

Magnolia Messenger

Mississippi Airstream Club (MAC) Unit 056

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March-April 2023

PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

Hello Fellow Streamers,

I hope all of you are riding the roads of our beautiful country. Carol and I attended our Seafood Rally in Gautier. We ate to the point that we had to stop cooking, and even with that, there were leftovers for the road home. My compliments to all the chefs, leaders and organizers. We had a good crowd for the Walter Anderson Museum and the Mardi Gras parade that we attended on Saturday. Maybe we need to enter a float?

Our guided tour of the Museum was great, and we learned a lot about one of Mississippi's own renowned artists. The parade was only one part of the fun and fellowship on Saturday. Anna and Terry had us a great spot on the road, and the tailgating was excellent. We not only ate well, but we caught the Mardi Gras fever after the first float. "Throw me something" was the mantra for about two hours.

We are planning another rally with the same theme, seafood and fun, next Mardi Gras season. The dates will be February 7th – 12th, 2023. We have 28 sites available at Indian Point, and they will be released to us after the 1st of March (please don't call before then). We will let you know when to start making reservations!!!

Meanwhile, look at our list in this newsletter of upcoming opportunities to rally.

See you at Enid Lake!

Don

UPCOMING EVENTS

Spring Rally, April 26-30, 2023. Lake Enid, Wallace Creek Campground. April 25th – April 30th. If you are planning on attending, please let Randall Colston (901-484-0018) and/or Don Hummel (662-392-6065) know.

2023 International Rally, June 24-30, 2023, Rock Springs, Wyoming. Register <https://airstreamclub.org/Rally2023> Carol and Don will be attending. We will leave on Sunday, June 18th, and arrive on the 21st. If any of you can travel at that rate, you are welcome to let me know, and we will meet and travel together.

Election Rally, September 14th - 17th 2023. Mystic Springs, Pensacola, FL. Plans are being formulated. Hoping for an education rally, technology and mechanical.

Region 6 Rally, September 27- October 1, 2023. Bayou Wilderness RV Campground, 600 Wilderness Trail, Carencro, LA 70520. 337-896-0598. \$40.00 plus tax per night. Call the office to book your site; please let them know you are with the "AIRSTREAM RALLY." You can also book online. at bwrvr.com

Christmas Rally, December 13th - 17th, 2023. Central Baptist Assembly, West, MS,

CLUB NOTES

Notice: the club has a policy of awarding \$50 to members attending their first full rally.

Contact: Elizabeth Hawkins 662-312-4882 ejhawkins@bellsouth.net with news.

Spring Rally at Wallace Creek, Lake Enid MS Mississippi Airstream Club April 26-30, 2023 (Departing on 30th)

Location and Site Information:

Wallace Creek RV Park – Lake Enid Mississippi

Please make your reservation ASAP – We are located on the 'Wood Loop.' There are about 10 sites left, but you can stay in any of the Wallace creek sites if they run out. Just let us know what site you are in.

To make reservations go to Recreation.gov. If you cannot get reservations and need assistance with the web site, call me at (901) 484-0018 (Randall). For campground inquiries, please call: 662-563-4571

Camping Price Per Night: Camper Sites are \$24 Per night and are half price with an America the Beautiful Pass. All sites are full service.

Rally Fee: \$15

Shelter: We have rented Picnic Shelter 637. There is electricity and four or five grills, including one large grill.

Agenda

Early Parking: Tuesday April 25, 2023 – Let Don or me know if you plan to come on the 25th.

Wednesday April 26

- Arrival
- Dinner 6:00 PM - Pavilion #637

Red Beans & Rice w/ Bread & salad (Don and Terraseta) – Bring your own setups and drinks.

Thursday April 27, OXFORD DAY

- 8:00 AM Breakfast at Pavilion (Williams) – Bring your own setups.
- 9:15 AM Caravan to Rowan Oak, the Wm Faulkner Home 916 Old Taylor
- Tour at 10:30 AM.
- Lunch on your own.

Restaurant Options: Recommendations

- Boure Rest – American food-110 Courthouse Sq.
- St. Leos-Italian-922 E Jackson (just east of square)
- Blind Pig Bar-Sandwiches-105 N. Lamar.

Note: Street parking is tough. Parking lot on Jefferson (Northwest of square)

- Tour the Square Shops and Bookstores
- Next visit The Depot Antique Mall 709 N. Lamar in MidTown Square
- Two restaurants across from Mall
 - Volta-greek-710 N Lamar
 - Handy Andys-Burgers, BarBQue-800 N Lamar
- 6:00 PM Dinner Soup Night (Hawkinses) Bring a can of vegetables or soup (not cream style). Bring setups and drinks.

Friday April 28

- 8:00 AM Breakfast at Pavilion (Donalds) – Bring your own setups.
- Safari Wild Animal Park is \$16 pp, \$1 discount for Senior and, \$1 Group Discount (for 16 or more). Both discounts may apply.
- Lunch on your own.

- Batesville
- 6:00 PM Dinner – Bring your own Meat, the club will furnish Salad, Bread, and Baked Potatoes. Bring your own setups and drinks.
- 7:00 PM Executive Meeting (Pavilion) – This is the officers’ meeting, but all members may attend.
- 7:15 PM Membership Meeting (Pavilion) – This meeting will follow directly after the Executive meeting.

Saturday April 29

- 8:00 AM Breakfast at Pavilion (Reynolds)
- Enid Fish Hatchery – About 1.5 hours – \$2.50 pp
- Lunch (Montgomerys) – Bring your own setups, drinks.
- Ford's Well - County Rd 557 – No charge

South of the lake just over halfway to the end of the lake. There are several log buildings that can be toured at no cost. Historical - It was the site of a stagecoach way station.

- 6:00 PM Dinner at Pavilion
 - Cast Iron Cookout (Colstons) – If you cook with Cast Iron, please plan to make your favorite Cast Iron dish. Send me a note or email with your ideas. We need Desserts, Main dishes, and sides. I will put together a list of what everyone is making and try to make sure we have everything covered. Email: RandallandMary@lonecastle.com, Phone: (901) 484-0018. Bring your own drinks and setups.

Sunday, April 30

- 8:00 AM Breakfast – Donuts
- Departure

Site Locator

- Don and Carol Williams – 93 (Tuesday)
- Randall and Mary Colston – 90 (Tuesday)
- Bob and Elizabeth Hawkins– 87
- Don and Terraseta Hummel – 97
- Mike and Candy Hony – 89 (Tuesday)
- George and Ruth McNinch - 83
- Shawn and Lundy Ryan – 99
- Larry and Joy Montgomery - ??