

The Tattler

Airstream Owners of California



Message from Pam Lindsay, President

Happy New Year!!

I hope everyone's holiday was joyous and safe!

I'm looking forward to 2016! I think it's going to be a great year for our club with quite a variety of venues for our rallies! We will be traveling North to the Pinnacles, and South to Borrego Springs, Pechanga and Big Bear, staying along the Central Coast at Wine Country RV , Lopez Lake, and Refugio. If you haven't joined in on a rally you are missing the core of our club! Rallies are what bring us together as a group and provide an opportunity to share friendships, knowledge, experiences and fun. If you haven't hosted a rally, this is the year to do so! Hosting is becoming easier with the KIS principle, and hosting is a great way to contribute to the club and get to know more of the members. Either way, you can do as much as you want, or as little as you want; it's up to you. We are not a 'hard line' club.....we are a camping club! The more you participate the more fun it will be for you! I hope to see, meet, and reunite with



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including rally coupons,
please check out our website:
www.centralcoastairstream.org

each of you in 2016!

Talking about rallies.....please note the tentative rally schedule on page 6 as there have been a couple of changes. I switched months with Wine Country RV and Pechanga in order to secure a meeting room for our elections and officer installations.

Last but not least, I want to take this opportunity to thank all the rally hosts/co-hosts from 2015! Your participation is GREATLY appreciated by all! It's special, just like you are! THANK YOU!

Safe travels, happy camping and warm wishes!

Pam



Contact your Board and other information:

The Central Coast California Unit encompasses the scenic California coastal counties of San Luis Obispo, Santa Barbara and Ventura but our members come from all around Southern California! We are an active, social group which participates in local, regional and international rallies. We are dedicated to the Creed created long ago by the Airstream founder, Wally Byam. Though Wally has passed, the words and wisdom of his Creed lives on in the many Airstream Clubs which remain active to this day. Established on April 10, 1965, we continue to enjoy "Fun, Friendship & Camping" throughout California.

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Central Coast California Website

www.centralcoaststairstream.org

CCC Facebook Page

<https://www.facebook.com/groups/169080673115778/>

WBCCI Region 12 Website

<http://region12.wbcci.net>

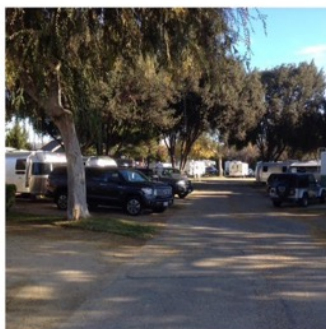
WBCCI Website

<http://www.wbcci.org>

A Note from Gary Mellinger: Attention members and affiliates. If you have not renewed your CCC membership, in January we will be purging this Facebook Page to reflect only our members for the 2016 year. We hope to see you back here in 2016 and look forward to your participation. Happy Holidays from your CCC F/B administrators.

A Note from the Editors: This our first edition of the Tattler. Our experience is saying that we volunteer to help the California Central Coast Unit. If there is something that you would like to see or would like to address concerns—please let Carol or myself know and we will try to address your needs. The Tattler is our monthly communication to our members that reflects our club values and qualities. Please send any communications to a board member or the editors jtag@sbcglobal.net. Thanks John and Carol Taggart

Flying Flags Year End Rally and Installation Dinner: On December 11-13, the year end rally and installation dinner was attended by Central Coast members at Flying Flags in Buellton, California. Thanks to the hosts Bruce & Carol Yeoman and Jeanne & Jim Wade for a great event. A great time was had by all.





Rally Schedule - 2016

We need hosts/co-hosts for most of the 2016 rallies. Pick your location and then have fun with it! If you need help we have a great publication online on hosting rallies....just click: <http://centralcoaststream.wbcci.net/files/2013/07/Rally-Planning-Guide-2014-v4.pdf>. To sign up please email any of the following: lindsay7043@sbcglobal.net, jbremer@mac.com, wbremer@me.com (Pam Lindsay, Judy Bremer, Walt Bremer) **Participation** is the key to a successful rally.

January 8-11 Valencia Travel Village **Cancelled/no host**

We didn't have anyone volunteer to be hosts/co-hosts so the group reservation has been cancelled. As it turns out, there is mass construction going on all around the RV park so it may just have been fate!

February 19-21 Bakersfield RV Resort Co hosts: Pam and Stuart Lindsay; Carol Cunningham

Okay.....Bakersfield? YES you are going to be blown away with this resort and the activities that are out there that you have never seen or imagined! This is a new venue for the club.....make sure you don't miss it!

March 11-13 Yanks RV Park Hosts: Bob and Linda Minder/Mike and Nancy Jackson

Just outside the Pinnacles, this is a relatively new upscale park North of King City. The Pinnacles has been requested by several...lots of exploring to do! This is also a business meeting rally so we will have access to the clubhouse! Another new venue for CCC!

April 15-17 The Springs at Borrego Co- Hosts: Linda and Jot Holenbeck, Roxy and Mike Gross

An all time favorite! This park has such attention to detail it will amaze you! When someone leaves and staff gets ready for the new arrivals...look for a design in your sand! It has a wonderful 9-hole golf course that surrounds the camp sites, and last time we were there they were adding additional sites. We will have access to a meeting room here also. Oh! Forgot to tell you,...GREAT hot spring Jacuzzis! (Plus tennis courts, etc.!)

May 13-15 Lopez Lake **Hosts/co-hosts needed**

One of Stuart and my favorites since we have been camping! A rural setting with lots of space between sites! We will be in Quail, as we were last year...with El Nino in the predictions, we hope the lake will be back up!! The park has just installed a zip line...there are great hiking trails, and you can bike/hike to the back area and visit the Boy Scout camp/equestrian area. You will see wild turkeys, smaller wildlife (squirrels and such) and perhaps larger (bears! Oh my!) Arroyo Grande is a wonderful village to explore with a great gourmet cooking store and many antique stores. If we weren't going to be on a National Caravan we would JUMP on this one to host!!!

June/July/August- The pot is brewing....more information to follow, but the rally committee is trying to put together a mini caravan! More info to follow!

September 9-11 Big Bear Lake **hosts/co-hosts needed**

Off to the mountains to where we have not been before! "Before what?" you may ask! Before the snow!!!! We will be staying at a full hookup rv park right on the lake! They will have all sorts of water sport rentals! I think this will be great fun! An early introduction to fall...you can explore Big Bear Village, hike/bike....or just 'chill 'out.

October TBD dates Refugio coordinated by Bruce Yeoman **hosts/co-hosts needed**

With any luck at all, hopefully, there will be no more oil spills in the area!! This will be at a group site, boon docking. The scenery/location/etc is well worth it!!! Not to miss!!!

November 18-20 Wine Country RV in Paso Robles **host/co-hosts needed**

Home of the best Jacuzzi on the Central Coast, we'll have a community room for the election of officers. Lots of wine tasting possibilities, but don't over look the Pioneer Museum on the South side of town, or the air museum just down Airport Road. Tons of great restaurants....yum!

December 9-11 Pechanga Casino and RV Resort **host/co-hosts needed**

Out in Temecula with a great location to access outlet shopping/gambling/old town exploring...and, did I mention golf? This is the installation of new officers, so we will have access to a community room.

Thank you!

Pam Lindsay

President, Central Coast Unit WBCCI



**Central Coast California Unit WBCCI Rally
February 19-21, 2016**

Bakersfield RV Resort

5025 Wible Rd; Bakersfield, CA 93313 (661)833-9998

Hosts: Pam & Stuart Lindsay, and

Carol Cunningham

(805) 368-6972/(661)821-2724

There's lots to do in Bakersfield! Visit the Bakersfield Museum of Art, tour Bakersfield Crystal Palace built by country music singer Buck Owens, and learn about the local history at the Kern County Museum on your weekend trip. You can visit California Area Living Museum and the Buena Vista Museum of Natural History. Or there's the Gaslight Theatre & Music Hall and the Kern River Parkway nature preserve (great for running and biking).

Tentative Schedule

Friday:

5:00pm social hour

Please bring 'heavy' appetizers to share

We will be calling that 'dinner'

Saturday:

8:30 Continental Breakfast provided

5:00 potluck dinner with social hour

8:00-ish campfire/going out country?

Sunday:

8:30 am continental Breakfast provided

11 am Check Out

Rally Information

General Information-Bakersfield RV Resort is an upscale rv park that has a spa, pool, 9-hole putting green, and a fabulous on site restaurant, the Crest Bar and Grill. If you want to check in a day early, or stay a day late you must make that reservation yourself, and it will be charged at the group rate. No refunds after Feb. 2 unless filled by waiting list.

Meals Included in Fee: Sat. and Sun continental breakfasts.

What to Bring: An appetizer to share for Friday night, and a dish to share for Sat pot luck, table service, your own drinks for Friday Social hour/ Saturday social/ dinner, your own coffee.

Directions: Take I-5 Northbound to hwy 99. Take 99 North Bound toward Bakersfield. Exit #20 Panama Ln; Turn left onto Panama. Turn right onto Wible Road.

Bakersfield RV Resort Coupon

Name _____ WBCCI No. _____

Address _____

City, State, Zip _____ Email _____

Phone _____ Cell _____ Rig length _____

Emergency Contact: Name _____ Phone: _____

Camping Fee [] Friday [] Saturday @ \$40.00.00 per night _____

Rally Fee: \$10.00 pp _____ Total Enclosed _____

Are you planning to come in early/stay late? ()yes ()no. NOTE: You must make these reservations individually, although they will honor the group rate. Be sure to tell them you are with CCC and let me know for planning purposes!

Please mail coupon and check (payable to **Central Coast Unit WBCCI**) by February 1st to:

CCC Unit WBCCI, c/o Pamela Lindsay, 484 Heidelberg Av; Ventura CA 93003

Questions: Contact Pam (805) 368-6972 lindsay7043@sbcglobal.net

Central Coast California Unit WBCCI Rally March 2016 Greenfield, Ca.

Yanks RV Resort

40399 Livingston Road
Greenfield, CA 93927

March 11-13, 2016

Hosts: Bob and Linda Minder

Michael and Nancy Jackson

(805) 258-3901 or (805) 748-6260



Tentative Schedule

Friday, March 11

Noon Check in
5:00 Social hour
6:00 Dinner provided by Hosts

Saturday, March 12

8:30 Breakfast provided
**Noon: (Optional) Hahn Winery Tour
and wine tasting-bring a picnic lunch
and your pet(s) (Hahn is pet friendly). ***
4:00 Board Meeting - Clubhouse
5:00 Social hour
6:00 Potluck Dinner

Sunday, March 13

8:30 Breakfast provided
11:00 Clean up and depart for home OR
Stay Sunday Night for a no host dinner at
The Windmill Restaurant in Soledad.

Rally Information

General Information: The City of Greenfield is located in the heart of the Salinas Valley, formed by the Gablian Mountains range to the east and the Santa Lucia Mountains Range on the west. Greenfield is approximately 135 miles south of San Francisco, 95 Miles south of San Jose and 60 miles north of Paso Robles. Pinnacles National Park is 19 miles from Yanks. (<http://ci.greenfield.ca.us/>)

We currently have 20 sites reserved and encourage you to sign up early! Sites not reserved must be cancelled by 2/11/15.

Meals Included in Fee: Friday dinner, Saturday and Sunday breakfasts.

What to Bring: Table service and utensils for all meals. Nibbles to share and your own drinks for the social hours, and a dish for the potluck dinner on Saturday.

Directions: Hwy 101 Northbound – From Paso Robles, take 101 north through Greenfield, off at exit 295 (Thorne Exit), right on Yanks Way and you are there! **GPS Coordinates:** Latitude: 36.34172, Longitude: 121.25336.

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Yanks Rally Coupon

Name _____ WBCCI No. _____

Address _____

City, State, Zip _____ Email _____

Phone _____ Cell _____ Rig length _____

Emergency Contact: Name _____ Phone: _____

Rally Nights Present: Friday ☐ Saturday ☐ @ \$ 50.80/night \$ _____

Additional Nights: Thursday ☐ Sunday ☐ @ \$ 50.80/night \$ _____

Rally Fee: \$35/rig, \$17/single \$ _____

*Hahn Winery Tour _____ @ \$25.00 per person

*Wine Tasting only _____ @ \$15.00 per person \$ _____

TOTAL ENCLOSED \$ _____

Please mail coupon and check (payable to Central Coast CA Unit WBCCI) by **February 11th** to:

Bob and Linda Minder, 7170 Impala Drive, Ventura, CA 93003

Questions: Contact Bob or Linda at (805) 258-3901 or rk minder@msn.com

Payments made after February 11, 2015 cannot be cancelled or refunded.

Central Coast California Unit WBCCI Rally The Springs at Borrego RV Resort

2255 Di Giorgio Rd., Borrego Springs
(760) 767-0004

<http://www.springsatborrego.com>

April 15 – 17, 2016

Hosts: Jot & Linda Hollenbeck and Mike & Roxy Gross
(310) 809-5607 or (310) 809-0648
email: pvjot@me.com



Tentative Schedule

- Friday:** check in,
5PM happy hour,
bring heavy apps to share
- Saturday:** Light breakfast provided
Explore the natural wonders
of Borrego Springs
4PM open house: sign up to
show off your pride & joy!
5PM happy hour followed by
pot luck dinner.
campfire, stargazing
- Sunday:** light breakfast provided,
clean up and depart for home

Rally Information

General Information: The Springs at Borrego is in a beautiful desert setting with lots of opportunity for hiking and viewing wild flowers and birds. It is also a top-rated resort with swimming, massages and a 9 hole golf course!

Meals Included in Fee: Breakfast Sat-Sun

What to Bring: Table service and utensils for all meals. Nibbles to share and your own drinks for the social hours, and a dish for the potluck dinner on Saturday. Also, bring binoculars and telescopes for stargazing.

Directions: From Los Angeles

Directions: (Be sure to check resort's website, pull out your maps and charge your GPS!) From Los Angeles, and from experience, the easiest way is to: Take I-10E to Hwy 86S just past Indio and head south toward the Salton Sea. Exit onto S22 at Salton City and head west. Note: first 4 miles of S22 is full of whoop-dee-dooos. Take your time.

If you take I-15 south to Hwy 79S to S2 you can continue to 78E to S3 and approach Borrego from the south, or take S22 at Ranchita and drive slowly and with care down the 8% Montezuma Grade.

April Borrego Springs Rally

Name _____ WBCCI No. _____

Address _____

City, State, Zip _____ Email _____

Phone _____ Cell _____ Rig length _____

Emergency Contact: Name _____ Phone: _____

Nights Present: Extra night* ☐ Friday ☐ Saturday ☐ @ \$ 57/night \$ _____

Rally Fees: \$20 per rig, \$10 single \$ _____

Saturday Golf? # players _____ TOTAL ENCLOSED \$ _____

*please specify: _____

Please mail coupon and check (payable to Central Coast Unit WBCCI) by March 8, 2016 to:
Jot & Linda Hollenbeck, 29503 Quailwood Drive, Rancho Palos Verdes CA 90275

Wine Tasting Caravan - Hosted by South Coast California Unit

Join us for a journey up the California Coast, enjoying the many wine producing regions along the way. We will sample wine from several districts, enjoy food pairing with these wines, and explore the many interesting and historic sites along the way.

We will rendezvous in Santa Barbara, and head for home from the hills above Hollister. Along the way, we will partake in wine tasting in Santa Barbara, Santa Ynez, Santa Maria, Arroyo Grande, San Luis Obispo, Paso Robles, Carmel, Monterrey, and the hills south of Hollister. We will experience "urban camping" in the town of Los Olivos, eat a festive meal of Santa Maria BBQ Tri-Tip, have opportunities for touring Hearst Castle and the Monterrey Bay Aquarium, and share numerous happy hours and meals together. We will have at least one joint wine tasting event in each region, and we will make recommendations on wineries you can visit on your own. (Since the wineries we will want to visit are small, it is best if we break up into small groups for most of the tastings...)

Dates: Rendezvous: June 11, Santa Barbara; end July 1, Paicines (South of Hollister)

Number of Airstreams: 10-15

Nights: 20; Estimated Kitty Fee for 2 per rig: \$2,100 estimate... Kitty fee covers 20 nights parking, many joint meals out and at least one joint excursion or wine tasting at each region, plus other niceties...

If you are interested, please send a refundable \$200 deposit to:

Mail checks to:

Philip Terhorst WBCCI #9759
10 Rocky Knoll
Irvine, CA 92612
949.903.1356 mobile

Or PAYPAL to:

pjtaiah@gmail.com

A note from Phil - I have led a few short caravans to the Santa Ynez and Paso Robles wine country in the past, but nothing this ambitious. I wanted to do something special this summer, so this seemed like a good idea. We know several great wineries and are familiar with a few winemakers, so we hope to put on an interesting caravan.

The real fun is just hanging out with cool Airstream people. The wine (and food) is just an excuse. We won't over do the wine tasting, as it can get exhausting. And anyone is always free to skip a particular event if it doesn't suit their taste. This is meant to be a relaxing, casual vacation, not work!