

The Ticker

Central Indiana Unit – WBCCI May - 2015





HUSK GRILLED CORN GREAT FOR CAMPGROUNDS!

6 ears corn (with shucks)
6 Tablespoons unsalted butter - softened
½ teaspoon salt
½ teaspoon pepper

Step 1: Cut and remove silks protruding from top of each ear of corn. Combine butter, salt, and pepper in a bowl. Fold one 12×14 inch piece of heavy duty aluminum foil in half to create a 7 x 12 rectangle. Crimp into a boat shape long and wide enough to accommodate one ear of corn. Transfer butter mixture to prepared foil boat.

Step 2: Charcoal Grill: Open the bottom vent completely. Light the large chimney starter mounded with the briquettes (7 quarts). When the top coals are partially covered with ash, pour evenly over half of the grill. Set cooking grate in place, cover and open lid vent completely. Heat grill until hot – about 5 minutes.

Step 2 B: Gas Grill: Turn all burners to high, cover and heat grill to hot – about 15 minutes.

Step 3: Clean and oil the grates. Place corn over grill (using coals, place stem ends facing cooler side of the grill). Charcoal grill cover and cook, turning every 3 minutes until the husks have blackened all over – about 12 to 15 minutes. To check for doneness, carefully peel down small portion of husk. If corn steams and is bright yellow, it is ready.

Transfer corn to a cutting board Using a chef's knife, cut base from the ear of corn. Using dish folded to hold the corn, peel away and discard husk and silks with tongs.

Step 4: Roll each ear of corn in butter to coat lightly and return to the grill (over coals for charcoal).

Cook, turning as needed to char the corn lightly on each side – about 5 minutes total. Remove corn from the grill and roll each ear in butter once again. Transfer to a platter or serve to guests as they pass by the grill. Keep reserve butter to use as needed.



Dear CIU Members:

It seems like a long time since the April newsletter - there's so much happening all the time now it's hard to keep up - spring is a busy busy time for all us "Airstreamers."

The Brown County Weekender was a great time and well attended, with 13 units. We hiked, biked, hunted and found morel mushrooms, had a campground movie night, visited the nature center, shopped in Nashville, visited an antique tractor show, golfed - the list goes on! All in all a great time with great friends!

On Memorial Day six CIU units and one guest unit met at White River Campground and left Tuesday morning in a caravan to Alumapalooza at Jackson Center, Ohio. At Alumapalooza we hosted, as a joint effort between Regions 4 & 5, an "introduction to WBCCI" event. It was very well attended - might have had something to do with the free pizza we provided - and in addition to the great comments about the presentation, WBCCI has, at last count, 12 new members. The national club provided one year's free membership for us to give away, and our own Mike Zimmerman added an additional year to the giveaway. The winner was de- lighted. We also gave away overnight stays provided by the Minnesota Airstream Park and Virginia Hlghland Haven. ClU has several new members that we are anxious to welcome at our upcoming events. I would like to send a great big super-duper thank you to Lana and Don Russel, and the other ClU members that helped make this event so successful.

We are now looking forward to our next Weekender at Ouabache State Park, June 12-14. There are a couple of sites available if you would like to decide to join us at the last minute. This event was scheduled knowing that many of our members would be on the road to the International Rally in Farmington, New Mexico. Currently we have only four units attending the Weekender; we will be small in number but mighty in spirit! For more information contact Ann Newman at anewman2@indy.rr.com.

Although it is late - I would still like to encourage any one that might be thinking about Farming- ton - it isn't too late to go! Sandy and I have been lucky enough to attend the last two Interna- tionals, and are so sorry to have to sit this one out. International is special, and well worth the trip. If you can't make it to Farmington, start planning now for 2016 in Lewisburg, West Virginia, and 2017 in Escanaba, Michigan. We are getting real excited about the joint State Fair Family Rally in August. This one is going to be a lot of fun. Look for more information in the This year is flying by - more rallies to come - get your reservations in!

Keep on campin'!

Camper Ken

Dutch Oven cooking with Patti Frey!





Greeting new Members John and Debbie Ahrens!

JUNE WEEKENDER

Our June Weekender Rally is coming up – June 12 – 14 at Oubache State Park in Bluffton. This park is 30 miles from Fort Wayne, built in the 1930s as part of a forest preserve. There is a resident herd of bison on the property. The Wabash River runs through the park and provides fishing opportunities. Nearby attractions include the Limberlost in Geneva, and the city of Berne, IN with it's surrounding Amish population.

Each member should call to reserve their campsite. Let's try to fill up sites 26 – 40 first, then any other spot available on the loop.

We have reserved their nice big shelter house with the big fireplace for our pitch-in dinner on Saturday, so there will be a small kitty fee to cover the cost. Do any of you play Joker? This would be a great spot for a little Joker tournament!

Booked so far:

Fullers 32	Masons 27
Newman 35	Langell 28

You may make reservations online at <u>www.indianastateparks.reserveamerica.com</u> or by calling 1-866-622-6746. Please notify Ann Newman when you have made your reservation anewman2@indy.rr.com.

JULY WEEKENDER

Our July Weekender will be at Raccoon State Recreation Area, July 17, 18 and 19. This is a lovely park, close to Rockville, Indiana and several of the historic covered bridges and mills. Especially for

those that missed these on our caravan a couple of years ago, visiting them is a great way to spend an afternoon.

Sandy and I are planning to arrive on the 16th. We have reserved Site 34 in the Songbird-Electric section, and would recommend filling in sites 19 through 24, and 32 through 36. Site rental is \$26 per night, electric only. Water and dump stations are available at the campground.

We have reserved the Locust Shelter for Saturday - we will have our pitch-in dinner here. It is easily accessible for those with limited mobility. There will be a small kitty fee to cover the cost of the shelter.

For reservations go to <indianastateparks.reserveamerica.com> or call 1-(866) 622-6746. When you have made your reservation, please contact me at <kslangell@me com> or (317) 408-6799, and give me your site number.



Don't forget New Mexico! JUNE 26 – JULY 4th

The International Rally has shone as a highlight to countless Airstream owners for years. If you have not attended one of these gatherings, you need to consider it seriously.

It is a monumental undertaking for the organizers and they deserve a lot of credit for their hard work.

Over the years, names and faces may change, but the enthusiasm for Airstream and its lifestyle survive to the pure delight of those who attend.

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AUGUST6-9

Joint Family Rally Indiana & Central Indiana Units

DATE: August 6-9 WHERE: White River Campground Cicero, Indiana WHAT: Fair Train! Geocaching! Hogwarts Party! Fun! M

Family State Fair Rally

Joint Rally- Indiana/Central Indiana Units August 6-9 White River Campground, Cicero, IN Activities: Thursday Evening Welcome Meal Fair Train Indiana State Fair Geocaching Adventure Hogwarts Party Movie & Popcorn Campfires & S'mores Continental Breakfasts Saturday Night Pitch-In and LOTS MORE!

Each unit will need to reserve a campsite by calling White River Campground, (317) 770-4430. Cost is \$32.10 per night, full hookups. We have reserved 16 sites. Tell them you are with the Airstream Club. There will be an additional kitty fee - priced as follows: Adult with train and fair \$43 each Adult driving to fair \$33 Adult not attending fair \$20 Child under 12, with train and fair \$34 Child 5 or under, with train and fair \$18 Note: the Fair Train is not wheelchair or stroller accessible. If you can walk on board and the wheelchair or stroller can be folded up, it can be put on the train. Kitty fees must be paid by July 1. Mail a check to: Richard Parrish, 3154 E 100 S, Anderson IN 46017 If you have questions about the kitty fee, please contact Sandy Langell kslangell@me.com Questions about anything else? Contact Chris Seplak,

mama.pyrobear21@gmail.com, or Ken Langell, kslangell@me.com



REGION 5 TRIP TO GRANDMA'S RALLY

Elkhart County Fairgrounds Goshen, Indiana

Register Now! Online or Mail

Name		
Street		
City State_	Zip	
WBCCI#Unit		
Phone		
Trailer () Motorhome () Length		
Handicap Parking Requested YES	NO	
Vintage Parking Requested YES	NO	
E-mail		
4 Nights (Sept. 9-13) 2 Persons per Rig	\$175.00	
4 Nights (Sept. 9-13) 1 Person per Rig	\$150.00	
2 Nights (Sept. 11-13) 2 Persons per Rig	\$125.00	
2 Nights (Sept. 11-13) 1 Person per Rig	\$115.00	
Extra Camping Nights: \$30 per night		
TOURS:		
Thursday: Studebaker/Oliver Museum\$8.0	0 per percon	
Tippecanoe Place Lunch\$17.50* per person		
Friday:		
Amish Supper\$19.50* per person		
*tax and gratuity included		
Please make check payable to: Region 5 WBCCI Mail check, registration form & SASE for receipt to:		
John Swearingen	eceipt to:	
506 N.E. 6th St.		
P.O. Box 356		
Atlanta, IL 61723-0356		

THE 2015 REGION 5 RALLY GOSHEN, IN



Ruthmere Mansion

Vintage Parking Area



If you own an Airstream over 25 years old, please plan to park in the designated vintage area. This will give you a chance to show off your Airstream and enjoy owners of fine vintage Airstreams.

You may register online at our website region5.wbcci.net







September 9-13, 2015 Elkhart County Fairgrounds Goshen, IN

A GUIDE TO FUN, FELLOWSHIP AND ADVENTURE region5.wbcci.net

RALLY AT MISSISSINEWA

October 8-11, 2015

Our final rally of the year will be held at Mississinewa Lake, October 8-11. Sites that have been reserved so far:

RUSSEL 231; DILLOW 234; LANGELL 237; NEWMAN 228; BARKSDALE 233; SHERLEY 226; MOORMAN 202; KACHELE 227 FULLER 240

While the park is nearly completely reserved now, there are still a few sites available in the modern non-electric area, and cancellations are always a possibility. If you still need a site, I recommend checking the website frequently, because cancellations will be snapped up quickly.

This rally takes place during the Autumn Camping Weekend at the park, and there are many park-sponsored activities scheduled. This is also the weekend for the nearby "Mississinewa 1812" historic reenactment of the Battle of Mississinewa. This is a premier historic event, and the largest 1812 reenactment in the country. Added to the fall color in this beautiful park, it should be an outstanding rally.

For more information, contact Ken Langell (317) 408-6799 or kslangell@me.com.

OUR CALENDAR

JUNE WEEKENDER - JUNE 12-14

Ouabache State Park Contact Ann Newman (317) 769-0099.

INTERNATIONAL RALLY - JUNE 26 – JULY 4

Farmington, New Mexico Contact Dan Kachele (317) 372-2907.

JULY WEEKENDER - JULY 17-19

Raccoon State Recreational Area Contact Ken Langell (317) 408-6799.

FAMILY STATE FAIR RALLY - AUGUST 6-9

Join the Indiana Unit, campt at White River Campground

Near Noblesville and take the State Fair Train into Indianapolis for a day at the Indiana State Fair. Contact Ken Langell (317) 408-6799.

REGION 5 RALLY

Goshen. Contact Ken Langell (317) 408-6799.

CARAVAN TO SWISS FESTIVAL NATIONAL RA SEPTEMBER 26 – October 4 Contact Lana Russel (317) 410-4750.

MISSISSINEWA - OCTOBER 8-11

Mississinewa State Recreation Area Contact Ken Langell (317) 408-6799.

MEMBER ALERT! CHANGE OF THE FALL BUSINESS MEETING!

Our Annual Business Meeting and Election of Officers, originally scheduled to take place during the Mississinewa Rally, has been rescheduled to Saturday, October 24, at MCL Castleton, at 11 a.m.

We changed it because of the limited campsites available at Mississinewa - we wanted to make sure everyone has the opportunity to attend this important meeting.