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Central Indiana Airstream Club - October, 2025

Message from President ~ Tom Price

Greetings all CIAC Members!

Welcome October!

September was a great month of camping. Thirty-three Airstreams from Region 4 and 5 attended a special rally in Madison, Indiana during the Chautauqua festival of Arts. During that rally, fun was had by all from trolly tours, bingo night, airshows, campfires, art festivals, great food, fellowship, entertainment by Artie Martin and a community service project that raised \$600 for the Madison Park Department. Unfortunately, the Price family could not attend as we were in Gatlinburg, TN for the Region 6 rally hosted by the Gully Family.



We are looking forward to the 2025 CIAC season closer being held at Brown County State Park on October 10th through the 12th. During this rally we will hold our annual business meeting and enjoy each other's company one last time before years end with the exception of our Christmas gathering at McCormick's Creek State Park Canyon Inn scheduled for December 6th @ 1pm. Please see the flyers following.

It's been a great pleasure to serve the CIAC as your president for the 2025 season. With such great members it really has been a blessing and learning experience. Members have made it so easy to serve by hosting rallies and allowing our family to be a part of something so special. I honestly can say that purchasing an Airstream, being a part of this club and getting to know and become friends with each and every one of you has been one of the best decisions my family has ever made. THANK YOU.

Like any organization that has volunteer leadership, the strength and success of an organization come from its membership and those who step forward and volunteer their time and energy to help steer that organization into the future. I am asking you to please consider volunteering a little of your time to help make our club better each year, by submitting your name to be on the voting ballot. Open Positions: 1st VP, 2nd VP and Trustee. Please email your name directly back to me: tom@paint317.com, or you can contact any of our CIAC Board Members if you wish to volunteer for the Board.

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President's Message (Continued)

Please check out the "Event Calendar" and consider joining us. Also make sure to follow our club on social media platforms such as Facebook and websites to keep updated on all upcoming rallies.

We truly are one big Airstream Family !!!!!!!

Sincerely,

Tom Price 2025 CIAC President VAC 2nd Vice President WBCCI BRN 24795 Email: tom@paint317.com



Madison Fall Fest

Thanks to everyone who joined us for a wonderful time during the Madison Fall Fest Rally. Arts, crafts, air shows, campfires, music and more! A total of \$600 was raised for the Madison Parks Department and the games were enjoyed by all! A

special thanks to our Indiana Club members for the ice cream social. We look forward to returning to historic Madison, IN in June, 2026 for our version of an Urban/Main Street rally (camping on the riverfront street of Vaughn Drive).

Details to follow~









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Volunteering

This article originally appeared in the June, 2021 edition of the Blue Beret and is reprinted with permission from author Artie Martin.

This month I would like to talk about "Volunteering."

Every time I attend an Airstream Rally, whether it be Club, Region, or International, it appears that members are having fun! Members gather for breakfasts, lunches, dinners, social hours, around campfires, museums, entertainment, worship, community service and too many more occasions to count. All this activity did not just happen by itself. It happened because someone volunteered! Someone stepped up to the plate and shouted, "Let me have a crack at this"! Throughout the Airstream Club there are many instances of clubs/units having difficulty filling officer positions. Some club/units have had to recycle their officers through numerous times to keep the club from dissolving. This makes no sense to me. How could all these gatherings be so much fun and yet we struggle to keep officers in positions? Let me give you this scenario:

If a club/unit has 25 actively participating members, and each member volunteered to be President just once, it would keep the officer-ship intact for 25 years!!!!!! How is it possible to have so much fun and not take just 1 or 2 years to guide your friends on new adventures? When you volunteer you get to choose where you will be camping all year! Take your friends to your favorite places. Show them things in your hometown. Take them to your favorite restaurant. Or take your friends on an adventure to someplace no one has ever been to. Then find out together what it is like around that next curve!

Yes, there is a little paperwork involved, but it has gotten much easier since most everything is online now thanks to our great leadership at Jackson Center and our International Officers. And you need not be afraid when you run up against something you can't solve. There are thousands of friends to call upon to figure it out!

I urge all our members across the world to take the next step! It is rewarding It's fun! It's meaningful! And best of all.... You will sleep better at night knowing you contributed to the best camping club in the world! The Wally Byam Airstream Club!

Artie Martin VAC 3rd Vice President Region 5 Past President Kentucky Club Past President WBCCI BRN 213 aom1215@yahoo.com

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Editor's Note: Artie welcomes any and all questions or concerns about volunteering in any capacity in the club.





2025 Holiday Luncheon Central Indiana & Indiana Airstream Clubs



This year's Central Indiana Club and Indiana Club joint Holiday Luncheon will be held at the Canyon Inn at McCormick's Creek State Park in Spencer Indiana. Please join us in the sharing of food, celebration of friendship, and engagement of both clubs as we kick off the 2025 Holiday season in the true Airstream spirit. We will have gift exchange for those who wish to participate. If

We will have gift exchange for those who wish to participate. If you bring a wrapped gift of \$15.00, you will receive a gift.

Date: Saturday, December 6th

Time: 1:00 pm

Place: Canyon Inn at McCormick's Creek State Park

250 McCormick Creek Park Road

Spencer, IN 47460

^{**} Please bring canned goods for donation to a local food bank.



May you and yours have safe travels and shiny trailers ~

Until we meet again,

> **Blessings** from the Heart of Indiana



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Where We Are Going ~ 2025 Calendar of Events

CIAC Season Closer

Oct 10th—Oct 12th **Brown County State Park** 1801 IN-46 Nashville, IN 47448 **Contact: Tom Price** EM: tom@paint317.com

Quarterly Airstream Club International Fireside Chat

November 13th, 7 PM ET

Central Indiana and Indiana Club

Joint Christmas Party

December 6th, 1:00 pm McCormick's Creek State Park Canvon Inn 451 McCormick Creek Park Rd Spencer, IN 47460

Contact:

Tom Price - tom@paint317.com Karen Kruer –

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Region 5 Special Event Rally Madison Rollin' on the River

Camp on Vaughn Drive in Historic Madison, IN during this 'Urban' rally! June 10th—June 14th, 2026 Artie Martin - aom1215@yahoo.com Jenn Reinshagen—

wbcci4447@gmail.com

2026 Region 5 Rally -Saddle Up!

July 22nd—July 26th, 2026 Kentucky Horse Park 4089 Iron Works Pike Lexington, KY 40511 **Contact: Tammy Price**

EM: greeneyedtammy@yahoo.com

Rebus Brain Teaser

A rebus puzzle is a type of brainteaser that uses pictures, symbols, and letters to represent words or phrases. The goal is to decipher the images and letters to form a common saying or expression. For example, a picture of an eye followed by a heart and the letter "U" would represent the phrase "I love you".





Answers: No idea; Comfortable