

The

Palmetto State Airstream Club



2026

Palmetto Passport



Welcome to Camping in the Carolinas, Y'all!

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president's message

Hey Y'all,

On behalf of the Officers, Executive Board, and Committees of the Palmetto State Airstream Club, it's my genuine pleasure to welcome you to our community and introduce the "Palmetto Passport" guide. Whether you're one of our longtime members or just hitching up with us for the first time, we're thrilled to have you as part of our adventure-loving family.

There's nothing quite like rolling through the Carolinas—camping beneath the shade of Palmettos, swapping stories around a crackling campfire, or gazing up at a sky full of southern stars. From the misty Blue Ridge foothills to the sun-kissed shores of the Lowcountry, our rallies and events celebrate the best of the Palmetto State and beyond!

Be sure to check out our event schedule here or on the Airstream Club International site, and join our Facebook group to stay connected with fellow members. Add club022@airstreamclub.org to your address book so you never miss our monthly newsletter and club updates.

As with any great journey, the road is best traveled together! We encourage you to get involved—whether by co-hosting a rally, volunteering on a committee, or stepping into a leadership role. Your participation is what makes our club such a welcoming and vibrant community.

So, pack up your rig, pick your next Carolina destination, and let's hit the road together. Here's to another year of unforgettable Airstream memories, Camping in the Carolinas and beyond!

Be blessed,

Charlie

Charlie Purser, BRN #28742
President, Palmetto State Airstream Club
club022@airstreamclub.org



welcome



Welcome to the 2026 Palmetto State Airstream Club Palmetto Passport

We're delighted to welcome you to the **Palmetto State Airstream Club** Palmetto Passport—a true companion as you plan your adventures for the 2026 camping season. This year, we're excited to offer the guidebook in two convenient formats: a beautiful .pdf booklet delivered via email, and a dynamic online version that's interactive and downloadable. The online edition will be updated throughout the year as rally details are finalized and new events are added, so you'll always have the latest information at your fingertips.

Our rallies are spread across the beautiful landscapes of the Carolinas and neighboring states, showcasing the best of Southern charm and hospitality. Whether you're discovering new destinations or returning to cherished favorites, each rally is designed to offer something special. Some gatherings are extended weekends, while others stretch a bit longer—giving you the chance to linger, relax, and soak up the warmth of our community. With a vibrant membership and a calendar full of rallies, there's always an opportunity to connect, camp, and celebrate together.

We've selected a variety of rally locations to suit everyone. Southern hospitality is at the heart of every event, with friendly faces, delicious food, and plenty of laughter.

We believe there's something for everyone in the **Palmetto State Airstream Club**, and we hope you enjoy exploring all that we have planned for 2026. Welcome to a year of unforgettable journeys, new friendships, and the true spirit of the South!



club officers, board members & committees chairs

Charlie Purser – President

Charlie is an Airstreamer with a heart for leadership and a love of the road, He brings steady guidance and enthusiasm to our club.

Joey Evans – 1st Vice President

Joey's creativity and energy help drive our events and member engagement, always with a smile and a spark.

Kerstin Evans– 2nd Vice President

Kerstin's commitment shines through in every detail, ensuring our members feel connected and cared for. With two years of steady service and a strong partnership, Kerstin helps our club feel like home on the road.

Eric Graham – Past President

Eric continues to support the club with wisdom and experience from his years of dedicated service.

Sandee Welch – Treasurer

Sandee keeps our finances organized and transparent, ensuring smooth operations and successful events.

Vickie Lee – Recording Secretary & Auditor

Vickie captures the details of our meetings and keeps our records in order with care and precision.

Kathy Welch – Corresponding Secretary

Kathy ensures our communications are timely and thoughtful, helping members stay informed and connected.

Mary Ann Purser – Membership Chairperson

Mary Ann welcomes new members with warmth and enthusiasm, helping grow our Airstream family.

Don Lee – Nominating Chairperson

Don leads the Nominating Committee with dedication and fairness, ensuring our club's leadership remains strong and vibrant. Through thoughtful consideration and collaboration, Don helps shape the future of the Palmetto State Airstream Club.

Melia Jacobs – Public Relations

Melia brings creativity and flair to our newsletters, social media, content creation and club communications, keeping our community engaged and inspired.

James Schaal – Webmaster

James maintains our online presence, making sure our website is a helpful hub for members and visitors alike.

Bobby Puryear – Director & Constitution/By-laws

Bobby provides guidance on club governance and supports strategic planning with a steady hand.

Sia Pickell – Director

Sia brings fresh ideas and a collaborative spirit to the board, helping shape the club's future.

Sandi Lee – Rally Team Chairperson

A new position! Sandi leads the charge in planning scenic and unforgettable rallies and activities across the Carolinas. Contacting Members for outreach and personal invites. This team assists the hosts.



roles & responsibilities

These roles ensure the smooth operation of the **Palmetto State Airstream Club** and foster a strong sense of community among members. Officers, Board Members and Committee Chairs work together to uphold the club's mission and enhance the Airstream lifestyle experience.

- **President**
Serves as the chief executive officer of the club.
Presides over all club meetings and rallies.
Represents the club at regional and national Airstream events.
Appoints committee chairs as needed.
Ensures the club operates in accordance with WBCCI (Wally Byam Caravan Club International) guidelines.
Provides leadership and vision to promote club growth and engagement.
- **Vice Presidents**
Assists the President in executing club duties.
Presides over meetings and events in the President's absence.
Plans and prepares the following year Rally Schedule.
Prepares for succession to the President's role in future terms.
- **Past President**
Advise the current President and Board.
Support leadership transition and share historical context.
Mentor new officers.
Represent the club at events.
- **Recording Secretary**
Records and maintains minutes of all club meetings.
Distributes meeting minutes and updates to members as necessary.
- **Corresponding Secretary**
Collaborates with Newsletter Editor and Public Relations to ensure accuracy on correspondence, newsletters & Social Media.
- **Treasurer**
Manages the club's financial transactions.
Maintains accurate financial records and provides financial reports.
Collects rally fees and manages the club's bank account.
Prepares and submits an annual budget for club operations.
- **Membership**
Recruits new members and ensures smooth onboarding.
Handles Welcome correspondence and introductions.
Maintains accurate membership records.
Engages with current members to encourage participation and retention.
Coordinates membership renewal activities.
- **Nominating Committee**
Identify and recruit qualified candidates for officer positions.
Ensure the nomination process is transparent and aligns with club bylaws.
Communicate with members about upcoming elections and leadership opportunities.
Present the slate of nominees to the membership for approval.
Support a smooth transition for newly elected officers.
- **Directors**
Provide guidance and vision, ensuring the club stays on course while embracing the spirit of adventure.
Focus on member experience and community,
Help steer us toward exciting journeys and lasting friendships.
- **Newsletter Editor & Public Relations**
Create and deliver engaging newsletters with accurate, timely content
Promote rallies and events through newsletters, website updates, and social media
Maintain the club's website and social platforms, ensuring content is current and visually appealing
Share stories, photos, and updates to foster community spirit and encourage participation
Serve as the point of contact for public relations inquiries
Ensure consistent branding and messaging across all communication channels
- **Rally Team Chairperson**
Plans and organizes club rallies activities and events.
Coordinates venue reservations and activities.
Works with other committees to ensure event success.
Provides rally details and schedules to members in advance.
- **Webmaster**
Ensures online presence stays accurate and up to date
Provides the vehicle for communication for members & affiliates
Collaborates with the Public Relations & Newsletter Editor on micro-site & communication accuracy
Works closely with the Treasurer on rally fees paid through Stripe.

2026 event schedule



WELCOME TO CAMPING IN THE CAROLINAS, Y'ALL!

FEBRUARY

7, 2026

Valentine's Luncheon

The OG Mexican Restaurant
Greenwood, SC

Please RSVP by January 31 to Sia Pickell @
anastasiapickell@gmail.com or 864-993-9687

MARCH

4-8, 2026

Silver in the Sunshine State

Region 3 Rally

SUN 'N SUN Aerospace Expo Campground
Lakeland, FL

12-15, 2026

Silver on the Strand

Myrtle Beach Travel Park
North Myrtle Beach, SC

APRIL

16-20, 2026

Silver in the City(Urban Rally)

Historic Downtown York
York, SC

MAY

14-17, 2026

Shiny Apple Stream'N Rally

Orchard Lake Campground
Saluda, NC

JUNE

12-15, 2026

Horsing Around Rally

Croft State Park
Spartanburg, SC

JULY

9-12, 2026

Back2Bear Park Rally

Creekwood Farm RV Park
Waynesville, NC

AUGUST

13-16, 2026

Stream'n with the White Squirrels

Davidson River Recreation Area
Pisgah Forest, NC

22- 27, 2026

Magic in Minot

69th Airstream Club International Rally
North Dakota State Fairgrounds
2003 E Burdick Expy
Minot, ND 58701

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SEPTEMBER

16-20, 2026

Carolina Jamboree

Carolina's 5 Unit Rally
Yogi Bear's
964 Crestview Church Rd.
Asheboro, NC 27205

OCTOBER

1-4, 2026

Silver in the Pines (Boondocking Rally)

522 Boyd Pond Road
Aiken, SC

November

5-8, 2026

(Installation Rally) Silver on the Broad

Broad River Campground
Mooresboro, NC

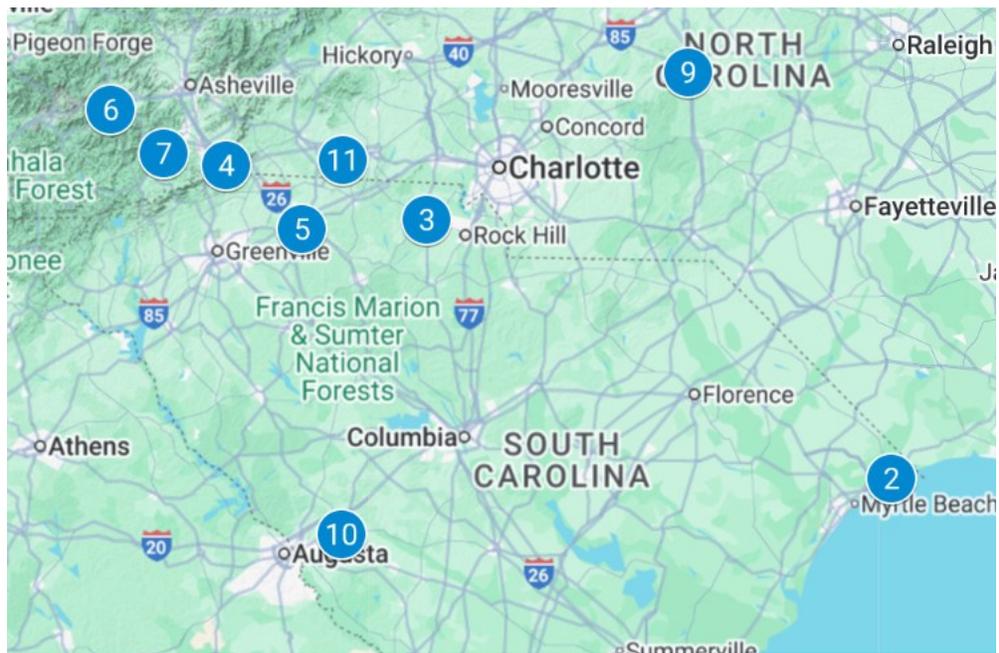


2026 rally locations map



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- 1 Silver in the Sunshine State (Region 3 Rally)
- 2 Silver on the Strand
- 3 Silver in the City(Urban Rally)
- 4 Shiny Apple StreamN Rally
- 5 Horsing Around Rally
- 6 Back2Bear Park Rally
- 7 StreamN with the White Squirrels
- 8 Magic in Minot (International Rally)
- 9 Carolina Jamboree(Carolina Joint Rally)
- 10 Silver in the Pines(Boondocking Rally)
- 11 Silver on the Broad (Installation Rally)



flamingo lingo



BRN (Big Red Number): For over 60 years, the Wally Byam Caravan Club International (Airstream Club International) has assigned members numbers. It all started in 1951 with the first Airstream Wally Byam Caravan.



Caravan: A gleaming convoy of adventure seekers rolling down the highway, where the journey is just as fun as the destination! It's a traveling parade of silver bullets, laughter, and good vibes—complete with roadside pit stops,



Courtesy Parking: Parking in another member's driveway or yard, often as a friendly gesture among Airstreamers. See the ACI website for locations.



Firepit: The heart of every campsite, where stories get taller, marshmallows get toastier, and laughter echoes under the stars. It's the magical circle where Airstreamers gather to swap travel tales, make new friends, and maybe even solve the awning Delima —one s'more at a time. Whether you're warming toes, cooking up a late-night snack, or just soaking in the glow, an Airstream camping firepit is where the best memories are made, flicker by flicker.



Flamingo'd/Flocked: An anonymous gift left at your trailer by fellow Airstreamers, always featuring a flamingo.



Rally: A celebration of adventure where Airstreamers gather to camp, connect, and create unforgettable memories. Picture a sea of shiny aluminum campers, the scent of campfires in the air, and a schedule filled with just the right mix of relaxation and fun.



Setups: Your plate, cutlery, napkins & beverage to bring to a meal.



Sidewalk Café: "Sidewalk Café offers a cozy, camp-side meet-up experience with bring a snacks, lite bites and hors d'oeuvres and a relaxed atmosphere—perfect for enjoying beverage of choice light bites, and good conversation."



housekeeping



REGISTER NOW

registration

Registering for a Palmetto State Airstream Club rally is as easy as sweet tea on a summer afternoon! Our online registration system makes it simple for members to sign up for rallies throughout the year. You'll receive a friendly email reminder before registration opens, so you'll have plenty of time to plan your next adventure.

When registration opens, just visit our [club website](#), browse the list of upcoming rallies, and click to view details or sign up. You can pay securely online by credit card. If a rally fills up quickly, don't fret—reach out to any Officer at club0222@airstreamclub.org and ask to be added to the waitlist.

Southern patience pays off, and spots often open up for those who wait. Our Officers are always happy to answer questions and help you feel right at home.



cancellation policy

We understand that life can throw a curveball now and then. If you need to cancel your rally registration, please cancel with us first (before cancelling your campsite), so that we might be able to try and get another Airstreamer in your campsite spot.

Rally Fees will only be refunded for requests received within 2 weeks prior to the start date of a rally.

Rally Fee amounts refunded to your original payment credit card will be the Rally Fee amount less any processing fees.

[Click here to cancel a 2026 PSAC rally or event registration](#)



pet policy

We love our furry friends, and they're welcome to join the fun! For everyone's safety and comfort, pets should be on a six-foot, non-retractable leash when outside your Airstream. Make sure collars and leashes fit well and are in good working order. You're welcome to use a size-appropriate containment system at your campsite.

Pets aren't permitted in buildings or dining areas during meals, except for **working service animals**. Well-mannered dogs can stretch their legs in designated dog parks, and we ask that you always clean up after your pet. Please ensure your pet has an ID tag, so they're ready for any adventure. Southern hospitality extends to our four-legged family members, too!





templates

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examples

rally site questionnaire

Does the campground accommodate campers ranging from 16'–34', typically pulled by trucks or SUVs?

Yes No Details: _____

Are 20 sites available for reservation together or nearby?

Yes No Details: _____

Are 30 & 50 Amp hookups available?

Yes No Details: _____

Are connections located on rear pedestals?

Yes No Details: _____

Are the sites level?

Yes No Details: _____

Are pets allowed?

Yes No Details: _____

Is there a dedicated meeting space for PSAC?

Yes No Details: _____

Does the meeting space include a kitchen?

Yes No Details: _____

Are there grills?

Yes No Details: _____

Is there a stove?

Yes No Details: _____

Is a refrigerator or freezer available?

Yes No Details: _____

Is there a covered area?

Yes No Details: _____

What is the check-in time and latest arrival time?

Yes No Details: _____

Is there a check-out time?

Yes No Details: _____

Is there a gate closing time, if applicable?

Yes No Details: _____

Are amenities available on-site?

Yes No Details: _____

Are there nearby stores or services?

Yes No Details: _____

What is the incimate weather plan?

Yes No Details: _____

budgeting recommendations

Here's a sample **per-rig budget** for a 3-night rally with ~20 Airstreams:

Category	Estimated Cost per Rig	Notes
Site Fees	\$90-\$120	\$30-\$40/night
Clubhouse Rental	\$10-\$15	This would be paid by PSAC
Meals (shared)	\$25-\$40	Includes 1 dinner, 1 breakfast and 1 Continental /Grab -n- Go
Activities & Supplies)Optional	\$10-\$20	Games, decorations, prizes, Crafts maybe subject to a fee to the instructor.
Welcome Bag (Optional)	\$5-\$10	Stickers, local treats, itinerary, gifts
Total	\$140-\$205	Per rig for full rally



meals and food examples

At the **Palmetto State Airstream Club**, we know that good food brings folks together. Hosted meals at rallies are always optional, and each host decides what's on the menu and how much it'll cost. Meal plans are often finalized closer to the rally date, and you'll hear directly from your host with all the delicious details.

Whether it's a potluck supper, a barbecue under the stars, or a hearty Southern breakfast, participation is up to you. Any meal costs are paid through the Rally Registration link, and you're always welcome to join in or bring your own fixin's. We believe every meal is an opportunity to share stories, laughter, and a taste of Southern hospitality.

Breakfast (1 Group Meal)

- Pancake bar with toppings
- Scrambled eggs & sausage links
- Fresh fruit & coffee station

Dinner: "Southern Cookout"

- Pulled pork sliders
- Mac & cheese
- Coleslaw
- Banana pudding

Dinner: "Taco Night Fiesta"

-  • Build-your-own taco bar (beef, chicken, veggie)
- Spanish rice & beans
- Churros or sopapilla cheesecake

Optional Potluck

- Encourage each rig to bring a dish from their hometown or a family favorite

Continental/Grab n Go

Yogurt; fruit; danish

Bonus Suggestions

- **Welcome Bags:** Include a rally sticker, local map, emergency contacts, and a treat for pups 🐾
- **Photo Booth:** Set up a backdrop with props for fun rally memories
- **Campfire Story Night:** Invite members to share their favorite Airstream adventures



rally agenda template



Palmetto State Airstream Club Rally Agenda

Date: November 6-9, 2025
Location: Broad River Campground
120 Broad River Campground Rd,
Mooresboro, NC 28114

11/06| Thursday – Early Arrival Day

1:00 PM – Check-In Opens – Early arrivals welcome! Settle in, explore the park, and greet fellow Airstreamers.
6:00 PM – Casual BYO Picnic – Bring your own dinner and a chair to the pavilion.
7:30 PM – Gather around the firepit on the back deck.

11/07| Friday- Welcome to “Silver on the Broad”

7:30 AM - Firebeard Coffee Roasters Food Truck
10:00 AM - Trinity Family Farms Flower Pop up
4:00 PM – Sidewalk Café Social – Bring your favorite drink and an appetizer to share. Casual gathering to Welcome everyone and kick off the weekend.
6:00 PM – 2 Food Trucks will be on-site for us. (Square Round Food Truck & Rolling Grub)
7:30 PM – Campfire Meet & Greet – Gather around the firepit for socializing and stories.

11/08| Saturday – Installation Day

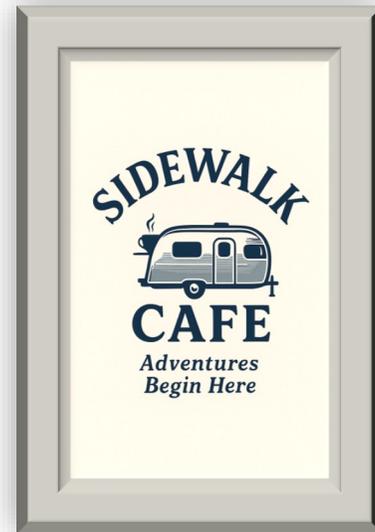
9:00 AM – Campfire Breakfast – French toast bar, bacon, fruit and coffee. (Bring your setups and drinks.)
4:00 PM – Sidewalk Café Social – Bring your favorite drink and an appetizer to share.
6:00PM–Southern Cookout: Pork Chops, Grilled Chicken, Garden Salad, Baked Potato, GreenBeans, yeast rolls (Bring your setups, and drinks).
7:30 PM – Installation Ceremony – Please wear Blue Berets; white shirt, and jeans.
8:30 PM – Dessert and Celebration Social

11/09| Sunday – Departure Day

9:00 – Coffee & Goodbyes – Light pastries and coffee. Share hugs, stories, and plans for the next rally.
Safe travels and See Ya Down the Road!



sidewalk café



Welcome to the Sidewalk Café! Adventures Begin Here—Southern Style!

Picture this, y'all: It's a golden Carolina afternoon, the air sweet with proud Palmetto trees, casting long shadows over a circle of gleaming Airstreams and the laughter of friends old and new. The air is filled with the scent of Carolina barbecue and the sound of laughter drifting on a gentle southern breeze. Instead of the usual Happy Hour, our rally brings you the Sidewalk Café—a tradition with roots as deep as the Palmetto itself.

The **Sidewalk Café** began in 1956, when Wally Byam's Airstream Caravan rolled through Paris, France. Caravanners, inspired by the city's lively outdoor bistros, pulled up their own chairs and tables, shared refreshments, and watched the world go by. It was more than a social hour—it was a way to connect, swap stories, and make important decisions, all with a dash of European flair.

But here in the Palmetto State, we add our own flavor. Picture gathering beneath the swaying fronds of Palmetto trees, sipping sweet tea or a cool mint julep, and sharing tales of the open road. Each Airstream brings its own table, chairs, and favorite local treats—maybe a basket of hushpuppies or a pitcher of lemonade. The spirit is the same: camaraderie, southern hospitality, and a celebration of adventure.

Whether you're serving wine like the Parisians, a Cuba libre in Havana, cerveza in Mexico, or—true to our roots—a cold Coca-Cola or a classic southern cocktail, the Sidewalk Café is about making everyone feel right at home. It's a tradition that's traveled from the Bois de Boulogne in Paris to the heart of Carolinas, and now, it's yours to enjoy at our rally.

So pull up a chair, bring your best Carolina smile, and join us for an afternoon where adventures begin, friendships flourish, and southern hospitality shines. The Sidewalk Café is more than a meeting—it's a memory in the making.



get your gear



Exciting Opportunity Just In Time For Camping Season!

- Most items are **completely customizable**.
Don't want your name or BRN? Just click "**Customize It**" and remove any text boxes you don't need.
- Need help? Contact **youcustomizeit.com** — a real person will assist you Monday–Friday and respond to emails any day of the week.
- This is a **small business owned by a fellow Airstreamer**, which makes this collaboration extra special. Let's show our support and make these items uniquely yours!
- **Shop Now:** <https://www.youcustomizeit.com/des/Palmetto-State-Airstream-Club-Logo/7878385>



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about us



The **Palmetto State Airstream Club**, where Southern charm meets timeless adventure. Nestled in the heart of South Carolina, our club is a vibrant community of Airstream enthusiasts who share a love for the open road, scenic landscapes, and the enduring spirit of friendship. From the misty Blue Ridge foothills to the sun-kissed shores of the Lowcountry. The Carolina's offer a rich tapestry of natural beauty and cultural heritage. Whether you're glamping beneath the towering palmettos or gathering around a campfire under a canopy of stars, every rally and rendezvous is a celebration of the Palmetto State's warm hospitality and storied past.

We welcome Airstreamers of all ages—from seasoned travelers to first-time campers—to join us in exploring the hidden gems of the Carolina's. Our events are filled with laughter, learning, and lasting connections, where new friends quickly become old ones.

So hitch up your shiny hinny, bring your love of adventure, and come camp with us in the Palmetto State and beyond. The road is calling—and your Airstream family is waiting.

Mission Statement

"The Palmetto State Airstream Club fosters community, adventure, and friendship among Airstream enthusiasts by promoting safe travel, shared experiences, and a spirit of exploration throughout the Carolina's and beyond."

