

Blue beret November

Date: 10/13/25

Region 1 is in full fall colors currently and many of us are still out Streaming for just a little bit more with warm days and cool nights. Many of the local clubs have had their elections and have elected new leadership. This process allows for the installation of new officers and time to publicly award stars, and maple leaves to those who have met the 5, 10, 15 plus year anniversaries.

I want to take a moment to reflect on the season. This year many of us got to rally in the lake's region of NH, on the beach in Cape Cod, come together with music and locations wrapped in American history. The sip wine and coffee, taste of regional cuisine and make new friends and meet new people.

We got to rally together at the International Rally in York PA and a whole bunch of us made the journey to Nova Scotia for the 70th Anniversary of the club to where it "all began". Over 130 rigs came together in the Annapolis Valley to see where the Jack Rabbit Camping Club focused on Recreation, Travel and comradery became the club we know today. It was an honor to have our region host one of the few living members who was at Kentville with his mother Helen Schwamborn. Dale "pee wee" Schwamborn was with us at the airstream plaque, to share with all of us the history and stories. Dale was 16 years old that day 70 years ago. A huge Thank you to the Quebec and Martimes unit for being such amazing hosts.

Once November hits most of us will be moving to warmer climates or putting our Airstreams away for the winter season. In no way does that mean we are not able to see each other, many clubs host luncheons through the winter season at members' homes or at a centrally located restaurant. Please be sure to check your email, look on the airstream club app or website.

Save the Date! Region 1 will be hosting a large Regional Rally at Gunstock Mountain Resort in Gilford, NH. The official dates will be Sept 9-13 2026. The region 1 team and volunteers for each of the clubs will be working thru the winter months to ensure that this will be a fun filled Rally. ***** Volunteers still needed ***** We are still looking for volunteers from each of the local clubs to help work on the Region 1 Rally. Help make this rally amazing. Please contact Michael Giunta at mgiuntanh@gmail.com

I wish each one of you a beautiful fall and winter season, Safe Travels everyone.

