

# **RALLY NEWS**

# **Thursday, July 25, 2019**

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## **Emergency Information**

For medical emergencies, call 911. See Rally Program pages 12-13 for more information.

## Important ELECTRIC USAGE NOTE

For all electrical problems, please call the Emergency Contact number: (817)879-5866.

## Mail and Package Delivery and Pickup

All packages being shipped to WBCCI members at the Event Center must be received by WBCCI Mail Service Office by 4:00pm, Thursday, July 25. Any packages received after that time and date will be returned to the sender.

If you receive notification that a package has arrived for you, please pick the package up before 2:00pm on Friday, July 26.

In advance the Mail Service Committee thanks you.

## <u>Visit the Vendor Area in the West Hall of the Farm Bureau Center</u>

Please stop by the vendors and thank them for coming to Doswell this year. When you're there, a purchase will also be appreciated. All of the rally vendors and one "outside" vendor are in place in the west hall of the Farm Bureau Center. The outside vendor is the Kabine in the vintage Airstream trailer just outside the west doors of the FBC.

### **Program Sessions Evaluations**

Please take time to evaluate each seminar you attend. Evaluation forms are on the Doswell website. Doswell.wbcci.net The evaluation form is in the Presentations /Handouts tab of the website.

## "Enjoy the Ride" Parade

Rally Parade "Enjoy the Ride" is scheduled for today, July 25, at 10:30 am in the Farm Bureau Center East Hall. Come cheer for your favorite unit, region, or group as they present their interpretation of the rally theme.

## Pet Show Participants Invited to Join the Rally Parade

All pet show participants are welcome to join the Rally Parade tomorrow at 10:00am in the Farm Bureau Center. The pets will be at the "tail" end of the parade.

# Repeat of The Traveling to America's National Parks Session

Rich Luhr will repeat this seminar today in the East Hall of the Farm Bureau Center today, July 25, at 1:30p.m. for those unable to attend Wednesday's seminar.

## Meters, Hot-Skin Voltage & Surge Protector Basics

Mike Sokol is bringing his RV Electricity Seminar to the Airstream International Rally today, July 25, from 9am to 10am, in the Farm Bureau Center, East Hall (Main Stage).

Mike has been writing about RV electrical power and safety for the last 10 years, with hundreds of his No~Shock~Zone articles an videos published on RVtravel.com as well as dozens of other e-zines and owners forums. You may have already interacted with him as jmsokol on the Airstream Forum. While Mike has a 50-year background in industrial power, packaging robotics design, and building nuclear missile guidance systems, He's able to teach complex electrical topics in clear and simple language that anyone can understand. Plus,e he's built a series of hands-on demonstrations that shows you how to measure pedestal voltages, find RV hotskin conditions, and understand EMS/Surge-Protector operation

# **Dutch Oven Cooking**

Note that the location of Dutch Oven Cooking today, July 25, at 10:30 am is changed to the Pavilion in the North Campground. There is parking in the area for personal vehicles.

## Quilting/Fiber Arts Classes at the Bold Ruler House by VAC South Campground

Materials will be supplied for the class. Must be present to learn.

Thursday, July 25, 10:00am: small decorative Christmas trees

# Registration for Loveland 63rd International Rally

Registration for Loveland2020 International Rally will be open from 2-4 pm today, Thursday, July 25, in Farm Bureau Center West Hall. Online registration will open at 2 pm EDT at https://loveland.airstreamclub.net/registration/. On-site registration will also be open Friday, July 26, from 9-11 am.

#### The Club Store

Did everyone get one of those nice insulated coolers as a rally gift? Aren't they nice? We have a few extras that we are pairing up with a rally pin, a rally decal, <u>and</u> a rally hat. This special package will be available in the Club Store starting today for just \$30 while supplies last.

### Flea Market in the West Hall, Friday, 9:00 am – 11:30 am

\*\*SELLERS—The doors will open at 8:00am for set-up. All names and ID's will be checked at the door for admission. Follow any signs or instructions by WBAC for unloading your items by the West door of the West Hall.

## (PLEASE, no early buyers)

\*\*BUYERS—There are more than fleas for sale at the Flea Market. Several club members will be selling their jewelry and crafts in addition to other flea market items. You will be glad you go shopping at the Flea Market

## **Daily Devotions**

Daily devotions will be held 7:45 am to 8:30 am, Monday through Friday in the West Room 2nd floor of the Mansion (Meadow Hall). John Frerking, religious coordinator, will lead the group in study of some of Jesus' Parables. Bring your coffee and we will have something to go with it. Note: there is an elevator to second floor.

## **Photo Print Contest Winners**

Thank you to the 37 members who submitted 147 photos for display and judging. Landscapes: 1<sup>st</sup> Amy VanArtsdalen, Reg 9; 2<sup>nd</sup> Joan Ward, Reg 6, Hugh Bartlett, Reg 8

Airstreams: 1st Phil Miller, Reg 3; 2nd Debbie Hentchel; 3rd Dan Steen, Reg 2

Black and White: 1st Debbie Hentchel, Reg 8; 2nd Mary Short, Reg 3; 3rd Sonny Bates, Reg 5

Architecture: 1st Jane Barlett, Reg 8; 2nd Dan Steen, Reg 2;3rd Sandy Robinson, Reg 5

Your Best Photo: 1st Jane Barlett, Reg 8; 2nd Sandy Robonson, Reg 2; 3rd Jane Bartlett, Reg 8

\*\*\*Best of Show John Goodget, Landscapes, Reg 3

# **Unit Publications Contest Winners**

Directory: 1st North Dakota Peace Garden, 2nd Charter Oaks Connecticut, 3rd Arkansas Razorback

Web-based newsletter: 1<sup>st</sup> Southeastern Camping Unit, 2<sup>nd</sup> Texas Highland Lakes

Print-friendly newsletter: 1<sup>st</sup> Northern California, 2<sup>nd</sup> Keystone Pennsylvania, 3<sup>rd</sup> Arkansas Razorback

## **Locator Board**

The locator board is to the right of the south door into the Vendor/check-in room in the Farm Bureau Center. The parking lot info beside each name is the parking area letter on the map In the Rally Program. Note: In addition to the letters, **NC** is North Campground, **SC** is South Campground, **BD** is Band on south end of F, and R (not the map) is the group parked just south of the underpass.

There were 679 checked-in attendees as of July 22.

## **Rally News on the Internet**

The daily editions of the Rally News are posted on doswell.wbcci.net each morning and GRUPIO. For those Airstreamers that access the internet via their laptop rather than smart phone, this link put into your browser will take you to GRUPIO: <a href="https://www.grupio.com/doswell2019">https://www.grupio.com/doswell2019</a>. Not only can you read the Daily News, the locator list, daily program schedule, and alerts are available on GRUPIO.

## **Meadow Event Park Guidelines**

- Please do not use the trash cans for bagged household trash. Trash should go in the large blue dumpsters. For assistance locating your nearest dumpster, contact Member Services.
- Please remember that we are not allowed to dump gray water on the ground here at the Meadow Event Center.
- Washing of trailers is not allowed on grounds.
- Please do NOT drive or park golf carts or personal vehicles on the grass around Meadows Hall (aka the Mansion) and Meadow Pavilion. Thank you for your cooperation.
- Please observe a speed limit of 10 mph on the Meadow Event Park (MEP) campus. Also, note that personal vehicles are not allowed in front of the Farm Bureau Center. Parking lots are located on the east and west sides of the building.

## **Pump Out Schedule**

The color represents the DOT that was placed on the Parking Permit placed on the front window of your rig.

Red 7/18, 7/22, 7/26 Blue 7/19, 7/23 Green 7/20, 7/24 Yellow 7/21, 7/25

Pumping will begin at 7am and continue until completion. <u>ALL</u> motor homes and trailers: have your compartments unlocked by 7am on your scheduled pumping day.