Fall 2024



Upcoming Rallies

Holiday Rally 2024

Dec 12-15 Mesquite, NV

Rallies 2025

Jan. 9-12 Valley of Fire, NV

Feb 1 Social Meeting -TBA

Feb 20-23 Palm Springs, CA

Feb 28- March 3 Lake Havasu, AZ

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Check the Las Vegas Airstream Club Event Calendar for current and future rallies <u>https://</u> <u>airstreamclub.org/las-</u> <u>vegas</u>

Malibu Rally, July 18, 2024, by Jo Salzer

The Malibu rally was amazing. We had 7 rigs all parked near one another with ocean views. The weather was perfect. Malibu RV park is located on Pacific Coast Highway and has endless views of the Pacific. The park has undergone improvements in the last few years. They've added an expanse of lawn with picnic tables and fire pits. We took advantage of this on our nightly happy hours. At various times we'd spot dolphins making their way up and down the coast, seals frolicking near the beach. The sunsets were gorgeous.

Hosts Max and Michele Stering had been there all week. It's one of their favorite summer vacation destinations. It was fun to see them suit up and head to beach to boogie board everyday. They're our cool kids s and such a delightful couple.

Our group had reservations at the Getty Villa Museum, built in the Roman style, the mansion and estate houses an impressive collection of art and ancient artifacts. The villa was build where J. Paul Getty's Ranch House once stood. The ranch house was also a gallery and museum of sorts, but his vast collection outgrew the space. He decided on the Roman style villa. Sadly he never saw his creation. The grounds, pool and gardens are beautiful. It's free to visit but you must have advance reservations.

Malibu Rally 2024 by Jo Salzer

This stretch of PCH has seemingly endless opportunities to dine out with an ocean view. Everyone had a favorite. Our last evening had us wandering down the path to Malibu Seafood, a casual but tasty seafood restaurant just steps from the park. We could bring our own libations, order fresh seafood, and enjoy a picnic-style dinner.

We all had such a good time that we've booked it again for July 2025. Watch for registration.









Rally Spotlights

Dec 12-15, 2024 Holiday Rally

Our rally will be held in Mesquite at a new RV park this year. We will use the clubhouse for happy hours and dinners. Remember to wear your ugly Christmas sweater or hat to the Saturday dinner. On Friday night, there will be a holiday craft. Saturday dinner will be catered with brisket, chicken, and salmon. There is still time to register and join in. 2025

January 9–12 Valley of Fire Dutch Oven cooking

Join us for a return visit to The Valley of Fire. Join the Dutch oven cooking masters Dale and Max, who will provide two delicious dinners and a fantastic breakfast. Space is limited to 10 rigs; register early. There are two spaces left, and we are working on a waitlist in case a cancellation opens up a spot for those who wish to attend.

February 20-23 Modernism Week

Palm Springs is in mid-month during Modernism Week. Tours of Modernism are booked up quickly, so book early. Additionally, Palm Springs has some great theater entertainment options, such as comedy and dinner shows.

Feb 28 to March 2 Lake Havasu Bluegrass Festival

Mosey on over to Lake Havasu for the Bluegrass Festival. This is a joint rally with the Utah Airstream Club. There is a lot to do is this little town. Listen to some music and explore the area.

April 3-7 Boulder Beach Campground

Let's return to our youths to celebrate National Kids Day by camping at Boulder Beach Campground. Join in for fun activities and explore Lake Mead and or Boulder City. Social meeting on April 5 at the campground.

May 8-12 Ventura, CA

LVAC will host a rally at the Waypoint Village RV Park in Ventura, CA. This cute RV park has vintage trailers. It is close to the beach, where you can hear the surf and smell the ocean air.

Region 12 Rally at Lake Tahoe, Nevada, by Diane Hancock

This year, the Region 12 rally was held in beautiful Lake Tahoe. There were 150 Airstream Trailers and a few Vintage trailers. The Tahoe Valley Campground was huge, with Airstream trailers in every section.

Our time at the rally was filled with a diverse range of activities. Vinnie from Vinnie's Airstream led a seminar on installing the Airsafe Hitch, followed by a lively questionand-answer session. We also had group bike rides, crafting sessions, and nature hikes. For those seeking a more relaxed experience, a dinner cruise on Lake Tahoe was a perfect choice. The variety of activities ensured that there was something for everyone to enjoy.

The Region 12 rally team chose Lake Tahoe Wildlife Care as the recipient of the silent auction basket proceeds. Our Las Vegas Airstream Club generously donated an overflowing basket of goods. In addition, Dale Musser crafted a one-of-a-kind birdhouse, which members could contribute to with monetary donations. I am thrilled to announce that the birdhouse sold for \$600, and the donated money inside amounted to \$500. This is a testament to our community's generosity and commitment to wildlife care. Thank you, Dale, for your contribution. Thank you to Jo, Lynn, and Janette for helping with the LVAC basket.

As we bid farewell to the Region rally, we eagerly anticipate the next one. Mark your calendars for October 2025, when we will gather once again, this time at Bonelli Bluffs. We look forward to seeing you there!









LVAC officer and board positions for 2025

President - Lynn Mate 1st Vice President - Max Stering 2nd Vice President - OPEN Treasurer - Ariel Feir Secretary - Sandy Levin Membership - Jo Salzer Newsletter - Diane Hancock Event Committee Chair - Diane Hancock Social Media Coordinator - Cheryl Musser/Melissa St Andre Webmaster - Cheryl Musser

Social Meeting highlights

Twenty members gathered for the social meeting at Diane and Gary Chimko's lovely Henderson home. We kept the club business meeting short and discussed the upcoming election of officers and chair positions. We are adding regular social meetings to our yearly calendar. The time and location will vary. The first will be on February 1st, followed by the first Saturday of every other month.

No one seems to object to receiving emails from the club, but we on the board have tried to limit them. We intend to send out monthly emails, with others as needed. We also decided to explore group texting apps to communicate. By a show of hands, texting was the preferred mode of communication. Members are encouraged to post on our Facebook and Instagram accounts, which are only seen by club members. Melissa St. Andre will help out with the Instagram account.

Everyone brought a lot of shareable food, making it a feast. We spent the remainder of the afternoon just catching up with each other. We have such a fun-loving club.







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LVAC Calendar 2024-2025

December 12-15, **2024**. Holiday rally in Mesquite; registration closes November 27, 2024. There are still spaces available at the RV park.

2025

January 9-12: Valley of Fire with Dutch Oven Cooking

February 1: Social Meeting - TBA

February 20-23: Palm Springs - Modernism Week at Sun Outdoors RV in Indian Wells

February 28-March 3: SPECIAL Event - Bluegrass Festival with Utah Wasatch Airstream Club, Lake Havasu.

April 3-7, **2025**: Lake Mead, Boulder Beach. You can book a site at LMNP or at the Boulder Beach RV park (hookups) and use the walkway to the rally.

April 5: Social Meeting at Lake Mead Rally. Non-campers invited.

May 8-12: Ventura, CA - Waypoint Vintage RV Park - details to follow.

May 23-26: SPECIAL Event - West Coast Kustom Cruisin' Kustoms show - details to follow.

June 7: Social Meeting - TBA

June 12-15: Williams, AZ Williams - KOA Circle Pines (Contact is Abbey) 10 Sites held till May 12. (3 sites-50 amp and 7 sites 30 amp)

July 16-20: Malibu, CA - Malibu RV Park - (Contact is Thomas) 15 Sites held till June 1. (10 sites beachfront, 5 sites in rear). The park is asking for full payment, check their cancellation policy when booking.

August 2: Social Meeting - TBA

August 15-17: Tentative Date - Big Bear, Serrano Campground - Booking starts 6 months out on February 15, 2025.

September: Open - SW Utah suggested.

October 4: Social Meeting - TBA

October 15-19: Region 12 Rally at Bonelli Bluffs RV Park - Registration and information to follow from Region 12

November (6-9): Deadhorse/Cottonwood, AZ area.

December 6: Social Meeting - ???

December 11-14: Holiday rally or dinner.

Social Media

Instagram

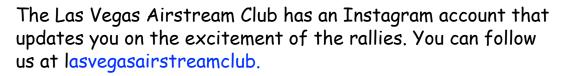












Facebook

Check out The Las Vegas Airstream Club's Facebook page. It is private and for members only. No posts are seen by the general public. The purpose of this group is to share photos, Airstream tips, travel ideas, communication, and information. Here is a link to access the group site- <u>https://</u> www.facebook.com/groups/lvacmembersonly or you can search under "Las Vegas Airstream Club Members Group".

Airstream Club International

Browse the club's rally schedule for future events, read our newsletters and find countless resources on the main airstreamclub.org website, as well.

Membership Badges

If you purchase a new badge, it will cost \$8.00. This is a steal of a price to display our new look. To purchase your badge, contact Jo at jojos.mail @hotmail.com.

Lands' End



Is your wardrobe in need of some fun Airstream clothing? Why not fix that by purchasing a shirt, jacket or fleece with the Las Vegas Airstream Club logo through Lands' End? You can do this by going to the Club's website, <u>https://airstreamclub.org/las-vegas</u>.

There, you will find information, a link to the Club's storefront, and a "How To" guide to help you through the simple process.