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Presidents Message: Hello Missouri Greater Ozark Members. The Peculiar Caravan started at the A OK RV Park in St. Joseph, MO. on April 22nd. We moved to Victoria Acres RV Park in Nebraska City, NE. on April 26th for a one-night stay. The next day we left and traveled to the Lancaster Event Center RV Park in Lincoln, NE. for the Region 8 Rally. More about the caravan and rally later in the newsletter.

In the coming weeks everyone will receive an Electronic Ballot from the WBCCI Headquarters to vote on the slate of nominees for International Officers for 2022 – 2023, To those who don't have a valid email with headquarters, can call and request a paper ballot.

The Missouri Greater Ozark Unit will also be sending an electronic Election Ballot, or mail-in ballot to those that don't have a email address to everyone in the unit to vote on Amendment 1 and Amendment 2 and you will forward your vote to our Recording Secretary, Joyce Allen where she will record the votes and the results will be given to our Delegate to vote at the 2022 International Rally in Fryeburg, ME. We will be sending the ballots out May 15th, 2022, and you have till May 29th, 2022, to get your ballot back in.

We have also learned that the 2023 Region 8 Rally will be at Sycamore Springs Whitetail Ranch near Sabetha, KS. April 26 to April 30, 2023.

Our next rally will be June 2nd to 5th at Petit Jean State Park near Morrilton AR. During the Rally there will be a business meeting and Executive Board meeting. (See ya all at the rally).

Missouri Greater Ozark, President

John Krupco

April Peculiar Caravan: We arrived at the A Ok Campground St. Joseph, MO. Friday afternoon those that arrived are Gary & Linda Rush, John & Colette Krupco, Steve & Jane Mathias, Mike & Joyce Allen, Rick & Marsha Keith, Craig & Pat King, that That

evening we all went to Olive Garden for dinner, and before dinner and after dinner, we sat around and visited at the campground.

Second day of the Peculiar Caravan, some most of us went to Weston, MO. They visited the shops in downtown Weston, they They had lunch at the American Bowman, everyone and said it was good. After Lunch they went to the McCormick Distillery and wineries. Others went antiquing and they had dinner at San Jose Steak and Mexican restaurant and said it was incredibly good. That evening we sat out and visited at Rick and Marsha Keith's trailer.

Third day is where the Peculiar part of our caravan started, The group visited the Glore Psychiatric Museum, very creepy hard Hard to believe they had the kitchen next to the morgue, and the way they treated their patients. After that some of us drove through the Hall Street District called Millionaires Row. Some of us went to the Remington Nature Park. We all went our separate ways for dinner, some went to the San Jose Restaurant, others went to Perkins or 54th Street bar and Grill. Some of the Greater St. Louis, MO. unit came into the campground today. That evening we sat out at Mike and Joyce Allen's trailer for Happy Hour and some of the Greater St. Louis MO. unit joined us.

Fourth day of the Rally we went our separate ways today. Some went to Atchison, Kansas to see the Amelia Earhart earthwork and went to the house where she grew up. They also did some shopping, and some drove though the historic district. Some went to the Pony Express Museum. We had Happy Hour and celebrated the April Birthdays.

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The second leg of our Peculiar caravan we traveled to Victoria Acres RV Park in Nebraska City, Nebraska. We spent one night there but it was a packed filled day the peculiar part of this caravan was the Wyuka Cemetery with roll top desk headstone, broken off trees as headstones and several other types of headstones. We also visited the Lewis and Clark Trail and Museum. Then most of us visited the downtown area. Several of us toured the Arbor Farm Mansion.

The next day we traveled to Lincoln, Nebraska for the Region 8 Rally. The Peculiar thing when we went to Lincoln at the Lancaster Event Center was the Dinosaurs outside one of the buildings. They were having a Jurassic Quest.

Thank You Gary and Linda Rush and John and Colette Krupco for the Peculiar Caravan.

Region 8 Rally: Thank you Region 8 President, Greg and first lady, Frances Vadner for a great rally. Wednesday night at the Region 8 Rally, we had a potluck dinner with the fried chicken provided. It turned out exceptionally good (tasty food). Thursday morning,

we had a welcome breakfast, and Sky Med Presentation. That afternoon there was an International Quilt Museum Tour for those that signed up. Then the rest of your day was free. Friday morning, we had a breakfast in the Hall each Each club/unit brought things in to share. Then most people went to the Speed Museum. That afternoon there was discussion at the hall for the new proposed amendments, then we had the Region 8 annual business meeting. After that we had dinner, then our Region 8 President Greg Vadner handed out rest of the door prizes and auctioned off some of the items that were brought in the auction the money will go towards Common Cents. Then it was time for the band called Near Normal, that our Past Region 8 President Mike Sisk is in. There was lots of dancing and visiting a fun time was had by all.

The next day was a free day, and that evening we had an auction and door prizes.

June Rally Information:

Rally June 2nd to the 5th at Petit Jean State Park, Morrilton, AR. Phone number 501-727-5441 or 501-727-5522. Reservations must be made by May 1st. Tell them you are with the Missouri Greater Ozark Airstream Club and the group #487794. After May 1st cannot be guaranteed a spot close to the group

Host Mike and Joyce Allen contact information Joyce at 417-499-8097 e-mail mijo151740@sbcglobal.net, or Mike at 417-569-5262 e-mail mike1740@att.net.

Co-hosts are Jim and Jane Foster, Jane's email is jfoster5068@gmail.com.

Please let your host know you are coming.

More information on June Rally: There will be a rally fee.

Thursday night dinner please bring your own sandwich and a side dish to share, plus your table service and drink. Dinner will be at the campground

Friday night we will have a catered dinner at the Legacy room located near the Mather Lodge. There will be a business meeting at 5 p.m. and dinner at 6 p.m.

Saturday night we will have a Spuds and Suds Bar. Bake potato bar (potato provided) all you need to bring is your favorite topping to share. The Suds part is root beer floats for dessert (root beer floats provided). Bring your table service and drink. Dinner will be at the campground.

Come to Petit Jean State Park in Morrilton, AR. to relax, or be as busy as you want. Things to check out at Petit Jean State Park. Upstream from Cedar Creek, a CCC rock dam forms Lake Bailey, one hundred acres of fishing, kayaking, and pedal boating. There are hiking trails that lead through forest and meadows, over canyons, and along streams and the mountainside. See where nature formed sheer bluffs, the spectacular

95-foot Cedar Falls, Seven Hollows and such features as Bear Cave, the Grotto, Natural Bridge and other carpet rocks and turtle rocks. From Stouts Points you can view a portion of the historic Trial of Tears.

Things to do in Morrilton, AR. Museum of Automobiles, Movie House Winery are in Morrilton, AR., Potts Inn Museum is in Pottsville, AR., Arkansas River Visitor Center in Russellville, AR., Holla Bend National Wildlife Refuge in Pottsville, AR.

Upcoming Rallies

September Rally 15th to 18th Rick and Marsha Keith (Host) sent an update on this rally. Cedar Oaks RV Park has been sold and is now Grand Lake of the Cherokees, **New phone number is 539-444-9451**. You will need to get your reservation in as soon as possible so we can be parked as a group, tell them you are with the Missouri Greater Ozark Airstream group. Please let your host know you are coming email rmkeith8070@sbcglobal.net or call 918-314-1041.

October 20th to 23rd Fall Rally Moses Austin Park in Ste. Genevieve, MO. Make your reservations by calling Jami Inman at 573-883-6035. Tell them you are with the Missouri Greater Ozark Airstream Club at Moses Austin Park, and the October Rally dates, it is \$25 per night. Cash only! Steve Mathias will collect cash at the rally. Please let your host Steve and Jane Mathias know you are coming. Notify Steve by email yellowhare@gmail.com or call 913-260-0234.

Birthdays/ Anniversaries

May Anniversaries: 12th Steve and Jane Mathias

May Birthdays: 15th Larry Barclay, 27th Lynette Callahan

June Anniversaries: 8th Kevin and Lynette Callahan

June Birthdays: none

Announcements:

Ballots for the Delegates meeting at International Rally, on Amendments 1 and 2 will be emailed May 15th and those that don't have email your ballot will be mailed May 10th.

June Rally there will be a business meeting at 5 p.m. at the Legacy Room

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