

Mississippi Airstream Club Unit 056

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PRESIDENT'S LETTER

Hello Fellow Travelers,

Well, we just returned from the 64th International Airstream Rally. It was an excellent rally with good representation from the Mississippi unit -the Balls (with Edna's 101-year-old mom Clara), Reynolds, Hummels, Twiggs, Evans, Hawkins, Vaughans, Williams, and Honys. The last three couples were attending their <u>first</u> international rally. Several of us went to the Grand Ole Opry in Nashville for an excellent time. The band and chorus were great this year, with Edna, Bob, and Elizabeth contributing musicians and Richard the Band Aid in charge of equipment. Overall I think the rally was a great success

Next year our 65th Rally will be in Fryeburg, Maine. I would suggest you register as soon as possible at airstream.org* or with the form in the Blue Beret Magazine. I think it will be great sight-seeing going and coming. *There is a notice later in this newsletter about logging into the MEMBERS ONLY section of the website.

Our next MAC rally, the Election Rally, is in Tupelo starting Sept. 14th. The installation of new officers and board members is very important, so please make plans to be there. Bob and Elizabeth are working hard to put this rally together. The tentative schedule is posted later in this newsletter. Important: register with the park NOW to insure getting a space in our selected area. And please come with ideas about what you want to do for next year. I already have some but I would like other suggestions.

We need a head count for meal preparations and reservations for the installation meal on Friday. Please email/text Elizabeth Hawkins (<u>ejhawkins@bellsouth.net</u>) (662-312-4882) or me at <u>annaandterry@bellsouth.net</u> (228-990-1537).

Happy camping,

Terry Reynolds

President

CLUB NOTES

I (Elizabeth Hawkins) had a really nice phone visit with Kate Ketchum after she received the last newsletter. For you newbies, Kate and her husband were members when my parents were. Had such a great time catching up. Because of her eyesight, Kate has given up driving. She says it's a real loss of independence. She would love to hear from the "old timers," since snail mail and telephone are her means to the world. 2765 Scott Rd., Hernando, MS 38632; 662-429-6149.

Cents for Youth: Our treasurer, Don Hummel, sent a Cents for Youth check for \$170 to Region 6 for the International Rally in Lebanon. Considering last year's abbreviated rallies due to Covid, that's not a bad showing. But this new year's amount has already been kicked off by Selma Evans, who raised \$119 by selling paperbacks at the international rally. We will continue our fund-raising in September with an auction/raffle. Bring your "treasures" and hand-made goodies to the Election Rally.

Reminder: please fill out the medical emergency information form at the end of this newsletter and have it at each rally/gathering per the instructions accompanying it. It is included as electronic with text boxes to be filled out on computer and as lined for writing your information.

Welcome New Members: Phillip and Mary Coward BRN 11203 24581 Oak Island Dr., Pass Christian, MS 39571 Phillip: philray1@gmail.com; 205-292-0726 Mary: mec000@yahoo.com; 205-799-7713

Jared and Elizabeth Hegwood BRN 03570 965 E Second St., Pass Christian, MS 39571 Elizabeth: <u>e.hegwood@outlook.com</u>; 228-547-8710 Jared: <u>jared.hegwood@gmail.com</u>; 601-447-0146

Wayne and Karen Folkes BRN 04360 12 Buccaneer Dr., Hattiesburg, MS 39402 Wayne: <u>folkesw@hotmail.com</u>; 601-297-9341 Karen: <u>dnkfolkes@aol.com</u>; 601-520-4976

The success of your club depends on your participation. If you have suggestions for making the club better, please let Terry know at 229-990-1537 or <u>annaandterry@bellsouth.net</u>

Notice: the club has a policy of awarding \$50 to members attending their first full rally.

Contact: Elizabeth Hawkins 662-312-4882 <u>ejhawkins@bellsouth.net</u> with news.

UPCOMING EVENTS

Tupelo Rally (Election), Tues., Sept. 14 – Sat., Sept. 18, 2021. Trace State Park, 2139 Faulkner Rd., Belden, MS 38826. 662-489-2958. We are parking in the Eagle Ridge Campground Area, sites 26 - 52. Cabins are available in another part of the park a short ride from our meeting room. For MAP, see mississippistateparks.reserveamerica.com/TraceStatePark. CHANGE OF DATE from Sept 1-5.

Region 6 Rally. October 7 – 11, 2021. Johnny's Lake Side RV Resort, 15810 Hwy. 59 North, Foley, AL, 36535. Get form at https://Airstreamclub.org/Region6

Christmas Rally, Wed., Dec 1 – Sun., Dec 5, 2021. Indian Point Resort, 1600 Indian Point Pkwy, Gautier, MS 39553. 228-497-1011

2022 International Rally, July 23-29, 2022. Fryeburg, Maine. Register <u>https://airstreamclub.org/fryeburg</u> [see notice below from International]

NOTICE FROM (WBCCI) AIRSTREAM CLUB INTERNATIONAL

<u>info@airstreamclub.org</u> - Have you logged into the **Members-Only** section of our website? If not, I encourage you to do so. In the upcoming months, additional services will be available to only our members. However, members will only be able to benefit if you are logged in. Over the next several months, additional sections of the airstreamclub.org will no longer be available to everyone that visits our site. Only members will benefit from the vast information and assets the Club has to offer.

FOR THE GOOD OF THE ORDER

From the Colstons:

Poverty Point State Park was one of the most enjoyable short trips that we have taken. The museum and Indian village at Poverty was great. You can walk the village site or you can drive it. It is the second largest ancient earth excavation in America and was done more than 3500 years ago. The Poverty Point park was really nice and not crowded at all. The park is just west of Vicksburg, Ms. near Delhi, La.

https://www.stateparks.com/poverty_point_reservoir_state_park_in_louisiana.html

Let's share with each other via the newsletter. Please let us know about places you enjoy for a weekend or day trip. Send to ejhawkins@bellsouth.net

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The following is a <u>tentative</u> outline of the week's offerings.

Tues., Sept. 14

Arrive and park; bring Medical Emergency Information Gather for happy time: hotdogs and fellowship

Wed., Sept 15

Breakfast on your own Pontotoc/Outdoor Day – biking, walking, boating (rentals available at park), shopping, knocking about, exploring Pontotoc and environs. Special treat: Bean and Berry Coffee and Smoothie Bar in a converted Airstream trailer Lunch on your own 6:00 Supper red beans and rice, salad, dessert

Thurs., Sept 16

7:30 Breakfast in meeting room
New Albany Day: planned by J C Prather
Boxed lunch included
6:00 Supper – cookout (bring your meat to grill, one side or dessert to share); grills welcome

Fri, Sept 17

Tupelo Day: includes installation of officers with meal
Possibilities: Elvis birthplace and museum; Veterans Park; Veterans and Oren Dunn
Museums
6:00 Supper (TBD)
Raffle/auction for Cents for Youth

Sat., Sept 18

Pick-up breakfast, coffee, juice in meeting room Safe travels home

Medical Emergency Information

The Mississippi Airstream Club Board requests that each member and spouse/traveling companion fill out this form. Place a printed copy of each form in an envelope with your name(s) on the outside and give it to the Rally Host or Caravan Leader. The envelope will be opened <u>only</u> in an emergency in the event that neither of you is responsive. The envelope will be returned at the end of the activity so that you may use it again at the next activity. (You may fill in this form within WORD, then print this page.)

Name: Your Name

Date of Birth: MM/I WBCCI no.: BIG RI SkyMed no. (if appli Medicare No.: ID N Medical Insurance O Policy No.: Member No.:	ED NUMBER icable): Policy Number lumber Co. Name of Carrier Policy Number		
Member No.:	Member ID No.		
Auto Insurance Co. Policy number:	Auto Ins. Policy No.		
Do you have a Health Care Directive? Yes / No If so, please attach a copy.			
In case of emergency contact:			
1. Name: Primary Contact Name Relationship Relation Address Street Address (or P.O. Box), City, ST Zip Telephone 123-321-1234		Relationship Relationship	
2. Name: Secondary Contact Name Relationship Address Street Address (or P.O. Box), City, ST ZIP Telephone 123-321-1234			
Physician Name and Address (up to three lines) Tel		Telephone 123-321-1234	
Medical information:			

Allergies List known allergies

Current medications Medication/Dosage (use up to three lines)

Other info

Any other pertinent medical information

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Name:	
Date of Birth:	
WBCCI no.:	
SkyMed no. (if applicable):	
Medicare No.:	
Medical Insurance Co.	
Policy No.:	
Member No.:	
Auto Insurance Co.	
Policy number:	
Do you have a Health Care Directive?	
Emergency Contacts:	
1. Name	Relationship
Address	
Telephone	
2. Name	Relationship
Address	
Telephone	
Physician	Telephone
Medical information: Allergies	
(include daily dosages)	
Other info	