

# Sacramento Valley Airstream Club—March 2025 Update

## 2025 Airstream Rallies & Volunteer Opportunities – Join Us!

Dear Sacramento Valley Airstream Club Members and Affiliates –

I hope this message finds you well! I'm excited to share the remainder of the **2025 rally calendar** for the Sacramento Valley and Greater Bay Area Airstream Clubs. We have a fantastic lineup of rallies, and I hope to see you at many of them. Thank you all for being such a **wonderful and engaged community**.

**Safe travels and happy Airstreaming!**

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

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### Upcoming 2025 Rallies

- **April 3-7** – GBAAC: Grass Valley RV Resort
- **April 24-28** – GBAAC: Coyote Lake
- **May 8-12** – SVAC: Olema Campground
- **June 12-15** – GBAAC: Santa Cruz Redwoods
- **July 7-11** – GBAAC: Silver on the Seas (*National Event*)
- **July 17-20** – SVAC: Clio's Rivers Edge
- **August 14-17** – GBAAC: Costanoa
- **August 23-28** – INTL: International Rally, York, PA
- **September 11-15** – GBAAC: Bodega Bay RV Park
- **October 9-13** – SVAC: Gold Country Park, Pine Grove
- **October 15-19** – Region 12: Bonelli Bluffs RV Park, San Dimas
- **October 22-27** – GBAAC: Napa Valley Expo RV Park (*Newbie Rally*)
- **November 14-17** – GBAAC: Black Oak Casino RV Park (*Officer Installation Rally*)
- **December 11-15** – GBAAC: Jackson Rancheria (*Holiday Rally*)

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### Call for Volunteers!

Want to get more involved? We're looking for volunteers for several exciting opportunities:

- **Region 12 Rally (October, San Dimas)** – Help with planning and event coordination. A great way to connect with fellow Airstreamers!
- **Rally Hosts Needed!** – Love organizing events? Consider hosting a rally!

- **Newsletter Editor** – Our previous editor, Sandi Deutchman, retired last year. We expect to have a new editor later this year—stay tuned!
  - **Nominating Committee** – We are currently forming a committee to begin the nomination process for board officers for the 2026 year. Let me know if you'd like to volunteer to be on the committee. Also, please consider saying "yes" when nominated as we love your new ideas and involvement.
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## **Petaluma KOA Rally Recap (Feb 20-24, 2025)**

A huge thank you to our amazing rally hosts, Roberta Peeples and Jim Swanson, for keeping us well-fed and entertained throughout the event. The rally kicked off with a lively food truck dinner and Happy Hour on Friday night, setting the tone for a fun-filled weekend. Saturday featured a group lunch at Lagunitas Brewery, followed by a potluck dinner in the clubhouse that even overflowed onto the covered patio.

Each morning, Doug welcomed attendees with fresh coffee and a warm campfire at “Cafe 23,” providing the perfect start to the day. Many attendees joined in for morning walks, while others enjoyed some line dancing. A planned tour of Petaluma Adobe State Park was filled to capacity, and the weather was just right for exploring. Special events included a well-received Women’s Health roundtable led by Jill Wornock, a creative “Paint-n-Pour” session where participants produced beautiful tree paintings, and a delightful cookie decorating event led by Heidi, where attendees designed charming tiny trailers.




Of course, a rally wouldn’t be complete without evening games, expertly organized by Judy Bechthold. Nadine contributed lovely welcome bags for each trailer and put together a fun Happy Hour Bingo contest, encouraging mingling and new connections. The rally was such a success that we’ve already reserved 30 sites for February 2026! If you’d like to help plan the next rally, please reach out.

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## **Airstream Club International – Executive Board Candidates Wanted!**

The **Airstream Club International (ACI)** is seeking candidates for its Executive Board elections. This is a **great opportunity** to help shape the future of our club!

 **Deadline for submissions:** April 1st, 11:59 PM ET  
 Learn more and apply: [ACI Candidate Page](#)  
 FAQs: [ACI Leadership Recruitment FAQs](#)

Your leadership and experience can make a real impact—consider getting involved!

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## In Memoriam

We are deeply saddened by the passing of **Mark Leonard**. Mark, his wife **Sharon Carp-Lewis**, and their dog **Iko** were very active in our Airstream community. Mark served as the **3rd Vice President** on the GBAAC Executive Board and was a great friend to all of us. He will be greatly missed.

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SVAC Facebook Page:

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## Photos from Petaluma KOA Rally, February 2025



