

JUNE/JULY, 2017

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Just In...

KIDS KIDS RALLY CANCELED

Kelly Staffin has reported that the Kids Kids Rally will be cancelled due to limited attendance. Sandy Emerick will check on returning fees to those that have paid for the event. We hope that next year the event will continue to be part of the schedule.

Welcome to all new unit members...

The following are new members to the unit... if you see them at a Rally or see them camping...stop in to say welcome.

6118 Caroline Amplatz North Oaks, MN Sussex, WI 3310 Tom & Karen Buckley 7916 Tom & Carolyn Friese Green Bay, WI 3269 Elizabeth Rich Plymouth, WI 5828 Bob Boucher River Hills, WI 6027 David & Mary Gontarek River Falls, WI Fox Point, WI 4824 Deborah Kern 8591 David & Lynn Lemahieu Hortonville, WI 4022 Brian & Pamela Mellberg Appleton, WI

Looking for parts?

Silver Trailer Supplies (Salt Lake City, UT) is have a summer clearance sale during the month of August. They report that the sale is to make room for expansion of the warehouse. Their web site is www.silvertrailersupply.com; see what you can find.



Just Because... by Kurt Jorgensen

It seems like a busy summer, and it is flying by. We were blessed with our son being home from Taiwan for a few weeks, as well as a sort of a family reunion with the wedding of my niece. But we just returned from nearly a week in Peninsula State Park in Door County, which reminds us why we have our Airstream. Five days of hiking, biking being timed around rainstorms. It was a beautiful time an a beautiful place—certainly one of the premier Wisconsin State Parks. We found out too late that we just missed Ed and Sandy at a hard cider tasting in Ellison Bay.

We hope to see many of you in a few weeks at the International Rally in Escanaba, which will be new to me as my first International Rally.

In late September, we are still planning the Installation Rally at Lake Farm near Madison from September 22-24. For those interested, Saturday morning we will trek to the nationally famous Dane County Farmer's Market on the Square, and on the afternoon

you can shop, tour some Breweries, or just hang out. So Greg, are you ready? Please see the sign-up form for this Rally, and remember to make you reservations for campsites. Being not a Big-10 Football weekend in Madison, I don't think there will be much problem getting sites.

And then, for some of us, the Installation Rally will morph into the Driftless Area Caravan and will head to Kieler, Wi near Dubuque, Iowa. Other stops include Deborah, Iowa, and Lanesboro, MN. See our Facebook page for further details.

Make sure and email me at kurtspda@centurylink.net if you are interested and have not, as of yet, indicated interest.

Are you planning on seeing the solar eclipse?

According to NASA, the path of totality is "where the moon will completely cover the sun and the sun's tenuous atmosphere – the corona – can be seen."

As you prepare for your eclipse viewing, here are five tips to help you make the most of your experience.

THIS IS THE TALK NOW. PEOPLE ARE ASKING...WHERE WILL YOU BE WHEN THE ECLIPSE HAPPENS? MANY LOCATIONS ACROSS THE COUNTRY HAVE BEEN PREPARING FOR THIS EVENT FROM OREGON TO THE SOUTH EASTERN UNITED STATES. THE NATIONAL PARKS HAVE OUTLINED A SERIES OF 5 "RANGER TIPS" ON WWW RECREATION.GOV. + A MAP WHICH IDENTIFIES THE PROJECTED "ROUTE."

ENJOY THE VIEW!!!

P.S. from the Editor:

Home from traveling for a short while...had a nice time meeting new folks and seeing caravan friends; catching up on their traveling lives. The International Rally was an experience... 500+ Airstreams of all sizes and vintage. An amazing site to see so much aluminum in one

space.



Our unit received a blue ribbon for its directory publication ...thanks to the efforts of members:Bob & Heidi Manak, who design/develop/proof the publication & Sandy Emerick, who supplies the listing of members.



Go Mad in Mad Town

Installation Rally sign up form

Name: WBCCI#
Number attending:
Email address:
Phone
#Campsites number: Lake Farm County Park, Madison, WI. 3113 Lake Farm Rd (608) 224-3730 https://www.reservedane.com).

Go to the Unit's webpage to register and pay fees for the rally.

Driftless Area Caravan 9/24/2017-10/1/2017

sign up form

Name:	
Email:	
WBCCI#	
Phone	

Campsites # that you reserved:

Rustic Barn RV & Campground, Kieler, WI: 3854 Dry Hollow Road (608) 568-7797 http://www.rusticbarnrvpark.com

Pulpit Rock Campground, Deborah, Iowa 505 Pulpit Rock Rd (536) 382-9551 http://www.http://parks.decorahia.org/pulpit-rock-campground

Eagle Cliff Campground, Lanesboro, MN 35455 State Highway 16 (507) 467-2598 http://eagle-cliff.com

Enclose Rally Fee of \$25/person

You can register on the unit's website or you can send this form with your check to Sandy Emerick, Treasurer at 9186 County Road K Brussels, WI 54204.

Checks should be made payable to WBCCI Wisconsin Unit: **\$25 per person.** [\$10 of this is for the Rally fee with the Minnesota group in Lanesboro, so those forgoing Lanesboro can make it \$15/person. This will basically cover incidentals, firewood, perhaps a breakfast or so—we will see. If we go over, we may need to assess a bit more, if under, maybe a refund. I've not done this before on a Caravan, so I am not a great estimator.]

Caravan leaders: Kurt & Mary Jorgensen (608)-306-0330, kurt-mary@centurylink.net