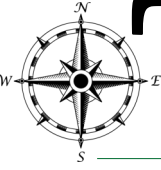


November 2024



The Navigator

Hudson-Mohawk NY, 071



Indians watching Henry Hudson's ship, the Half Moon along the Hudson River

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President's Message

Bill Schultz



Greetings Fellow Airstreamer's,

This is my first message as your new president. Some of you know my story. Those who don't let me introduce myself. My name is Bill Schultz, Barb and I have a 69 Tradewind, A dog named Rex and live in Easton NY. We have been in the club for 10 years.

I would like to thank Dan and Pat Steen for a great September Installation rally at Schodack Landing State Park, It was well attended and we all had a good time.

I would like to thank Dan Steen for serving as president multiple times, Keeping our club going. Bravo Zulu!

As we move into the winter months I would like to remind everyone that there are get togethers planned, Please check the newsletter or our web site for details. Barb and I are hosting the Christmas party at Wallie's of Greenwich. Located in the village of Greenwich NY. Please attend if possible.

Next seasons rallies are being planned as I pen this. Sign up and let the host know as soon as possible, spaces are limited especially in State Parks. You can always cancel if plans change.

Hudson Mohawk has a great group of people. For those who haven't met us I encourage you to come out and rally with us, You might have a good time! In closing have a great off season, and we hope to see you down the road.

Bill Schultz





December Holiday Party

Saturday December 7th, 2024 @12:00 noon

Wallie's of Greenwich

54 Main Street

Greenwich, NY 12834

Good friends, Good cheer—

It's the most wonderful time of the Year!

Please join us for Lunch and Fun

(We will have a private room, order from the menu and have separate checks)

Lets Jingle & Mingle

Please RSVP to:

Barbara Schultz 518-409-2565

HUDSONMOHAWKNEWS@GMAIL.COM

By November 29th

Happy Holidays

SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

2025

February Luncheon	TBA	Eric & Marybeth Schadow
March Luncheon	TBA	Stan & Tess Stoklosa
April Luncheon	TBA	Joe & Debra Moloughney
May 1-5 Region 2 Rally <i>"Kentucky Derby"</i>	Grange Fairgrounds Center Hall, PA 16828	Gary Russo, Region 2 President Jot form to reserve mid Jan
May "Tune-up" Rally	TBA	Hollie Bart
June 5-8	Glimmerglass State Park 1527 County Highway 31 Cooperstown, NY 13326 Make your reservation at Reserve America	Dan White & Erin McKay emckay@une.edu Let Erin know when you have reserved
July 17-20 <i>"Adirondack Boondocking Rendezvous"</i>	Scaroon Manor DEC Park 8728 State Route 9, Pottersville, NY 12860 Make your reservation at Reserve America	Bill & Barbara Schultz hudsonmohawknews@gmail.com
July 31– Aug 5 <i>"A Taste of NY & New England"</i>	Sampson State Park 6096 Route 96A Romulus, NY 14541	Gary Russo, Region 2 President Jot form to reserve coming soon
Aug 23-28 <i>"68th Airstream Club International Rally"</i>	York, Pennsylvania	Reserve your spot now 
Sept 11-14 <i>"Installation Rally"</i>	King Phillip's Campground 14 Bloody Pond Rd Lake George, NY 12845 Make reservation with the campground 518-668-5763 www.KingPhillipsCampground.com	Bill & Barbara Schultz hudsonmohawknews@gmail.com Let the campground know you are with Hudson-Mohawk Airstream club in the C-section. Let Barb know when you have reserved.
Oct 9-13 <i>"October Fest at Berg Stock"</i>	RIPRAP MEADOWS FARM 340 Sutton Hollow Road Windham, NY 12496	Eric & Diane Bergquist riprapmeadows@earthlink.net

IMPORTANT INFORMATION

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Larry Ascenzi(1 yr)	Dan Steen	Barbara Schultz	Pat Steen
Erin McKay (2yr)			Barbara Schultz
<u>Web Page : HUDSONMOHAWKNY.airstreamclub.net</u>			



Unit Flag Available

We currently have one unit flag available for immediate sale. This is new, one-sided version. This is much lighter than the original two-sided flag. The current cost is \$129, Plus \$10 sales tax. We can purchase more as needed, but the price may change over time. If you want the one, we have in stock, contact Dan Steen @ dmsteen@gmail.com or (518) 281-7876.

NEWSLETTER IDEAS OR SUBMISSIONS?

I welcome any comments and suggestions for articles you'd like to read. I would like to make the newsletter informative, entertaining and accurate. So, please feel free to send your suggestions or a story you would like to post.
Thank You, Barbara



Just a reminder:

To help the host of any rally with all the little things that go along with a rally there is a \$10.00 rally fee per person.

Your Host Thanks You!



The Tunnel to Towers Foundation is a non-profit organization that honors the sacrifice of Firefighter Stephen Siller who laid down his life to save others on September 11, 2001.

The Tunnel to Towers Foundation carries out its mission to "do good," by providing mortgage-free homes to Gold Star and fallen first responder families with young children and by building specially-adapted smart homes for catastrophically injured veterans and first responders. Tunnel to Towers is also committed to eradicating veteran homelessness and helping America to Never Forget September 11, 2001.

Send pictures, rally reports and club information to:

HUDSONMOHAWKNEWS@gmail.com
for the newsletter and web page

Would love to see your pictures on Facebook:

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CELEBRATING

November

- 2 Dee Perry 5031
10 Lee Belec 3035
10 Wendy Vettovalli 4391
15 Beth Oldrich 8727

Happy
Birthday

December

- 4 Joan Stevens 4430
9 Craig Arons 9389
11 Cheryl Arons 9389
19 Roger Smith 10566
24 Stan Stoklosa 20769
28 Sandy Boogertman 2911
30 Bill Schultz 5666



- November 30 Jeffrey & Julie Quay 5551
December 4 Edward & Nancy Mellina 14457
December 24 Bill Levy & Cindy Davis 23673
December 27 Randy & K.C. Boelsems 3203



Sending sunshine, well wishes and happy thoughts to everyone!

REGION 2 NEWS - OCTOBER

By Region 2 President Gary Russo



Hello Region 2,

I'm fresh from the Sedalia MO International Rally.



All I can say is WOW!! Do they know how to put on a Rally. I'm including some of the highlights from the 2024 International Rally.



Opening ceremony and closing with the Airstream choir and musicians. 44% of the attendees to the International were 1st timers.

Suzanne and I did have some free time to explore the area.



We had dinner at the Bothwell Hotel where Harris S. Truman had dinner. What an amazing hotel. You could feel the history.

REGION 2 NEWS

By Region 2 President Gary Russo



The Region 2 table at the International.



What's a Rally without Great food and Door prizes! We held a joint luncheon with Region 1. Bandana BBQ supplied us with Brisket, Smoked sausage, potato salad, baked beans, and cookies. There were gallons of sweet, unsweetened tea, along pink lemonade. The final count was 150 people and no one left hungry from the room!

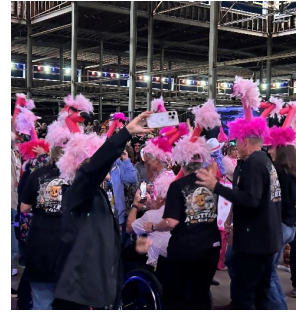
The door prizes were provided by Colton RV of Buffalo



REGION 2 NEWS

By Region 2 President Gary Russo

As always, the Vintage Airstream Intraclub had a wild and crazy night event to match the October theme. Who would have guessed what the most popular costume at an Airstream event would have been???



I did capture Cathy and John Andersen from the New York Finger Lakes Airstream Club at the dance. Looks like John finally met his match!

With that, the clock is now ticking toward the 68th International in York Pennsylvania. Jenna Koslosky from the York Expo Center gave a presentation at the current International Rally. I want to start off by saying expectations are high after this International. Jackson Center is busily working on next year's International. I'm expecting at some point Jackson Center will be reaching out to Region 2 for support.

This is the information I have about the 68th International Rally from Jenna and Lori's presentation and Q&A session.

- **October 30,2024 registration opens for the Rally at 1:00pm**
- 1000 sites are available
- 30 amp Electric/Water with Pump out service on the 3or 4 day of the rally.
- Sites will be on one of the following surfaces grass/gravel/asphalt with 60% of the sites on asphalt
- Dog park on the grounds
- No onsite laundry
- Fire pits are OK
- Early and late check out is available
- Tours to Lancaster and Hershey are in the development stage

I'm starting to engage the Region 2 Club Presidents for this Rally event, with the hope to have a large attendance from the Region for the International.

Gary

Hudson-Mohawk Installation Rally

September 5-8, 2024

Schodack Island State Park

Our Installation Rally was held at Schodack Island State Park in Schodack Landing the weekend of September 5th-8th, 2024 and was hosted by Pat & Dan Steen.

In addition to the hosts, attendees were Larry Ascenzi, Hollie Bart, Eric & Diane Bergquist, Erin McKay & Dan White, Joe & Debra Moloughney, Glen & Beth Oldrich, Eric & Marybeth Schadow, Bill & Barbara Schultz, Stan & Tess Stoklosa, John & Wendy Vettovalli.

The weather was great on Thursday & Friday. We had dessert around the campfire both nights and were joined by Airstreamers from Texas & North Carolina who happened to be in the park.

On Saturday morning a business meeting was conducted, including installation of our 24-25 Officers.

The entertainment for the weekend was provided by various emergency service agencies practicing wildfire helicopter water collection and drops at the boat launch.

As we neared the dinner hour, the rain found us. As the Bergquists and Oldrichs contributed their pop-up shelters, we were able to enjoy the "Let's Forget the Main Course" competition of Appetizers & Hors d'oeuvres un-dampened by the weather. Although a campfire was not to be, we still enjoyed Make-Your-Own Ice-cream Sundaes. It was a great rally enjoyed by all!

