



July 2021 Newsletter <u>https://airstreamclub.org/piedmont-north-carolina</u>

Region 3, Unit 161

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# July 2021 President's Report

Hope your finding somewhere cool and relaxing to camp this summer. We just returned from the International Rally in Lebanon TN. It was not cool there but we all had a good time visiting with old friends and making new ones. Over 800 Airstreams were there from almost every state.

Your club was well represented by Past President Mike Bison and Gaile Broom, Vice President Bill Byrum and Diane, Trustee Alan Hvizdak and Jane, Becky and Dick Martin, John and Nancy Becker, David and Denise Funaro, Ernest and Madeline Bauer, Robin Gieniewski, Cynthia Salzhauer, Nicki and Terry Cormier, Bob and Ginger Ealy, Joe and Mary Scudder,

Margaret Van de Ree, Dee and myself. (Hope I havenøt left anyone out)

Past President Mike Bizon represented the club in the opening ceremonies and presented our Club flag. Dick and Becky Martin were one of the over 30 vendors and exhibitors. The Martins gave a well attended presentation on RV Security and another on RV Solar.

Each evening the club had happy hour at one of our Airstreams. On Tuesday several of us went to the Grand Ole Oprey in Nashville. Thanks to over 400 Airstreamers they performed before a sold out crowd. The Delegates met on Wednesday and passed the 3 constitutional amendments that were voted on by the entire membership in June.

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David and Denise Funaro hosted a Piedmont Club luncheon on Thursday. They prepared steamed cheeseburgers (A Connecticut speciality) and hot dogs. The rest of the gang brought a side dish to share. Most of us had not experienced steamed cheeseburgers. They were great. Lots of good food and great conversation. A BIG THANKS to David and Denise for hosting the luncheon, furnishing and cooking the cheeseburgers and hot dogs



David, Denice and Granddaughter Audrey

Your club has rallies planned for the next 4 months. August 19-22 at Falls Lake Park NC hosted by Debbie and Todd Stroud. September 9-12 at Sneads Ferry NC hosted by Jane and Alan Hvizdak. October 21-24 we join Alumalina Marion NC (site reservations needed this year) November 4-7 Fayetteville RV Resort Wade NC Installation Rally

There will be a business meeting at the Alumalina rally to elect next years officers. Date and time to be announced later.

John Lloyd

President

# MEMBERSHIP REPORT FOR JULY 2021 from Amy Mount

### WELCOME our new Piedmont Club members - Cathy & Jeffrey

**Pascoe!** They are *seasoned* WBCCI-ACI members and transferred their Club membership from Colorado! They live in Angier, NC now but their mode of Airstream travel is with a 2017 25-foot Interstate.

# PLEASE reach out to ALL our new Piedmont Club members since May 2021 and say "HELLO":

- Michael & Jennifer Williamson in Huntersville (April 2021)
- Bob & Ginger Ealy in Morganton (May 2021- Affiliate Members)
- Cynthia Salzhauer in Oxford (May 2021)
- Jeffrey & Margaret Choate in Pinehurst (May 2021)
- Donald & Mary Ann Campbell in Hickory (June 2021)
- Cheryl & Andy Pigott in Morehead City (June 2021)
- Cathy & Jeffrey Pascoe in Angier (July 2021)

Contact information for <u>all</u> Piedmont Club members is on **Evernote** AND members' physical and email addresses can also be found online within the **ACI Membership Directory**.

**PLEASE NOTE:** 2022 Membership Renewals are just around the corner. More information will be coming from Airstream Club International in August.

Membership updates should be sent to Amy Mount via email at <u>rovermommy@hotmail.com</u> or phone/text at 919-349-4509.

# <u>Piedmont NC Airstream Club</u> <u>Summer ReTreat Rally</u>

Aug 19<sup>th</sup> ó Aug 22<sup>nd</sup> 2021 - Falls Lake State Recreation Area ó Holly Point Campground, Loop # 3



# Make your reservations now – be sure to select Holly Point Loop #3

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More details to come. Contact Debbie and Todd Stroud if more information is needed goodfoodlady@gmail.com

### PIEDMONT NC AIRSTREAM CLUB SEPTEMBER RALLY

#### Hosts:

Alan & Jane Hvizdak Cell number ó 910-508-3773 <u>ahvizdak@yahoo.com</u> and <u>jane.hvizdak@yahoo.com</u>

**Date:** September 9 ó 12, 2021

**Location:** Seahaven Marine RV Park 148 Old Ferry Road Sneads Ferry, NC

#### Website:

https://www.seahavenmarinervpark.com Many amenities available including extra-large full hook-up camping sites with 50/30/20 amp!

#### **Campground Phone Number:**

910-333-5773 Please make reservation with the campground ASAP but no later than August 10th. Be sure to ask for our Military/Group discount rate.

Campground is east of Jacksonville, NC and nestled at the cove of the New River right before crossing the bridge towards Camp Lejeune Marine Base.

#### **RALLY SCHEDULE:**

## September 9th

Arrive at campground Supper provided by Hosts

#### September 10th

Visit Karen Beasley Sea Turtle Rescue & Hospital 302 Tortuga Lane Surf City, NC

#### September 11th

Your pick of activities ó Hang out in the campground Fish off a pier Head to the beach Play pickle ball at a nearby county park Visit Lejeune Memorial Park & Garden in Jacksonville Enjoy being by the water with friends

#### September 12th

Breakfast provided by hosts -- you supply your own coffee & mug! Depart for home

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#### WEBSITE: https://airstreamclub.org/piedmont-north-carolina

2021 Rally Sites:
January 18-22 Mid Winter IBT
Sarasota FL
February Winter Luncheon (not scheduled at this time)
March 18-21 KOA Lumberton NC
Host Bill and Shelly Townsend (Details to follow)
April 20-25 Region 3 Rally
North Florida Fairgrounds, Tallahassee FL
Club Caravan to Rally!
May 13-16 Mayo Park, 1013 Nealøs Store Road, Roxboro, NC
Host John and Nancy Becker, john_becker@me.com
Reservations 336-597-7806
June (Host Needed)
July 16-24 International Meeting
Wilson County Expo Center, Lebanon, TN
August Host Todd and Debbie Stroud
September 9-12 Seahaven Marina RV Park 148 Old Ferry Road Sneads Ferry NC
Host Alan and Jane Hvizdak
October 21-24:Alumalina, Tom Johnsonøs Camping World, Marion, NC
November 4-7 Installation Rally Hosts Robin and Bogdan Gieniewski:
Karen and Andy Karakos (Details to follow)