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President’s Message: by Eric Pollard (BRN 7218)



Wow, April was a fun month for

Airstreamers with two rallies to attend, the Region 3 Rally and Silver in the City Rally.

Donna and I were not able to attend the Region 3 Rally in Hiawasee but, we heard it was a fun rally. Folks in our club enjoyed the band, the food, the mountains and most of all, the camaraderie of their Airstream friends. Next year the Region 3 Rally will be at Ocean Lakes in Myrtle Beach and we all know that is a great venue for a rally, and one you won’t want to miss.

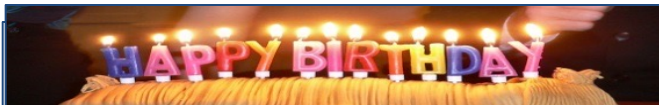
Silver in the City in York was phenomenal and keeps getting better every year. This was our 3rd Silver in the City Urban Rally and it did not disappoint with York rolling out the red carpet for around 80 Airstreams that attended. Thanks to Terry and John for a great rally as always! Many folks turned out to walk down Main Street, and most of the Airstreams were open to tour. Doors and awnings opened street side this year so that our visitors could get a real feel for the Airstream life. It made for an even better Urban Rally experience.

Well, May is here and it’s time to go to Mount Airy, NC to the Mayberry Campground. We have 15 trailers reserved so far. We are excited to visit the home town of Andy Griffith and the inspiration for his famous shows, Andy Griffin Show and Mayberry RFD. Be sure to check out the Rally details posted by our Hosts on page 4 of this newsletter. It will definitely be a fun weekend for all that can attend.

We hope everyone is enjoying the warmer weather and getting their trailers in ship shape for an exciting year of camping adventures. Details for all our rallies are in this Newsletter, our Directory, or on our Facebook Page and online at <https://airstreamclub.org/palmetto-state>. You can also give me a call with any questions you might have, 803-833-2488.

Come join us for a Rally when you can! You will not regret it!

Happy Camping!



May Birthdays:

Kathy Welch – 3
 Joseph Huff – 9
 Jill Sutton – 14
 Fred Brandt – 15
 Chuck Hearn – 17
 Linda Meadors – 20
 Debbie Peterson – 24
 Diane Hearn – 25

June Birthdays:

Annie Montgomery – 1
 Jing XU Weaver – 10
 Jay DeVecchio – 12
 Melody Charles – 13
 Jerry Peterson – 20
 Deborah Brooks – 28
 Martha Harris – 28
 Betsy Stewart – 28

Happy Anniversary!

May Anniversaries:

Gayle & Jill Sutton – 3
 Brad & Tami Van Thof – 5
 John & Linda Foster – 6
 Mike & Maryjane Carr – 7
 Eric & Donna Pollard – 9
 Jerry & Debbie Peterson – 12
 Bobby & Arlene Puryear – 16
 Jeff & Madalyn Morehead – 20
 Marvin & Judith Snead – 20

June Anniversaries:

Ancel & Cheryl Hamilton – 3
 Michael & Melody Charles – 15
 Michael & Debbi Madden – 17
 Jay & Lucy DeVecchio – 21
 Jim & Amanda Schaal – 26
 Mark & Jing XU Weaver – 26

NOTE from your Editor.

If you want a **GREAT** newsletter it takes **all** our members to contribute! I need stories, pictures, Birthdays, Anniversaries, Cares & Prayers with updates, Nuts & Bolts, Recipes. Please send at any time to Joyce Butucel at a7roses4757@gmail.com.

Reach out to Vickie Lee for Donations

by Vickie Lee (BRN 11798)

With Paul Welch's help, Vickie has been sending out letters to businesses that we Airstreamers have utilized in the past or could utilize in the future. She has been asking them to partner with our Palmetto Unit by providing donations that we could use at our rallies. So far she has had some businesses to respond and she has received several items to use as door prizes, but she still needs help in contacting businesses in partnering with us. We have agreed to mention them in our Bell Ringer and of course, utilize their services as needed.

But help is needed by our members to get more businesses involved. If you know of any businesses just email Vickie Lee the name and address and she would be glad to send them a letter explaining how we use their donations and how they get the recognition.

She has been keeping a record of who she sends these letters to so she won't send any duplications.

Any questions?? Just ask.

Vickie_leern@yahoo.com

Businesses that have donated so far are:

- RV One, Colfax, NC
- Tireminder, Stuart, FL
- Camping World, Spartanburg, SC
- AB Lifestyles, Iva, SC ablifestyles.net
- Vintage Trailer Supply
www.vintagetrailerssupply.com



Cares and Prayers:

- Prayers for Ann Miller who has cancer.
- Continued prayers for Jake & Diane Butts.
- Sonny & Linda Meadors for their son, Jeff who has a brain tumor. Martha Harris and her daughter Nancy.
- Blood Clots in both legs, Bill Butucel.
- For Eric Pollard and his heart issues.



May 13-15, 2022

Camping in Mayberry, Mayberry Campground, Mount Airy, NC

Mayberry Campground is built on land that was once part of a 2,000 acre farm owned by the original Siamese twins, Eng and Chang Bunker. Their ancestors run this privately owned campground. Mount Airy is where Andy Griffith grew up. If you've never been to Mount Airy, you are in for a treat. **Call 336-789-6199** and make your reservations for a fantastic rally. www.mayberrycampground.com



A quick look at the fun we have planned...

THURSDAY.... 4pm... For those arriving early, a meet and greet. Bring a beverage and a snack.

FRIDAY....4pm.... Come join us for some therapy. Bring snack (optional) and your beverage of choice.

Dinner on your own.

SATURDAY 9am Breakfast: Continental.

SATURDAY Lunch on your own (visit historical Mount Airy with numerous shops and restaurants plus the museum of Eng & Chang Bunker).

Dinner:6:00pm

Mayberry Style

SUNDAY.... 8:30am Breakfast: Continental with a prayer for the road.

Hope to see you there!!!

Hosts: Burt & Gail Broadway, Donnie & Vickie Lee and Bill & Joyce Butucel

The Airstream Mayberry Whistle

Well now, take your Airstream
And meet me at Mayberry with your team
We may not get there all at the same time
But don't you rush, be safe and get there by bedtime
What a great place to rest your bones
And mighty fine for skipping stones
You'll feel fresh as a lemonade a-setting in the shade
Whether it's hot, whether it's cool
Oh what a spot for whistling like a fool
What a fine day to take a stroll
Doing the Airstream Mayberry Whistle, they say
I can't think of a better way to pass the time of day
We'll have no need to call the roll
When we get to Mayberry and stroll
They'll be you, me, and pets, to pass the time away
If we don't pass
We'll cool our toes in dewy grass
Or else pull up a weed to chew
And maybe sit and jaw
Hanging around, taking our ease
Watching our pets a scratching at their fleas
I'm gonna take my Airstream
And meet you at Mayberry
I can't think of a better way
To pass the time of day
Original song by Andy Griffin "The Fishin' Hole"
and tweaked by Joyce Butucel for Airstream fun!

Practice up your whistle and voice as we will make an attempt to whistle and sing this song when we gather together at Mayberry RFD!

2022 Airstream Rally Schedule

June 10-12, 2022 Kids' Rally! Palmetto Cove RV Park, Cleveland, SC

This is not only a kids' rally (for kids and grandkids too) but a rally for everyone. It's always a fun time at the Cove, the home base for our club.

Hosts: Paul & Kathy Welch, Jeff & Madalyn Morehead and Callie Rae Scurry

We are looking forward to an exciting rally for kids and adults as well! All ages are welcome! Make sure to attend the activities with your child or grandchild if they are very young or need individual assistance.

In order to plan crafts and meals, we are asking members to **RSVP to Kathy Welch by June 1** at the latest. Her email is kmw320@gmail.com, cell phone 864-247-7991. We need to know the number of adults and children in your party, and your arrival and departure dates. Rates are \$35 per night, and \$17.50 for Palmetto Cove members. Once you receive an email with your site number and payment info., please call Palmetto Cove at 864-836-6221 to confirm your reservation. Let them know you are with the Palmetto State Airstream Club. You can pay over the phone by credit card. Otherwise, you may pay on arrival.

July 23-29, 2022 65th International Airstream Rally, Fryeburg, ME

See page 7 for Caravan information.

You can now sign up for the International Rally being held at the Fryeburg Fairgrounds, Fryeburg, ME. Register thru www.AirstreamClub.org/Fryeburg. Go online or see your Blue Beret for more details.



August 19-21, 2022 Palmetto State Airstream Mountain Rally

Asheville's Bear Creek RV Park & Campground, 81 South Bear Creek Rd., Asheville, NC 28806. Come to the NC mountains! This campground has it all, a pool, a clubhouse, discounted tickets to the Biltmore and beautiful views of the mountains and hopefully some cooler temps at a higher altitude. 20 sites have been reserved, rate \$54 night.

Call 828-253-0798 and ask for Missy or Tracy. <https://ashevillebearcreek.com/>

Hosts: Pam Devine



September 9-11, 2022 Joint Rally w/the Coastal Unit

Palmetto Cove RV Park, Cleveland, SC

Hosts: Melia Jacobs, Joe & Dene Huff and Henry & Fran Herlong

October 27-30, 2022 ALUMALINA

Tom Johnson Rally Park, 1885 Hwy 70 West, Marion, NC

A Carolina Airstream gathering. 4 days of food, fun, fellowship, seminars, craft fair/flea market, beer swaps, Bourbon Trails, walking, talking, biking, hiking, paddling, picking, grinning, campfires, miles of Aluminum, and lots of paroozing.

Details to come on airforums.com.

November 4-6, 2022 Installation Rally

Palmetto Cove RV Park, Cleveland, SC

Hosts: Bill & Sandee Welch

Sign up!
Register!
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65th WALLY BYAM AIRSTREAM CLUB

★ INTERNATIONAL RALLY ★

★ July 23-29, 2022 ★ Fryeburg, ME ★

Register thru [AirstreamClub.org/Fryeburg](https://www.airstreamclub.org/Fryeburg) #ACIRALLY2022

Sign up now for the FRYEBURG, MAINE event! Six days of fun, friendship, and all things Airstream at the 65th Airstream Club International Rally.

There will be six days of fun-filled events, seminars, social gatherings, tours, food, and entertainment. Fryeburg is located between North Conway, New Hampshire, and Bridgton, Maine, on the west side of the state. Fryeburg also offers a variety of recreational opportunities, including the White Mountains National Forest, the Saco River, and numerous ponds and lakes nearby. Other sites of interest include Jockey Cap Rock, Fryeburg Farm Museum, and the Fryeburg Historical Society and Museum.

Conway, New Hampshire is a short drive with outlet stores, many restaurants, museums and golf courses, all with the friendliness of a small town. Fryeburg also offers restaurants and shopping opportunities that include farm stands with local produce and products, craft beers, wines, and locally made crafts.

Caravan News!

Eric Pollard, with the help of Bob Wilson of our Caravan Committee, has put together a caravan to Fryeburg, ME for the International Rally. As of January 21st, 829 sites out of 1000 have been reserved, so there are still spots remaining. We have secured reservations at campgrounds on the way to and from ME beginning on July 19th, arriving in Fryeburg on July 22nd for parking, arriving back in Fort Mill, SC on August 6th.

We are so excited that many of our members are attending the International Rally in Fryeburg on July 23-29, 2022. It's not too late to register and let us know your interest in joining the caravan to the International. Some members are joining the caravan which starts in Fort Mill, SC, some are meeting up along the way, and some are meeting us there on Friday, July 22nd for parking. Arriving at the fairgrounds on the same day will allow us to all park together. We will be traveling by 2's but all arriving on the same day.

We have planned on two side trips, Boston, MA (3 nights) and Frank Lloyd Wright's Falling Water in PA (2 nights) on the return home, with some traveling directly back to South Carolina. Let Eric know if you are interested in the caravan and we will get you all the information you need.

Welcome New Members / Affiliate Members

New Members:

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Kerstin Evans kerstinevans@yahoo.com
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Woodruff, SC

Ken Mills kenmills@outlook.com
Liza Mills lizamills@outlook.com
BRN 03911, 2021 International 25"
Fort Mills, SC

Affiliate Members:

Dee Bost bostpacpal@aol.com
Stephen Bost bulldog@ikdlaw.com
BRN 05733, 2018 Sport 22"
Williamsburg, VA



Nuts & Bolts

by Terry & Annie Montgomery (BRN 3156)

YOUR RV REFRIGERATOR: Using heat to keep it cool!

Being able to carry cold and even frozen food as we travel is a huge asset. Cold beverages, meats, vegetables, even ice cream can be carried with us wherever we roam.

A few tips to help you keep your cool!!! First...the basics:

Unlike household compressor driven refrigerators, RV refrigerators work off of absorption: Using heat, produced either from propane or the electric element inside the burner chimney, a chemical mixture is heated, then cooled, absorbing the heat from inside the box as it cools. A bit too technical but worth knowing the basics as to how they work.

What you can do to keep it cooling properly.....

Sad but true, as wonderful as they are to have with us, the RV frig is terribly inefficient.

Consider.....

If you cannot leave the frig on between trips, turn it on 1-2 days before loading to allow time to cool down. It is a slow process.

Pre-chill and pre-freeze anything you put inside.

Don't open the door any longer than necessary; the interior temperature will rise quickly.

Place a small thermometer inside on a shelf to monitor the temps. 40 degrees is the max the interior should be.

Keep the frig full. A full frig is a happy frig. More contents/less open space = less space needing the heat to be absorbed.

Level your rig front to back to maximize the cooling. The cooling unit on the back side needs to be mostly level for it to perform correctly.

If the ambient temperature outside is high and/or humid, and the frig is struggling to cool, raise the louvered door on the outside of your rig so additional air can flow through the back and up and out the chimney.

This info
taken from

Mary's Southern Grill

at Region
3 Rally

A True Southerner Knows...

- ★ How good a cold grape Nehi & cheese crackers are at a country store.
- ★ You should never loan your tools, pick-up, or gun to nobody.
- ★ A belt serves a greater purpose than holding Daddy's pants up.
- ★ At one point learned what happens when you swallow tobacco juice.
- ★ Pretty much how many fish or collards greens make up a mess.
- ★ A good dog is worth its weight in gold.
- ★ Real gravy don't come from the store.
- ★ The difference between a hissie fit & a conniption fit.
- ★ What general direction cattywampus is.
- ★ When somebody's "fixin'" to do something, it won't be long.
- ★ The difference between "pert' near" and "a right far piece."
- ★ That "just down the road" can be 1 mile or 20.

- ★ That, "Well I Suwannee" means.
- ★ Never to go snipe hunting twice.
- ★ Never to assume that the other car with the flashing turn signal is actually going to make a turn.
- ★ The differences between a redneck, a good ol' boy, & trailer trash.
- ★ Instinctively that the best gesture of solace for a neighbor who's got trouble is a plate of hot fried chicken & a big bowl of cold potato salad. If the trouble is a real crisis, they also know to add a large banana pudding'.
- ★ A true southerner can show or point out to you the general direction of "yonder".
- ★ When you hear someone say, "Well, I caught myself lookin'," you know you're in the presence of a genuine southerner.
- ★ And a true Southerner knows you don't scream obscenities at little old ladies who drive 30 on the freeway - you just say, "Bless her heart" and go your way.

Southern Dictionary

a - A prefix added to the present participle to make it purtier, e.g. "Abe's a-workin' in backer t'day; Ma's a-talkin' to you, son!"

Afore - Just as good as "before" in some parts.

Air - Close to the listener, as in "What is that air thang you got air in yore han', Lela May?' Not be to confused with what you breathe, err.

Airy - Any but only singular: "You got airy (a) coon dog left?" Antonym for nairy.

Any count - Of any value: Is at air fried chicken yall's eatin any count? A question with this phrase in it has only a negative answer: No 'count.

Are (R) 60 minutes: "Hit took me 3 ares, (Rs) just to git my gumption up anuff to even talk to Lulu Belle."

Britches - Pert much anything worn over the legs: pants, dungarees - trousers?

Carry on - Overdo your actions or make a lot of fuss, as in, "Yall' young'ns stop a-carryin on so; we can't hear each other talk."

Cattywampus - Askew, awry; not straight.

Citify - The take the country out of the boy; said by some to be impossible.

Co-Cola - The most famous of the cold dranks. (Coca whut?)

Conniption - A major fit, total loss of control of one's temper; you pitch a conniption.

Cooter - Turtle or a general name of affection.

Cracker - A native of Jawjuh.

Cut on/off - Turn on/off: "Cut off d'lights when you leave."

Fall off - To lose weight: "Minnie Faye's fell off a lot since her mama-'n-law moved in & started doin the cookin' don't you think?"

Farner - Somebody whut done come from a farn country.

Fixin - Getting ready to: "I'm a fixin to leave."

Fur Piece - A long way, a great distance.

Heidi - Greeting as in "Heidi doo!" Simpler (and faster) way to put "How do you do."

Holt - In your hand: "If'n I gets holt of a shotgun, you'll shore change yore tune!"

Ida Claire - The saint Southerners turn to in moments of surprise: "Well, Ida Claire! If that don't beat all!"

Jawjuh - Southern state who's capital is Lanner: "My bruvver from Jawjuh - runs duh biggis junkyard in Lanner."

Like-to - Almost, nearly. "Hit like-to-kilt d'man when he saw his boy a-wearin' a kilt."

Meer - A looking glass.

Plane - Downright, as in "That's plane ignert."

Plumb - Completely: "Are you plumb crazy?"

Smack (dab) - Precisely, as in "smack dab in the middle."

Supper - The meal (supposed to be) et around 5o'clock.

Swanny - Doggone! Dadburned! I swanny, if'n Billy Sue ain't done shot anudder 'possum!" (I swan works just as well.)



**DUTCH
OVEN
DESSERTS**

Region 3 Rally



AIRSTREAM

**Region 3 Rally
Hiawassee, GA**



Yum!

HOT DOG Supper





Region 3 Rally



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Celebrating Birthdays at Region 3



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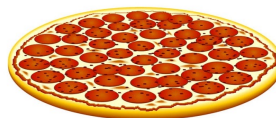
Silver in the City ...York, SC



Wednesday Night pre-gathering at Palmetto Seafood Restaurant.



Thursdays gathering...at The York Place



Thank you Bank of York for the PIZZA!





Silver in the City ...York, SC

Thursday FUN!



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Silver in the City ...York, SC

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FRIDAY - April 22
 9 am **AIRSTREAM PARADE!**
 Downtown Congress St.
 5 - 9pm **Beer/Wine Garden**
 City Market/Grapevine • 55 N. Congress St.
 6 - 8 pm **Welcome Ceremony**
FREE Concert
 City Market • 55 N. Congress St.
 Grey Dave Band & East Side Growlers
 7 - 10pm **Live Music - 90 Proof Punch**
 Yorkville Marketplace: 108 N. Congress St.

SATURDAY - April 23
 7 - 10am **CARS & COFFEE**
 Southern Touch Bakery
 25 S. Congress St.
DJ Music - WJBJ
 12 - 2pm **WRHI - LIVE!**
 Congress St. Pharmacy 12 N. Congress St.
 12 - 5pm **Beer/Wine Garden**
 City Market / Grapevine
 55 N. Congress St.
 1 - 4pm **OPEN HOUSE**
Tour the Airstreams!!
DJ Music / Dancing - WJBJ
 City Market • 55 N. Congress St.
 4 - 10 pm **Live Music**
 Yorkville Marketplace
 108 N. Congress St.
 4 - 7pm Kudzo Koyboyz
 7 - 10pm Angry Charlie




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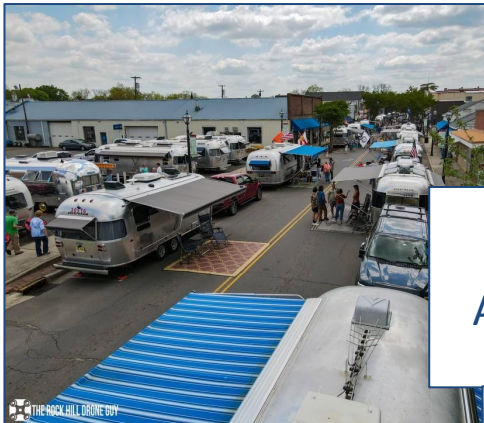


Quick synopsis of how many Airstreams participated along with the City of York and businesses who contributed to a very successful rally!!!

- There were 80 Airstreams that showed up for "Silver in the City", which came from 13 different states. The longest distance traveled were from Texas and Vermont,
- P.A.T.H. donations totaled \$5,075.00
- Bank of York sponsored the pizza on Thursday night
- Mickey and Missy Peake sponsored the programs and the water color paintings
- City of York did the rally bags and live entertainment for opening ceremony and during open house.
- Yorkville Market Place and Dickerson Motor opened up their parking lots for our Airstreams to park in.
- Yorkville Market Place offered live entertainment Friday and Saturday.
- Sweet Tea did the official t-shirts.
- Boney insurance for shopping bags.



Welcome Ceremony by Mayor, Mike Fuesser

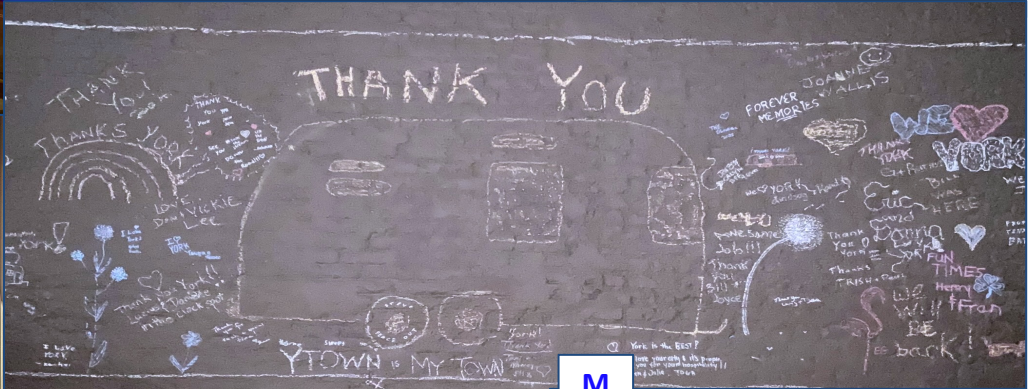


**WELCOME
Airstreamers**





Silver in the City ...York, SC



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Thank You!

to ALL who made this a successful RALLY!

California Spaghetti

Ingredients:

- 1 lb. spaghetti, cooked and drained
- 1 1/2 cups cherry tomatoes, halved
- 1 cucumber, diced
- 2 zucchini, diced
- 1 green bell pepper, diced
- 1 red bell pepper, diced
- 1 red onion, diced
- 1 can sliced black olives, drained

For the dressing:

- 1 bottle Italian dressing
- 1/2 cup parmesan cheese, grated
- 1 tablespoon sesame seeds
- 1 teaspoon paprika
- 1/2 teaspoon celery seed
- 1/4 teaspoon garlic powder



Directions:

Cook spaghetti according to directions on package, and drain and rinse in cold water. In a large bowl, combine zucchini, tomatoes, cucumber, bell peppers, onion, and black olives.

In a small bowl, whisk together Italian dressing, sesame seeds, parmesan cheese, paprika, celery seed, and garlic powder.

Add cooked spaghetti to vegetables and olives, then add dressing and toss together thoroughly. Cover and set in refrigerator to chill for at least 3 hours. Serve chilled and enjoy!

Baked Brussel Sprouts

My favorite way to make Brussels sprouts...marinated overnight!

Ingredients:

15-20 Brussel Sprouts

1-Lemon

1-Tbsp. Olive Oil

¼ tsp. Paprika

¼ tsp. Garlic Salt

¼ tsp. Pepper



Instructions:

In a gallon size zip bag combine juice of lemon, olive oil, pepper, paprika and garlic salt. Add in Brussels (cut in half or quartered), seal bag and toss around until well coated.

Refrigerate overnight.

When ready to roast, preheat oven to 400 degrees F, and place Brussels on baking sheet. Bake for 15-20 minutes.

Feel free to eat the entire pan, they are that good! ❤️❤️❤️