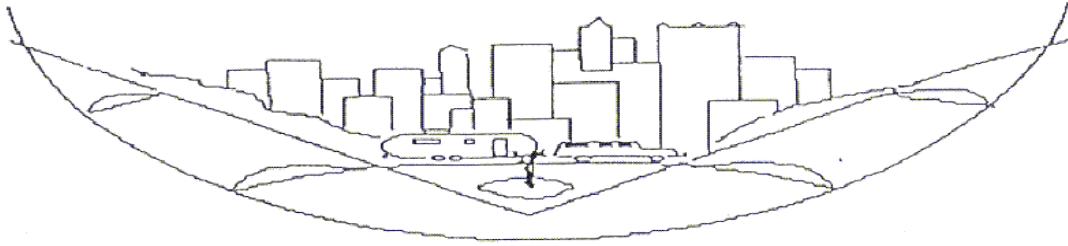


THE POINT



AL-MON-O PA AIRSTREAM CLUB

FROM YOUR PRESIDENT:

Wow! What a May it has been. The weather has been a roller coaster of ups and downs. We've seen our share of very nice weather and our share of not so nice and cold weather. But in any case, Matt and I were out every weekend somewhere camping.

Maria Tobin hosted a joint rally with the Pennsylvania Airstream Club and we had a fantastic time. We got to meet up with some old friends and make some new ones. You can read all about it and see some photos later on in the newsletter.

It sounds like the Region 2 Rally was a huge success. Doug Field sent me some photos (which are uploaded to our Facebook page) and RJ's Region 2 update shows some great times were had by all.

There is still time to signup for the June Summer Rally hosted by Matt and I at Wolf's Camping Resort. Please consider joining us!

We received just enough votes for the proposed changes to the International amendments. However, per the current International voting structure, without a Delegate for the Delegates meeting, our vote as a club will not be counted. I have reached out to RJ and Headquarters to see if there are any alternatives to allow our vote to count.

Our club needs you. How, do you ask? Well, we need people to come to rallies. We need people to host rallies and luncheons. We need people to become officers for our club. I ask all of you to consider these and reach out to me if you have questions or are interested.

Cody



Stay Connected

Al-Mon-O on the web

<https://airstreamclub.org/al-mon-o-pennsylvania>

Follow us on

Facebook

<https://www.facebook.com/groups/AIMonO/>



JUNE 2022

Show off your Al-Mon-O Pride! Order your club apparel today!

Order all club apparel from Mike's Embroidery, owned by
Cody Klingler. Please visit the store at:
<https://stores.inksoft.com/almono>

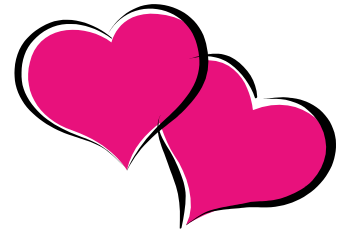
You can also find WBAC goods at <http://store.wbcci.org>



BIRTHDAYS



ANNIVERSARIES



JUNE

6 Bob Kuszyk
9 Sue McLaughlin
9 Bud Roberts
11 Gene Nelson
15 Sandi Labuda
27 Lynda Collins
29 Pamela Arnhold

3 Tim & Patricia Rowlands
4 Mark & Charlotte Headlee
10 Vinny & Dale Rossitto
13 Dick & Stevie Kline

NEWSLETTER IDEAS!

Hello WBAC members of the Al-Mon-O Airstream Club.

Without news, there is no newsletter. Without rallies and

luncheons, there is nothing to write about. Or is there? Some believe this is a time where we need one another even more. Please share articles, anecdotes, photos, recipes, jokes, member interviews, anything Airstream related that will let us feel connected.

Throw out a prompt like "What is your new favorite small appliance?" or "Adventures with our first camper."

Please send your offerings to Cody Klingler (cwk5292@gmail.com) no later than the 25th of each month. Thanks!!!

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FIESTA FUN RALLY

By Maria Tobin

Yet another successful “kick off rally” for the season!! It was a phenomenal gathering by both the Pennsylvania Airstream Club and the Al-Mon-O group. The rally was to start on Friday, but because so many were planning to arrive on Thursday, we began the shenanigans a day early. The Fields, Gibsons, Bob Kuszyk and myself met at Penn Wood and caravanned to Wolf’s Camping Resort together. By late afternoon, newcomer Carla Carpenter from Philadelphia joined in. What a refreshing personality! She seamlessly incorporated into the group! Once everyone was settled in, we gathered under the big blue tent to enjoy happy hour and appetizers, followed by delicious Chicken tortilla soup and Black bean tortilla soup with all the fixins’. Because it was too windy for a fire, we spent the evening in conversation just relaxing and catching up with each other, getting to know Carla and vice versa.

Not having planned an itinerary for Friday, we ventured out to Brookville to enjoy both shopping on Main Street and a jaunt to the local distillery where we ordered moonshine slushies for all to take back to the big blue tent for an early happy hour. The Weimers, Wilsons and Matt & Cody arrived late afternoon. We enjoyed a taco bar and Mexican rice for dinner, then gathered at the fire for the remainder of the evening. On Saturday we had a very satisfying breakfast burrito bar that included scrambled eggs, sausage, hashbrowns, Mimosas, coffee, orange juice and all the toppings for the burritos. Delicious. We enjoyed each other’s company chatting and catching up with each other while Carla sketched several drawings of the group in charcoal. After the necessities of naps, walks and taking care of “the dogs,” we ventured out once more. This time was to the DeerCreek Winery. What a beautiful breezy warm afternoon it was! We enjoyed a wine flight, wine sorbet desert with pizzelle cookie garnish, a bear brownie dessert with vanilla ice cream & caramel sauce and an olive oil flight with freshly made baguettes, all while enjoying the lovely voice and music of Ashleigh Bennett in the background. Upon returning to Wolfs Campground, everyone gathered under the big blue tents for happy hour and a potluck dinner. Several Penn Wood couples who were not able to camp with the group did arrive to share the evening and enjoy the happy hour, potluck, conversation and bonfire. You know the food was delicious when twenty plus people go silent. A very pleasant afternoon and evening was had by all!!!! Sunday arrived and we gathered for a continental breakfast of yogurt, hard boiled eggs, cereals, coffee, orange juice and conversation.

“All good things come to an end”..... After packing up, closing up and hitching up our airstreams, we said our goodbyes. What a wonderful gathering it was!! The profoundness of the weekend for me was the fact that every person contributed in one way or another. Everyone pitched in where needed. Whether it was taking the initiative to buy firewood for the bonfires, take the trash on behalf of everyone, put up the “big blue tents,” provide plastic silverware or cups, help prepare the food, give advice on an airstream issue, be the chauffer or help prepare for the gatherings by setting up the tables. Everyone did their part!!

WHAT A GREAT GROUP OF PEOPLE!!

****Photos of the rally are available online or further in this newsletter****

REGION 2 NEWS

The Region 2 Rally was a success! We had good weather with a turnout of 42 Airstreams. We had at least four people that were at their first-ever WBCCI rally, and I think we made a good impression on them. The food was good and the band was excellent. Skymed did a great presentation about an upcoming Alaskan cruise they are planning, and 2nd International Vice President Per Hamnqvist (#154) gave an informative overview of the two amendments and answered questions. Region 2 Newsletter Editor Bob Curran (#2025) has written a great article that will appear in the August issue of the Blue Beret, so look for that when it comes out in a few weeks.

Thanks to everyone who helped in any way, and there are quite a few of you. Sometimes we don't know in advance what we'll need, and someone always steps up. For example, "drummer" was definitely not a position I thought we'd need, but rally first timer Rebecca Glick (#7585) of the Watchung Unit stepped up to the job! I also want to thank Peggy Shafer of Skymed for generously sponsoring the rally, and I want to thank everyone for coming!

I sent the check off to the Delaware State Fairgrounds for the final payment, and as we hoped, they cut us a break on the costs. We move the rally around to different parts of the region, but we'll definitely keep them in mind for the future. The region did lose some money on the rally, but not as much as it would have been had they held us to the contract we signed, and we're still solvent, so there's not much to do but move forward.

In general, I'm looking for feedback about the region rally. Is this long weekend format good? What about the time of year? Would fall be better? I know quite a few people couldn't attend because they were on various caravans, for example. We'll run into conflicting events no matter when we rally, but is there a time that would be better, in general? Maybe everything is fine as is; that's a valid answer, too. I just want to make sure the rally is available to the most region members possible. If you have thoughts and ideas, please let Patti, Gary, or I know.

We're working on the plans for the region 2 luncheon at International. As I mentioned at the rally, the official caterer would be rather expensive, and I don't think many people would be interested. We have a few ideas we're working on; stay tuned. We've also started discussions about next year's region 2 rally, and I think we'll have dates for that locked down soon.

I want to call your attention to Region 2 Caravan Coordinator Kerry Mattila's (#5417) Maritimes Caravan, which has open space available this year. Please see this page for more information! <https://airstreamclub.org/region2/2022-maritimes-caravan>

If it hasn't happened already, your club president will be asking you for your votes on the two amendments before the club. Please be sure to vote on these amendments, for or against. As Per said, abstaining tells the IBT nothing about how you're feeling about how they are doing.

See you next month!

--RJ Marquette (#13270)

President: Cody Klingler



2022 RALLY SCHEDULE

We are still looking for hosts for the below months. If you would be interested in hosting a luncheon or rally, please see the list below and reach out to Cody Klingler.

October Rally or Luncheon



REMINDER!

Please let Gayle and Denny Gibson know if you are attending the August Bluegrass Rally at Laurel Hill State Park. Include your site number and which campground you are staying at. Email gaylegib1@comcast.net or call 724-863-5305



Visit <https://photos.app.goo.gl/bAm5LnFjxbptCX63A>
to see more photos



JUNE BUDDY RALLY

June 10-12, 2022

Wolf's Camping Resort

308 Timberwolf Run, Knox, PA 16232

814-797-1103

Hosts: Cody Klingler & Matt Moore

724-504-6884 or cwk5292@gmail.com

Come join us for the June Rally. This year's June Rally will be a buddy rally. This means that you can invite a non-Airstream travel trailer to join us for the weekend.

Please make your reservation with Wolf's Camping Resort as they require a down payment of \$25 to hold your spot. Our reservation is listed under **"Cody Klingler"**. Please use this when you call to make your reservation. The campground fee will be \$55 per night. We have reserved 10 sites close together until May 31. After this date, we can't guarantee you'll be parked near us. You are welcome to come early and stay late. Please let the Campground know if you are going to arrive early and/or stay longer.

****IF YOU PLAN ON BRINGING PETS, THE CAMPGROUND REQUIRES TO SEE UP-TO-DATE VACCINATION PAPERS**

Once your reservation is made, please reach out to Cody or Matt to let them know which site you have. The rally fee will be \$10 per person. This fee includes: breakfast Saturday morning, dinner Saturday evening and a continental breakfast Sunday morning. Please bring all drinks and table service to each meal. Saturday night's dinner will be a potluck dinner. Please bring a side dish or dessert to share!

Friday, June 10:

Check in starts at 4 PM.

Dinner at 6 PM at Matt and Cody's Airstream

Saturday, June 11:

Breakfast starts at 8:30 AM at Matt and Cody's Airstream

Potential Golf Outing at the campground course – Please let Cody know if you are interested.

Lunch on your own

Wine excursion to Deer Creek Winery at 1 PM (3333 Soap Fat Rd., Shippensburg, PA 16254). We can carpool if needed.

Happy hour at 4 PM

Potluck Dinner at 6 PM with campfire or movie to follow (weather permitting)

Sunday, June 12:

Continental breakfast begins at 8:30 AM

Check out by 3 PM



65th WALLY BYAM AIRSTREAM CLUB
★ INTERNATIONAL RALLY ★
★ July 23-29, 2022 ★ Fryeburg, ME ★
REGISTRATION

AirstreamClub.org/Fryeburg

#ACIRALLY2022

RALLY FEES – \$435 for an RV On-Site with 30 amp electric, water, and pump-outs; \$130 for each Adult (18+); \$40 for each Youth 13-17; Free for Children (12 & Under).

ADA ACCESSIBLE PARKING – Special parking, if requested, is near the central rally area for members. We ask that you bring your government/state-issued placard or supporting documentation with you to the rally.

REGISTRATIONS – Through the courtesy of Airstream, Inc., members registered before the start of the rally are entered into a prize drawing. Over \$2,000 in gift certificates for parts and service will be given away. Registrants must be present at the Airstream presentation to win.

STAGING AREA – In an attempt to keep the rigs moving, you will receive a rally arrival date in the Spring of 2022. If you can't make it on that date, the Rally Arrival Team will be ready to park you when you arrive from 8:00 am to 8:00 pm. Arrivals after 8:00 pm may stay overnight in the Staging Area, with no hookups, until parking begins the next morning.

CANCELLATION POLICY – Refund requests received by May 28th, 2022, will be assessed a \$50.00 fee. Refund requests after May 29th, 2022, will be assessed a 50% fee. NO refunds after July 9th, 2022. ***If you might have to cancel after that day, please consider obtaining travel insurance.***

RALLY PARKING DATES – General parking is tentatively scheduled to begin around July 20th. Parking dates will be sent via email in Spring 2022. Caravans of 5 or more need to contact HQ at rally@airstreamclub.org for arrival date.

HOW TO REGISTER – Go to airstreamclub.org/Fryeburg, call HQ at 937-596-5211 or fill out this form and make a check payable to WBCCI, in **US Funds Only** and mail to: WBCCI, P.O. Box 612, Jackson Center, OH 45334. Email questions to rally@airstreamclub.org.

65th WALLY BYAM AIRSTREAM CLUB ★ INTERNATIONAL RALLY

July 23-29, 2022 ★ Fryeburg, ME

BIG RED NUMBER: _____

Last Name: _____ **First Name:** _____ **Email:** _____

Last Name: _____ **First Name:** _____ **Email:** _____

Address: _____ **City:** _____ **State/Province:** _____

Zip/Postal Code: _____ **Phone (C):** _____ **Phone (H):** _____

Rally Attendee(s)	Quantity Info	Quantity	Rate	Amount	Parking Options	Yes
RV On Site	Yes = 1 No = 0		\$435.00	\$	Vintage	
Adult (18 & Over) (Each)	Enter number		\$130.00	\$	First Time Attendee	
Youth (13 - 17) (Each)	Enter number		\$ 40.00	\$	ADA Accessible	
Child (12 & Under)	Enter number		\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00	Band Member	
Lifetime Member Discount	Limit 1		\$-20.00		Intra-Club:	
			GRAND TOTAL:	\$		

Registration Date: _____ **Rec'd By:** _____ **Registration Source:** ☐ Mail ☐ Online ☐ Rally

Payment Type: ☐ Cash ☐ Check ☐ Credit Card **Amt Paid:** \$ _____ **Check #:** _____

2022 Pennsylvania State Rally

RV Village Camping Resort
 234 Skyline Dr., Mercer, PA 16137
 724-662-4560
www.rvvillages.com



September 16-18, 2022

Hosts: Al-Mon-O PA Airstream Club
 Cody Klingler – President & Matt Moore – Vice President
 (724) 504-6884 or cwk5292@gmail.com

Tentative Schedule

Friday, September 16

5:00 Happy Hour
 6:00 Hamburgers/Hotdogs and sides

Saturday, September 17

8:30 Breakfast provided
 4:00 Happy Hour
 6:00 Pot Luck Dinner
 Live, Local Entertainment (TBD)

Sunday, September 18

8:30 Continental Breakfast provided

Safe Travels Home!

Please send payments & rally coupon to:
 Cody Klingler
 3055 Oneida Valley Rd.
 Hilliards, PA 16040

RSVP to secure the campground by July 4, 2022
 (Sites will be released back to campground after this date)

Rally Information

General Information: We have 15 sites reserved for the event. They are sites 49-56 (in the Wagon Wheel) and sites 101-107. You can look at a map of the campground at the web address above. Should these fill up, there are other sites in the campground available. We will also have use of the lodge for the various meals and other things going on.

This State Rally will be very lowkey and a wonderful time for us to just get together as the state of Pennsylvania!

Attendees should call RV Village to secure their camping site. Please reference Airstream Club or Cody Klingler with the Office Manager.

Meals Included in Fee:

What to Bring: Table service and beverages for all meals. Snacks to share and your own drinks for Happy Hours.

Directions: Do not follow GPS directions to the campground. You will want to approach from Clarksville Rd. When in Mercer, turn on PA-62 (W. Market St.), turn right on Maple Rd. (this becomes Clarksville Rd.), then turn left onto Skyline Dr. The campground will be on the right.

2022 Pennsylvania State Rally Coupon

Name _____ WBCCI No. _____ Unit _____

Address _____

City, State, Zip _____ Email _____

Phone _____ Rig length _____

Arrival Date _____ Departure Date _____ You are encouraged to come early and stay late.

Rally fee per person \$15.00 X _____ = _____

Children 0 to 12 FREE X _____ = _____

Parking per night (to be paid to the campground directly = \$40)

**WBCCI AI-Mon-O Pennsylvania Airstream Club (131)
2022 Tentative Schedule**

Date/Time	Event	Location	Host(s)	Contact Info
January 22 11:30 AM	Luncheon	Carol & Dave's Roadhouse 122 N. Market St., 2nd Floor Ligonier, PA 15658	Paul & Sandi Labuda	Call or email sjlabuda@gmail.com or 724-516-8487 RSVP by January 14 Limit of 17 people
February 12 1 PM	Axe Throwing/ Escape Room with Lunch Afterward	Mystery Mayhem Escapes 623 Centreville Pike Slippery Rock, PA 10657 Eat n' Park—Grove City Outlets 1911 Leesburg Grove City Rd. Grove City, PA 16127	Cody Klingler & Matt Moore	cwk5292@gmail.com 724-504-6884 RSVP by January 23
March 19 11:30 AM	Luncheon	Primanti Brothers 200 Executive Dr. Cranberry Twp., PA 16066	Julie & Craig Jansen	jucrjansen@comcast.net RSVP by March 12
May 13-15	Fiesta Fun Rally	Wolf's Camping Resort 308 Timberwolf Run Knox, PA 16232 814-797-1103	Maria Tobin	757-636-1539 Make campground reservations at 814-797-1103
May 19-22	Region 2 Rally	Delaware State Fairgrounds Harrington, Delaware	Region 2	https:// form.iotform.com/220014616485 147
June 10-12	Buddy Rally	Wolf's Camping Resort 308 Timberwolf Run Knox, PA 16232 814-797-1103	Cody Klingler & Matt Moore	724-504-6884 cwk5292@gmail.com RSVP to Campground and Cody by May 31
July 23-29	International Rally	Fryeburg Fairgrounds Fryeburg, Maine	International	Register online at 2022 IR Registration ACI (airstreamclub.org) or fill out the form in the newsletter and mail in
August 19- 21	Blugrass Rally	Laurel Hill State Park 1454 Laurel Hill Park Road Somerset, PA 15501 (Make reservations online at www.reserveamerica.com . Then contact the Gibson's with site number	Denny & Gayle Gibson	Denny—412-849-3812 or dennisgib1@hotmail.com Gayle—412-389-2191 or gaylegib1@comcast.net
September 16-18	PA State Rally	RV Village Camping Resort 234 Skyline Dr. Mercer, PA 16137 724-662-4560	Cody Klingler & Matt Moore	Cody—724-504-6884 or cwk5292@gmail.com RSVP to Campground and Cody by July 4 (if later, may not be near us)
December 3 President: Cody Klingler	Christmas Luncheon/ Business Meeting	Rachel's Roadhouse 100 Fairfield Ln. Butler, PA 16001	Cody Klingler	More details to come