



Pelican Briefs

LOUISIANA AIRSTREAM CLUB

JUNE 2021

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President's Message June 2021:

Hi Everyone; summer is here. Campgrounds are going to be more crowded since kids are out of school and more RV's will be on the road. Don't travel without making your campground reservations ahead. Be sure to check wheels, including brakes and bearings. Bearings should be packed every 10,000 miles, but I always repack each year before any long trip. Those with diesel trucks should change fuel filters each year for added protection.

When meeting oncoming airstreamers, one should flash your headlights to say Hi, but most new airstreamers don't know about the "Wally Wink". Everyone used to travel with their CB on channel 14 (airstream channel) so you can greet them, get their names, where they headed and talk about any road construction. It could be someone you know, as I have met many that I have traveled with on past caravans. A CB is the best way to travel with others to pass time and make plans for the next campground. If you caravan, you should have a CB to know what is being said. I have been on many caravans where the park ranger will ride with lead unit and talk about what you are seeing. All my civil war caravans needed CB's.

Our LA Symphony Rally which we had at Fontainebleau State Park near Mandeville, LA, was attended by nine units. Everyone had a great time; meal out at Rips on the Lake, Grill out on Friday, a business meeting on Saturday morning where we decided on basic design for the new club logo and decal. Also, a club caravan committee of five was formed to look into possible

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club caravan trips for up to 10 days to begin with. Those appointed are: Dale Spillman, Gerald Peltier, Jim Ruimerman, Ronnie Erb, & Robert Perere. The committee established operating procedures and fee payments for the club. Rally attendees are: Dale & Kathy Spillman, Ronnie & Judy Erb, Jim & Judy Ruimerman and daughter/husband, Gerald & Bobbie Peltier, Robert & Rebecca Perere, Shan & Jan Tildwell, Frank & Marian Raphael & son/granddaughter, Walter & Marie Segrave, and John & Charlotte Taylor.

Rally host Charlie Davis and Diana Hobbs reported on the Spring Fling rally held at La Pay E Bas RV Park in Eunice, LA May 20-23, 2021 it was attended by 10 units. The weather didn't clear till Friday, and the ground was a little spongy, but all had a great time visiting together under a covered pavilion. A group meal was at DI's Restaurant and the Saturday crawfish boil was some of the best they have had. Those present: Charles & Diana, Bonnie & Will and his sister Shawn, Gerald & Bobbie Peltier, Ronnie & Judy Erb, Billy & Sandra Guidry, Don Abston, Marilyn & Jerry Thomas, Nelda & Rob Tope, Jim & Judy Ruimerman, and Mike & Dee Smith.

For summer, don't forget the WBAC International Rally in Lebanon, TN in July. Region 6 Rally will be in Foley, AL the first weekend in October. Both events are listed in the Blue Beret. Your president will not be attending the international rally next month, but will be voting for the club through the electronic voting system. The amendments are listed in the April Blue Beret and the officers are listed in the May Blue Beret. I will be voting after the business luncheon meeting at Frenier Landing Restaurant on June 12, 2021. I will discuss the voting at that meeting. Judy Ruimerman will represent the Louisiana Airstream Club and carry the flag in opening ceremonies at international. Any questions; please email me at Lau15880@yahoo.com .

The Louisiana Airstream Club installation rally will be at Riverview RV Resort in Vidalia, LA on Oct. 28-30, 2021. We have 20 sites available, but more may be available. Go ahead and make your reservations now. Activities are being planned. Our incoming officers are: Billy Guidry: President, Ronnie Erb: 1st VP, Judi Ruimerman: 2nd VP, and Charlotte Taylor: Treasurer, and one Trustee to be named.

At the moment, our club doesn't have any activities until October's installation rally on the 28th. We need to organize a rally during July or August before the next scheduled event. Any Ideas?

As the default webmaster for our club, I have been working at trying to learn the new program for our webpage. If anyone is interested, contact me. There will be a couple of teaching sessions to be scheduled at international if anyone is interested. The main webpage for international now is <https://airstreamclub.org> to log in the first time use your BRN(big red number) and once in you can set your own password for the site.

The Louisiana Airstream Club webpage is <https://airstreamclub.org/louisiana> then click on Louisiana

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Home Page. I have done some work on site and have listed events and photos so far. CHECK IT OUT. The Louisiana Facebook group page; contact Rebecca Perere at rebperere@att.net .

See you at the luncheon,

Dale



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Text me if you plan to come
I need a head count.
225-955-8247



Louisiana Airstream Club Luncheon

June 12th at 11:00 AM

113 Dottie Lane

LaPlace, LA.

985-224-2178

Frenier Landing is right on Lake Pontchartrain . We will be having a meeting so please don't be late. Remember to wear your badges.

Bring your chair if you like - after lunch they are playing live music under the landing from 1:00 - 4:00 pm.

We need a head count so please send me a text if you plan on going. Rebecca Perere: 225-955-8247

Ladies Corner



Good afternoon to everyone except people who don't gain weight when they eat whatever they want!!!

Italian Delight

This will become your new favorite recipe.

- 4 Tablespoons of butter
- 1 Rotisserie chicken (deboned)
- 2 Cloves of garlic, minced.
- 1/8 tsp. Red Pepper flakes.
- 1 1/2 Cups of water with 2 chicken bouillon cubes dissolved.
- 1 large onion (julienne-cut)
- 1 bell pepper (julienne-cut)
- 1 cup of heavy cream
- 1/4 cup sun-dried tomatoes chopped
- 1/2 cup of parmesan cheese
- 1 teaspoon basil
- 1 small jar of Classico Sun-Dried Tomato Pesto
- 1 12 oz pack of Hidden Veggie spaghetti noodles

■ Place butter, onion, bell pepper, pepper flakes, tomatoes and garlic and cook until tender. Add bullion water, chicken, basil, jar of pesto and cream. Stir until hot and then add the parmesan cheese. Spoon over cooked noodles. All ingredients can be found at your local Walmart.

