our new community service project called Wally's Christmas Tree Farm. This special project provides two equally important needs:

1. Money to support the project, which will mean so much to so many families.
2. The creation of a new attraction at Santa's Hide-A-Way Hollow in Ohio.

"Wally's Christmas Tree Farm at Santa's Hide-A-Way Hollow", is a non-profit organization founded in 1981. This is dedicated to working with seriously and terminally ill children and their families to provide comfort and support throughout the final stages of the child's illness. Many children ask to see Santa for a last Christmas as they near the end of their struggle. Santa's Hide-A-Way is committed to meeting that very need giving his healing spirit to all!

Always there with a ready smile and help where needed, Karen has been a confident leader. We wish her well for her future Airstream endeavors.

And now the members of Region 4 want to welcome Brad Briggs as our new president. We are looking forward to Brad's leadership and wish him all the best in the two years ahead.

## REGION 5

Artie Martin, Contributing Editor  
[airstreamclub.org/region5](http://airstreamclub.org/region5)

### This month I would like to talk about "Volunteering"

Every time I attend an Airstream Rally, whether it be Club, Region, or International, it appears that members are having fun! Members gather for breakfasts, lunches, dinners, social hours, around campfires, museums, entertainment, worship, community service and too many more occasions to count. All this activity did not just happen by itself. It happened because someone volunteered! Someone stepped up to the plate and shouted, "Let me have a crack at this"! Throughout the Airstream Club, there are many

instances of clubs/units having difficulty filling officer positions. Some club/units have had to recycle their officers thru numerous times to keep the club from dissolving.

This makes no sense to me. How could all of these gatherings be so much fun and yet we struggle to keep officers in positions? Let me give you this scenario:

If a club/unit has 25 actively participating members, and each member volunteered to be President just once, it would keep the officer-ship intact for 25 years!! How is it possible to have so much fun and not take just 1 or 2 years to guide your friends on new adventures? When you volunteer, you get to choose where you will be camping all year! Take your friends to your favorite places. Show them things in your hometown. Take them to your favorite restaurant. Or take your friends on an adventure to someplace no one has ever been to. Then find out together what it is like around that next curve!

Yes, there is a little paperwork involved, but it has gotten much easier since most everything is online now thanks to our great leadership at Jackson Center and our International Officers. And you need not be afraid when you run up against something you can't solve. There are thousands of friends to call upon to figure it out!

I urge all of our members across the world to take the next step! It is rewarding!

It's fun! It's meaningful! And best of all... You will sleep better at night knowing you contributed to the best camping club in the world! The Wally Byam Airstream Club!

Officer Status for Region 5 is as follows:

Region 5 needs a 2<sup>nd</sup> Vice President ASAP. Contact Robert Whitesell, Chris Seplak, or Artie Martin for more information.

Officer status for Region 5 Clubs/Units is as follows:

The Kentucky Club needs a 1<sup>st</sup> Vice President immediately. There is no one to take over duties as of October 2021. They would like to have a 2<sup>nd</sup> Vice President as well! Please contact Karl Weisenberger or Steve Broering for more information.

The Illinois Lincolnland Club has recycled presidents multiple times over the past few years. If you have attended their rallies and had a good time, then Volunteer! A first-time president always brings new adventure to a club!

Here is a word from our Region 5 President Chris Seplak and his spouse Nancy:

Nancy and I are inviting you to attend the 2021 Region 5 Rally at Kosciusko County Fairgrounds in Warsaw, IN on Wednesday, September 15 to Sunday, September 19.

There is a lot of activities in area of Warsaw. Warsaw has 3 lakes in the city limits for fishing and recreational fun. We will be on the edge of Winona Lake on the fairgrounds. Warsaw is famous for being the Orthopedic Capital of the World. Also, Warsaw is one of three places in the world to have a cut-glass factory, not chemical cut, but actual hand-cut glass. South of Warsaw about 15 minutes in Silver Lake is Whetstone Wooden Ware where they make all kinds of wooden spoons, forks, spatulas, and wood ware.

This year there will be no early parking. Your cost will include 4 nights camping (We can't get in early this year) and 3 breakfasts prepared by the local clubs. We will have the opening ceremony on Wednesday night with the annual Ice Cream Social (FYI, there are 4 ice cream stands in the city of Warsaw!). Entertainment on Friday night with our own Artie Martin. Admission to the RV Museum & Hall of Fame in Elkhart on Thursday morning. More to information to come.

On Saturday night, **FOR THE FIRST 100 PEOPLE (not trailers) REGISTERED**, we will be having the banquet on the S.S. Lillypad boat on Wawasee Lake in Syracuse, IN as part of the cost of the rally. Register Early!

We will have 50 or 30 Amp electrical service on the grounds. Water service will be daisy chained (Please bring 50-foot water hose and a Y splitter). Fires will be allowed only in the fire pits. There is a dump station on the grounds for Sunday morning. Shower and bathroom facilities are available on the grounds also. No pets will be allowed in the buildings but are allowed on the fairgrounds.

After last year's cancellation, we are looking forward to seeing everyone again. Any questions, please feel free to contact me.

See you down the Road  
Christopher and Nancy Seplak  
Region 5 President

## REGION 6

Mark Magie, Contributing Editor  
[airstreamclub.org/region6](http://airstreamclub.org/region6)

Many Region 6 Airstreamers will be heading to Lebanon, TN for the 64<sup>th</sup> annual Wally Byam Airstream Club International Rally set for July 17-24, 2021.

The 2021 Region 6 Rally is October 7-14 at Johnny's Lakeside RV Resort in Foley, AL.

On September 28 - October 2, join the Alabama Airstream Club and Region 6 at the 54th Tennessee Valley Old Time Fiddlers Convention in Athens, AL. Rally participants have great on-site parking and exclusive events at this WBAC National Rally. You are encouraged to register early to make sure you will be there when the fun begins.

Arkansas Razorback Airstream Club members will be floating on the Buffalo River, America's first national river, June 10-13, and camping at Shady Oaks Campground in Harrison, AR.

On June 10-13, the East Tennessee Club will head to the Top of Georgia Airstream-only park near the Bavarian village of Helen, GA and enjoy river tubing, hiking to waterfalls, and scenic mountain vistas.

The Louisiana Airstream Club and Mississippi Airstream Club members will be headed to Lebanon, TN for the July 17-24 WBAC International Rally.

The Music City Airstream Club members will be camping at Dale Hollow Dam near Celina, TN, June 14-18. Dale Hollow Lake was completed in 1943 by the Corps of Engineers and the dam is used for hydroelectric power generation. The lake is more than 27,500 acres and covers portions of Tennessee and Kentucky.

Join the Pensacola Florida Airstream Club members for their Mystic Springs Cove Fair on June 17-20, and a Celebrate the 4th rally July 8-11. All unit rallies are at Mystic Springs Cove in McDavid, FL.

## REGION 7

Jane Carmichael, Contributing Editor  
[airstreamclub.org/region7](http://airstreamclub.org/region7)

Hello to our Region 7 Members and to Our Readers. We are looking forward to the upcoming WBCCI International Rally in July and to our Region 7 Rally in August.

2021 is shaping up to be a very differently-looking calendar than one year ago - and that is good.

Your Region 7 Club Presidents, Chuck Dodd, Gordon Picken, and Rod Fierek, have lined up the delegates to represent you at the WBCCI International Rally. These three Presidents are on the Region 7 Board this year, too.

If you would like to caravan to the WBCCI International Rally, please contact Pete Yanke, Co-Chair of the Region 7 Caravan Committee at [pyanke@aol.com](mailto:pyanke@aol.com)

We continue to seek nominations for the office of Region 7 2nd Vice President. I will be stepping down in a year and Beth is looking forward to having a teammate. It is a team effort to keep the Wally Byam Caravan Club organization thriving, so please consider nominating a Region 7 member. Let's keep the fun, adventure, and fellowship for the WBCCI Airstream Club members vibrant.

As a reminder, if you need to change your campsite reservation for the Region 7 Rally, please call the Rippling River Resort (906-273-2259). If you cancel 2 weeks before the start of your reservation, you will receive a full refund. If you miss that timeframe, there is no refund.

Region 7 Treasurer informs me that some Rally Fees for the Region 7 Rally need to be paid. If you haven't paid, please go to [airstreamclub.org/region7](http://airstreamclub.org/region7), select the 2021 Rally and complete the registration form.

Then mail your registration form and the rally fee, payable to WBCCI Region 7 to Chuck Zellermyer, Treasurer, 400 Garland Court, Waukesha, WI 53188. Thank you.

And what do you get for \$80? You will receive 4 dinners, a wine tasting, 1 picnic lunch and a pastries morning. Coffee each morning will be available in the tent. An ice cream dessert will be provided by the Wisc-UP Airstream Club.

There will be educational sessions to possibly include Quilting, Fly-Fishing, Keeping Your Airstream Looking Great, We Went to Alaska, and Ideas for Having Fun at Rallies.

Expect a Primer regarding Anatomy of a Murder, a couple of self-guided tours, and FREE TIME with suggestions of places to go, things to do and what to see.

Our charity is UPAWS, the Upper Peninsula Animal Welfare Shelter. To raise \$, we will have a silent auction. If you care to donate a really cool item, that would be wonderful.

Please join the Costumed Pet Parade on Sunday, 8/22. Yes, costumes & pets. What could be more entertaining? Not sure how to put a costume on a fish, but you could try!

If you want to caravan to the Region 7 Rally, please contact Region 7 Membership Chair Linda Agre at [agre5628@aol.com](mailto:agre5628@aol.com)

It's exciting to hold the 2021 Region 7 Rally in the Upper Peninsula of Michigan. Maybe 2021 seems that much more enjoyable because we are emerging from our 2020 hibernation.

Have a fine summer and Get Out and Enjoy the Great Outdoors!

## REGION 8

Mike Sisk, Contributing Editor  
[airstreamclub.org/region8](http://airstreamclub.org/region8)

What a road Cheryl and I have traveled the past two years! We have many fond memories as we reflect back as President and First Lady of Region 8. The members in this region are awesome and were very supportive to us and we thank them for that. Who would have thought all of our activities would be canceled last year? We learned all about alternate ways to hold meetings and to communicate within our clubs. Even though most of our time in 2020 was spent away from family and friends, our appreciation for the "Great Outdoors" only grew stronger.

The support of HQ and my peer Region Presidents has been outstanding. The friendships that developed will last a lifetime. There were many positive changes in the Club and I am glad to be a part of this organization. Last year when the Covid pandemic struck, we did a lot of scrambling by canceling luncheons, rallies and caravans, all in the name of safety and protection of our members. Now, this year, there is a more positive outlook on holding our activities. They may be a bit different than in the past and that's ok. Airstreamers are not only flexible but excellent at adapting.

So, what's planned for activities in Region 8 this year? The calendar for this summer and fall is quite full. Here are what's been scheduled for June and July: **Missouri-Kansas Airstream Club** -Just For Fun Rally June 11-13, Bloomington East Campground at Clinton Lake, Lawrence, KS; **Greater St. Louis Airstream Club** - Old Threshers Reunion/Buddy Rally June 17-21, Mt. Pleasant, IA; **Nebraska Airstream Club** - Viking Lake Rally July 9-11, Viking Lake State Park, Stanton, IA; **Iowa North Airstream Club** - June Rally June 3-6 at Viking Lake State Park, Stanton, IA; **Missouri Greater Ozark Unit** - No Host Rally June 3-6, Coachlight RV Park, Carthage, MO.

We hope you will join us at the 2021 International Rally, July 17-24 in Lebanon, TN.

## REGION 9

Nancy Fitzgerald, Contributing Editor  
[airstreamclub.org/region9](http://airstreamclub.org/region9)

What road are you taking to Lebanon? I hope your journey takes you through Region 9. Most of our ten clubs will be represented at International 64 in July. If you take Route 66, friends from the Texas

Plains Unit in Amarillo area invite you to join their 7-rig caravan. They will wait for you if you want to take the 72-oz steak challenge at the Big Texas Steak Ranch. It is a free meal if you can eat every bite in under 60 minutes. If you do not meet the Plains Unit in Amarillo, say howdy to them at International. They will be helping with parking and honoring our beloved Region 9 Airstreamer Dick Lanham who died from Covid complications in 2020. Dick loved volunteering at International and led many of us to our parking space for the last ten years. His joyous smile will be missed. He and wife Sherri took Randy and me under their wings at our first International in Doswell. Dick is a Texas Airstream legend. Oklahoma Airstream Club member Larry Walters says there is nothing that screams summer louder than an Oklahoma lake visit. Off I-40 outside of Sallisaw and Vian lies the beautiful, clear, and cold waters of Lake Tenkiller. (A favorite teenage camping memory for me is tying a rope around a watermelon and suspending it deep into Tenkiller to enjoy later. I lost a couple of melons along the way, but all part of the memory.) For people coming up I-35, Larry recommends Turner Falls and the nearby Chickasha National Recreation Area and Lake of the Arbuckles. How about a music festival on your way to International? Larry recommends the Woody Guthrie Folk Festival in Okemah, OK right off I-40. The festival is July 14-19 so you might be able to catch a day or two. South of the Dallas/Fort Worth area on I-35 is the quaint town of Hillsboro TX and home of the North Texas Airstream Club and many Heart of Texas Club members too. These streamers invite you to spend a couple of nights with them at North Texas Airstream Community (NTAC). Many former International officers reside at NTAC so you may reconnect with a friend while you are there. A beautiful way to Lebanon might be through the heart of central Texas. Three units - Alamo, Highland Lakes, and Hill Country are heading to Tennessee and invite you to journey with them. Be forewarned - these groups rally hard and always travel the roads less taken. Several rigs from the Greater Houston Airstream Club are joining Texas Gulf Coast Unit at Texas Airstream Harbor (TAHI) on Lake Sam Rayburn before pushing off for Tennessee. If your journey to International takes you to the southeast portion of the state, consider jumping off I-10 East around Houston and heading north to Zavalla, TX and Texas's second Airstream Park. You will find plenty of places to fish, kayak, or relax before continuing and you might end up traveling along with the new friends you will make in this part of Region 9. Whichever road you take, Texas and Oklahoma Airstreamers look forward to seeing you in Tennessee.

## REGION 10

Darlene Caldwell, Contributing Editor  
[airstreamclub.org/region10](http://airstreamclub.org/region10)

Members of Region 10 are on the road. It is rally and caravan season!

The Covid vaccines are arriving. When the border opens, consider rolling through all the Clubs in Region 10 - each club has rallies scheduled. Many Clubs are planning joint rallies with a nearby local club. What a great idea to meet new people and see another area.

The Alberta Saskatchewan Club has the Canada Day rally planned June 30-July 4, location to be confirmed, but expected in Southern Alberta or Saskatchewan; and the August long weekend rally at Coronation, Alberta.

The British Columbia Club has planned the fishing tour in June at Sheridan Lake; and the Hedley Hoedown at Riverhaven RV Park near Hedley, also in June.

The BC Club continues its initiative, begun 5 years ago, working with a Mexican caravan company, to present a 57-day caravan to Mexico including Baja, La Paz, Mazatlan for carnival and the Copper Canyon by rail for January 28-March 23, 2022.

The Idaho Club is planning a rally in June and their installation rally August 27-29 at Canyon Pines RV Resort near Pollock. A great campground and always a good rally.

The Inland NW Washington Club has planned a rally at Kootenai River Campground near Troy, MT from June 24-27 and an "Over the Border Rally" at Nakusp Municipal Campground near Nakusp, BC (if the border opens). There is also a rally planned for August 27-29 and a fall rally in October. The club has also planned a "rendezvous" or casual get together July 7-11 at Peach Beach RV Park near Goldendale, WA.

The Montana Club is planning to attend the Hands across the Border Rally on Labour Day weekend in September near Regina, Saskatchewan.

The Oregon Club has several rallies planned over the next couple of months; including a Sea and Sand Rally near Depoe Bay from June 1-4; Theatre Rally at Ashland from June 7-14; the Kayak rally at Skamokawa, WA June 24-27 and Friends Rally July 8-11 at Montesano, WA.

The Region 10 VAC Club has a rally planned for July 15-18 at Friend's Landing near Aberdeen, WA.

The Washington Club has planned "It's a Blast" rally in June and plan to make a splash at their rally in Darlington, WA on July 15-18.

All the Region 10 clubs have planned summer activities for our members. Let's show our support for their efforts in this unique time. All members are welcome to attend any rally, as long as there is space; just contact the rally host to confirm attendance and space. Spaces fill up quickly, so sign up early if a sign up is needed. Be sure to check the local club website for updates and information.

If you have vacation time, or want to travel, plan a trip to the International Rally in Lebanon, TN. It is a great rally to put on your list and you will have an exciting trip with plenty of scenery along the way.

If the parks and rallies are filled, you can boondock if you are still in self-isolation mode. Consider that. Any outside adventure in which to enjoy your Airstream is a treat.

All of our club members are looking forward to vaccinations and border opening so that all our normal caravans can fully operate. Our Region 10 President, Michel Bourassa, is still working on a Region 10 caravan to travel to all Clubs in Region 10. Just waiting on that border being opened.

Later in the season, Region 10 has two unique rallies - the Pendleton Roundup in September which is hosted by the Oregon Club and the Sun Valley Jazz and Music Festival in October, hosted by Region 10. More details on the International Club website and search "Events" for details and registration details.

There are caravans to consider - the Polar Bear Caravan to Churchill, Manitoba is still planned. Local clubs also have caravans to consider. Check the club website.

Please check the Region website ([airstreamclub.org/region10](http://airstreamclub.org/region10)) and local club sites for details of these and other rallies. Please be sure to check with host of the rally to confirm space and activities.

## REGION 11

Robert Doster, Contributing Editor  
[airstreamclub.org/region11](http://airstreamclub.org/region11)

The Utah Wasatch Airstream Club is going to the Sam Stowe Campground in Fremont Indian State Park on June 10-13. This is a Mostly Camping Rally but in a beautiful and interesting place to do just that. The Fremont Indians lived in the area more than 1,000 years ago and the park was established to preserve their unique culture. The campground is located along 1-70 near Sevier, UT.

The Arizona Airstream Club is going to Delores, CO at the Delores River Campgrounds for the Delores River Rally. The Arizona Airstream Club will be joined by the Region 11 Vintage Airstream Club. The music festival that normally occurs at this time has been cancelled, but individual musicians will be presenting and entertaining in smaller venues.

The Vintage Airstream Club will have two days of presentations focusing on the theme of Rebuild, Restore, or Refurbish. Steve Bittner will give a presentation of a complete rebuild of a 1947 Wee Wind, Ken Johansen will be giving a Cyclo polishing demonstration and Rodney Sly will be leading a discussion on axle choices.

## REGION 12

Robert Stansbury, Contributing Editor  
[airstreamclub.org/region12](http://airstreamclub.org/region12)

Once again, it's hello to California and Nevada Airstreamers. Cecelia and I just returned from a visit with our daughter in San Diego. When we heard of a double rally in Chula Vista, we crashed it. The El Camino and South Coast clubs each had a rally on the same weekend. They met at a brand new RV Resort called Costa Vista. The city of Chula Vista is tearing down an old RV park to make way for a new Convention Center. They allowed a brand new facility with a couple of hundred sites to be built nearby as a replacement. It was pretty fancy and not a low budget location. Hopefully, other clubs will give it a try.

The International Rally in Tennessee is almost sold out (703 as of 4/15). There is still time to sign up even in June. I have been put in charge of religious services at the rally. I would welcome some positive wishes on my behalf.

Your votes for R12 have been tabulated and turned in. The vote was unanimous. Congratulations to the new future officers of Region 12. They are 2<sup>nd</sup> Vice President, Pat Lazzereschi from the NorCal Club, 1st Vice President, Abe Hernandez from the San Diego Club and President LaVerne McHenry from the Greater Bay Area Club. The new president will be installed in Tennessee when Cecelia steps down in July.

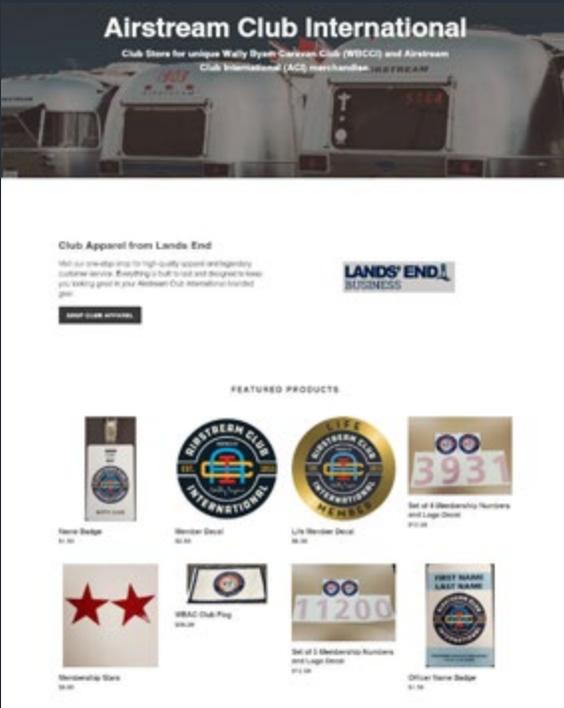
The Stansburys will be parking their trailer and truck back East after the International Rally. We will fly home and return in 5 weeks to begin the Made in America Caravan. It starts at the Airstream Factory in Ohio. It doesn't make sense to drive home 2000 miles and then turn right around and drive back. We will miss the R12 Rally at Cava Robles. The RV Park has the Rally booked and we hope a lot of you will attend.

Two members have responded to my request for names you have given your Airstreams. Ken and Rosemary Tubman have christened their trailer "Tub Boat." This is an obvious "play on words" with their last name. Dustin and Teycee Merritt call their Airstream "Routes."



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# From the Vice President of Sales



Justin Humphreys

Greetings from your extended family here in Jackson Center, OH! Now that warmer weather is here and the seasons have fully shifted to spring, I hope many of you are on the road enjoying your Airstreams!

Business continues to boom here at Airstream, so much so, we are nearly sold out for the remainder of the calendar year on most models. By sold out, I mean the orders we have for our dealers almost all have a customer name on them. Retail sold orders typically make up approximately 10-15% of our backlog during any given time, however, since sales have taken off since the pandemic, it is nearly 100% of everything we are making! Just another example of how crazy the times are right now and how blessed we are as a company to be in an industry with such high demand.

There has been a lot of coverage in the news about how the supply chain of many industries has been disrupted so much the past 12 months. Airstream and the rest of the RV industry is no exception to these challenges. From micro-chips to mattresses to just about every appliance we purchase, the availability has been extremely low and frustrating to say the least. Business is so good it is bad right now; which is the best way I can describe it. Many of these delays in getting parts has significantly delayed our production schedules along with our ability to increase production rates. It is the most challenging supply chain dynamics Airstream has ever experienced in 90 years of business. In a typical year, it isn't unusual to have a particular part from a stressed industry that is suddenly hard to get. It could be a shortage of steel or aluminum, lumber, electronics, or any other specific part that is disrupted from some world event. The crazy thing about today's challenge, is that these disruptions are happening across just about every component and every industry we buy to build an Airstream. It truly is unprecedented!

So what is Airstream doing about this once in a generation challenge with regard to supply chain? I am glad you asked! The team here at Airstream has intentionally reduced the work in engineering on new products to focus on procuring new parts and designing new parts to overcome the massive shortfall and support our current products. It is all hands on deck moment as we add significant resources across the company to address this challenge. In addition, our supply chain team is working creatively with suppliers to ensure we get a steady stream of parts and finding innovative ways to make it a win-win for them and us. There has been a lot of success stories in working with our suppliers on alternative parts or modifying how we order and receive to ensure supply. It has been great watching multiple departments working together to address this problem. Sometimes it is sales rearranging the production schedule to produce models we have parts for first and pushing out the models we are short parts on further to help operations. It is a full team effort.

Despite our many successes, there are still many delays. So if you have an Airstream on order right now, I apologize if you are experiencing delays and appreciate your patience as we navigate through these times. It can be frustrating when you cannot get an exact off-line date, just keep in mind we are having similar problems getting specific dates from our suppliers. I

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I am happy to report that today is better than yesterday and tomorrow looks even more promising than today. However, we expect the supply shortages to last throughout the summer.

Airstream recognizes that not only do these supply chain challenges impact production, but they also impact service. If you have your Airstream in for work at a dealer, they too have experienced similar delays in getting replacement parts from our suppliers. Please know we are working hard to try and balance the two challenges at the same time but expect some delays on warranty repairs and normal service appointments this summer as well.

I am happy to report our museum construction is fully underway as they are building it out right now as I type. The Airstream team CANNOT wait to show this off to each of you when it is complete, and tours can resume. The plan now is to have a grand opening during our Alumapalooza rally this September, with the caveat that it could change given CDC and Ohio guidelines around Covid. Fingers are crossed we can hold to this date!

On behalf of 1,237 hard working families in Jackson Center, OH, I want to thank you for your continued support of our company. It means the world to each of us here at Airstream. Travel safe and keep healthy!

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## International Rally

Jul 17-24 2021 International Rally, Lebanon, Tennessee

## National Rallies

Sep 13-19 Pendleton Round-Up, Pendleton, OR

Sep 25-Oct 3 Swiss Festival, Sugarcreek, OH

Sep 28-Oct 2 Athens Old Time Fiddlers, Athens, GA

Sep 29-Oct 3 Storytelling Festival, Jonesborough, TN

Oct 2-5 Balloon Fiesta, Albuquerque, NM

Oct 7-11 Columbus Day & Canadian Thanksgiving, Leicester, VT

Oct 12-17 Sun Valley Jazz & Music Festival, Sun Valley, ID

Dec 28 -  
Jan 1, 2022 Rose Parade, Pasadena, CA



## REGION 1 Activities

Region 1 Website: [airstreamclub.org/region1](http://airstreamclub.org/region1)

Jun 17-20 Region 1 Rally, Northampton, MA  
Oct 7-11 Columbus Day/Canadian Thanksgiving Rally, Leicester, VT

Cape Cod Massachusetts Airstream Club -  
[airstreamclub.org/cape-cod-massachusetts](http://airstreamclub.org/cape-cod-massachusetts)

Jun 4-6 Scusset Beach Rendezvous, Scusset Beach State Reservation, 20 Scusset Beach Rd, Sagamore MA 02562, Eddie Carl & Scott & Raquel Remy, [ecarl62@gmail.com](mailto:ecarl62@gmail.com)

Jun 25-27 Lake Pemaquid Rally, Lake Pemaquid CG, 100 Twin Cove Lane, Damariscotta ME 04543, Heather & Jared Lawler 207-831-4712, [airstream4998@gmail.com](mailto:airstream4998@gmail.com)

Jul 9-11 Summer Fun on the Connecticut River Rally, Pastures CG, 499 NH Rte 10, Orford NH 03777, Eddie Carl & Roland & Sandie St. Laurent & Toni Nolder, [ecarl62@gmail.com](mailto:ecarl62@gmail.com)

Charter Oak Connecticut Airstream Club -  
[airstreamclub.org/charter-oak-connecticut](http://airstreamclub.org/charter-oak-connecticut)

New England Airstream Club - [airstreamclub.org/new-england](http://airstreamclub.org/new-england)

Aug 13-15 Outdoor Mystic Art Festival Rally w/Charter Oaks Airstream Club, Seaport RV Resort & CG, 860-536-4113 <https://www.sunrvresorts.com/resorts/new-england/connecticut/seaport/>, 45 Campground Rd, Old Mystic CT 06372, Tess McShane 860-536-4113, [suzzypoi@gmail.com](mailto:suzzypoi@gmail.com)

Aug 20-22 Farm to Table Rally w/Northeast Mountaineers Airstream Club, Lake Forest RV Resort, 150 Dearborn Rd, East Wakefield NH 03830, Doug Hart, [doug.hart352@gmail.com](mailto:doug.hart352@gmail.com)

Northeast Mountaineers Airstream Club -  
[airstreamclub.org/northeast-mountaineers](http://airstreamclub.org/northeast-mountaineers)

Jun 24-27 Summer Fun on the Battenkill, Camping on the Battenkill 802-375-6663 <https://campingonthebattenkill.com/>, 48 Camping on the Battenkill, Arlington VT 05250, Paul Hynek, [xcskiyt@comcast.net](mailto:xcskiyt@comcast.net)

Aug 20-22 Farm to Table Rally w/New England Airstream Club, Lake Forest Resort 603-522-3306 <http://www.lakeforestrvresort.com/>, 150 Dearborn Rd, East Wakefield NH 03830, Tim Vadney, [tvadney@me.com](mailto:tvadney@me.com)

Quebec Canada Unit - [airstreamclub.org/quebec-canada](http://airstreamclub.org/quebec-canada)

Jul 16-18 La Ronde Airstream – FQCC, La Ronde, Ile Ste-Helene, Parking Cap-sur-Mer, Montreal QC H3C 6A3, Canada, Christian Richard, [crichard@renovationcsr.com](mailto:crichard@renovationcsr.com)

Aug 12-15 Rendezvous in the Land of the Sagouine, Les Maury Camping Vineyard, 2021 NB-475, Saint-Edouard de Kent, NB E4S 4W2 Canada, Bernard Lanteigne & Lucie Robichaud 514-795-6070, [info@lostvintage.ca](mailto:info@lostvintage.ca)

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## REGION 2 *Activities*



Region 2 Website: [airstreamclub.org/region2](http://airstreamclub.org/region2)

- Jul 21 Region 2 Luncheon, Richard Short,  
[Region2President@airstreamclub.net](mailto:Region2President@airstreamclub.net)  
Aug 31-Oct 2 A Region 2 Caravan: 32 Days, Region 2  
Maritimes Caravan, St. Andrews NB  
E5B 1A2 Canada, Kerry Mattila 613-258-2842,  
[124caravan@airstreamclub.net](mailto:124caravan@airstreamclub.net)

Al-Mon-O Pennsylvania Airstream Club -  
[airstreamclub.org/al-mon-o-pennsylvania](http://airstreamclub.org/al-mon-o-pennsylvania)

- Jun 11-13 Rally, Wolf's Camping Resort 814-797-1103 <https://www.wolfscampingresort.com/>, 308 Timberwolf Run, Knox PA 16232, Cody Klingler & Matt Moore 724-504-6884, [cwk5292@gmail.com](mailto:cwk5292@gmail.com)  
Jul 31 Picnic, Boltz Shelter, 1617 PA-268, East Brady PA 16028, Cody Klingler & Matt Moore 724-504-6884, [cwk5292@gmail.com](mailto:cwk5292@gmail.com)  
Aug 20-22 Bluegrass Rally, Laurel Hill SP <http://www.reserveamerica.com>, 1454 Laurel Hill Park Rd, Somerset PA 15501, Julie & Craig Jansen, [jucrjansen@comcast.net](mailto:jucrjansen@comcast.net)

Central Pennsylvania Airstream Club - [airstreamclub.org/central-pennsylvania](http://airstreamclub.org/central-pennsylvania)

Delaware Valley New Jersey Unit -  
[airstreamclub.org/delaware-valley-new-jersey](http://airstreamclub.org/delaware-valley-new-jersey)

DelMarVa Airstream Club - [airstreamclub.org/delmarva](http://airstreamclub.org/delmarva)

- Jun 1-13 "Around Pennsylvania Caravan", Caledonia SP, 101 Pine Grove Rd, Fayetteville PA 17222, Katharine Dowell, [mom2jaydee@gmail.com](mailto:mom2jaydee@gmail.com)  
Jun 25-27 Shad Landing Rally, Pocomoke River SP - Shad Landing Area, 3461 Worcester Hwy (Rte 113), Snow Hill MD 21863, Katharine Dowell, [mom2jaydee@gmail.com](mailto:mom2jaydee@gmail.com)  
Jul 3 Picnic, 44 Lakeshore Dr, Lewes DE 19958, Katharine Dowell, [mom2jaydee@gmail.com](mailto:mom2jaydee@gmail.com)  
Aug 2-6 Kiptopeke SP Rally, Kiptopeke SP, 3540 Kiptopeke Dr, Cape Charles VA 23310, Katharine Dowell, [mom2jaydee@gmail.com](mailto:mom2jaydee@gmail.com)  
Aug 27-29 Tuckahoe SP Rally, Tuckahoe SP, 13070 Crouse Mill Rd, Queen Anne MD 21657, Katharine Dowell, [mom2jaydee@gmail.com](mailto:mom2jaydee@gmail.com)

Hudson-Mohawk New York Unit - [airstreamclub.org/hudson-mohawk-new-york](http://airstreamclub.org/hudson-mohawk-new-york)

- Jun 4-5 Whittle Memorial Buddy Rally, Lake George RV Park <https://www.lakegeorgervpark.com/>, 74 St Rt 149, Lake George NY 12845, Sue & Geoff Whittle 518-378-2396, [whittle06@gmail.com](mailto:whittle06@gmail.com)  
Aug 4-9 Frontier Town Rally, Frontier Town CG 518-532-9051 <https://newyorkstateparks.reserveamerica.com/camping/frontier-town-campground/r/campgroundDetails.do?contractCode=NY&parkId=6235>, 2686 Rte 9, North Hudson NY 12855, Bill & Barbara Schultz (reserve through Reserve America)

Keystone Pennsylvania Unit - [airstreamclub.org/keystone-pennsylvania](http://airstreamclub.org/keystone-pennsylvania)

- Jun 18-20 Summer at the Shore, Jersey Shore Haven, 728 Dennisville Rd, Cape May Court House NJ 08210, Kathleen Quinn  
Aug 14-28 New England Caravan, Jody & Sue Dietz, 1984 Yarnell Rd, Pottstown PA 19464, Jody Dietz, [jdietz4361@gmail.com](mailto:jdietz4361@gmail.com)

Metropolitan New York Airstream Club -  
[airstreamclub.org/metropolitan-new-york](http://airstreamclub.org/metropolitan-new-york)

- Jun 24-27 Lackawanna SP Rally, Lackawanna SP, 1839 Abington Rd, North Abington Township NY, Barbara Trevouledes 516-241-5924,  
[Babs4008@yahoo.com](mailto:Babs4008@yahoo.com)

Mid-Atlantic Airstream Club - [airstreamclub.org/mid-atlantic](http://airstreamclub.org/mid-atlantic)

New Jersey Unit - [airstreamclub.org/new-jersey](http://airstreamclub.org/new-jersey)

New York Finger Lakes Airstream Club -  
[airstreamclub.org/new-york-finger-lakes](http://airstreamclub.org/new-york-finger-lakes)

- Aug 13-15 Hickories Park Rally in Owego, Hickories Park, 359 Hickories Park Rd, Owego NY 13827, John & Nancy Hussar,  
[hushearts@greygoosegraphics.com](mailto:hushearts@greygoosegraphics.com)

Ontario Canada Airstream Club - [airstreamclub.org/ontario-canada](http://airstreamclub.org/ontario-canada)

Penn-Lehigh Airstream Club - [airstreamclub.org/penn-lehigh](http://airstreamclub.org/penn-lehigh)

- Aug 5-8 Rally at Jersey Shore Haven Airstream Park, Jersey Shore Haven Airstream Park <http://www.jerseyshorehaven.org>, 728 Dennisville Rd, Cape May NJ 08210, Cindy Collister, [cmcmupa@comcast.net](mailto:cmcmupa@comcast.net)

Pennsylvania Airstream Club - [airstreamclub.org/pennsylvania](http://airstreamclub.org/pennsylvania)

Washington DC Unit - [airstreamclub.org/washington-dc](http://airstreamclub.org/washington-dc)

- Aug 19-22 Harpers Ferry Rally, Harpers Ferry KOA, 343 Campground Rd, Harpers Ferry WV 25425, Kim & Danee Alaniz, [daneekim2468@gmail.com](mailto:daneekim2468@gmail.com)

Watchung NJ Airstream Club - [airstreamclub.org/watchung-nj](http://airstreamclub.org/watchung-nj)

## REGION 3 *Activities*



Region 3 Website: [airstreamclub.org/region3](http://airstreamclub.org/region3)

Big Bend Florida Airstream Club - [airstreamclub.org/big-bend-florida](http://airstreamclub.org/big-bend-florida)

Carolinas Airstream Club - [airstreamclub.org/carolinas](http://airstreamclub.org/carolinas)

Coastal Georgia Airstream Club - [airstreamclub.org/coastal-georgia](http://airstreamclub.org/coastal-georgia)

Florida Airstream Club - [airstreamclub.org/florida](http://airstreamclub.org/florida)

Florida Suncoast Airstream Unit - [airstreamclub.org/florida-suncoast](http://airstreamclub.org/florida-suncoast)

Florida Treasure Coast Airstream Club -  
[airstreamclub.org/florida-treasure-coast](http://airstreamclub.org/florida-treasure-coast)

Northern Virginia Airstream Club - [airstreamclub.org/northern-virginia](http://airstreamclub.org/northern-virginia)

- Jun 18-20 Outlander River Rally, Outlanders River Camp 540-743-5540, 4253 US-211, Luray VA 22835, Doug & Gail Perkins 540-847-9559,  
[dougp2@verizon.net](mailto:dougp2@verizon.net)

Palmetto State Airstream Club - [airstreamclub.org/palmetto-state](http://airstreamclub.org/palmetto-state)

- Jun 11-13 Kids Rally, Palmetto Cove RV Park, 521 Table Rock Rd, Cleveland SC 29635, Kathy Welch, [kmw320@gmail.com](mailto:kmw320@gmail.com)  
Aug 13-15 Smoky Mtn Bingo & BBQ Rally, Top of Georgia Airstream Park, 14255 GA-75, Helen GA 30545, Eric Pollard, [erictpollard@gmail.com](mailto:erictpollard@gmail.com)

Piedmont North Carolina Airstream Club -  
[airstreamclub.org/piedmont-north-carolina](http://airstreamclub.org/piedmont-north-carolina)

South Carolina Coastal Airstream Club -  
[airstreamclub.org/south-carolina-coastal](http://airstreamclub.org/south-carolina-coastal)

South Florida Airstream Club - [airstreamclub.org/south-florida](http://airstreamclub.org/south-florida)

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#### Southeastern Camping Unit - [airstreamclub.org/southeastern-camping-unit](http://airstreamclub.org/southeastern-camping-unit)

- Jun 3-6 Monte Sano SP Rally 2.0, Monte Sano SP, <https://www.alapark.com/parks/monte-sano-state-park>, 5105 Nolan Ave, Huntsville AL 35801, Annette Conoly, [012president@airstreamclub.net](mailto:012president@airstreamclub.net)
- Jul 29-Aug 3 Wine Down Rally, The Great Outdoors RV Resort 828-349-0412 [http://govvresort2.com/?utm\\_source=GoodSam](http://govvresort2.com/?utm_source=GoodSam), 321 Thumpers Trail, Franklin NC 28734, Annette Conoly, [012president@airstreamclub.net](mailto:012president@airstreamclub.net)

#### Spirit of Virginia Airstream Club - [airstreamclub.org/spirit-of-virginia](http://airstreamclub.org/spirit-of-virginia)

- Jun 10-13 Breaks Interstate Park Rally, Breaks Interstate Park, 627 Commission Cir, Breaks VA 24607, Bob Sachs 202-577-5860, [safari27fbse@hotmail.com](mailto:safari27fbse@hotmail.com)

#### Tidewater Virginia Airstream Club - [airstreamclub.org/tidewater-virginia](http://airstreamclub.org/tidewater-virginia)

- Jun 11-13 Belle Isle SP Rally, Belle Isle SP, 1632 Belle Isle Rd, Lancaster VA 22503, Tim & Beverly Supler, [supler@cstone.net](mailto:supler@cstone.net)
- Aug 13-15 North Bend Park CG Rally, North Bend Park CG, John H. Kerr Reservoir, 64 N Bend Dr, Boydton VA 23917, Larry & Rhonda Evans 757-635-8972

#### Top of Georgia Airstream Club - [airstreamclub.org/top-of-georgia](http://airstreamclub.org/top-of-georgia)

- Jun 16-20 Youth Rally, Top of Georgia Airstream Park, 14255 Hwy 75 N, Helen GA 30545, Mary Anne Meeks 770-595-4404, [mapmeeks@bellsouth.net](mailto:mapmeeks@bellsouth.net)
- Jul 1-4 July 4th Patriotic Celebration, Top of Georgia Airstream Park, 14255 Hwy 75 N, Helen GA 30545, Mary Anne Meeks 770-595-4404, [mapmeeks@bellsouth.net](mailto:mapmeeks@bellsouth.net)

#### Virginia Airstream Club - [airstreamclub.org/virginia](http://airstreamclub.org/virginia)

- Aug 5-8 Weekend in the Middle, Misty Mountain Camp Resort <https://www.mistymountaincampresort.com/>, 56 Misty Mountain Rd, Greenwood VA 22943, Jeff Cutright 540-989-6331, [virginiaairstreamclub@gmail.com](mailto:virginiaairstreamclub@gmail.com)
- Aug 20-29 Bike Virginias - Ride the Virginia Creeper, New River, and Greenbrier Trails, KOA Wytheville, VA, 231 KOA Rd, Wytheville VA 24382, Jeff Cutright 540-989-6331, [virginiaairstreamclub@gmail.com](mailto:virginiaairstreamclub@gmail.com)

## REGION 4 Activities



Region 4 Website: [airstreamclub.org/region4](http://airstreamclub.org/region4)

- Sep 25-Oct 3 Swiss Festival, Sugarcreek, OH

#### Akron Ohio Airstream Club - [airstreamclub.org/akron-ohio](http://airstreamclub.org/akron-ohio)

- Jun 16-20 Rally, Walnut Grove CG 419-448-0914 <https://www.walnutgrovecampground.co/>, 7325 S Township Rd 131, Tiffin OH 44883, Brian Wilch, [bnjwilch@gmail.com](mailto:bnjwilch@gmail.com)
- Jul 8-11 Rally, Austin Lake Park CG 740-544-5253 <https://austinelakepark.com/>, 1002 Township Rd 285A, Toronto OH 43964, Linda Stallard 330-441-1676, [linda@stallardtax.com](mailto:linda@stallardtax.com)
- Aug 12-15 Rally, Top-A-Rise CG 716-287-3222 <https://www.toparisecampground.com/>, 4267 Dean School Rd, Falconer NY 14733-9742, Fred Kiehl, [fred@kiehlbuilding.com](mailto:fred@kiehlbuilding.com)

#### Cincinnati Ohio Airstream Club - [airstreamclub.org/cincinnati-ohio](http://airstreamclub.org/cincinnati-ohio)

- Jun 3-6 Campout at the Poor Farmers Antique Tractor, Engine Show & Flea Market, Poor Farmers CG, 7211 Lost Creek-Shelby Rd, Fletcher OH 45326, Mark Kennedy 937-609-9415, [078president@wbcci.net](mailto:078president@wbcci.net)

#### Heart of Ohio Airstream Club - [airstreamclub.org/heart-of-ohio](http://airstreamclub.org/heart-of-ohio)

#### Miami Valley Airstream Club - [airstreamclub.org/miami-valley-ohio](http://airstreamclub.org/miami-valley-ohio)

#### Michigan Airstream Club - [airstreamclub.org/michigan](http://airstreamclub.org/michigan)

- Jun 17-20 Summer Solstice in Petoskey, MI, Magnus City CG <https://airstreamclub.org/sites/default/files/2021-01/Petoskey%20Rally2021.pdf>, 901 W Lake St, Petoskey MI 49770, Fred Bryant 616-240-3724, [fbryant319@gmail.com](mailto:fbryant319@gmail.com)

#### Mid-Eastern Michigan Unit - [airstreamclub.org/mid-eastern-michigan](http://airstreamclub.org/mid-eastern-michigan)

#### Mohican Valley Ohio Airstream Club - [airstreamclub.org/mohican-valley-ohio](http://airstreamclub.org/mohican-valley-ohio)

- Jun 3 Luncheon, Old 30 BBQ, 1330 E Mansfield St, Bucyrus OH 44820, Phyllis Rhodes 419-512-7947, [pirhod59@gmail.com](mailto:pirhod59@gmail.com)
- Jun 10-13 Christmas in June Rally, Pier-Lon CG, 5960 Vandemark Rd, Medina OH 44256, Ruth Pierce 419-989-7351, [rp53tch@neo.rr.com](mailto:rp53tch@neo.rr.com)
- Jul 8-12 Dayton Airshow Rally, Enon Beach CG, 2401 Enon Rd, Springfield OH 45502, Steve Rhodes 567-303-9644, [onerhodes15@gmail.com](mailto:onerhodes15@gmail.com)
- Aug 12 Dinner, Oak Park Tavern, 2919 St Rt 430, Mansfield OH 44901, Marty Weithman 419-468-5004, [rayweithman@gmail.com](mailto:rayweithman@gmail.com)

#### Northern Ohio Virtual Airstream Unit - [airstreamclub.org/northern-ohio-virtual](http://airstreamclub.org/northern-ohio-virtual)

- Jun 11-14 Silver on Silver Lake Rally, Holiday Park CG, 4860 US 31 S, Traverse City MI 49685, Brad Briggs 614 207-1241, [bbriggs57@yahoo.com](mailto:bbriggs57@yahoo.com)
- Jun 21-28 Put-In-Bay Pirate Fest, South Bass Island SP, <https://www.reserveohio.com/OhioCampWeb/>, 1523 Catawba Ave, Put-In-Bay OH 43456, Dan Bihary 440 453-9782, [dbihary@hotmail.com](mailto:dbihary@hotmail.com)
- Jul 14-16 Caravan to 2021 WBCCI International Rally, 945 E Baddour Pkwy, Lebanon TN 37087, John Couger, 614-519-1325, [jcouger@wowway.com](mailto:jcouger@wowway.com)
- Aug 26-29 Rally into the Unknown, Salt Fork State CG, 740-432-1508 <https://www.reserveohio.com/OhioCampWeb/>, 14755 Cadiz Rd, Lore City OH 43755, Tom Diamond 614-271-2811, [tsdiamond@gmail.com](mailto:tsdiamond@gmail.com)

#### Ohio Lake to River Airstream Club - [airstreamclub.org/ohio-lake-river](http://airstreamclub.org/ohio-lake-river)

- Jun 11-14 Rally at Alum Creek SP, Alum Creek SP, 3305 S Old State Rd, Delaware OH 43015, Dave & Nancy Brett 330-774-1287, [dbrett100@gmail.com](mailto:dbrett100@gmail.com)

#### Southeastern Michigan Airstream Club - [airstreamclub.org/southeastern-michigan](http://airstreamclub.org/southeastern-michigan)

- Jun 11-14 Silver on Silver Lake Rally, Holiday Park CG, 4860 US 31 S, Traverse City MI 49685, Barb Derian/Ralph Volk, [SEMACPresident@gmail.com](mailto:SEMACPresident@gmail.com)
- Jul 8-12 Dayton Air Show Rally, Enon Beach Recreation Park, 2401 Enon Rd, Springfield OH 45502, Chip DeLeeuw 517-250-5060, [cdeleeuw@comcast.net](mailto:cdeleeuw@comcast.net)
- Aug 12-15 Lazy, Crazy Hazy Days Rally, Walnut Hills Family CG, 7685 Lehigh Rd, Durand MI 48429, Richard & Cheryl Sands, [cherylsands24@gmail.com](mailto:cherylsands24@gmail.com)

#### The Western Reserve Camping Unit -

[airstreamclub.org/western-reserve-camping-unit](http://airstreamclub.org/western-reserve-camping-unit)

#### West Virginia Airstream Club -

[airstreamclub.org/appalachian-unit-west-virginia](http://airstreamclub.org/appalachian-unit-west-virginia)

## REGION 5 Activities



Region 5 Website: [airstreamclub.org/region5](http://airstreamclub.org/region5)

- Sep 15-19 Region 5 Rally, Warsaw, IN

#### Central Indiana Airstream Club - [airstreamclub.org/central-indiana](http://airstreamclub.org/central-indiana)

- Jul 14-15 Rally to the Rally Prior to International, Cedars of Lebanon SP, <https://www.tnstateparks.com/parks/cedars-of-lebanon>, 328 Cedar Forest Rd, Lebanon TN 37090, Damon Beals 317-696-8215, [damon.beals@gmail.com](mailto:damon.beals@gmail.com)
- Jul 30-Aug 1 "Dog Days of Summer Weekender", Turkey Run SP, <https://indianastateparks.reserveamerica.com/>, 8121 E Park Rd, Marshal IN 47859, Damon Beals 317-696-8215, [damon.beals@gmail.com](mailto:damon.beals@gmail.com)

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**Indiana Airstream Club - [airstreamclub.org/indiana](http://airstreamclub.org/indiana)**

Aug 5-8 Rally, Johnson County Park RV CG, 2949 E North St, Nineveh IN 46164, Judy Rice 269-449-4351, [gandjrice@sbcglobal.net](mailto:gandjrice@sbcglobal.net)

**Kentucky Airstream Club - [airstreamclub.org/kentucky](http://airstreamclub.org/kentucky)**

Jun 2-6 Buddy Rally, Blue Licks Battlefield SP, 10299 Maysville Rd, Carlisle KY 40311, Karl Weisenberger 859-653-5519, [karl.weisenberger@yahoo.com](mailto:karl.weisenberger@yahoo.com)  
Jul 28-Aug 1 Grandkids/Children Rally, Hillman Ferry CG, 100 Van Morgan Dr, Golden Pond KY 42211, Steve Broering 859-991-1652, [broering68@icloud.com](mailto:broering68@icloud.com)  
Aug 25-29 My Old Kentucky Home Play/Dinner Train, White Acres CG, 3022 Boston Rd, Bardstown KY 40004, Karl Weisenberger 859-653-5519, [karl.weisenberger@yahoo.com](mailto:karl.weisenberger@yahoo.com)

**Northern Illinois Airstream Club - [airstreamclub.org/northern-illinois](http://airstreamclub.org/northern-illinois)**

**WBCCI Illinois Lincolnland Airstream Club - [airstreamclub.org/wbcci-illinois-lincolnland](http://airstreamclub.org/wbcci-illinois-lincolnland)**

**REGION 6 Activities**



**Region 6 Website: [airstreamclub.org/region6](http://airstreamclub.org/region6)**

Sep 28-Oct 2 Athens Old Time Fiddlers Rally, Athens, AL  
Sep 29-Oct 3 Storytelling Festival Rally, Jonesborough, TN  
Oct 7-11 Region 6 Rally, Foley, AL

**Alabama Airstream Club - [airstreamclub.org/alabama](http://airstreamclub.org/alabama)**

**Arkansas Razorback Airstream Club - [airstreamclub.org/arkansas-razorback](http://airstreamclub.org/arkansas-razorback)**

**East Tennessee Airstream Club - [airstreamclub.org/east-tennessee](http://airstreamclub.org/east-tennessee)**

Jun 10-13 Top of Georgia Rally, Top of Georgia Airstream Park, 14255 GA-75, Helen GA 30545, Mary Johnson 937-974-5539, [hopyhiker@gmail.com](mailto:hopyhiker@gmail.com)

**Louisiana Airstream Club - [airstreamclub.org/louisiana](http://airstreamclub.org/louisiana)**

**Mississippi Airstream Club - [airstreamclub.org/mississippi](http://airstreamclub.org/mississippi)**

**Music City Airstream Club - [airstreamclub.org/music-city](http://airstreamclub.org/music-city)**

**Pensacola Florida Airstream Club - [airstreamclub.org/pensacola](http://airstreamclub.org/pensacola)**

**REGION 7 Activities**



**Region 7 Website: [airstreamclub.org/region7](http://airstreamclub.org/region7)**

Aug 19-24 Region 7 Rally, Marquette, MI

**Minnesota Airstream Club - [airstreamclub.org/minnesota](http://airstreamclub.org/minnesota)**

Jun 10-13 Tech Rally, Minnesota Airstream Park, 8795 82nd St #1, Clear Lake MN 55319, Linda Agre, [Q55info@airstreamclub.net](mailto:Q55info@airstreamclub.net)  
Jul 10-15 Hop On/Hop Off Caravan to International Rally, Minnesota Airstream Park, 8795 82nd St SE, Clear Lake MN 55319, Pete Yanke, [pyanke@aol.com](mailto:pyanke@aol.com)  
Aug 14-19 Caravan to Region 7 Rally, Minnesota Airstream Park, 8795 82nd St SE, Clear Lake MN 55319, Linda Agre, [agre5628@aol.com](mailto:agre5628@aol.com)

**North Dakota Peace Garden Unit - [airstreamclub.org/north-dakota-peace-garden](http://airstreamclub.org/north-dakota-peace-garden)**

**Wisc-UP Airstream Club - [airstreamclub.org/wisc-up](http://airstreamclub.org/wisc-up)**

Jun 24-27 Chippewa Falls Rally, Northern Wisconsin State FG, 225 Edward St, Chippewa Falls WI 54729, Beth & Rod Fierek, [fiereks@gmail.com](mailto:fiereks@gmail.com)  
Aug 5-8 Kids Rally, Tunnel Trail CG 608-435-6829 <http://www.tunneltrail.com/>, 26983 State Hwy 71, Wilton WI 54670, Bree Moore-Lawrence, [moorebree@hotmail.com](mailto:moorebree@hotmail.com)

**REGION 8 Activities**



**Region 8 Website: [airstreamclub.org/region8](http://airstreamclub.org/region8)**

**Greater St. Louis Airstream Club - [airstreamclub.org/greater-st-louis](http://airstreamclub.org/greater-st-louis)**

Jun 17-20 Midwest Old Threshers/Buddy Rally, Midwest Old Threshers <https://www.oldthreshers.com/>, 405 E Threshers Rd, Mt. Pleasant IA 52641, Joe Hauser, [camperqueen2000@yahoo.com](mailto:camperqueen2000@yahoo.com)  
Aug 19-22 Blue Springs/Buddy Rally, Blue Springs Ranch 800-333-8007 <https://vacationbsr.com/>, 1246 Blue Springs Rd, Bourbon MO 65441, Joe Hauser, [camperqueen2000@yahoo.com](mailto:camperqueen2000@yahoo.com)

**Iowa Airstream Club - [airstreamclub.org/iowa](http://airstreamclub.org/iowa)**

Jun 10-13 "Farm to Table" Rally, Iowa Lake Park, 2550 G Ave, Ladora IA 52251, Pat Delamuth & LaVonne Sandersfeld 319-330-2899, [ljdell@gmail.com](mailto:ljdell@gmail.com)

**Iowa North Airstream Club - [airstreamclub.org/iowa-north](http://airstreamclub.org/iowa-north)**

Jun 3-6 Rally, Viking Lake SP [https://iowastateparks.reserveamerica.com/camping/map\\_of\\_Viking\\_Lake\\_State\\_Park/r/campgroundMap.do?page=map&search=site&contractCode=IA&parkId=610135](https://iowastateparks.reserveamerica.com/camping/map_of_Viking_Lake_State_Park/r/campgroundMap.do?page=map&search=site&contractCode=IA&parkId=610135), 2780 Viking Lake Rd, Stanton IA 51573, Scott & Jodi Jensen, Scott 515-979-0694 / Jodi 515-321-0703, [jo1213c@gmail.com](mailto:jo1213c@gmail.com)  
Aug 5-8 Buddy Rally - Exploring Our Capitol 2.0, Prairie Flower CG, 10263-10331 Northwest Lake Dr, Polk City IA 50226, Dave & Candy Jones, Dave 515-520-9056 / Candy 563-340-5658 [cejones4210@gmail.com](mailto:cejones4210@gmail.com)

**Missouri Greater Ozark Unit - [airstreamclub.org/missouri-greater-ozark](http://airstreamclub.org/missouri-greater-ozark)**

Jun 3-6 No Host Rally, Coachlight RV Park, 53055 S Garrison Ave, Carthage MO 64836, Marsha Keith 918-314-1041, [rmkeith8070@sbcglobal.net](mailto:rmkeith8070@sbcglobal.net)

**Missouri-Kansas Airstream Club - [airstreamclub.org/missouri-kansas](http://airstreamclub.org/missouri-kansas)**

Jun 11-13 "Just-For-Fun" Rally, Blooming East CG - Clinton Lake, KS, 700 N 1190 Rd, Lawrence KS 66047, Lee & Joyce Cantrell 785-564-0190, [ljan@twinvalley.net](mailto:ljan@twinvalley.net)

**Nebraska Airstream Club - [airstreamclub.org/nebraska](http://airstreamclub.org/nebraska)**

**REGION 9 Activities**



**Region 9 Website: [airstreamclub.org/region9](http://airstreamclub.org/region9)**

**East Texas Lakes Unit - [airstreamclub.org/east-texas-lakes](http://airstreamclub.org/east-texas-lakes)**

**Greater Houston Airstream Club - [airstreamclub.org/greater-houston](http://airstreamclub.org/greater-houston)**

**Heart of Texas Camping Unit - [airstreamclub.org/heart-texas-camping](http://airstreamclub.org/heart-texas-camping)**

**North Texas Unit - [airstreamclub.org/north-texas](http://airstreamclub.org/north-texas)**

**Oklahoma Airstream Club - [airstreamclub.org/oklahoma](http://airstreamclub.org/oklahoma)**

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Texas Alamo Unit - [airstreamclub.org/texas-alamo](http://airstreamclub.org/texas-alamo)

Texas Gulf Coast Unit - [airstreamclub.org/texas-gulf-coast](http://airstreamclub.org/texas-gulf-coast)

Texas Highland Lakes Airstream Club - [airstreamclub.org/texas-highland-lakes](http://airstreamclub.org/texas-highland-lakes)

Texas Hill Country Unit - [airstreamclub.org/texas-hill-country](http://airstreamclub.org/texas-hill-country)

Texas Plains Airstream Club - [airstreamclub.org/texas-plains](http://airstreamclub.org/texas-plains)

Aug 2-5 Beach Boondocking, Sutton USFS CG, 4840 Vist Rd, Florence OR 97439, Rob & Diane Nicol, [robnicol@comcast.net](mailto:robnicol@comcast.net)  
Aug 18-23 Go Fly a Kite Rally, The Lamp Camp, 15301 Pacific Way, Long Beach WA 98631, Kathy & David Geese, Christine & George Tucker, [kathygeese@gmail.com](mailto:kathygeese@gmail.com)  
Aug 26-29 Crater Lake Rally, Diamond Lake RV Park, 3500 Diamond Lake Loop, Diamond Lake OR 97731, Gary & Karen Ferguson, [ftroup@billterpening.net](mailto:ftroup@billterpening.net)

Washington Airstream Club - [airstreamclub.org/washington](http://airstreamclub.org/washington)

## REGION 10 Activities



Region 10 Website: [airstreamclub.org/region10](http://airstreamclub.org/region10)

**CANCELLED** Jun 1-6 Region 10 Rally, Linden, WA  
Sep 13-19 Pendleton Round-Up Rally, Pendleton, OR  
Oct 12-17 Sun Valley Jazz & Music Festival Rally, Sun Valley, ID

Alberta Saskatchewan Canada Airstream Club - [airstreamclub.org/alberta-saskatchewan](http://airstreamclub.org/alberta-saskatchewan)

British Columbia Airstream Club - [airstreamclub.org/british-columbia](http://airstreamclub.org/british-columbia)

Idaho Airstream Club - [airstreamclub.org/idaho](http://airstreamclub.org/idaho)

Inland NW Airstream Club - [airstreamclub.org/inland-nw](http://airstreamclub.org/inland-nw)

Jun 24-27 Kootenai River Rally, Kootenai River CG 406-295-4090, 11251 US-2, Troy MT 59935, Becky Soth 509-979-9402, [beccasoth@gmail.com](mailto:beccasoth@gmail.com)  
Aug 19-22 Over the Border! Canada Rally, Nakusp Community CG, 250-265-1061, 4 St NW, Nakusp BC V0G 1R0 Canada, Jim Hobart 925-354-2988, [jimgui@gmail.com](mailto:jimgui@gmail.com)  
Aug 27-29 Riverbend Rally, Riverbend RV Park, 19961 WA-20, Twisp WA 98856, Dave Johnson 208-661-5136, [lzyjkranch@yahoo.com](mailto:lzyjkranch@yahoo.com)

Montana Airstream Club - [airstreamclub.org/montana](http://airstreamclub.org/montana)

Oregon Airstream Club - [airstreamclub.org/oregon](http://airstreamclub.org/oregon)

Jun 1-4 Sea & Sand Rally, Sea & Sand RV Park, 4985 N, US-101, Depoe Bay OR 97341, Kate Kelly, [kellykat777@gmail.com](mailto:kellykat777@gmail.com)  
Jun 3-6 Millsite Rally, Millsite RV Park, SW 4th Ave, Myrtle Creek OR 97457, Mike & Linda Able, [kjmab521@gmail.com](mailto:kjmab521@gmail.com)  
Jun 7-14 Ashland Rally, Emigrant Lake County Park, 5505 OR-66, Ashland OR 97520, Wendy Ware & Dan Gleason 971-219-2167, [wenware@gmail.com](mailto:wenware@gmail.com)  
Jun 8-11 Cape Lookout State Park Camping, Cape Lookout SP, 13000 Whiskey Creek Rd, Tillamook OR 97141, Terri Warren, [twestover@mac.com](mailto:twestover@mac.com)  
Jun 11-14 Silver Falls State Park Camping, Silver Falls SP, 20024 Silver Falls Hwy SE, Sublimity OR 97385, Terri Warren, [twestover@mac.com](mailto:twestover@mac.com)  
Jun 24-27 Kayak Rally, Skamokawa Vista Park, 13 Vista Park Rd, Skamokawa WA 98647, Stacey & Amy Rovinelli, [icuffm@att.net](mailto:icuffm@att.net)  
Jul 2-5 Champoeg SP Camping, Champoeg SP, 8239 Champoeg Rd NE, St Paul OR 97137, Terri Warren, [twestover@mac.com](mailto:twestover@mac.com)  
Jul 8-11 Friend's Rally, Friends Landing RV Park, 300 Katon Rd, Montesano WA 98563, Susannah Lints & Chris Wagner, [slints1@comcast.net](mailto:slints1@comcast.net)  
Jul 14-18 Nehalem Bay SP Camping, Nehalem Bay SP, 9500 Sandpiper Ln, Nehalem OR 97131, Terri Warren, [twestover@mac.com](mailto:twestover@mac.com)  
Jul 15-18 Elk Meadows Rally, Elk Meadows RV Park, 78 Trout Lake Creek Rd, Trout Lake WA 98650, The Grows, Crummetts & Swerdlucks, [grow38@msn.com](mailto:grow38@msn.com)  
Jul 22-25 Remote Rally, Remote Outpost RV Park, 23146 OR-42, Remote OR 97458, Steve & Tina Holmes, [tholmesr1@charter.net](mailto:tholmesr1@charter.net)

## REGION 11 Activities



Region 11 Website: [airstreamclub.org/region11](http://airstreamclub.org/region11)

Oct 2-5 Balloon Fiesta Rally, Albuquerque, NM

Arizona Airstream Club - [airstreamclub.org/arizona](http://airstreamclub.org/arizona)

Jun 3-6 Dolores River Rally, Dolores River CG, 18680 Hwy 145, Dolores CO 81323, Rick Carmichael, [rick@carmichael.be](mailto:rick@carmichael.be)  
Jul 2-5 Flagstaff Rally, Woody Mountain CG, 2727 W Rte 66, Flagstaff AZ 86001, Rick Carmichael 480-231-7925, [rick@carmichael.be](mailto:rick@carmichael.be)  
Aug 12-15 Williams Rally, Williams Railside RV Ranch, 877 E Rodeo Rd, Williams AZ 86046, Heidi & Troy Vail 480-734-0701, [heidivail@ymail.com](mailto:heidivail@ymail.com); Rick & Cheryl Carmichael 480-231-7925, [rick@carmichael.be](mailto:rick@carmichael.be)

Colorado Airstream Club - [airstreamclub.org/colorado](http://airstreamclub.org/colorado)

Jun 14-20 Just Campin' in the Black Hills, Custer's Gulch RV Park & CG, 25112 Golden Valley Rd, Custer SD 57730, Rob & Brenda Hughey, [024vicepresident@airstreamclub.net](mailto:024vicepresident@airstreamclub.net)  
Jul 8-11 Durango Just Campin', Alpen Rose RV Park 970-247-5540, <https://alpenroservpark.com/>, 27847 US-550, Durango CO 81301, MJ Wylie, [airstream14256@gmail.com](mailto:airstream14256@gmail.com)  
Aug 15-19 Flaming Gorge Just Campin', Pine Forest RV Park 435-889-3725 <https://www.flaminggorgecountry.com/Pine-Forest-RV-Park>, 1100 E Flaming Gorge Resort, Dutch John UT 84023, Carolyn Beardshear, Mike Zimmermann, [cbshear@gmail.com](mailto:cbshear@gmail.com)

Four Corners Unit - [airstreamclub.org/four-corners](http://airstreamclub.org/four-corners)

Jul 8-11 Westcliffe High Mountain Hay Fever Bluegrass "Just Music" Rally, Bluff & Summit Park, PO Box 1199, Westcliffe CO 81252, <https://fourcornersunit.com/rallies/2021-westcliffe-bluegrass-rally.html>, Ruth & Harry Vollmer, [ruthiesue516@gmail.com](mailto:ruthiesue516@gmail.com)

New Mexico Unit - [airstreamclub.org/new-mexico](http://airstreamclub.org/new-mexico)

Utah's Wasatch Airstream Club - [airstreamclub.org/utahs-wasatch](http://airstreamclub.org/utahs-wasatch)

Jun 10-13 Rally - Sam Stowe CG, Fremont Indian SP, 3820 Clear Creek Canyon Rd, Sevier UT 84766, <https://utahswasatch.airstreamclub.net/registrations/>, Ron & Holly Jorgensen 801-298-8105, [ron.holly.jorgensen@gmail.com](mailto:ron.holly.jorgensen@gmail.com)  
Jul 1-5 Rally, Wood River Valley, Idaho Meadows RV Park, 13 Broadway Run, Ketchum ID 83340, <https://utahswasatch.airstreamclub.net/registrations/>, Bonnie & John Ruskauff 801-244-4794, [onnibay68@gmail.com](mailto:onnibay68@gmail.com)  
Jul 30-Aug 2 Rally, Grand Canyon North Rim/Jacob Lake, Kaibab Camper Village, Hwy 67, Jacob Lake AZ 86022, <https://utahswasatch.airstreamclub.net/registrations/>, Holly & Ron Jorgensen / Linda & Darrell Galloway, 801-298-8105, [ron.holly.jorgensen@gmail.com](mailto:ron.holly.jorgensen@gmail.com)

Wyoming Unit - [airstreamclub.org/wyoming](http://airstreamclub.org/wyoming)

For the most current information, go to [airstreamclub.org/events](http://airstreamclub.org/events)  
Contact Rally Host for the status of the event.

## REGION 12 *Activities*



Region 12 Website: [airstreamclub.org/region12](http://airstreamclub.org/region12)

Oct 6-10 Region 12 Rally, Paso Robles, CA  
Dec 28-  
Jan 1, 2022 Rose Parade, Pasadena, CA

Central Coast California Airstream Club -  
[airstreamclub.org/central-coast-california](http://airstreamclub.org/central-coast-california)

El Camino Real Airstream Club - [airstreamclub.org/el-camino-real](http://airstreamclub.org/el-camino-real)  
May 26-Jun 2 McCloud Mushroom Festival, Main St, McCloud CA 96057, Mike Behan,  
[mibmj@yahoo.com](mailto:mibmj@yahoo.com)

Greater Bay Area Airstream Club - [airstreamclub.org/greater-bay-area](http://airstreamclub.org/greater-bay-area)  
Jun 10-13 Angels Camp Rally, Angels Camp RV Park <https://angelscamprv.com>,  
3069 Hwy 49 S, Angels Camp CA 95222, Chris Martindill & Eleanor  
McFarlin, [cmartindill16@gmail.com](mailto:cmartindill16@gmail.com) / [eleanorarmstrong28@gmail.com](mailto:eleanorarmstrong28@gmail.com)

Greater Los Angeles Airstream Club - [airstreamclub.org/greater-los-angeles](http://airstreamclub.org/greater-los-angeles)  
Jun 24-28 Rally, East Fork CG, Rock Creek Rd, Mammoth Lakes CA 93546, Paula  
Hammer 213-364-6658, [Events.GLAAC@gmail.com](mailto:Events.GLAAC@gmail.com)  
Aug 12-16 Rally, Morro Bay State Beach CG, Morro Bay SP, State Park Rd, Morro Bay  
CA 93442, Paula Hammer 213-364-6658, [Events.GLAAC@gmail.com](mailto:Events.GLAAC@gmail.com)

Lake Tahoe Airstream Club - [airstreamclub.org/lake-tahoe](http://airstreamclub.org/lake-tahoe)  
Jul 8-12 Twin Lakes Resort Rally, Twin Lakes Resort, 10316 Twin Lakes Rd,  
Bridgeport CA 93517, Linda Maddox, 714-393-9858,  
[lindaas7831@gmail.com](mailto:lindaas7831@gmail.com)

Las Vegas Airstream Club - [airstreamclub.org/las-vegas](http://airstreamclub.org/las-vegas)

Jun 10-13 Mount Charleston Rally, McWilliams CG <https://www.recreation.gov/camping/campgrounds/232168>, 2525 Kyle Canyon Rd, Las Vegas NV 89124, Cheryl, [musserfly@cox.net](mailto:musserfly@cox.net)  
Jul 15-18 Big Bear Lake Rally, Hooloway's Marina & RV Park, 398 Edgemoor, Big Bear Lake CA 92315, Jo, [jojos.mail@hotmail.com](mailto:jojos.mail@hotmail.com)

Northern California Airstream Club - [airstreamclub.org/northern-california](http://airstreamclub.org/northern-california)  
Jun 9-13 McCloud Rally, McCloud RV Resort, 106 Squaw Valley Rd, McCloud CA 96057, Williams & Crutchfield, [radgal@gmail.com](mailto:radgal@gmail.com)

Sacramento Valley Airstream Club - [airstreamclub.org/sacramento-valley](http://airstreamclub.org/sacramento-valley)

San Diego Airstream Club - [airstreamclub.org/san-diego](http://airstreamclub.org/san-diego)

Sierra Nevada Unit - [airstreamclub.org/sierra-nevada](http://airstreamclub.org/sierra-nevada)

South Coast California Airstream Club -  
[airstreamclub.org/south-coast-california](http://airstreamclub.org/south-coast-california)

## EUROPE *Activities*



WBCCI Europe Website: -  
[airstreamclub.org/europe](http://airstreamclub.org/europe)



Music City Airstream Club members on the way to Region 6 Rally in Vidalia, LA; having lunch at Colbert Ferry overlooking the Tennessee River - submitted by DJ Watson, BRN 9309

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# 2021 WBCCI National Caravans

For the most current information, go to [airstreamclub.org/caravans](http://airstreamclub.org/caravans)

## Taste of the Blue Ridge

5/18-6/12

Start: Bryson City, NC

Stop: Greenwood, VA

Bring your camera, binoculars, fishing gear, hiking poles and – most importantly – sense of adventure and come vacation with us in the Blue Ridge Mountains!

## Springtime in the Rockies

5/27-6/22

Start: Estes Park, CO

Stop: Gardiner, MT

Come share in the adventures of traveling through some of the most spectacular scenery in the world, from Rocky Mountain National Park to the many splendors of Yellowstone National Park.

## North to Alaska

7/12-9/12

Start: Dawson Creek, BC

Stop: Prince George, BC

We will travel the Alaska Highway and will experience the majestic scenery of British Columbia, Yukon Territory and Alyeska "The Great Land".

## Nuts for Ruts: Finding the Oregon Trail

7/29-8/29 (approx.)

Start: St. Joe, MO

Stop: Oregon City, OR

Following the path of the early pioneers we will cross the plains searching for the actual ruts the wagons left on their way west. We will visit museums, historical sites, and will find wonderful places to meet and eat.

## Southwest Adventure

8/16 -10/4

Start: Albuquerque, NM

Stop: Albuquerque, NM

We will visit the four corners region of Colorado, Utah, New Mexico and Arizona exploring sites other tourists may not see ending with the Albuquerque Balloon Fiesta.

## Made in U.S.A.

9/8-10/11

Start: Jackson Center, OH

Stop: Milwaukee, WI

Discover how some well-known products are manufactured, starting at the Airstream factory.

## Ores, Shores, Waters, and Lights – East

9/11-9/26

Start: Manistique, MI

Stop: St. Ignace, MI

See the absolute best of the eastern end of Michigan's Upper Peninsula in just 15 days and 5 stops.

## Highway 61 Revisited

9/11-10/11

Start: Duluth, MN

Stop: New Orleans, LA

Inspired by Bob Dylan's album "Highway 61 Revisited", we travel to southern places known for their musical heritage.

## Northern Lights & Polar Bears

9/12-10/11

Start: International Peace Garden MB/ND

Stop: Winnipeg, Manitoba

Tour Manitoba starting at the International Peace Garden including a six-day tour to and from Churchill on Hudson Bay. Spend two days and a night on the tundra viewing polar bears and the northern lights.

## Smidge of the Blue Ridge

9/17-9/25

Start: Bryson City, NC

Stop: Boone, NC

A short version of the Taste of the Blue Ridge caravan.

## Gone to Texas

9/26-10/30

Start: Amarillo, TX

Stop: Ingram, TX

The letters GTT were familiar in the United States during the early 1800's. They meant "Gone To Texas". Come with us and see why it was the place to be.

## Sho-Me the Ozarks

9/30-10/27

Start: Mountain View, AR

Stop: Van Buren, MO

The region of America known as "The Ozarks" is a cultural and geographically distinct area centered in northern Arkansas and southern Missouri. Beginning in the Ozarks Folk Center, you will travel through time and place with sights, events, and food not to be missed.

# 2022 WBCCI National Caravans

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## Georgia on my Mind

3/1-3/24

Start: Tallahassee, FL

Stop: Pine Mountain, GA

Join us as we explore the history, natural beauty, and cuisine of rural Georgia. From antebellum homes to Presidential history, you will become familiar with Georgia's charm.

## Cajun Country A1

3/8-3/23

Start: Breaux Bridge, LA

Stop: Carencro, LA

## Cajun Country A2

3/15-3/30

Start: Breaux Bridge, LA

Stop: Lafayette, LA

On the Cajun Caravan, you will experience Cajun culture and hospitality at its roots. Enjoy dining on jambalaya, crawfish pie, gumbo, and all the other dishes that make Cajun cuisine popular.

## Rolling to the Big Easy

3/15-3/26

Start: Kinder, LA

Stop: Breaux Bridge, LA

Our caravan will introduce some of the best sites, sounds and foods which Louisiana has to offer. You might even learn the difference between Cajun and Creole cultures.

## Golden State

4/26-6/7

Start: Borrego Springs, CA

Stop: Olema, CA

Join us as we travel to some of our favorite California destinations. Our trip wouldn't be complete without visiting Yosemite, Sequoia and the Gold Country.

## Springtime in Kentucky

4/27-5/19

Start: Bowling Green, KY

Stop: Berea, KY

Come join us as we show you the beautiful, diverse state of Kentucky just as spring emerges and mother nature shows off. You'll experience all this and much more!

## Old National Road - East

4/29-5/7

Start: Woodbine, MD

Stop: Washington, PA

Join us as we travel the eastern segment of the Old National Road. It is a journey through the lives and fortunes of the people that built the United States, from Baltimore, MD to Washington, PA.

## Old National Road - Central

5/7-5/15

Start: Washington, PA

Stop: Richmond, IN

Join us as we travel the central segment of the Old National Road. It is a journey through the lives and fortunes of the people that built the United States, from Washington, PA to Richmond, IN.

## Old National Road - West

5/15-5/24

Start: Richmond, IN

Stop: Effingham, IL

Join us as we travel the western segment of the Old National Road. It is a journey through the lives and fortunes of the people that built the United States, from Richmond, IN to Vandalia, IL.

## Taste of the Blue Ridge

5/17-6/10

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## Springtime in the Rockies

5/26-6/21

Start: Estes Park, CO

Stop: Gardiner, MT

Come share in the adventures of traveling through some of the most spectacular scenery in the world, from the summit on Trail Ridge Road to the Teton Mountains and the geysers of Yellowstone.

## California Architecture, Food, and Wine

6/12-7/7 (estimate)

Start: Forrestville, CA

Stop: San Dimas, CA

You've done all the tourist sites; now you can experience the finest elements of California. From camping among the vineyards to exploring historic Los Angeles on foot to driving the back roads of rural California, this caravan is for you!

## Canadian Rocky Mountain

6/25-7/16

Start: Drumheller, Alberta

Stop: Cochrane, Alberta

Travel through the four contiguous National Rocky Mountain Parks of Jasper, Banff, Yoho and Kootenay. Attend the world-renowned Calgary Stampede where we will see the "greatest outdoor show on earth."

# 2022 WBCCI National Caravans

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**Nuts for Ruts: Finding the Oregon Trail** 8/4-9/5  
Start: Maysville, MO Stop: Wilsonville, OR

This is a history-based caravan, covering a month of travel. We will explore several significant places along the original Oregon Trail, from Saint Joseph, Missouri, to Oregon City, Oregon.

**Discovering Cascadia** 8/14-10/21  
Start: Boise, ID Stop: Government Camp, OR

Explore Cascadia as we learn about the geology, ecoregions, cultures, music, cuisine, and economic forces that have shaped this region over time.

**Southwest Adventure** 8/15-10/3  
Start: Albuquerque, NM Stop: Albuquerque, NM

What is around the bend in the Four-corners region of Colorado, Utah, Arizona & New Mexico other tourists may not see. Come prepared to have fun with your fellow caravanners.

**Made in U.S.A.** 9/6-10/8  
Start: Jackson Center, OH Stop: Milwaukee, WI

Those little tags, we love seeing them. Now come with us and see some of those products made.

**Ores, Shores, Waters, and Lights – East** 9/10-9/25  
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See the absolute best of the eastern half of Michigan's Upper Peninsula in just 15 days and 5 stops.

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## 2022 Contractor Caravans

**Road, Sea & Rail** 1/28-3/23  
Start: Potrero, CA Stop: Nogales, AZ

Travel through the Baja of Mexico with whale watching, overnight cruise and a rail trip.

**Three Gems of Mexico** 2/10-4/12  
Start: Nogales, AZ Stop: Lukeville, AZ

Enjoy a unique Mexican experience like no other.

**PENNSYLVANIA STATE RALLY**  
Exploring State Parks at the PA Rally  
Centre County Grange Fairgrounds  
169 Homan Lane, Centre Hall, Pennsylvania  
September 10 - 12, 2021

The Centre County area offers a great variety of activities for everyone, such as exploring one of the nearby State Parks to go kayaking (rentals available at Bald Eagle State Park), hiking, biking or wildlife watching. You may also enjoy local wine tasting, relaxing while learning at the H.O. Smith Botanic Gardens in the Arboretum at Penn State, or a visit to a local brewery. The Nittany Antique Machinery Assn. fall show (which includes a large flea market, daily tractor parades, antique car & truck displays, antique small engines & garden tractors, tractor pulls, steam tractors, cider press & apple butter) as well as the Outdoors Sportsman's Club gun show will also be held during these dates. America's oldest antique automobile museum, the Swigart Museum, may also be of interest or a visit to the largest cavern in PA or America's only all-water cavern. We hope you take advantage of this great opportunity to explore Centre County where great opportunities and fun adventures await!

Make checks payable to: WBCCI Central PA Airstream Club  
Send payments to: WBCCI Central PA Airstream Club  
c/o Roxann Bare, 3551 Holly Road, Dover, PA 17315

Contact [centralpenn164@gmail.com](mailto:centralpenn164@gmail.com) with any questions.

Names \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_ Volunteer? \_\_\_\_\_ (Yes)

WBCCI # \_\_\_\_\_ Unit/Club \_\_\_\_\_ Cell Ph. \_\_\_\_\_

Camping per night (Water/30amp/dump) \$40/night x \_\_\_\_\_ nights = \$ \_\_\_\_\_

You may arrive on Thursday 9/9/21 NO earlier than 3:00 PM and must depart by Noon on Monday 9/13/21, a MAX of 4 nights. \*No open flames will be allowed on the fairgrounds. Rally fee includes two breakfasts, catered dinner, 1 night entertainment

Rally Fee per person (Ages 13 & up, under 13 free) \$50 x \_\_\_\_\_ = \$ \_\_\_\_\_

RSVP by August 3, 2021.

The Centre County Grange Fairgrounds offers a great location with many options for visitors. The camping area is large, open and grassy as well as flat. The campsites will have 30amp electrical service with water hookups and are pet friendly. There is a dump station at the entrance of the grounds and a large hall will be available for our use for meals, activities and demonstrations.

**REGION 5 RALLY**  
**Airstreams and Flamingos on the Lakes**  
**Kosciusko County Fairgrounds**  
**Warsaw, Indiana**  
**September 15 - 20, 2021**

Last Name \_\_\_\_\_ First Name \_\_\_\_\_ WBCCI # \_\_\_\_\_

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Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Email \_\_\_\_\_

Please circle type of rig: MH TRLR Slideouts Vintage Parking Y or N

**Rally Fee:**

1 rig w/2 ppl, 4 nights camping \_\_\_\_\_ X \$275 = \$ \_\_\_\_\_  
 1 rig w/1 person, 4 nights camping \_\_\_\_\_ X \$215 = \$ \_\_\_\_\_  
 Each extra adult, age 17+ \_\_\_\_\_ X \$ 60 = \$ \_\_\_\_\_  
 Per Child \_\_\_\_\_ X \$ 50 = \$ \_\_\_\_\_

TOTAL ENCLOSED \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Comments/Additional Info \_\_\_\_\_

Includes: 4 nights parking (no early parking this year), 3 breakfasts, Saturday night boat banquet (first 100 registered), ice cream social, entertainment on Friday night, Thursday tour.

Please make check payable to: Region 5 of WBCCI  
 Mail to: John Swearingen, Region 5 Treasurer  
 P.O. Box 356, Atlanta, IL 61723

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**ATHENS OLD TIME FIDDLERS RALLY**  
**Includes Tennessee Valley Old Time Fiddlers Convention**  
**Athens, Alabama**  
**September 28 - October 2, 2021**

Last Name \_\_\_\_\_

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City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

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**Rally Fee:**

Per adult # \_\_\_\_\_ x \$55 = \$ \_\_\_\_\_  
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**Softball Field WBAC**

Camping per night # \_\_\_\_\_ x \$25 = \$ \_\_\_\_\_  
 (4 night minimum) Total \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Checks payable to: Alabama Airstream Fiddlers Rally  
 Send registration & check to:  
 Mike Hamilton, Treasurer  
 3106 Quail Run, Opelika, AL 36801  
 Receipt acknowledged via email

Address questions and comments to:  
 Rally Chairman, Russ Pry, email: [athensairstreamrally@gmail.com](mailto:athensairstreamrally@gmail.com)

*All rally related correspondence is electronic.*



**At the Oregon Airstream Club Migratory Bird Rally, beautiful snow geese gave us a flyover every evening while we enjoyed small gatherings outside a host's trailer - photos by Paul Buescher BRN 3129, submitted by Carol & John Dion, BRN 31037**

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**South Carolina Coastal Airstream Club at Givhans State Park Rally celebrating with Cracker Jacks after playing beanbag baseball - submitted by Deborah Brooks, BRN 9314**



**Sunrise at Jonathan Dickinson State Park, Hobe Sound, FL - submitted by Judith Harrison, BRN 3557**



**Fun on the beach at the Pets & Paws National Rally, Provincetown, MA - submitted by Rick Cipot, BRN 3411**



**Sitting by the fire telling stories at the Cloverdale/Healdsburg KOA, Cloverdale, CA - submitted by Scott & Karen Henrich, BRN 26891**

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