



THE GOLDEN NUGGET

THE NEWSLETTER OF THE

**SACRAMENTO VALLEY AIRSTREAM CLUB (SVAC)
WBCCI, Region 12, Unit 008**

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Fall President's Message to the Sacramento Valley Airstream Club

Dear Sacramento Valley Airstream Club Members and Affiliates,

As the cool breeze of autumn begins to settle in, I hope you're looking forward to the change in season and that you will find time for Fall adventures. It's hard to believe we're nearing the end of another wonderful year of rallying together, but with that, we also approach an important time in our club – our annual election and installation of officers for 2025.

Upcoming Elections

Your participation in the election will help ensure that our club continues to provide a growing and friendly way to meet others who share our passion for Airstreaming. You will each receive an email from the Nominating Committee with the slate of candidates who are running for the open board

seats via email. **Please remember that all e-ballots must be returned by November 1st, 2024.**

Following the election, we will install the new officers during a special ceremony at the Bodega Bay Rally in November. As most of you know, this is a joint installation rally with the Greater Bay Area Airstream Club. The installation gives us a chance to express our gratitude to all the club officers. I encourage everyone to join us in celebrating this transition and offering support to our incoming leaders as they take on their new responsibilities.

I'd like to extend my thanks to the current officers who have dedicated their time and energy to making this past year a success. It's no small feat keeping everything running smoothly, and I deeply appreciate each of you.

Bylaws and Constitution Updates

I'm pleased to share that the board has recently updated the Sacramento Valley Airstream Club's Bylaws and Constitution to reflect necessary changes. These updates include modernizing the voting procedures to allow for e-votes, making it easier for all members to participate. Additionally, we've added some new board positions, including a 2nd Vice President, who will assist the 1st Vice President in organizing rallies and providing needed support. The updated Bylaws and Constitution are currently being reviewed for conformance with the International Airstream Club rules. If anyone is interested in reviewing the final draft, please don't hesitate to reach out to me directly.

Looking Ahead

We've shared wonderful memories in 2024, and I know we have more to come in 2025. Whether you're running for a position or just coming out to enjoy the rallies, your presence makes a difference.

Thank you for your continued passion, energy, and dedication to the

Sacramento Valley Airstream Club. Let's finish this year strong and look forward to new adventures together in 2025!

**Warm regards,
James Goldstene
President, Sacramento Valley Airstream Club**



Airstream Limirick

By: Yukionna, The Rivet Master

**There once was a Bambi from Airstream
On sunny days, you could see it gleam
With a truck or car, it was easily towed
Over hill or dale and any road
The journey itself was the ultimate dream**





Coachland RV Resort Rally

July 11th — 15th, 2024

Hosts: Ken and Judy Bechthold

Co-Hosts: Susan and Dan McKellar

The Sacramento Valley Airstream Club hosted a summer rally at Coachland RV Resort, in Truckee, California and it was the first time the group used this campground. Since we visited Coachland RV Resort in July, their name has changed to Village Camp Truckee. The campers truly enjoyed the rally and everything the area had to offer.

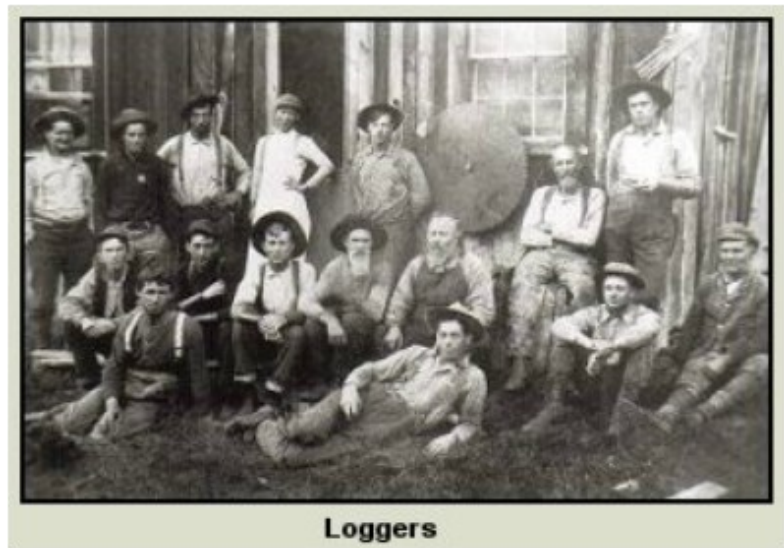
The Truckee area, like many small towns in California, has a rich history. The region's first inhabitants were prehistoric nomadic tribes who spent their winters in the Nevada desert and California valleys. These early inhabitants are believed to be the ancestors of the Washoe, Maidu, and Paiute Indian tribes. They traveled through mountain meadows and forests, collecting roots, seeds, and marsh plants for food. In higher elevations, they manufactured stone tools, hunted local game, and fished in the many lakes and streams while living in temporary brush shelters.

Truckee was named after a friendly Paiute Indian guide who, in 1844, assisted thousands of emigrants migrating west across the Humboldt Sink. The guide's name sounded like "Tro-kay" to the white settlers, who dubbed him "Truckee." In Paiute, his name meant "all right." He became a favorite among the settlers, who found him to be honest and helpful. Chief Truckee fought bravely alongside Colonel John C. Fremont in the Mexican War



and was the father of Chief Winnemucca. The Donner Party followed the Truckee Route to the California Trail, a branch of the Emigrant Trail, to attempt a crossing of what is now called Donner Pass. Arriving in late October, heavy snows had already begun creating harsh conditions for their journey. The party was said to have resorted to cannibalism to survive the winter. Approximately one half of 87 men, women and children who attempted the journey perished.

Joseph Gray and George Schaffer built and operated the first lumber mill in Truckee. The mill harvested lumber from the extensive forests and shipped the wood products all over the West. The lumber industry was Truckee's biggest business for decades. Truckee had many fires that destroyed the downtown district but the citizens quickly rebuilt the town.



In 1875 the Boca Brewing Company began producing beer. It was an immediate success. The Brewery brought fame to the area until it was destroyed by a fire in 1893. The Truckee Area was gaining fame as a tourist destination and summer resort area. Stagecoaches filled daily with passengers headed to Lake Tahoe, Independence Lake and Webber Lake among others. The area's Ice Palace, Winter Carnival and winter sports such as skiing, skating, sledding, and dog races brought tourist too. Tourists began coming to Truckee by train. Between 1932 to 1940 the Southern Pacific Railroad established an excursion train called the 'Snowball Special'. The train left San Francisco after midnight and returned the next midnight, giving riders most of the day in Truckee to explore the many area attractions. The



‘Snowball Special’ ran until 1940 when the automobile and improved highways put it out of business.

Between 1910 and 1940 Hollywood film companies loved Truckee’s mountain charm and established it as a center for the budding motion picture industry. The first film was shot there in 1910 and filming lasted into the early 1940’s. Truckee hosted stars such as Charlie Chaplin, Clark Gable, Tom Mix, Mary Pickford, George Bancroft, Buster Keaton, Greta Garbo, Wallace Berry, John Barrymore, Will Rogers, John Wayne, and Henry Fonda. Eighty-two movies were filmed in Truckee before 1941.

In 1960 the Truckee area was transformed into a major resort destination for year-round recreation when the Winter Olympics were hosted 10 miles to the south of Truckee.



The rally kicked off on Thursday, July 11, 2024, with a Happy Hour to greet old friends and meet new ones. Thursday night dinner was on your own. Interested campers could go into town for “Truckee Thursdays” to partake in dining at the food court, visiting artisan vendors, or listening to live music and having a beer at the beer garden. Campers who didn't want to go into town could play games and visit in the Coachland Clubhouse.

On Friday, July 12, 2024 breakfast and lunch were on your own. That evening there was another Happy Hour followed by a delicious potluck. After dinner the Coachland Club House was open for games and visiting.



Potluck!





On Saturday, July, 13, 2024, campers were treated to a hearty breakfast of bagels, eggs, bacon, yogurt, fruit and more provided by the Coachland RV Park. During the afternoon the Sacramento Valley Airstream Club Board members held their monthly meeting in the Coachland Club House. Several non-board members attended offering valuable feedback. In addition, some board members from our sister club, Greater Bay Area Airstream Club attended too. On Saturday night interested campers enjoyed a catered BBQ Dinner. Thunder showers forced campers to hold the dinner inside the club house but that didn't stop the fun. After dinner interested campers played Chicken Foot.



**Chicken Foot
Winners!**



On Sunday, July 14, 2024 some campers went into Truckee to see Union Pacific's famed Big Boy Number 4014 at the Truckee Train Depot. Unfortunately, many campers were disappointed because a tree fell on the track and damaged the train delaying its' arrival in Truckee. The Happy Hour on Sunday was a combined Happy Hour and Wine/Whiskey tasting. All of the campers brought an appetizer to share and a bottle of wine or whiskey to share too. Dinner was on your own followed by games and visiting in the clubhouse. On Monday, July 15, 2024 campers packed up and bid each other farewell.







Costanoa an Eco-Adventure Resort

Pescadero , CA

August 15th — 19th, 2024

Hosts: Jennifer Peatman and

Jill Impink

The Greater Bay Area Airstream Club hosted a summer rally at the Costanoa Eco-Adventure Resort in Pescadero, California. It was nice to escape the heat of the Sacramento Valley and enjoy the cooler weather of Pescadero. The town of Pescadero dates back to 1833 when Juan Jose Gonzalez was given a land grant. Shortly after Mr. Gonzalez came to the area Alexander Moore came in 1823. He was an American Pioneer who built his home on the rich, fertile soil of the valley. In the 1860's Pescadero was a prosperous town surrounded by farms and lumber mills.



Old Town Pescadero

The town of Pescadero is located between Half Moon Bay and Santa Cruz, California. It's small but offers restaurants, shopping, markets, farms and local charm. The historic main street was built in the 1800's in the New England style. According to a guidebook the residents of Pescadero recovered a large quantity of white paint from the 1853 wreckage of the Carrier Pigeon clipper ship. The paint was "used on all of the town's buildings". Residents of Pescadero have maintained the

tradition of painting their houses white. However, other sources credit the 1896 wreck of the steamer Columbia as the source of the white paint.

Some of the attractions in the Pescadero are the following:

Ano Nuevo State Park — It is the largest mainland breeding colony in the world for the Northern Elephant Seal.

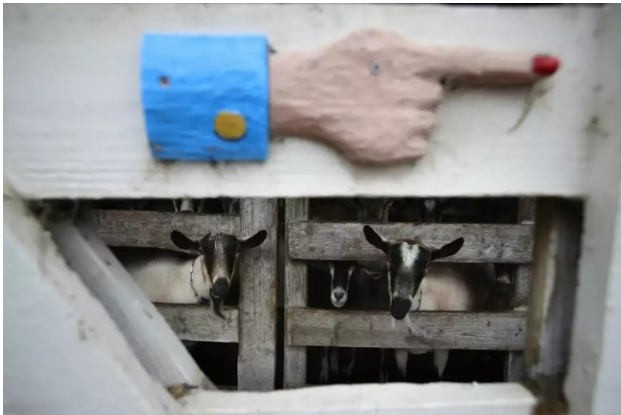


Pigeon Point Light House — A state historic park, with one of the tallest lighthouses in America, which has guided mariners since 1872. It has a five-wick lard oil lamp, and first-order Fresnel lens, comprised of 1,008 prisms. The lens is 16 feet tall, 6 feet in diameter, and weighs 2,000 pounds.



To experience the rich farming history of the Pescadero you can visit the:

Pie Ranch— The Pie ranch has a farm stand which offers seasonal produce, heirloom grain and wheat flour, and other local goods including books and pottery. And of course, pies, made by their partner, Companion Bakeshop.



Harley Farms and Sante Arcangeli Winery – Harley Farms offers visitors a chance to see irresistible and friendly goats and to see the results of their milk at the Cheese Shop. You can also tour the restored 1910 dairy farm with a variety of farm animals. The Sante Arcangeli Winery is located at Harley Farms in a rustic barn in the countryside.

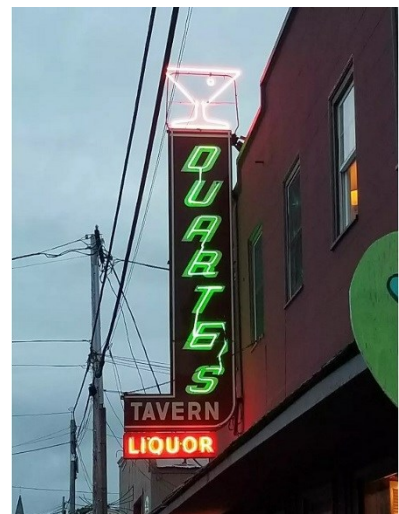
The area also offers shopping at local galleries:

Madrone Arts – The Madrone Arts is an artists' co-op showcasing the work of a range of talented local artists.

LunaSea Gallery—The LunaSea Gallery offers handcrafted creative jewelry, paintings, furniture, glassware, window decor, lamps, wearable art, greeting cards, garden art, kinetic sculptures and more from a wide variety of North American artists.

The area also has several places to dine:

Duarte's Tavern—This restaurant is a James Beard American Classic award winning restaurant and bar that dates back to the late 1800s when it was a saloon. This family run business features seafood specials and their famous artichoke soup and olallieberry pie, which are both a must to try.



Downtown Local—This tiny and funky coffee shop offers Sightglass coffee, vintage books, automobilia magazines, vintage toys and more. Groove to the Beatles soundtracks and take in the Beatles memorabilia.

Tacqueria de Amigos—Customers are surprised to learn that a gas station is a good place to eat, but it is! People come for grilled fish tacos, huge burritos, enchiladas, tostadas, tamales, chile rellenos and more. A favorite amongst local farm workers and visitors alike. It's the perfect place to get some food to go, and take to the beach.

Highway 1 Brewing Company—This restaurant is located seven miles south of Pescadero on your way to Año Nuevo State Park. Enjoy locally brewed beer in their dog and family friendly beer garden, while you chow down on grilled burgers, chicken wings, and fresh salads before heading out to Gazos Creek beach right across the street.

● The rally kicked off on Thursday, August 15th 2024 with a Happy Hour to see old friends and make new ones. After the Happy Hour campers could have dinner on their own or enjoy the Costanoa Restaurant. Later in the evening campers could spend time chatting next to a campfire.

On Friday, August 16th 2024 campers could meet and greet the club leadership over coffee at the Morning Huddle. It was an opportunity to learn more about the club and ask questions. Later in the morning Shawn Blom hosted a class on salsa making. That evening there was another Happy Hour for campers to gather and enjoy each others company. Dinner on Friday night was a catered Taco Night. The food was yummy. After dinner campers could spend time around the campfires.

On Saturday, August 17th 2024 there was another Morning Huddle to meet and greet the club leadership. In the afternoon Tom and Jen Peatman, former residents of Naples, Italy hosted an Italian Wine Tour. They shared some of their favorite high-end wines from various regions in Italy. Some varietals were familiar, but some were more obscure.

After the wine tasting there was a Happy Hour for campers to gather again and mingle. Following the Happy Hour was a Bring Your Best Dish Potluck. The potluck was filled with delicious salads, main and side dishes and deserts. Everyone had plenty to eat. After dinner campers were treated to another fun campfire.

On Sunday, August 18th 2024 Ross and Linda Bauer served their famous Bloody Mary's and Mimosas. Always a big hit. Later that day campers could test their skills at cornhole. All of the participants and spectators had a great time. Then there was the final Happy Hour of the rally followed by dinner on your own, and evening campfires.

On Monday, August 19th 2024 there was a final Morning Huddle with the club leadership. Pastries and fruit were served. Everyone said their goodbyes.























McCloud RV Resort

McCloud, California

September 4th –8th, 2024

Hosts:

Northern California Club—Carmen and Jose Ortiz

Doug Fitzgerald and Jess Doornik

Amy and Tom Webster

Sacramento Valley Club—James and Jami Goldstene

Alice Austin and Jim Swanson

Greater Bay Area Club—Eleanor and John McFarlin

The Northern California, Sacramento Valley, and the Greater Bay Area Airstream Clubs held a massive rally in McCloud, California with over 60 shining Airstreams attending. Like many of the towns that the Sacramento Valley Airstream Club visits for our rallies, McCloud has an interesting history. McCloud is a small town located on the slopes of Mt. Shasta that is steeped in history and natural beauty. For more than a century, McCloud was a lumber town until the last mill shut down in 2002. “But even though the mill closed, these wonderful old historic buildings are still there, and they’ve been turned into great hotels, restaurants, and places you’d want to visit”, according to Ann Marie Brown on her California Now Podcast.

The McCloud Historic District is associated with the large, productive, and influential McCloud River Railroad and Lumber Company, which

operated from 1896 until 1963. The historic district contains buildings associated with the administration of the McCloud River Lumber Company, a number of residential buildings, and three churches. There are seventeen buildings, which are contributing structures, including the McCloud Hotel, the McCloud River Mercantile Company, St. Joseph's Catholic Church, and the McCloud River Lumber Company Offices. These buildings were placed on the National Register of Historic Places on March 16, 1990. McCloud was incorporated in 1895. Explorers and trappers from the Hudson Bay Company first arrived in McCloud in the 1820s. However, the area was inhabited by various local tribes including the Winto/Wintu people who lived on the surrounding land for even longer.

What has constantly fed the booms and slowdowns throughout the past has been the surrounding timber industry, which fueled McCloud's Historic lumber mill. Over the decades ownership of the mill, the railroad, and sometimes even the town itself, changed a number of times. The McCloud River Lumber Company was sold to the U.S. Plywood Company in 1963, which followed by transferring much of the town's properties to private owners, including the townsfolk, in 1965. The U.S. Plywood company merged with Champion International Corporation and in 1979 closed the timber mill down.

The following year in 1980, P&M Cedar Products, Inc. bought the mill and reopened the lumber facility and began producing pencil stock as well as other wood products until 2002, when the mill closed for good. In the 2000s, the town and its residents were approached by Nestle with a proposal to create one of the country's largest water production facilities by tapping into the aquifer that runs beneath the town that is fed by the snow melt from Mt. Shasta. The residents voted overwhelmingly "no", over concerns of the impact of what that level of production could cause to the natural resources of the region. For now, the mill that once ran for over 100 years, has been quiet. It is now used for various purposes, events, storage, and is now managed by companies acting as stewards over the forests, the land, and the legacy of this Historic Mill-Town.

Ms. Brown recommends the McCloud Mercantile, as your first stop when visiting McCloud. The town was established as a company logging town and the Mercantile was where the loggers bought their supplies. The old lumber company store building now houses a host of businesses, including the McCloud Mercantile Hotel. Ms. Brown says

the hotel is “a wonderful place to spend the night”. It has “king beds, feather comforters, and big high ceilings.” It gives visitors a taste of the hotel’s historic charm with a touch of modern conveniences, since it was renovated. The **McCloud Hotel**, was built in 1916 to house lumber workers. Ms. Brown says the McCloud Hotel is “a fantastic place to stay and really get a feeling for what McCloud used to be like.” According to Ms. Brown “you won’t go hungry in McCloud”, either. There is fine dining at the McCloud Hotel’s **Sage Restaurant**. She also likes the **Siskiyou Brew Works** for its craft beers and pizza, but an even more casual spot, is **Floyd’s Frosty**, which is a special favorite. “Every now and then”, Brown says, “you just want to have a root beer freeze, right”?



The Silver in Cascadia Rally began on Wednesday, September 4th 2024. It was kicked off by welcoming all of the campers to the rally, having a Happy Hour where campers could mingle with old friends and meet new ones and was concluded by announcements. The campers were then treated to a delicious catered Welcome Dinner. After dinner campers could sit by the campfire and socialize or they could play the Photo Scavenger Hunt Game.

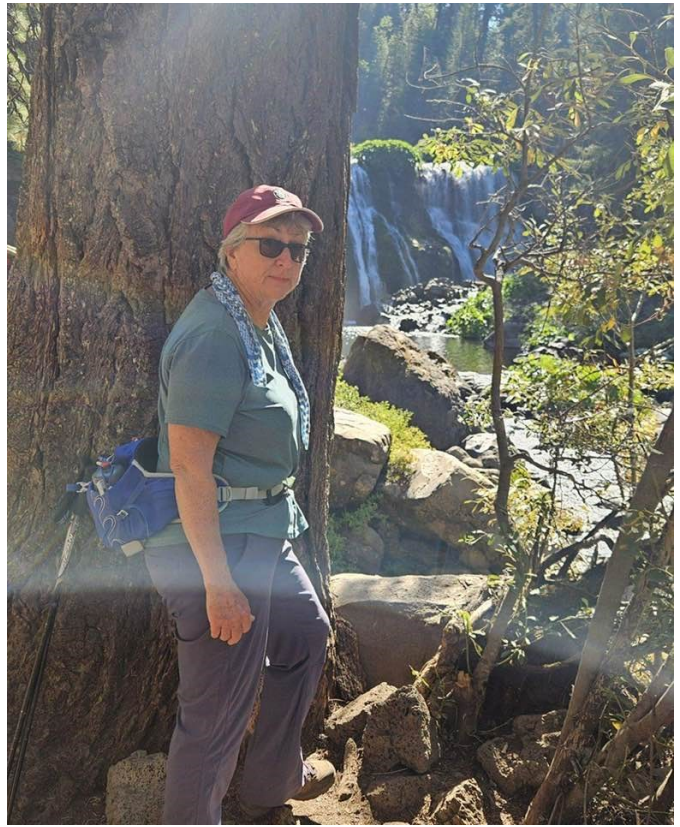
The rally continued on Thursday, September 5th, 2024 with a Ham Radio Workshop and Demonstration led by James Goldstene, Robbie Jackson and Jim Swanson. Attendees learned a lot about Ham Radios. Later in the day interested campers went on a hike to McCloud Falls led by Cliff Roblee and Joanne Valerio. As the day was winding down campers attended a wonderful Happy Hour with delicious snacks. The Happy Hour was followed by Announcements and a Raffle with terrific prizes. Campers had dinner on their own and another fun campfire and games.

On Friday, September 6th, 2024 campers were treated to a Fly Fishing Workshop with Dan Crutchfield. In the afternoon campers could partake in a Wine Tasting with Mike Blom, Michael Kraft and Charlie Havill. The wine tasting was from Bella Grace Vineyards. Campers who weren't interested in the wine tasting could participate in the Happy Hour following the wine tasting and enjoy the yummy snacks. After Happy Hour there was a fun raffle and announcements. Campers could have dinner on their own in their trailer or eat at one of the local restaurants. After dinner there was a campfire and games.

On Saturday, September 7th, 2024, interested campers could join Doug Fitzgerald for a Golf Outing. Pictures they shared from the course looked beautiful. The campers who remained could meet and greet the Clubs' Leadership from each club. Some campers went on a tour of the old McCloud River Lumber Company property. When it was operational the mill was one of the largest sawmills in California. The mill is no longer operational but the views of Mt. Shasta and the sawmill facility was worth the hike. In the afternoon Judy Bechthold treated campers to a line dancing class. At the end of the day campers had their final Happy Hour with delicious snacks. Winners of the Photo Scavenger Hunt Contest were announced and there were closing announcements. Following Happy Hour campers could participate in a tasty catered Farewell Dinner. After dinner there were campfires and games.

On Sunday, September 8th, 2024, campers said their final farewells, packed up their Airstreams and headed for home. Another fun rally in the books.



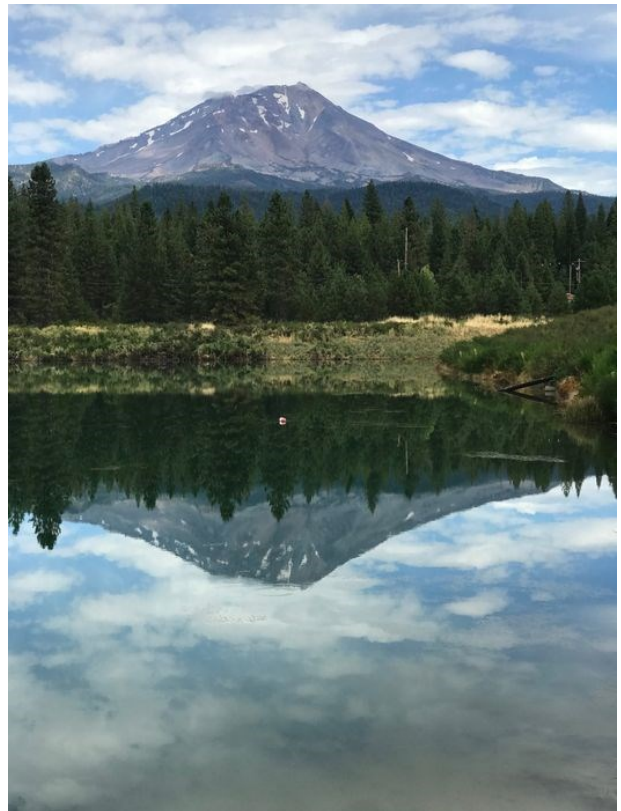
















Region 12 Rally

By: Alice Austin

The Region 12 2024 Rally – Silver in the Sierra, took place in the Tahoe Valley Campground in South Lake Tahoe, California, on September 11th—15th, 2024. This event was our (BRN 8284's) first time attending a Region 12 Rally. It was well planned and well attended!



My compliments and congratulations to Margaret Handshoe and Pam Pall, and all the others who assisted or were active with the Region Rally Committee! There were so many activities and things to do and see during this four-day event!

Although we arrived very late on Wednesday, we heard that several folks enjoyed a non-hosted food truck and an Ice-Cream Social.

On Thursday, I totally enjoyed a Mimosa along with the hosted-catered brunch. (Very Yummy!!) The group hosted an ice breaker game that was very fun! Especially since, I mentioned that Jim Swanson has had eight Airstream units throughout his lifetime, and he won a box of Good and Plenty Licorice Candy. ☐

Later, several folks played games and others listened to an Amateur Radio (HAM Radio) presentation by James Goldstene.



Friday was a busy day. There were lots of events going on throughout the day! We started the morning with Vinnie (Vinnie's North Bay Air-stream Repair). The afternoon brought us a Swap Meet and Craft Faire. I worked on decorating a couple of shells and a rock. I might say they are pretty – coming from someone who is not very crafty... Afterwards, some folks played games (Chicken Foot Dominoes and a card game: 3-13. I don't remember which days we played which games and which day I line-danced – I just had so much fun!!)



Around 5:00 p.m., folks totally enjoyed the Silver Soiree Happy Hour Appetizers, at several club-sponsored food stations. OMG!! There was sooo much food and beverages to enjoy!!



Live Music – Dennis Webber’s band – The Hip Replacements and dinner on our your own – BUT, who needed dinner after the “Appetizers”??



On Saturday, September 14th – the Region 12 Business Meeting started at 10:00 a.m. Again, this was my first time attending a Region 12 Rally, and I was not disappointed! The Business Meeting was truly informational. It was awesome to hear reports from all of the Clubs in the Region.



After the Business Meeting, we had an opportunity to learn about the Airstream: Organizing, Decorating and Cooking – The presenters provided very good information! Then some folks played more games while we waited for a terrific hosted, catered dinner. The Live Auction, and Silent Auction was another fun and very worthwhile event! Finally, we listened to some great live music, by Antsy McClain and the Trailer Park Troubadours.

**Sunday, September 15 ~ Happy Trails ~ Until we Meet Again ~
Be Safe!**



Sewing Corner

Easy Quilted Mug Rug

Supplies and Cutting Instructions:

Use Fat Quarters or Remnants from your Stash

Fabric A: (1) 4 1/2" x 6 1/2"

Fabric B: (6) 2 1/2" squares, use a mixture of different fabrics

Fabric C: (1) 8 1/2" x 10 1/2"

Cotton Batting: (1) 6 1/2" x 8 1/2"

Sewing Instructions:

Stitch together (2) 2 1/2" squares, using a 1/4" seam

Continue stitching each pair of squares until all (6) squares are stitched together.

Press each seam in the opposite direction.

Stitch the 3 rows of squares together using a 1/4" seam.

The rows should nest together.

Stitch the larger piece to your (3) rows of squares using a 1/4" seam.

Press

Cut your batting the same size as your mug rug top.

Place your batting and mug rug top on top of your back.

There should be 1" around all four sides.

Pin the three layers together and quilt the three layers together by stitching in the ditch. Divide the big piece in half vertically and stitch a row.

Press the piece. Then fold the top of the bottom piece in 1/2" and another 1/2" and press. Repeat these steps on the bottom of the piece.

Sew on the edge of the top and bottom rows.

Then sew the last two sides of the mug rug by folding each top corner in to form a triangle, then fold in 1/2" and another 1/2" press and sew on the edge. Repeat the same instructions on the other side.

Press

This pattern was adapted from "The Sewing Room Channel " on YouTube. <https://www.youtube.com/c/TheSewingRoomChannel>



Check out the
Pink Flamingos!



New SVAC Members and Affiliates

Members

<u>Big Red #</u>	<u>Name(s)</u>	<u>City</u>
15751	Joshua Holbrook and Nadine Collepari	Vacaville

Affiliates

14940	Jason and Melissa Hioco	Roseville
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A Big Thank You To:

Alice Austin	Eleanor and John McFarlin
Ken and Judy Bechthold	Susan and Dan McKellar
Ron Deutchman	Carmen and Jose Ortiz
Doug Fitzgerald and Jess Doornik	Jennifer Peatman
James and Jami Goldstene	Roberta Peeples
Jill Impink	James Swanson
Carol Lauderville	Amy and Tom Webster



Sacramento Valley Airstream Club
Golden Nugget Newsletter Editor

For the past three years I have had the distinct privilege of being the Sacramento Valley Airstream Club (SVAC) Golden Nugget Newsletter Editor. With much sadness Ron and I feel it is time for me to pass the baton on to another club member. If you are looking for a way to use your creative talents, then the editor position is perfect for you. Any questions regarding the editor position, can be directed to: sandi.deutchman@gmail.com All interested candidates should contact James Goldstene at goldstene@mac.com to express an interest in the position by November 1, 2024.



Don't forget to vote in the SVAC Elections. The Board Members will be sworn in at the Installation Rally in November at Half Moon Bay.



“Home is wherever your wheels come to a stop.”

Wally Byam



Airstream Recipes

Looking for a way to use your ripe bananas, try this healthy Banana Bread.

5 Minute Paleo Banana Bread



This Grain Free Paleo Banana Bread is incredibly easy to make, and it's made in a blender. Light and airy bread with a delicious crust. It takes only 5 minutes to whip up and then it's in the oven.

Ingredients

1 cup	almond flour blanched
2 medium	ripe bananas
3 whole	eggs
1 tablespoon	coconut oil solid
1 teaspoon	vanilla extract
1 teaspoon	baking powder
1/4 teaspoon	sea salt

Instructions

Preheat oven to 350 degrees and bake in two small silicon loaf pans (2 1/4" by 5") or one (3 1/2" by 5") bread pan lined with parchment paper.

Combine the ingredients in a high-powered blender or food processor (this combines the ingredients into the smoothest texture and makes a

big difference in the consistency. It is highly suggested to use a blender or food processor for combining the ingredients.)

Once the batter is smooth, pour it into the loaf pan(s) and cook on 350 degrees Fahrenheit for one hour or until the top is golden brown.

Notes

Be sure to use the correct size loaf pan. If it is cooked in a larger loaf pan it will turn out flat because it will spread farther in the pan.

It freezes great too. Enjoy!



Simple Mills Almond Flour Pumpkin Bread Baking Mix with a Twist

I served this at the Dumbarton Quarry Rally Potluck Dinner.

- Makes one 8" x 4" Loaf

- Heat oven to 325 degree Fahrenheit

- Whisk together 3 eggs, 1/2 cup water, and 1/4 cup unsweetened applesauce in a large bowl. (I used applesauce instead of 1/4 cup of oil to lower the fat content in the bread.) Add baking mix, 1/4 cup chopped walnuts, and 1/4 cup Lily's No Sugar Added Dark Chocolate Baking Chips, whisk together until well blended.

Pour batter into an 8" x 4" loaf pan lined with parchment paper.

Bake 15 minutes. Then, cover loosely with foil and bake an additional 23-33 minutes or until the center of the loaf bounces back when pressed. Cool 10 minutes before removing from the pan.





Birthdays

July

- 02 Shirley Whitcomb
- 03 Audrey Langstroth
- 08 Bob Starsbury
- 12 Mark Martindill
- 26 Brian Tucker
- 27 Todd Allington
- 31 Margaret Handshoe
- 31 Robert Minder
- 31 Melody Rasco

August

- 01 Chip Davis
- 02 Alice Austin
- 02 Dee Dee Byrne
- 05 Jason Grendahl
- 09 Jack Whitcomb
- 12 Bob Summersett
- 18 Brian Handshoe
- 19 Carol Carey

September

- 04 Burt Byam
- 18 Janiece Fister
- 18 Carmen Ortiz
- 18 Jill Wright
- 20 Tony Rau
- 20 Hedda Smithson
- 26 James Carey
- 27 Jim Swanson
- 29 Mary Lynn Mendoza

Anniversaries

July

- 02 Tom and Lora Broad
- 05 Doug and Elena Sale
- 10 Robyn Mitchell and Del Norby
- 24 Brian and Elena Tucker

August

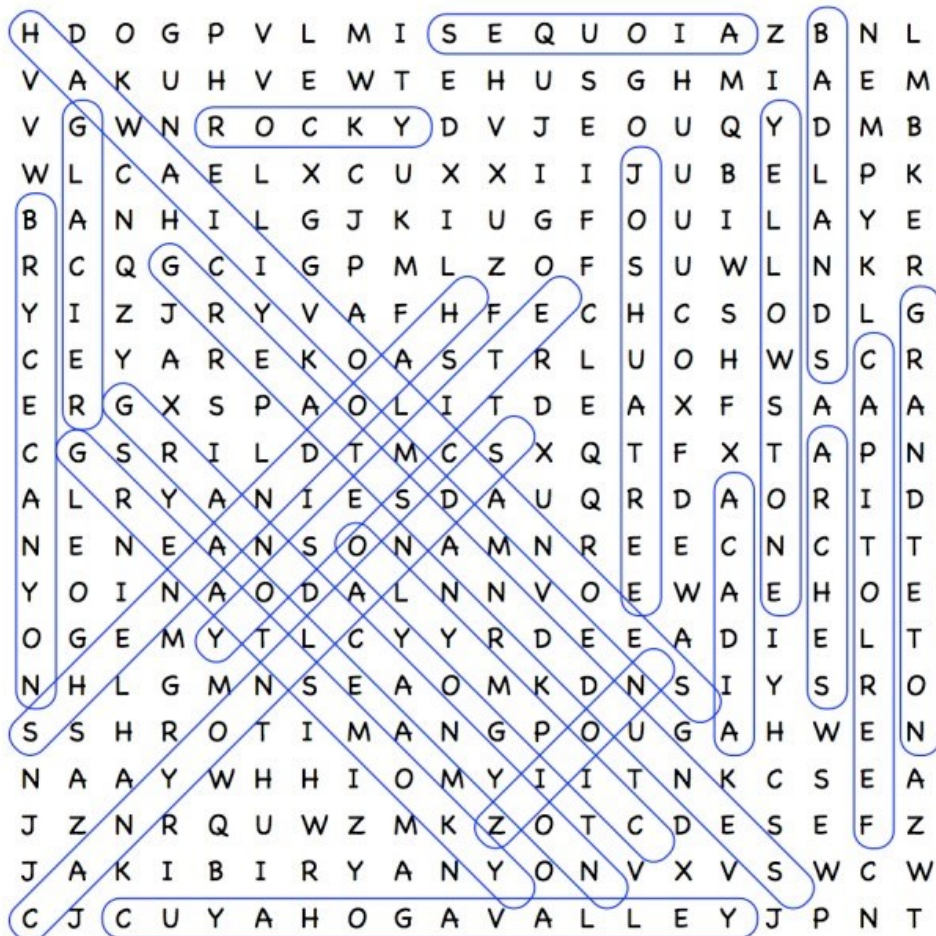
- 01 Tom and Hedda Smith
- 07 Brian and Margaret Handshoe
- 20 Bob and Sue Summersett
- 22 Nancy and Angie Dillon-Shore

September

- 15 Ron and Sandi Deutchman
- 19 James and Carol Carey



USA National Parks Word Search Puzzle



Thank you.
I hope you had some fun!

National Parks Word Scramble

Unscramble the letters to solve the puzzle!

1. LWOTNSYELEO _____
2. NDRGA NCNOYA _____
3. SYEIMEOT _____
4. EEESRALDGV _____
5. NOZI _____
6. EGRTA KMYOS NIANMOTSU _____
7. ACIADA _____
8. KCYOR SNOMATUIN _____
9. IALGCER _____
10. BYRCE NYCAON _____
11. AQOUSEI _____
12. SRAECH _____
13. ANIDLE _____
14. ATDEH VLAYLE _____
15. MYLIOPC _____
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2024-2025 Sacramento Valley Airstream Club (SVAC) and Greater Bay Area Airstream Club (GBAAC) Upcoming Events

2024

October 5-10, 2024: 67th Airstream Club International Rally, Sedilia, MO / Airstream Club International

October 24-28, 2024: Newbie Rally/Napa Valley Expo RV Park, Napa / GBAAC

November 14-18, 2024: Bodega Bay Officer Installation, Bodega Bay / SVAC

December 12-15, 2024: Black Oak RV Park, Tuolumne / GBAAC

December 28, 2024-January 1, 2025: Rose Parade Rally 2025, Pasadena, CA / Region 12

2025

January 16-19, 2025: Marina Dunes RV Resort, Marina, CA / SVAC

February 20-24, 2025: Petaluma KOA RV Resort, Petaluma, CA / SVAC

March 13 –17, 2025: Half Moon Bay Rally, Half Moon Bay, CA / GBAAC

April 24-28, 2025: Coyote Lake, Gilroy, CA / GBAAC

May 15-18, 2025: Dumbarton Quarry, Fremont, CA / SVAC

June 12-15, 2025: Santa Cruz Redwoods, Felton, CA / GBAAC

July 17-20, 2025: Clio's Rivers Edge, Clio, CA / SVAC



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August 14-17, 2025: Costanoa KOA, Pescadero, CA / GBAAC

August 23-28, 2025: International Rally York, PA

September 11-14, 2025: Bodega Bay RV Park, Bodega Bay, CA GBAAC

October 9-12, 2025: Pinnacles NP/Olema, TBD, SVAC

October 15-19, 2025: Bonelli Bluffs RV Park, San Dimas, CA / Region 12

November (TBD), 2025: GBAAC

December 11-17, 2025: Jackson Rancheria, Jackson, CA GBAAC



Getting Lost with Erin French

Do you miss the fun adventures you have in your Airstream when you're at home? If so, check out Erin French's new cooking show, "Getting Lost", on Magnolia Network. Erin travels across the country with her husband in their Airstream experiencing the local culinary specialties each place has to offer.

