



PALMETTO STATE AIRSTREAM CLUB  
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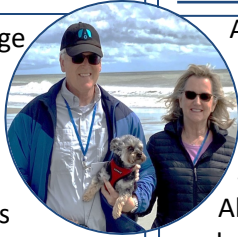
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## President's Message: by Eric Pollard (BRN 7218)

As I am writing this, I am thinking about the International Rally and looking forward to hearing about all the fun times had by our members in Maine. It was exciting to see the pyramid cupcake stand, which our very own James Schaal made to honor Wally Byam's birthday.

Also, check out the article about James, his adventures and passion for Airstream, which was just published on the [airstream.com](https://www.airstream.com/blog/airstreamer-profile-james-schaal-leads-a-new-generation-of-airstreamers/) blog site. You can also find a link to it on our Facebook page. We are very proud of the newest Director of our club. <https://www.airstream.com/blog/airstreamer-profile-james-schaal-leads-a-new-generation-of-airstreamers/>

Also, a big thanks to Terry Montgomery who represented us as our delegate to the International Rally. Terry submitted the vote for our club and reported on our Facebook page, that both Amendments passed. Other members of our club were volunteers: Melia Jacobs (Facebook Webmaster), Bob Hoffman and I think I saw a pic of Wayne Clark as a server at the Ladies Tea. We just want to thank all of you who volunteered or who just attended to represent our wonderful club! We appreciate all of you!

So now, it's time to rally in the Mountains and to escape the dog days of summer! We have a fun weekend planned in Asheville, NC at Bear Creek RV Park and Campground Aug. 19-21st with about 15 trailers reserved. Hope you can join this rally as we explore the sites and attractions unique to this area of the Blue Ridge Mountains. **See page 5 for more details.** We hope you have made a RESERVATION and you have REGISTERED your attendance with our hosts. By emailing or texting our hosts, they can plan for food and activities. Also, as a courtesy to our hosts, if your plans change and you can't be there, please let them know as well.

We hope you plan to be at the Cove in September for the joint rally with our friends in the Coastal Club. Please REGISTER with me as soon as you are able at email [erictpollard@gmail.com](mailto:erictpollard@gmail.com) or text (803-833-2488) with the date of your arrival and departure and we will send the list to the Cove and they will then contact you to confirm your reservation. You may pay at that time or pay when you arrive. We are holding 20 sites for Sept 9-11th. The deadline to register is **August 24th!** These will be released to the public after that time. Our hosts will be Dene and Joe Huff, Melia Jacobs and Henry and Fran Herlong.

This has been an eventful year and I hope the memories we have made together will keep you enthusiastic members of our club.

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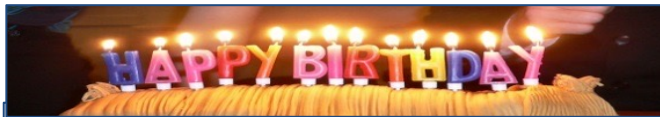
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### August Birthdays:

Amanda Schaal – 4  
Bob Wilson – 7  
Marti Wallace – 7  
Tami Van Thof – 9  
Renee Mercer-Phillips – 11  
Diane Butts – 14  
Callie Rae Scurry – 18  
John Holden – 21  
Jack Brooks – 23  
Ken Whitman – 28  
Laurie Braun – 28  
Jim Schaal – 30

### September Birthdays:

Melia Jacobs – 2  
Tom Dodge – 3  
Bobby Puryear – 3  
Pam DeVine – 5  
Cheryl Hamilton – 5  
Michael Charles – 6  
Sandee Welch – 8  
Linda Foster – 14  
Paul Braun – 24  
Jeffery Morehead – 27

*Happy Anniversary!*

### August Anniversaries:

Sonny & Linda Meadors – 6  
Richard & Carrie Sandstrom – 6  
Doug & Joanne Wallis – 9  
John & Susan Leake – 16  
Bob & Jan Wilson – 20  
Burt & Gail Broadway – 27  
Paul & Laurie Braun – 30  
Bill & Sandee Welch – 30

### September Anniversaries:

Donald & Kathleen Tyminski – 3  
Howard & Marti Wallace – 25

## Nuts & Bolts

Submitted by Terry & Annie Montgomery (BRN 3156)

### **Protecting your RV electrically:**

(EMS - Electrical Management System)

Do you have an EMS or a surge protector for your RV? If not you should purchase one before your next outing. At a minimum you should have a surge protector as an insurance policy against potential damage to your RV electrical components.

A simple portable surge protector is not expensive and is basically a plug and play device. It protects your appliances from sudden electrical surges and high/low voltage spikes.

An EMS offers you full protection from all power related issues including current surges, low/high voltage spikes, open ground, high neutral and incorrectly wired power pedestals. Because of ITS MORE ELABORATE PROTECTION THE EMS comes at a higher price tag than the surge guard.

The choice is yours; both come in portable and hardwired versions. Both devices are designed to protect your RV appliance and components. And both come in 30 and 50 amp versions. Whichever one you decide to purchase, the cost is minimal compared to the cost of replacing a refrigerator, an air conditioner or a converter.

### 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.





## 2022 Rally Schedule

**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 BUDDY RALLY  
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](http://airforums.com).

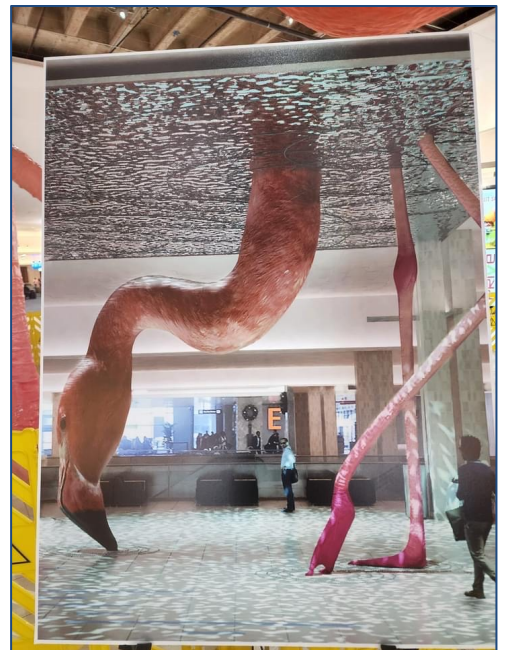
**November 4-6, 2022** Installation Rally Palmetto Cove RV Park, Cleveland, SC  
**Hosts:** Bill & Sandee Welch

**December 9 – 11, 2022** Christmas Boon-dock / Potluck Christmas Rally  
PSAC Potluck Christmas Lunch  
Saturday, December 10 from **11:00 am – 2:00 pm**.  
At Robert and Arlene Puryear's Home  
552 Holly Ferry Road, Leesville, SC  
**Hosts:** Robert and Arlene Puryear



## Welcome Affiliate Members

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North Charleston, SC





# Lazy Hazy Days of Summer Rally!

**August 19-21, 2022**      **Palmetto State**

## **Lazy Hazy Days of Summer 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/>

**Contact Gail Broadway** [broadwaygail@hotmail.com](mailto:broadwaygail@hotmail.com) to let her know you are coming so the hosts can plan accordingly.

### **THURSDAY, AUGUST 18 --- *Early arrivals***

Enjoy your friends company and local attractions at your leisure!!

4:30 PM Social Hour an informal meet up. Bring your favorite beverage and eats to share.  
Dinner on your own.

### **FRIDAY, AUGUST 19**

4:30 PM Registration and Social Hour: An informal meet up. Bring your favorite beverage, hors d'oeuvres, or a dish for a summer style potluck and gather at the campground hall.

### **SATURDAY, AUGUST 20**

8:30 AM Breakfast: We will meet at the indoor facility for breakfast. Coffee, orange juice, biscuit, (sorry, no gravy), but look for fresh fruit, yogurt, Danish etc., and other goodies to put on that biscuit.

◆ *Business meeting following breakfast. Report on results of issues taken up at International Rally* ◆

Noon - ? Lunch on your own

4:30 PM Group Therapy: Bring your own beverage, hors d'oeuvres, or anything of your choice!

6:00 PM Supper: Gather at the campground hall for a cool summertime supper. Fresh made BLT's, with all the trimmings, chips, pickles, cookies. Desserts welcomed.

### **SUNDAY, AUGUST 21**

8:30 AM Coffee, light continental breakfast and a goodwill message and prayer for the road.

**\* \* Please bring drinks and set ups to all meals.**

**\*\* \$10.00 Rally Fee per person**

**Notes:** As you know, the Asheville area offers lots of attractions to explore.

Bear Creek Campground's location is hard to beat, easy access to both I-26, I-40 and the Blue Ridge Parkway. Here is a few suggestions:

The Moose Cafe -- Very close to Bear Creek, good eats. Serves breakfast too.

Asheville Farmer's Market -- Also very close to Bear Creek. Big Market, has much more than veggies. Crafts, gift sales, etc.

Folk Art Center on Blue Ridge Pkwy.-- from campground get on I-40 East, take exit 55. Follow signs..

And the world famous Biltmore Mansion, the largest private home in the United States.

**Hosts:** Burt & Gail Broadway, Donnie & Vickie Lee

# 2023 Rally Schedule

**January 5 – 8, 2023**

**Canopener (*This is not a Club Rally*)**

7525 W. County Highway 30A; Santa Rosa Beach, FL, 32459

Members can attend the Canopener Rally.

**February 11, 2023, 11:00AM-2:00PM**

**Valentine Luncheon**

Tega Cay Shore Club, 15083 Molokai Drive, Tega Cay, SC 29708.

We have reservations at the beautiful Shore Club in Tega Cay which is the perfect setting to celebrate Valentine's Day. Please RSVP Burt Broadway at [burt.broadway@gmail.com](mailto:burt.broadway@gmail.com) if you plan to attend.

**Hosts:** Burt & Gail Broadway



**March 16 – 19, 2023**

**Silver in the Sand**

Ocean Lakes Family Campground, 6001 S. Kings Hwy., Myrtle Beach, SC 29575

We have reserved 25 Sites in the **H Section**. Reserve early to get your favorite spot. All with concrete pads that are close to the ocean. Be sure and tell them you are with the Palmetto State Airstream Club. **Call 800-722-1451.**



**March 29 – April 2, 2023** **Region 3 Rally**

Ocean Lakes Family Campground, 6001 S. Kings Hwy., Myrtle Beach, SC 29575. Each person is responsible for obtaining a campsite for their rig. Call 800-722-1451, as soon as possible, to make your reservation. Make sure that you mention that you are with the region 3 Airstream Group and ask to be placed in that area.

**April 20 – 23, 2023**

**Silver in the City, York, SC**

An urban rally hosted by Palmetto State Airstream Club #22. Please let Terry Montgomery know if you are planning on attending by emailing him at [terrymontgomery31@gmail.com](mailto:terrymontgomery31@gmail.com).

**Hosts:** Leakes, Montgomerys and PSAC

**May 18 – 21, 2023**

**Rally on Wylie**

Ebenezer Park - 4490 Boatshore Road., Rock Hill, SC 29730

**Call 803-366-6620** and make your reservations as soon as possible, and mention Palmetto Club Airstream Club when making reservations.

Sites 1-30 are being held for our club. There are also overflow sites across the road, which are Sites 3, 35, 37, 38, if needed. The block to reserve these sites for PSAC will expire on April 30<sup>th</sup>, 2023.

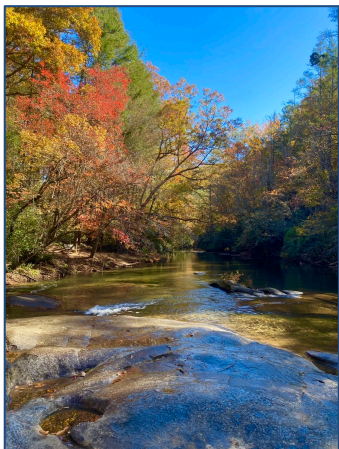


**June 24 – 30, 2023**

**66th International Airstream Rally**

Sweetwater Event Center - 3320 Yellowstone Road, Rock Springs, Wyoming 82901 at Sweetwater Events Complex. You can now sign up for the International Rally. Register thru [www.AirstreamClub.org/](http://www.AirstreamClub.org/) or go online, or see your Blue Beret for more details.

# 2023 Rally Schedule



## July 20 – 23, 2023 July Cove Rally

Palmetto Cove RV Park, Cleveland, SC

It's always a fun time at the Cove, the home base for our club.

## August 17 – 20, 2023 Lake Greenwood State Park

302 State Park Road, Ninety Six, SC 29666, **call 864-543-3535** and ask for Campground #1. Please book early so we can get the sites closest to the recreation building to have a great rally! Most sites have full hookups. Be sure to tell them you're with the Palmetto State Airstream Club!



## September 14 – 17, 2023 TBD

## October TBD, 2023 ALUMALINA BUDDY RALLY

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## November 3 – 5, 2023 Installation Rally

Palmetto Cove RV Park, Cleveland, SC

## December 2023 TBD

PSAC **Potluck Christmas** Lunch

More details to follow....





## Where 2 or more Airstreams gather..... Let there be a Rally!!

Submitted by John Leake (BRN 268)

Let's talk about Rallies: Just what are they, how do they work, why are they important, and who can host one.

First, the back story. Rallies are not unique to the Airstream Club but they just may have originated here. The Airstream Club International (ACI) was founded in 1955 as a Caravan Club by friends of Wally Byam, originator, and founder of the Airstream we all know today. Wally led Caravans of Airstreams all over the globe, many lasting weeks, and even months at a time. Lifelong friendships were formed by the participants. They became a second family to each other.

As the Airstream Club grew, members soon realized there was a need for another method of gathering on a regular basis, but for shorter periods, and at different locations so more people could participate.

The "Rally" concept was born. So now, just what is a rally?

It is indeed a family reunion. Not so different from a Smith or Jones Family Reunion. Typically held on monthly or even an annual basis, they provide the opportunity to gather with this extended family to catch up with friends, to share stories, ideas, and memories, trouble shoot technical issues, but most of all, to enjoy the fellowship of like-minded people. They range in size from 10-100-1000 rigs. They often offer the opportunity for travel across a state, a region, or the Country.

So.... How does a rally work?



Airstream Family Reunion



Silver in the City - Urban Rally



## Where 2 or more Airstreams gather..... Let there be a Rally!!

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Submitted by John Leake (BRN 268)

While there are no guidelines or set procedures, most rallies have a host, or hosts, that make a plan. The plan may include provided meals, pot lucks, seminars, crafts, games, contests, and group therapy (happy hours). Or.... They may be a "No host Rally" where the plan develops as things unfold. Spontaneous. Often, the Rally takes on the personality of the hosts. Having fun is the #1 priority.

They might begin on Thursday or Friday and end on Sunday. They might be in a State Park, private park, a rally park, a city street, or someone's back yard. Remember..... It is not WHERE you park, but WHO you park with.

OK.... Why are Rallies so important?



For the very same reason family reunions are so important: They provide that opportunity to gather, support each other, and stay connected. They are critical to the health and well being of the Club and the people in the club.

Airstreamers are naturally a very social group. We enjoy getting together, at a campground, or restaurant, or at someone's home.

Did you know that the ACI is officially chartered in the State of Ohio as a Social Club? \

Who can host a rally?

Easy answer: ANYONE can host. You have probably been hosting rallies all your adult life but never realized it:

Ever hosted a bridal shower or birthday party? How about a Christmas Party or a Thanksgiving dinner? A luncheon, book club, or graduation party. Retirement party, project completion party, or a dinner party. How about a Bible study group?

I am quite sure everyone has hosted something. You took a head count, developed a plan, enlisted the help of a friend, made a few arrangements, and pulled it off like a pro.

So..... Come join us at the next rally. We will be thrilled to see you, and you will be glad you came. And when the time is right, grab a partner and host your own party!!!

See ya there.....John and Susan Leake

***Proud members of the Palmetto State Airstream Club. The best Club in the best Region (3) in the entire ACI.***



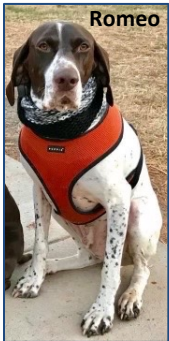
# Our PSAC Pet Stories

Submitted by Burt Broadway (BRN 6718)

Here is a different "Love Story" of Romeo and Juliet...by "William" Broadway, not Shakespeare. Yes, Burt's first name is William.

It's not a love story between them, but a story of how much we love them. First, we fell in love with this breed over 40 years ago. The breed is a German Shorthair Pointer...better known as GSP's. They were used to hunt badgers alongside Dachshunds in Germany. The GSP would point where the badgers were hiding in a hole and the Dachshund would flush them out. GSP's are known to be the most versatile hunting dogs because they point and retrieve in the fields and are water retrievers. They have webbed feet, so they are great swimmers and great at retrieving ducks. Not only are they great hunters but are loyal companions and can be wonderful well trained house dogs!

This is our 3rd set of GSP's. The GSP is a fascinating breed that truly captured our hearts with their great dispositions, sensitive and sweet personalities, funny entertaining antics, and their intelligence!



Romeo

Let us tell you how we got our beautiful lover boy, Romeo!

We had just lost our male dog, Rebel. Not only were we mourning his death but his 13 year old sister, Dixie, was as well. She had become withdrawn and wouldn't eat. It seemed we were going through the same scenario we did when we lost our 1st set of GSP's. They crossed Rainbow Bridge within 30 days of each other. That was heartbreaking! So we decided we better find another dog pretty quick. As most of you who have rescued dogs know,

the process of adopting takes time! We believe Romeo was Heaven sent. There he was online, picked up as a stray, and 1,500 miles away. We flew to him and drove him back to SC. Our hearts mended and our 13 year old Dixie lived a couple more happy and healthy years. Romeo rescued our little family.

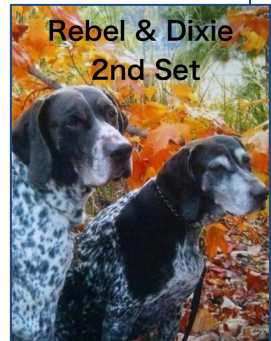
Now since we have a Romeo, everyone said we needed a Juliet! We thought we would just have 1 dog, spoil him rotten, and do some traveling. Well, here comes our Juliet!



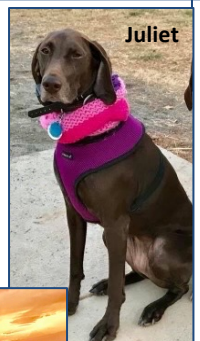
*And God said,  
I will send them  
without wings so no one  
will suspect they are angels.* ♥



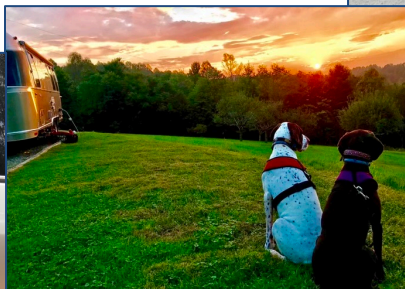
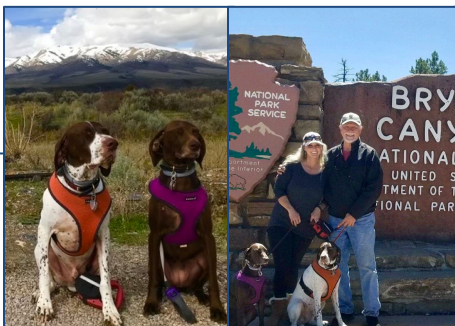
Reagan & Dakota  
1st Set



Rebel & Dixie  
2nd Set



Juliet





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## Our PSAC Pet Stories

Submitted by Burt Broadway (BRN 6718)

She was owned by a military family that was being deployed so we took this beautiful girl in. She certainly keeps us on our toes. Juliet is full of personality and is always in the middle of whatever we are doing. Little Miss Firecracker is a sassy girl but a precious sweet sassy girl. We are always so cautious about our dogs being stolen. We joke that if they took her, they would bring her back because they wouldn't put up with her sassiness! She belongs with us and it's hard to imagine her with anyone else.



Having dogs at our age has been a good thing. They keep us active and constantly entertained. They give us purpose and are always our first priority. We pack their things first when we go on road trips...making sure they have enough food, their first aid kit, meds, sweaters or coats, proper identification on their collars and harnesses, and a GPS for tracking them in the event they were to get lost. They allow us to tow THEIR Airstream, drive THEIR truck, and sleep in THEIR beds! We can't imagine the AIRSTREAM LIFE without our ROMEO and JULIET. ❤️





# Recipe

Submitted by Nancy Suttlemyre (BRN 5118)

## Nutty Apple Muffins

### Ingredients:

¾ cup Wesson Oil

1 cup Sugar

1½ cup Flour

2 Eggs

1 tsp. Vanilla

½ tsp. Salt

½ tsp. Baking Soda

1 cup chopped Fresh Apples (red delicious)

½ cup chopped Nuts

1 cup Coconut



### Directions:

Combine all ingredients in given order.

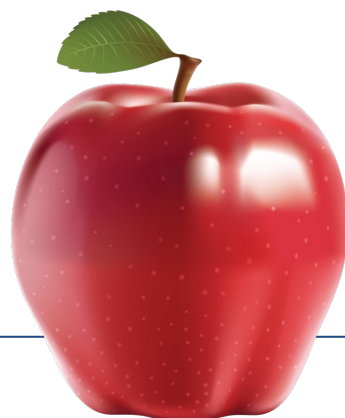
Mix well with spoon. Spoon into greased muffin tins about half full.

Bake at 350 F. for 20 to 25 minutes.

Makes 16-18 muffins.

Mini Muffins: Bake for 16 minutes.

NOTE: DO NOT double this recipe.



## Chicken al la King

### Ingredients:

2 Chicken Breasts  
(cut into  $\frac{3}{4}$ " pieces)  
1 tbsp. Olive Oil  
Pepper to taste  
 $\frac{1}{2}$  Onion



2 (4 oz. cans) Mushrooms (drain juice)  
1 can Cream of Chicken Soup  
12 oz. Milk  
3 cups Frozen Mixed Vegetables  
1 tbsp. Parsley  
1 tsp. Garlic Powder (optional)  
 $\frac{1}{2}$  tsp. Paprika  
  
1 pkg. Grands Biscuits



### Directions:

In a large sauce pan, stir fry chicken in olive oil. Add pepper to taste. Add onion and cook until tender and translucent and chicken is done. Then add remainder of ingredients in given order. Mix well with spoon and let thicken, about 45 minutes to an hour on simmer, stirring occasionally.

Bake biscuits as directed on package. Break biscuits in half, place on plate and spoon Chicken al la King over top. Enjoy.