

THE TICKER

Newsletter of the Central Indiana Unit WBCCI
From the Heart of Indiana
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Mike's Message

Hello fellow Airstreamers! Hope you are enjoying your summer and that you have found a way to stay cool. We just returned from International in Sedalia, MO, where it was very warm with most days registering 3 digit degrees but with warm breezes to help "cool" us. The heat did not keep us from having a good time, and it was great visiting with "old" and new friends. The CIU members we saw while there were the Bells, Bergens, Branscomb, Gordys, Hostetters, Peaks, and Phillips.

Ann Newman did not attend International; however she did make herself known by winning second place in the Directory contest. It was a very competitive competition, so it's quite an honor to place in this category. Congratulations Ann!

I attended the Delegates' Meeting while in Sedalia and the results of the voting are as follows:

- Item 1: Revised WBCCI Constitution – did not pass.
- Item 2: Motor Home Issue Amendment – was sent to Constitution and Bylaws Committee.
- Item 3: Denver Motion – did not pass.
- Item 4: International Officers elected:

President: John Boutwell 1st VP: John Stumpf 2nd VP: Joe Perryman 3rd VP: Jim Schwerdfeger
Recording Secy: Cecelia Stansbury Treasurer: Kathy Hampel Nominating Comm. (2) C.C. Gartman and Carolyn Florence

For Region 5, our very own Barry Bell was elected President and installed at the International Rally.

Thanks again to those of you who returned your ballot to me prior to International. Your votes were very helpful to me in the Delegates' meeting and I hope you are satisfied with the voting results. No doubt, there will be more discussions and proposed amendments in the future.

I'd also like to thank Don and Martha Botkins again for hosting our JuneYouth Rally in New Paris, Ohio. We all had a good time, even with the heat, and it was especially nice to meet the Miami Valley of Ohio members who joined us. Fresh hot popcorn was an additional treat every day thanks to Anna and Ralph Reboulet from the Ohio Unit who brought their popcorn machine. It was a great turnout with 22 adults and 20 grandchildren.

Now that we've been home a few days, rested up and cooled off, we're looking forward to our next rally, White River Wonders in Cicero, August 9-12. Make your reservation by calling me (Mike Brown) at 317-877-1745. There are lots of interesting things available in the area to keep you busy and entertained, so hope you can join us. A more detailed schedule of events will be sent out soon to those of you who sign up for the Rally. Additional information on the Rally is also included in this publication.

Also, don't forget to sign up for the October In and Out Caravan. October will be here before you know it, so make your reservations soon! Check out the CIU website for details or contact Ann Newman at anewman2@indy.rr.com or call her at 317-769-0099 with any questions.

Hope to see many of you at one or both of the above outings. In the meantime, stay cool and get those Airstreams ready for travel.

Mike

Keep up to date on club events at <http://centralind.wbcci.net>

Post your photos and your camping adventures on our facebook group. Search for "WBCCI Central Indiana Unit" on Facebook.

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Banks of the Wabash Caravan Oct 5-14, 2012



We now have 13 rigs signed up for the caravan!

Here's a quiz about the upcoming caravan:

At which of the three areas (Bluffton, Peru, Delphi/White County):

...was Cole Porter born?

...can you ride on an historic canal boat?

...is the Loblolly Marsh Wetland being restored?

...can you taste a variety of hard ciders?

...is the grave of Frances Slocum who was captured by Indians as a child?

...can you see a B-17, a B-58, and an A-10 Warthog?

...will you hear a glockenspiel in a 160 foot tall clock tower?

...can you look for vintage Airstream parts - and look through vintage trailers?

...will you get up close to a wind farm?

...can you help with chores on a 1920's farm - and then buy fresh eggs?

For more information (and maybe some answers) look on the CIU website

<http://centralind.wbcci.net/>

Or contact Ann Newman

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White River Wonders Rally Aug 9-12, 2012

Come join the fun at the White River Wonders Rally!

When: August 9-12, 2012

Where:

White River Campground
11299 East 234th Street
Cicero, IN

[Campground Website](#)

Great camping facilities with concrete pads along White River
30 and 50 amps available with full hookups

Reservations: Call Mike Brown (home) 317-877-1745 or (cell) 317-459-9497, or email mjkbrown@frontier.com

Activities: Volleyball, horseshoes, arcade games, playground, fishing, boating
Bean bag baseball, ladder ball, evening campfires and conversation!

Attractions Nearby:

Strawtown Koteewi Park
Taylor Center of Natural History
Native Prairie Garden
Canoe or kayak along the meandering White River
Bike Trails
Indiana Transportation Museum in Noblesville
Tour Historic Downtown Noblesville
Hamilton County Museum of History and Courthouse since 1878
Old Sheriff's Residence and Jail
Noblesville Farmers' Market – Salsa dip contest 8/11/12
Cicero Farmers' Market 8/11/12
Kirk Hardware, "Old Fashioned" Hardware Store since 1890
Explore antique shops, art galleries, and specialty stores
Syd's Grill and Bar since 1889
Many other locally owned and very good restaurants
Alexander's on the Square, Old Fashioned Ice Cream Parlour
Hedgehog Music Showcase, Arcadia, Friday and Saturday nights
Conner Prairie Interactive History Park
Ride the Fair Train to the Indiana State Fair

2012 CIU Rallies and Events

June 7-10, 2012 Youth-Buddy Joint Rally with Miami Valley of Ohio Unit

June 27- July 4 2012 International Rally – Sedalia, MO

August 9 – 12 2012 White River Wonders Rally White River Campground Cicero, IN

September 9-11 2012 Region 5 Computer Rally

**September 12 – 16 2012 Region 5 “Harvest Time” Rally
Tipton County Fairgrounds, Tipton, IN**

October 5 – 14 2012

**On the Banks of the Wabash Caravan: Berne to Peru to Delphi, IN / Installation Rally
Ann Newman 317-769 -0099**

**December 1 2012 Christmas Luncheon MCL Cafeteria 5520 Castleton Corner Lane,
Indpls**

Contact Darlene or Ron Gordy 765-474-5618

Welcome new Members!

Central Indiana Unit welcomes our new members!!!

Wayne & Karen Roberts of London, OH

Trailer For Sale

Tom and I have to give up trailering and our trailer is for sale.

2005 Airstream Classic, hardwood floors, rear twin beds, split bath, corian counter tops, awnings all around, new catalytic heater.

We are asking \$35,000 for it. Please contact Tom and Pat Anson at 317-881-4688

Youth-Buddy Joint Rally



Gordy and Brown
Grandkids having fun

International Rally at Sedalia, MO

Opening Ceremonies
at International Rally

Karen Bell on the
Piano

Barry Bell sworn in as
Region 5 President

CIU at lunch: Mike
and Mary Jo Brown,
Ron and Darlene
Gordy, Hal and
Cynthia Withy from
Southern Illinois Unit.

