



PALMETTO STATE AIRSTREAM CLUB
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President's Message:

by Eric Graham (BRN #5097)



Hello Airstreamers,
Well, the rally season is already more than halfway through, but there are still plenty of fun and exciting rallies left to enjoy with great friends!

Our next rally will be a special joint event with the Top of Georgia club at their beautiful Airstream-only park. Our hosts are planning a delicious German meal, which is a perfect match for the area's strong German heritage. There are plenty of sites still available, so we hope you'll join us!

It's also that time of year to hold elections for our officer positions. If you're interested in serving, please use the link (or QR code) below to sign up for the position you'd like to hold.

Available Positions:

2nd Vice President – This is the "training wheels" position leading to becoming President. It's a very important role to help keep the club moving forward.

Recording Secretary – Responsible for taking minutes during meetings.

Membership Chair – A board-voted position. This person welcomes new members and maintains the membership directory.

Facebook Administrator – Manages the club's Facebook page and keeps it updated.

Newsletter Editor – The club's main communication channel! Keeps members informed and connected.

Director (2 positions) – Assists the President with tasks as needed.

Bylaws Chair – Maintains and updates the club's bylaws.

If you'd like to contribute to the club by serving in one of these roles, please use the QR code below to access the form and submit your interest or email me directly.



<https://forms.office.com/r/hB7BS7s29q?origin=lprLink>

See you soon!

HAPPY BIRTHDAY

August Birthdays:

Deb Rogers – 2
 Fran Herlong – 3
 Amanda Schaal – 4
 Marti Wallace – 7
 Bob Wilson – 7
 Tami Van Thof – 9
 Gary Turner – 10
 Renee Phillips – 11
 Rhonda Menster – 16
 Callie Rae Scurry – 18
 James Baxley – 20
 John Holden – 21
 Jack Brooks – 23
 Kevin Richards – 25
 Phil Abernathy – 26
 Laurie Braun – 28
 Sarah Rider – 28
 Jim Schaal – 30
 Kelly Brickey – 31

September Birthdays:

Melia Jacobs – 2
 Bobby Puryear – 3
 Tom Dodge – 3
 Maureen West – 3
 Pam DeVine – 5
 Veronica Doster-Booth – 6
 Michael Charles – 6
 Sandee Welch – 8
 Danielle Ward – 10
 Gary Prideaux – 10
 Kathy Narowski – 11
 Patricia Turner – 14
 Chris Beckett – 16
 Terri Vincent – 19
 Alan Rabb – 22
 Paul Braun – 24
 Dennis Boehmer – 25
 Jill Rabb – 26
 Jeffery Morehead – 27
 Dane Griffith – 28
 Kevin Rogers – 29
 Chuck Cook – 30

How to Sign Up for Rallies

To learn how to register for a rally, go to [our club website](http://ourclubwebsite.org) airstreamclub.org/palmetto-state and page down to watch the “Registration Tutorial.” This tutorial will walk you through the steps to register and/or pay for any upcoming rallies.

Link to [Registration Demonstration](#) →

After watching the tutorial go and register for the rally/rallies you are planning to attend

NOTE: This is only to register and pay your rally fees! See PSAC 2025 Rally Schedule in this newsletter for more details about each campground. You will need to call the campground to make your camping reservations, separately!



HAPPY ANNIVERSARY

August Anniversaries:

Dane & Ashleigh Griffith – 4
 Richard & Carrie Sandstrom – 6
 Ansel (Sonny) & Linda Meadors – 6
 Stuart & Kate Robertson – 8
 Doug & Joanne Wallis – 9
 John & Susan Leake – 16
 Jerry & Rhonda Menster – 18
 Bob & Jan Wilson – 20
 Burt & Gail Broadway – 27
 Paul & Laurie Braun – 30
 Bill & Sandee Welch – 30

September Anniversaries:

Donald & Kate Tyminski – 3
 Tom & Jeanne Scheitler – 9
 Scott & Melinda Whitmire – 21
 Allen & Theresa Kirchner – 28
 Bill & Diane Byrum – 30

Cares and Prayers:

- Continued prayers for Jeff Morehead/healing.
- Prayers for Mark Weaver for upcoming bypass surgery.
- Prayers for Gail Broadway for recovery.
- Prayers for all Members & Affiliates that are needing healing!

CRITICAL

It is so very important that members go into our “Jotform.” **Instructions on how to use “Jotform” is listed above.** Please sign up in advance to any upcoming rallies so the Host know who is coming. This helps the Hosts plan how much food to buy and prepare.

Our Club
 Website:



airstreamclub.org/palmetto-state



Silver at the Top Rally Schedule



August 14-17:



THURSDAY, August 14th

5:00 PM Social Hour --- Early arrivals

Socialize with your fellow Airstreamers at the campground. Dinner on your own.

FRIDAY, August 15th

5:00 PM Social Hour --- Official start of Rally

Social Hour with Heavy Hors d'oeuvres at the Community Pavilion.

Please bring an Hors d'oeuvre to share.

Dinner on your own.

SATURDAY, August 16th

8:30 AM Breakfast

Apple and Blueberry Pancakes, Sausage, Creamy Edisto Grits. BYOC (coffee)

Social Hour at 5:00 PM

Dinner at 6:30 PM – Beer Brats with rolls, onions, peppers and sauerkraut.

German Potato Salad and Pasta Salad.

Dessert: Homemade Ice Cream Sundae Bar – bring your bowls and spoons.

Please feel free to bring a dessert to share as well.

SUNDAY, August 17th

8:30 AM Continental Breakfast --- Good-bye until next time...

Continental Breakfast at 8:30 – BYOC

Hosts: Joey & Kerstin Evans





Carolina Mountain Jamboree/Joint Rally

September 17-21



Please come join us for the 3rd Annual Carolina Mountain Jamboree, Sept 17 – 21, 2025. Hosted by Lowcountry Airstream Club.

Registration Fee is \$65 per person

Please note the events/meals are still in the planning stages:



WEDNESDAY – If you arrive early, join us for Happy Hour under the Pavilion.

THURSDAY – Official Arrival Day, Happy Hour & Please bring Heavy Hors d'oeuvres to share under the pavilion.

FRIDAY – Morning, Biscuit Bar & Fruit and Coffee.

Hike, Bike or Tea Plantation Tour.

Evening, Dinner: Weenie Roast w/ sides followed by ice cream.

Group Camp Music under the pavilion by all interested!

SATURDAY – Pancakes and Sausage & Coffee.

Bike, Hike or Pickleball.

Catered Dinner to be announced. Please bring a dessert to share.

J Creek Cloggers will delight us with their performance on Saturday evening.

SUNDAY MORNING: Coffee w/Pastries and a volunteer who would consider a short message before we depart.

Remember to bring your set-ups and choice of beverages to all meals.

Club Members, please consider volunteering to help with this event. Something as small as taking the trash out, sweeping or making coffee goes a long way.

A big thank-you to those that have offered to help.

Please call Palmetto Cove at 864-836-6221 to reserve your site before registering for the rally. They have reserved 100 sites for this rally.

Registration link: <https://form.jotform.com/251114652914149>

If you have any questions, please email them to lowcountryairstreamclub@gmail.com.





2025 Rally Schedule



August 14-17:



Silver at the Top | Reservation Deadline: July 14th | Reserve Now!
14255 Highway 75 N, Helen, GA 30545 | Top of Georgia – **Full hook-up**
Booking Contact: Kate Singleton at (706) 878-3590 - SingletonK1@aetna.com
Hosts: Joey & Kerstin Evans

August 23-28:



Airstream Club International Rally: York, PA
Registration is Now Open! Call (937) 596-5211



September 17-21: **Carolina Mountain Jamboree/Joint Rally – Full hook-up**



521 Table Rock Road, Cleveland, SC, 29635
Palmetto Cove RV Park - Call (864) 836-6221
Reservation Deadline: August 1st
Booking Contact: Darlene Dudley at (843) 812-8430
Hosts: **Low Country Airstream Club**
Registration link: <https://form.jotform.com/251114652914149>



October 3-5:



Silver in the Pines | Reservation Deadline: TBD | Reserve Now!
522 Boyd Pond Rd, Aiken, SC 29803 – **Boon Dock Rally**
Contact: Alan Kirchner at email - awkirch@gmail.com
Hosts: Allen & Theresa Kirchner



October 23-26:



Lake Hartwell State Park | Reserve Now!
19138 SC-11, Fair Play, SC 29643 – **Water, Electric, Dump Station**
Register through [Recreation.gov](https://www.recreation.gov) or Call (864) 972-3352
Book in Lakepoint Loop
NEED HOSTS:

November 6-9:



Silver on the Broad River | Installation Rally | Reserve Now!
120 Broad River Campground Rd., Mooresboro, NC 28114 | Broad River Campground
Booking Contact: Christine (Christie) Rex at (828) 338-9598 – **Full hook-up**
NO RALLY FEE!
Hosts: Melia Jacobs and John & Susan Leake

December 13:



PSAC Christmas Luncheon Celebration | Noon – 2:00 pm
2950 Holley Ferry Road, Leesville, SC
Hosts: Bobby & Arlene Puryear

*No overnight parking
this year as Bobby &
Arlene need to leave for
TN the following day.*





SILVER in the PINES
This October 3-5



522 Boyd Pond Rd, Aiken, SC 29803

email Allen at awkirch@gmail.com

This will be a boon docking event at
PINE BLUFF PLANTATION, the home of Theresa
and Allen Kirchner, near Aiken, SC.

We will park in a large field in a “circle the wagons” pattern.

- No rally fee; this is a trial run!
- Pets welcome!

Supper will be provided on Saturday evening by the hosts.

- Miles of hiking and biking trails on the Plantation.
- Private swimming hole.
- Outdoor games.
- Good fishing at a nearby park.
- Generators OKAY but be mindful of your neighbors.
- Grills are welcome for other meals.

We'll have a generator set up for THE COFFEE POT.

About 10 miles from shopping and restaurants in Aiken.

We'll need a rolling head count so we can cut it off if we get too many responses and to plan for dinner on Saturday night.





2026 Rally Schedule



All PSAC Members & Affiliates, **Book early to eliminate availability issues.**

I created Google Calendar entries for all our rallies. They are compatible with Yahoo Calendar, Outlook, etc. If you would like me to add your email address to those Calendar events, it will save you time & energy in creating your own. Just drop me a line, with your email address, if you would like to be added. Thanks, Charlie Purser at cpurser7@gmail.com.



Valentine's Day Get-together TBD



March 4-8: Region 3 Rally

SUN 'n FUN Campground, home of the Aerospace Expo.

4075 James C. Ray Drive, Lakeland, FL 33811

Event Contact: Bob & Ginger at Phone # 828-443-7918



March 12-15: Silver on the Strand Rally | Reserve Now!

Myrtle Beach Travel Park, 10108 Kings Rd., Myrtle Beach, SC 29572

We have 30 sites reserved. Our sites are on the 300-400 blocks (map attached) and on the left side of the pond. We will have use of their beachside Pavilion for group get-togethers.

Talk to Kandi Kar at **Phone #s (800) 255-3568 or (843) 449-3714.**

Be sure to mention the PSAC Rally. Once you have a site # reserved, please send information to *Charlie Purser*, cpurser7@gmail.com so he can update his records. The daily site rate for our rally is **\$49.50**.

Stay 7 nights get one night free. Review and tour:

Myrtle Beach Travel Park website: MyrtleBeachTravelPark.com



April 16-19: Silver in the City, York, SC

Contact Terry Montgomery to be put on the waiting list at

(803) 242-6125 or terrymontgomery31@gmail.com.

More info to follow on this.

May 14-17: Shiny Apple Streamin', Orchard Lake Campground,

460 Orchard Lake Rd., Saluda, NC 28773 (Hendersonville area).

All kinds of fun things to do here: Boating (free canoes), pitching golf course, zipline, trails, etc. The **Palmetto Mountains to Sea Trail** runs through the campground! Plus, downtown Saluda, NC is just down the road.



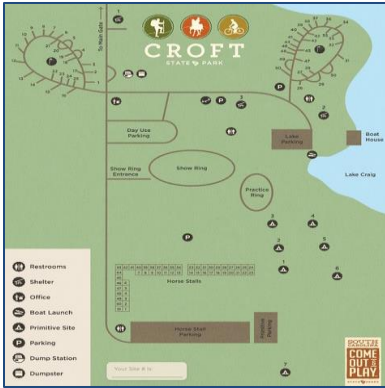
It's a step back in time: Authentic general store, Saluda Grade Railroad, Green River Gorge, etc. Perry Como and his family lived here when he retired. **Please go ahead and book sites for this one! It will fill up quickly.** Once you have a site # reserved, please send information to *Charlie Purser*, cpurser7@gmail.com so he can update his records. Contact: **Roger at (828) 749-3901.**

Campground website: OrchardLakeCampground-Saluda,NorthCarolina-Home





2026 Rally Schedule



June 11-14: Horsing Around Rally, **Croft State Park, Spartanburg**

450 Croft State Park Rd, Spartanburg, SC 29302

There is a 13-month advance reservation window.

Reserve Now!

This is a SC State Park and there are two loops. Loop 1 has larger sites (30 amp), and Loop 2 (50 amp) is a little tighter and has some uneven sites. Charlie Purser reserved covered picnic area #1 for us. Huge thank you to



Ross Gary for his insight into this park (he was a host

there and is a Spartanburg native). **Phone: (864) 585- 1283** (Contact: Penny) ~\$32-43 per night.

Croft website: [Croft South Carolina Parks Official Site](https://www.southcarolinaparks.com/croft) Guided tour of all campsites: [Croft State Park](https://www.southcarolinaparks.com/croft)



July 9-12: Back to Bear Park Rally, **Creekwood Farm RV Park**

4696 Jonathan Creek Rd., Waynesville, NC. [Home | Creekwood Farm](https://www.creekwoodfarm.com)

Fully restored from Hurricane Helene and ready for more useless trivia and rubber duckie races. Bear Park awaits us. Take exit 20 off of I-40.

Please go ahead and book your site for this one! Reserve Now!

We have a dedicated reservation link with side-by-side sites reserved, mostly on the creek. Once you have a site # reserved, please send information to *Charlie Purser*, cpurser7@gmail.com so he can update his records. **Susan is our contact at Creekwood.**



Phone: (828) 926-7977 or use this dedicated link: [Creekwood Farm RV Park - - Powered by ResNexus](https://www.creekwoodfarm.com)



August 13-16: Streamin' with White Squirrels, **Davidson River Campground** (NC State Park), Pisgah Forest, NC (Brevard area).

Come and see the famous White Squirrels of Transylvania County. This park is inside the entrance of the Pisgah National Forest. Trout fishing, tubing, swimming, hiking and so much more...

The Davidson River runs through the campground. Charlie Purser is from Brevard, and he is super excited to show you his stomping grounds! This park has VERY high demand during summer months;

therefore, **we must reserve our sites on February 8th, 2026**, during the 6-month rolling release schedule. Please note that many sites do not have electricity, so be sure to select ones that do.

Our preferred loop will be Sycamore Loop (10 electrical sites). Whiteoak Loop (3), etc. Water and sewage hookups are not available at the sites; however, there are multiple freshwater spigot stations throughout the park, and the clean bathhouses offer toilets & hot showers. Once you have a site # reserved, please send information to *Charlie Purser*, cpurser7@gmail.com so he can update his records. More information can be found here:

[Davidson River, National Forests in North Carolina - Recreation.gov](https://www.recreation.gov) (No phone #, book on-line)

Our Club Website: airstreamclub.org/palmetto-state



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2026 Rally Schedule



August 22-27: *International Rally*, Minot, ND. ACI will coordinate this event.



September 16-20: *Carolina Mountain Jamboree*, Palmetto Cove
521 Table Rock Road, Cleveland, SC, 29635

Palmetto Cove RV Park - Call **(864) 836-6221**

Back to a place we all know well, fully intact from the wildfires and ready for more memories. When you have your site #, please send it to me so I can update my records.



Estimated: October 22-25: *Alumalina!* Due to damage from Hurricane Helene, John Leake continues to pursue venue options for Alumalina. More updates to follow soon.



November 5-8: *Installation Rally*. Most likely to be held at Broad River Campground, Kings Mountain State Park or Palmetto Cove. More details to follow on this one. No action required currently.



Christmas Get-together TBD

Hey PSAC Friends and Family!

We're already starting to plan for the 2027 rallies, and we'd love to hear from YOU!

Is there a destination on your wish list you'd love to see as a future rally location? Whether it's a favorite campground, a scenic spot, or just a place you've always wanted to explore with fellow Airstreamers — we're all ears!

Our goal is to grow our rallies and bring even more amazing members together, and your ideas can help make that happen. The more input we get, the more exciting (and well-attended!) our events can be.

So, shoot us a quick email with your suggestions — big or small. We can't wait to hear your ideas and start dreaming up some unforgettable adventures for 2027!

See you down the road!

Joey and Kerstin Evans

airstreamer8007@yahoo.com

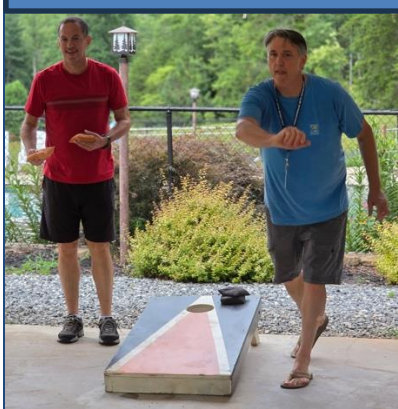
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July 10-13: Silver by the Creek



Suck Concentration!

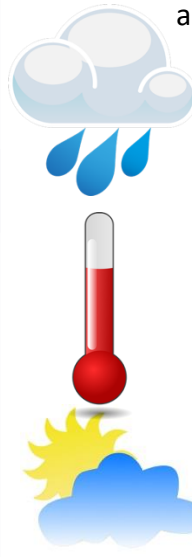


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...to Our Hosts for this Rally!

Charlie & Mary Ann Purser
and Leif & Joyce Svenson



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July 10-13: Silver by the Creek



RALLY HOSTS NEEDED:

Our club is still looking for hosts for the October Rally at Lake Hartwell.

Please let Eric Graham know if you would like to host for this rally.

SOME OF OUR NATIONAL HOLIDAYS IN AUGUST

August 2

- Coloring Book Day

August 4

- Friendship Day

August 7

- Purple Heart Day

August 12

- Middle Child Day

August 15

- Relaxation Day

August 20

- Lemonade Day

August 23

- Burger Day

August 25

- Banana Split Day

August 26

- Dog Day

August 28

- Red Wine Day

August 31

- Eat Out Day



DONATE

Anyone can donate anything at anytime as a door prize.

Donate whatever you'd like, such as a craft, or something you think would be a nice door prize. It's always fun to give and receive.

Please bring your donation(s) to the next rally that you attend!

At every rally there will be this box to put your donations in, so you can donate at anytime!



A Little Something About Us by Fred & Beth Chuck (BRN 29715)



Hello & welcome

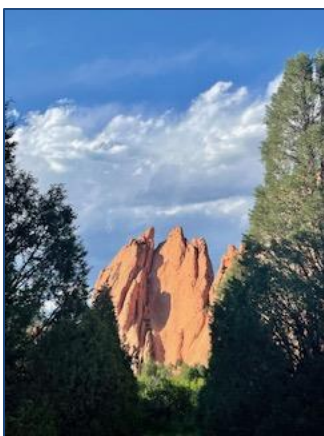


Fred is from Honolulu, and I am from Charlotte, NC. We have been married 38 years and have 2 kids. Our daughter lives in Colorado and son and daughter-in-law and our new grandson live in Burlington, VT.

Our first camper was a 1959 Shasta that we just sold this year. But it got us to buy a travel trailer, and a motorhome, to finally our Airstream. Our last camper ever! The hatch sold us on it.

We have camped at a 1947 drive-in movie theater in NY, which was really cool!
In Aug '24 we took the camper for the entire

month to VT, Niagara Falls CN, MI and the Ky bourbon trail. We never missed our house. Ready to get into some AS rallies and meet interesting folks.



This photo is from Colorado while visiting our daughter.



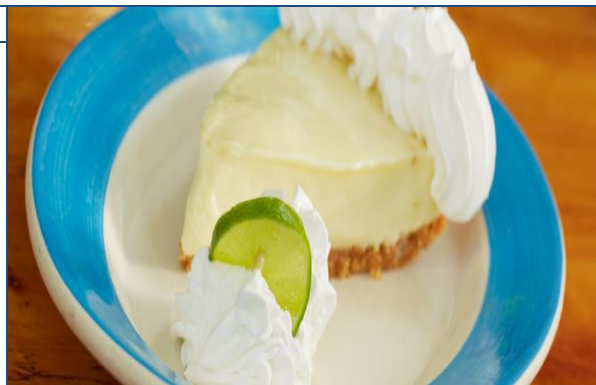
Recipe

Submitted by Nancy Suttlemyre (BRN #05118)

Abraham's Key Lime Pie

Ingredients:

- 3 egg yolks (whites not required)
- 8 oz. softened cream cheese
- 4-5 oz. Nellie & Joe's Key West Lime Juice, more for tangier pie
(Can be bought at any grocery store).
- 14 oz. can sweetened condensed milk
- 9" graham cracker pie crust



Instructions:

1. Pour condensed milk into blender.
2. Add cream cheese gradually, in small portions and mix until smooth.
3. Add egg yolks and blend well.
4. Pour in Nellie & Joe's Key West Lime Juice and continue blending until mixture is smooth.
5. Pour the mixture into the graham cracker pie crust and bake at 350°F for 10 minutes.
6. After baking, let stand for 10 minutes before refrigerating.
7. For a zestier taste, always prepare the pie a day before you need it.
8. Top with freshly whipped cream and garnish with fresh lime zest.