

Welcome to Our Club...

The following people have joined our club since November 2023. We look forward to meeting you folks soon.

New Members: None

Airstream Heritage Center

New Affiliate Members: Scott and Cheryl Myers (5757)



Total Eclipse Rallies April 7 – 11 in [Region 4] Greenville, Ohio in [Region 5] Columbus, Indiana

[Kathy Robinson 7867]



It was a once-in-a-lifetime opportunity! Several club members were able to check off seeing a total solar eclipse from their Bucket Lists. Five units attended a rally in Ohio and one unit attended a rally in Indiana. The weather was warm and clear, the fellowship was fun and fascinating, and the multisensory experience of viewing the eclipse was very exciting.



The eclipse has started in Ohio. [Shelba Tucker 8200]





The totality: It is halfway over. [James Matznick 5159]

Pictures from Indiana. [Mary Register 21197]



The famous restaurant from the St. Louis Fair





The eclipse has started in Indiana.

Upcoming Rallies and Events https:airstreamclub.org/westvirginia

June 19 – 23 "Rally in the Valley" in Lewisburg, WV at the WV State Fairgrounds August 8 – 11 "Rally on the Mountain" in Moundsville, WV at Grand Vue Park September 21 – 29 61st Annual Swiss Festival in Sugarcreek, Ohio October 5 – 10 67th Annual Airstream Club International Rally in Sedalia, Missouri

TRAVELING WEST VIRGINIA The West Virginia Airstream Club has planned two summer rallies.

Rally In the Valley Community Service Tribute to Coco June 19 through Sunday June 23, 2024

This year's rally is a Community Service Tribute to Coco, a 7-year-old greyhound who passed away in June 2023. She was a club member who entertained all with her speed and agility.

We are partnering with the Greenbrier Valley Humane Society in Lewisburg, to collect items from their wish list.



Airstream parking is at the West Virginia State Fairgrounds having full hookups for a total of \$31.80 (includes tax) a night. Pay on arrival. If you wish to come early, no problem. Departure is Sunday, June 23rd out by 11:00 am.

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Rally On the Mountain August 8 through Sunday August 11, 2024

Come join the West Virginia Airstream Club overlooking the Ohio Valley, at the RV park at Grand Vue Park, Moundsville, West Virginia.

Park activities:

- outdoor adventure park
- · zipline and aerial course
- water park & pool
- 13 miles of hiking and mountain bike trails
- disc golf courses miniature Golf

· relaxation on the mountain enjoying the view

Discounts:

- FREE Activity pass for the pool and miniature golf
- A 10% discount on any logo items at the General Store

Places to visit:

- Tour the former State Penitentiary built in 1866
- Palace of Gold, " One of the 30 most beautiful places to visit in the USA" (Business Insider).
- Grave Creek Mound Archaeological Complex, one of the most famous and the largest of the Adena Burial mounds. Construction from about 250-150 B.C.

For detail information visit the Parks website at https://grandvuepark.com/

To make your reservation, call Grand Vue at (304) 845-9810 Ext 403. We have secured 20 sites, #31-40 and #1-10 available exclusively for our Rally until July 1, 2024. The total cost for 3 nights with the discount and tax is \$179. An addition \$5 per day resort fee is added.

After you have reserved your spot in the campground, **register with WVAC click on link** :

Contact Gina Busch, (304)542-1269 , Email <u>ginarbusch@aol.com</u>; Shelba Tucker (304)542-0120, email <u>WVAC115@gmail.com</u>

Detail information on both rallies is listed at airstreamclub.org/West Virginia. A link for registration is included.

Travel Teasers: The ABC's of America

Rolling rolling rolling! There's a lot of exciting things to see in our country. You can go as an individual family or you can join an ACI rally or caravan.

Here are some of the interesting and unusual nature-made and man-made places to see in the lower 48 that just might end up on your Bucket List.

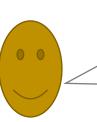


Colorado [Region 11]: Going to Pagosa Springs will give you a triple event. It has the deepest mineral-enriched hot spring in the world. You can soak your tired body in the therapeutic pools and come out feeling refreshed. [Naturemade]

It is also near the scenic San Juan Mountains. They were made by volcanos and shaped by glaciers. [Nature-made] There are old gold and silver mines you can still see there. [Man-made]

If you are adventurous, you can float down the San Juan River. (Nature-made)

Mesa Verde National Park is in Cortez. It is fascinating to see how some of the Pueblo people lived under a hanging cliff. Their gardens were on top of the Mesa. (Man-made)



I was traveling down the road with my Airstream and a rabbit ran across the road. Phew! I missed it by a hair/hare! He He He!

Regular Reminder: All club members can also join rallies and events held by other clubs all across the North America. To find out what else is going on, go to <u>airstreamclub.org</u>.



Until the summer travel season is over...



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