



STREAM'N & DREAM'N

The newsletter for the Greater St. Louis Airstream Club

Casey KOA Rally

September 12, KOA
Campground, Casey, IL,
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International Rally

October 5, Missouri State
Fairgrounds, Sedalia, IL,
airstreamclub.org

Christmas Luncheon

December 7, Pietro's, St. Louis
MO, kswelsh8017@gmail.com

A Word from our President

It's September! Cooler temperatures are on their way-hopefully. What a busy summer it has been. We had our family camping trip to the northernmost part of Michigan's Upper Peninsula: the Keweenaw Peninsula. We camped with Rick's siblings, and their spouses, and took in the magnificent views that only Lake Superior has to offer. While there, we met up with John and Lyn Heald. From there, we spent a few days Courtesy Parking in Marquette—where Rick and I both grew up. We saw my two brothers while there, and spent an evening with Charlie and Penny Durban. Everywhere you go, you may run into an Airstream friend.

Our August rally was a great success: thanks to Larry & Jackie Weidle and Mark & Sharon Holzauer. The Lazy Day Campground in Danville, MO was very nice. The meeting room was large enough for our group, and had a full kitchen for us to use. We had Thursday and Saturday dinners together. Breakfast on Friday, courtesy of SkyMed, lasted throughout the weekend. We explored the area on or own or in small groups. We had campfires and played Giant Jenga. There were also two grandchildren along, the Weidle's Will, and our Giulia.



A few members have asked me to put some information in the newsletter.

◆Hugh Schultz is asking for suggestions for RV parks. He will be planning our adventures for the 2026 year.

◆If you were at the Region Rally in 2023 in Sabetha, KS, you may remember the Grimm Girls' Farm that we toured. The Oloteo's have discovered that the farm is now part of Harvest Hosts. They stayed there, and recommend it.

- ◆ Rose Garland, who is our Club's Membership Chair, has asked that you consider having your membership AutoRenew. Some members already have this set up. Some members are very good about renewing promptly. But the ones that forget, or don't renew in a timely manner, make extra work for our Membership Chair. Think about it the next time your renewal is due.
- ◆ While talking with some of the women a while back, we discussed how we don't dress up and use our "nice things" very often. We thought it would be fun to bring our Pearls to the International Rally. They could be REAL Pearls, or not quite real Pearls. (Who can really tell the difference!). Plan to wear them to the Opening Ceremony on Saturday night, and throughout the day on Wednesday, with your Blue Jeans and "Pinktober" T-Shirt.
- ◆ Also at International: Monday night the Vintage Airstream Club (VAC), will host a Halloween Dance/ Costume Contest. We thought it would be fun to dress up with a theme. Brenda J. came up with the idea of going as a Flock of Flamingos. Some of the women are ordering blow-up flamingo costumes from Amazon (who else has everything?), or get creative and make your own costume. Some of the men are wearing their shirts with flamingos on them. This is completely voluntary, but the VAC dances are always a lot of fun.
- ◆ Joe Hauser has been busy organizing those attending International, who will be arriving and parking together. He has been in contact with those who have registered. I will have a list further in this newsletter. Check to see if it is correct.
- ◆ One more thing about International: we will have the Installation of our new officers take place in Sedalia. This will be on Sunday, October 6th at 1:00 at the Woods Youth Center on the State Fair grounds. I will send a reminder to those attending the rally.

Our September rally is coming soon. We have a large group attending. The Richards and Schultzs have been busy with plans. We will have our annual business meeting at this rally. Paula Drieci had given us information about construction issues on the way to this rally in Casey, IL. I have sent out that information to those who are registered. If you did not receive this, or need to have it resent, please let me know.

The next newsletter will not come out until mid October—after the International Rally. Until then, Safe Travels, and See you Down the Road!

Berta Everson
Greater St. Louis Airstream Club President





G.S.L.A.C. 2024 Schedule



September - KOA Casey, IL Thursday, September 12 through Sunday, September 15. The Richard's and the Schuetz's are hosting. Contact the campground at (217) 932-5319, and let them know you are with the Airstream Club. Contact Carl (host) at s.corn167@gmail.com or (217) 473-5332.

October - International Rally in Sedalia, MO, Saturday, October 5 through Thursday, October 10. Register at AirstreamClub.org We will have the Installation of new officers at a club gathering at this rally, on Sunday at 1:00 p.m. at the Woods Youth Center on the State Fairgrounds campus. Those attending the Sedalia Rally will receive more information as the date nears.

December - Christmas Luncheon: Saturday, December 7 at Pietro's on Watson Road in St. Louis, MO at 11:30 a.m. Hosts are the Welsh's, contact Kathy at kswelsh8017@gmail.com or (314) 565-8017.

Welcome New Members

Nicholas and Amy Gibson

Farmington, MO

6580

Joe's International Parking List

Those arriving on Wednesday and parking together:

Atchison	5193	Bailey	6917
Bartlett	4544	Baum	2339
Brennecke	11773	Burmeister	4484
Cottrell	10118	Drieci	7181
Eubank	2141	Everson	4896
Gardner	12349	Garland	6566
Grant	2205	Haudrich	6051
Hauser	4591	Heald	5821
Hentchel R&D	3472	Jakubczak	4420
Johnson	1485	Lange	6525
Mayer	8934	Mussulman	2046
Oloteo	24662	Peterson/Ramsey	25165
Pierro	6537	Richards	3725
Rigsby	19843	Roth	4500
Ryder	5358	Sanderson	6447
Schuetz	31748	Steck	1271
Vadner	2702	Votaw	15371
Weidle	4564	Welsh	24571
Wharton	17634		

Those arriving later and parking elsewhere:

Boyer	7412	Duncan	10090
Ford	4931	Gettemeier/Dierman	15019
Kallansrud	12821	Komeshak	20321
Leo	4897	Melillo	1493
Mentz	3281	Mills	3530
O'Brien	17754	Richardsville	21079
Scandrett	23818	Shen	15192
Showalte	4733	Wilson	5446

Attending Rally - Off Site

Rice 16917

AIRSTREAMERS GIVING BACK IN SEDALIA

Let's make our mark in Missouri at the Airstream Club International Rally in Sedalia and have "Fun in the Fall"!

Whether you are attending this year's International Rally or not, you can participate in our community service project for 2024. We are partnering with the [Bothwell Foundation](#) to support their Pinktober campaign.

Airstream Club International members have two ways to make a difference:



1. [Buy a Pinktober T-shirt](#) in support of all people who have been diagnosed with breast cancer. Missouri, in October, has a lot of autumn colors, but **PINK** is the color that will make a difference in a lot of people's lives. Non-rally attendees can purchase T-shirts and have them mailed for a small fee (\$5).

<https://secure.qgiv.com/for/bothwellregionalhealthcenterfoundation/event/rally2024/>

The broader Sedalia community will be out wearing "Blue Jeans for Bothwell" on Wednesday, October 9. Rally attendees can join in the fun on Wednesday, by wearing Pinktober T-shirts, along with blue jeans. During that evening's rally entertainment, a group picture will be taken at the Airstream Club International band and choral concert. (Please feel free to wear your Pinktober T-shirt and blue jeans all day!)

2. This Community Service project with the Bothwell Foundation is also targeting the renovation of the Bothwell Regional Health Center patient rooms. The Bothwell Regional Health Center was built in 1985 and needs updates and modernization. With every \$10,000 donated to this effort, a patient room will be dedicated with naming rights in the donor's honor.

We plan to have a patient room at the Bothwell Regional Health Center dedicated to the 67th Airstream Club International Rally! Even if you are not attending this year's rally, you can contribute to this project by [clicking this link](#).

If you haven't read the article in the Blue Beret, Spring issue, page 44-46, about the 2024 community service project, [please check it out now](#).

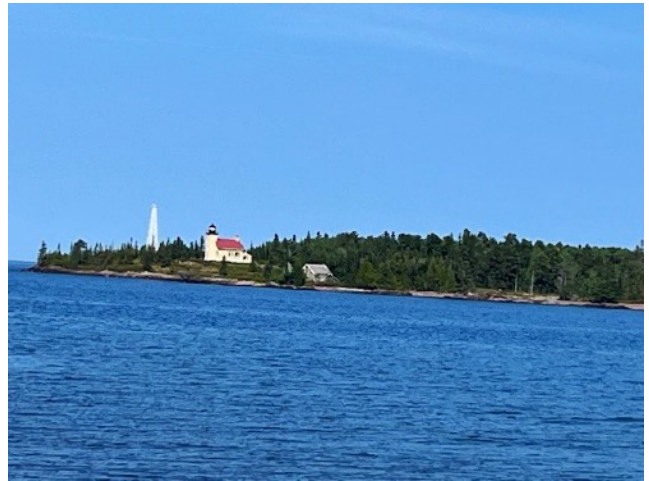
If you have questions, or if you want to volunteer to help distribute the Pinktober T-shirts at the rally, please contact Rose Garland (BRN #6566) at 314-484-1272.

And, P. S., please continue to collect aluminum tabs for the Future Streamers Intra-Club's effort to support the Kansas City Ronald McDonald House.

Thanks to everyone who has made even the smallest contribution to the success of the 67th Airstream Club International Rally in 2024 in Sedalia, Missouri!

Keweenaw Peninsula

A few photos from Rick & Berta's trip to the Keweenaw Peninsula in Upper Michigan. If you have photos of your travels to share in future newsletters, send them to me at skmentz@mac.com



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