

The Tattler

Central Coast California Unit – Region 12



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Airstream

"To open a whole new world of new experiences...where travel adventure and good fellowship are your constant companions."

— Wally Byam

2019 Rally Schedule

- JANUARY 18-20 – Newport Dunes RV Resort, Newport Beach
Hosts: Jim & Diane Ellis and Bruce & Carol Yeoman
- FEBRUARY 22-24 – Carmel by the River RV Park, Carmel
Hosts: Tom & Teresa Tighe and Jason & Andrea Grendahl
- MARCH 22-24 – Wine Country RV, Paso Robles (Business Meeting)
Hosts: Jason & Andrea Grendahl and David & Mary Lawson
- APRIL 5-7 – Pechanga RV Resort, Temecula
Hosts: Yvonne & Jim Savage – Co-Hosts Needed
- MAY 3-5 – Lake Lopez (Quail Loop sites 25 through 43) – Make your own reservations | Hosts: Minder, Cunningham, Temple
- SEPTEMBER 12-15 – Boulder Creek RV, Lone Pine
Hosts: Dave Temple and Mark & Shelly Griffin
- OCTOBER 9-13 – Region 12 'CALI Rally' at Bakersfield RV Resort
Sponsored by the Lake Tahoe Airstream Club
- OCTOBER Date TBD – Refugio State Park Group Site, Co-Hosts: Needed
- NOVEMBER 15-17 – Morro Dunes RV, Morro Bay
Hosts: Valley and Yeoman, (Business Meeting & Elections)
- DECEMBER Date TBD – Channel Islands Harbor, Make your own reservations, Hosts: Mike & Roxy Gross – Co-Hosts Needed



Central Coast Unit

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 that 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 live on in the many Airstream Clubs that remain active to this day. Established on April 10, 1965, we continue to enjoy "Fun, Friendship & Camping."



President's Message

Pam Lindsay

Happy New Year CCC members,

We have such a great line up of rallies this year and through them, we get to welcome new members and make new friends as well. What could be better!!!!

term friendships, and learn so much more about your rig with the sharing of information and help offered by our members. That is truly what this club is all about!



Central Coast California Airstream Club

2019 Officers

- President – Pam Lindsay #4585
- Vice Pres. – Tom Tighe #3662
– Teresa Tighe
- Secretary - David Temple #5851
- Treasurer – Mark Griffin #1872
- Past Pres. – Linda Hollenbeck #4818

2019 Directors:

- One Yr. – Judy Bremer #3884
– Lynn Valley #3012
- Two Yr. – Gary Mellinger #2002
– Dave Lawson #5036

Operations:

- Membership – Bob/Linda Minder #4195
- Webmaster – Walt Bremer #3884
- Tattler – Mike & Marsi Peterson #2638

Club Website Links:

- [Central Coast CA Unit Website:](#)
- [CCCU Facebook Page:](#)
- [Airstream Region 12 Website](#)
- [WBCCI Airstream Club Facebook](#)
- [WBCCI International Website:](#)
- [WBCCI Twitter Feed:](#)

I am honored and looking forward to being your president in 2019 and will do my best to fulfill all that you hope the CCC can be for you, and encourage you to participate whenever you can to make that happen! I think we are so fortunate to have such a diversified group of individuals that can all 'mesh' into a club that binds us together and delivers rally after rally of great times, friendships and memories that will last a lifetime and more.

As we get into 2019, I would certainly encourage participation in our rallies. Why come to rallies? Because its fun. You'll make lasting memories, long-

Look at your calendar and join us! We'd love to meet/greet/ and get to know you at an upcoming rally. Try it, you'll like it!!! :o) And, for the tried and true, active members, we're all looking forward to seeing you again.

Looking ahead, our next business meeting will be in March at Wine Country RV in Paso Robles. If you have any concerns/input/something you want to put on the agenda, please let me know at lindsay7043@sbccglobal.net. Opinions/suggestions/input are always welcome. Maybe you could be on a committee to address those suggestions????

Lots of great times are ahead for 2019! Hope to see you there!



Enjoying the Christmas Cheer at Oceano



Join us at a Rally!



Membership Report

Bob & Linda Minder, Membership Directors

First off, we would like to thank Gary Mellinger for all of his dedication and hard work as our past Membership Chairman. You have always made sure every member at every rally was welcome. Great Job! Of course, Gary is not going away; he just assumed one of the new Director positions. Also, many thanks to Carol Cunningham for her loyal and dedicated work as our past Secretary.

Your new Membership team has already planned some new approaches to strengthening the club this year.

1. Club membership cards are being printed and will be distributed to every Airstream dealer in California.
2. We will be mailing personal "Letters of introduction to the Unit" to new members and we will follow-up on that first contact via phone.
3. Concerted efforts will be made to contact our members who we have not seen or seen rarely to get them to attend rallies. We will look at incentive programs to invite members to their first rally and present those ideas at the March Business Meeting for approval.
4. Membership receives lists of all Airstreams sold in California, those who have joined a WBCCI unit and those who have not. Letters will be sent to invite potential new members to a rally and to introduce us as Membership Chairpersons.

5. Since International now sends name badges to all who join, we are looking for ways to put a special sticker on their badge for the first two or three rallies. This will tell our members who is new and to make a special effort to sit with them at meals, invite them to your Airstream and make them feel especially welcome.
6. We will be seeking out Membership Ambassadors who will help out when we cannot make a rally or to pair up with new members to introduce them around.

This is also a time to talk about members who are moving on. Jerry and Patricia Hauptman have moved to Colorado and have joined the Denver Unit. Randall and Jeanie Gates have moved to Montana and joined Unit 61 there. Jot and Linda Hollenbeck will remain members for 2019 and become CCC affiliates in 2020 in their new home in Sedona, Arizona. Going to miss those sing-a-longs.

We now have 13 affiliate members, with Jim and Lynda Polk just renewing their membership. We end 2018 with 78 regular members and looking for more. Don't forget to renew if you have not done so.

– Bob & Linda Minder



Oceano – Pismo Sands RV, Rally Report

December 7-9, 2018

The Christmas spirit was all around as Airstreams were suddenly transformed into festive lights and decorations. Beautiful days and chilly nights. Why even the flamingos had to wear warm clothes.

This Rally included the installation of the new officers for 2019. Pam Lindsay is returning as CCC President and inherited the prized **blue beret**.



And, true to tradition, there were visits to Santa as well. One hopes that Shelly Griffin was a good girl all year round and got lots of presents. One of the greatest pleasures of this or any CCC rally is the opportunity each offers to meet once again with so many good friends and have lots of fun.

Our hosts, Walt and Judy Bremer and Pam Lindsay provided a wonderful assortment of yummy goodies to nibble on. Great food, wonderful desserts, lots of calories. Thanks Walt, Judy and Pam for hosting a fantastic rally.

You don't have to believe me, just ask the others who joined in. Bruce and Ann Smith, Mike and Roxy Gross, Jot and Linda Hollenbeck, Mark and Shelly Griffin, (Special thanks to Mark Griffin who stepped up to become Unit Treasurer for 2019), Dan, Karen and Megan Jones, Jim and Diane Ellis, Dave Temple, Mike and Marsi Peterson, Kimberly Loprieto and Brenden Fawcett, Chuck and Janie Alberti (we sure would like to see more of you two) and Bob and Linda Minder.



Sometimes good friends cannot make a rally they planned on due to weather or other commitments. Family stopped David and Mary Lawson, rain and snow prevented Carol Cunningham and John and Carol Taggart from coming. An uncooperative Airstream Motor Home kept the Polls from attending the rally, but not from driving up and spending time with us. Always great to see Paula and Ed. Thanks to Walt and Judy and their home, Paula and Ed got to spend a lot of time with us. And, I'm sad to say that it was Jot Hollenbeck's final guitar concert before he and Linda moved to Sedona, Arizona.

— Bob Minder

Oceano Activities

- Another great social event with excellent food and friendship
- Great American Melodrama Theater
- Beach hiking
- Pismo Outlet Malls
- Exploring the marvelous central-coast



Jot Hollenbeck's final concert with Marsi Peterson & Gracie enjoying the moment

Upcoming Rally Information

Plan to come to these rallies!

Carmel by the River RV Park in Carmel – Feb 22-24

Hosts: Tom and Teresa Tighe and Jason & Andrea Grendahl

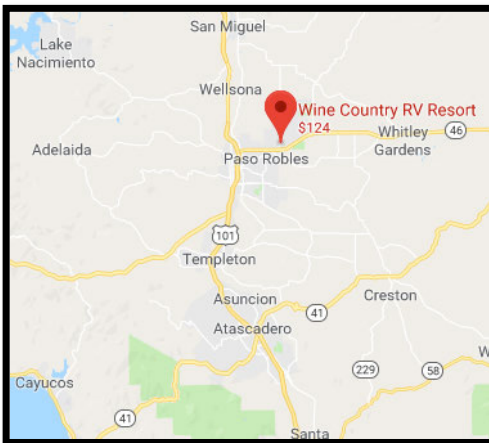
What to do here: 4.5 mi to Carmel, 7 mi. to Monterey | Monterey Aquarium | Pebble Beach Golf | Explore Big Sur, Monterey Bay | Kayak | Hike | Shop Carmel or explore the beautiful Mission



Wine Country RV Park in Paso Robles – Mar 22-24

Hosts: Jason & Andrea Grendahl and David & Mary Lawson

What to do here: Wine Tasting | Museums | Mission San Miguel | Explore Lake Nacimiento or drive to the coast & Hearst Castle





A Rally of the CCC Unit of the WBCCI: Carmel by the River RV Park

27680 Schulte Rd. Carmel, CA 93923
February 22-24, 2019

Your Hosts: Tom & Teresa Tighe, Jason & Andrea Grendahl
Tom email: ttnorca@gmail.com | cell: 714-913-8510
Teresa email: tdhuxford@earthlink.net | cell: 314-705-9455



Rally Schedule

(all events in the Clubhouse unless otherwise noted)

Thursday:

- 5 pm – Social hour with heavy appetizers

Friday:

- 5 pm – Social hour (host provided lite hors d'oeuvres)
- 6 pm – Hosts provided dinner
- Dark – Campfire (propane pits only, bring one if you're willing to share)

Saturday:

- 8:30 am – Continental breakfast provided
- 5 pm – Social hour (host provided lite hors d'oeuvres)
- 6 pm – Potluck dinner – bring an entrée, salad or side (host provided ice cream sundae bar for dessert)
- Dark – Campfire

Sunday:

- 8:30am – Continental breakfast provided
- Before Noon – Pack up and goodbye if leaving on Sunday
- Dinner – on your own, for those staying over
- Dark - Campfire

Please bring your own beverage and table settings to all meals

Carmel by the River Resort details

- Link: Carmelrv.com, Phone: (831) 624-9329
- Full-hookup sites (15 reserved for Rally)
- Clubhouse: Yes, with full kitchen
- Check in time is 1 pm, check out time is Noon
- Cancellations after Feb 7 forfeit all fees, unless replaced by another CCC member

Directions to the park – IMPORTANT!

- Laureles Grade road which connects CA-68 to Schulte Rd has a 10% grade. The hosts test drove it and do not recommend it.
- If coming from the south, consider staying on 68 into Monterey, then 1 south, then left on to Carmel Valley Rd, and then right on Schulte Rd.

Meals included with your rally fee:

- Friday dinner: Hor d'oeuvres, burgers, sides, dessert
- Saturday/Sunday: Continental breakfast
- Saturday: Social hour hors d'oeuvres and dessert

Things to do (details in your welcome packet):

- Carmel-by-the-Sea (CarmelCalifornia.com):
- Historic Walking Tour, Wine Tasting, [Mission Basilica](http://MissionBasilica.org)
- Monterey (monterey.org/visitors):
- [Cannery Row](http://CanneryRow.com), [Monterey Bay Aquarium](http://MontereyBayAquarium.org) (\$)
- Pebble Beach: [17-Mile Drive](http://17-MileDrive.com) (\$10.25 per car), Golf Links
- Big Sur (bigsurcalifornia.org)

Carmel Rally – Register by January 15

Name: _____ WBCCI No: _____

Street Address: _____

City, State, Zip: _____

Email: _____ Phone: _____

Emergency Contact: Name _____ Phone: _____

Rig length (ft.) _____ Number of people attending (all ages): _____

Nights Present (please circle): Thursday Friday Saturday Sunday Site total (\$52/night): \$ _____

Extras per night: Dogs: \$2/ea. ____ 50A elec.: \$5 ____ Extra persons over age 12: \$3/ea. ____ \$ _____

Rally Fee: \$15 per person, age 18 and older Rally Fee: \$ _____

TOTAL ENCLOSED: \$ _____

Please mail coupon & check (payable to "Central Coast Unit WBCCI") by **January 15** to:

Tom and Teresa Tighe
6024 Quail Court
Orcutt, CA 93455-6053

Questions: See Tom & Teresa's contact info above

Central Coast CA. WBCCI Unit 20 Rally: (Carmel by the River RV Park, Carmel, CA)



Wine Country RV Resort

Paso Robles, CA; March 21-25, 2019

Your Hosts: David & Mary Lawson, Jason & Andrea Grendahl
David Lawson | 805-680-7666 | dms@impulse.net; Mary Lawson | 805-680-7762



Rally Schedule

(all events in the clubhouse unless otherwise noted)

Friday:

- 5pm until ? – happy hour/dinner. Bring an appetizer to share. Appetizers are dinner, too! Desserts provided by the hosts.
- Dark – campfire (propane fire pit. If you have one, bring it! The more fire the merrier)

Saturday:

- 8am – breakfast
- 9:30am – business meeting
- 5pm – happy hour
- 6pm – catered dinner
- Dark - campfire

Sunday:

- 7:30-9:00 – breakfast
- Before 2pm – pack up and goodbyes

Please bring a beverage of choice (except breakfast) and table settings to all food events

Resort details

- Address: 2500 Airport Rd, Paso Robles, CA
- Phone: 866-550-2117
- Full-hookup sites (21 reserved for rally)
- Clubhouse: Yes. Full kitchen.
- Check in time is 2pm, check-out time noon. **Early arrival fee is \$20.** Late check-out needs to be approved through the resort office.
- Pets are free.
- Cancellations after Feb 28 are subject to resort's processing fees unless filled by another member.

Meals included

- Breakfast Sat/Sun (coffee, tea, hot choc, muffins, fruit, hard boiled eggs)
- Desserts Fri/Sat (cookies / similar)
- Dinner Saturday night including:
 - sausage lasagna
 - vegetarian lasagna
 - focaccia sandwiches
 - southwest chicken lasagna
 - mac & cheese
 - salad

Things to do (details in your welcome packet)

- Woodland Auto Museum and Estrella Warbird Museum
- Mission San Miguel
- Lake Nacimiento
- Hearst castle
- Wine tasting
- Brewery tours

Wine Country RV / Paso Robles Rally Coupon – Register by February 23

Name(s): _____ WBCCI No: _____

Street Address: _____

City, State, Zip: _____

Email: _____ Phone: _____

Emergency Contact: Name _____ Phone: _____

Rig length (ft.) _____ Motor home (circle)? Yes No Number of people attending (all ages): _____

Nights Present (please circle): Thursday \$57 Friday \$68 Saturday \$68 Sunday \$57 Site total: \$ _____

Rally Fee: \$15 per person, age 18 and older Rally Fee: \$ _____

TOTAL ENCLOSED: \$ _____

Please mail coupon & check (payable to "Central Coast Unit WBCCI") by **February 23** to:

David and Mary Lawson
624 Via Miguel
Santa Barbara, CA 93111

Questions: David Lawson | 805-680-7666 | dms@impulse.net
Mary Lawson | 805-680-7762

Central Coast CA. WBCCI Unit 20 Rally: (Wine Country RV Resort, Paso Robles, CA)

Club News and Notices



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Club Announcements:

- For Rally Coupons check our website or Facebook files
- Coming soon, Online Rally Registration instead of coupons
- Don't forget to renew your membership for 2019 – see the links below
- Co-Hosts and helpers still needed for 2019 Rallies – sign up and help!

Upcoming Events

- WBCCI: Region 12 “Cali Rally”
Oct. 9-13 | Bakersfield RV Resort
Registration TBA
- Traveling somewhere interesting this winter?
– call a “Flash Rally”

Give us your inputs for postings, notices, corrections or links for the Tattler.

Club Resources and Links

- Membership Roster and Contact List Online here:
 - Contact Walt Bremer, Webmaster, for access if you need it: wbremer@me.com
- Read Past Issues of The Tattler Newsletters:
- Access Rally Coupons online - CCCU website or CCCU Facebook
- To Join or Renew your Membership for 2019:
 - Regular Member: WBCCI International
 - Affiliate Member: CentralCoast CA. Unit Website
- Planning a Rally and Tips for hosting: Download the planning guide
- Buy CCCU Logo-Wear- instructions on website:

Airstream – Stay Connected!

Facebook Links

- WBCCI Wally Byam Airstream Club
- CentralCoast CA. Unit - Our Facebook page

WBCCI Websites

- WBCCI Region 12 Website - our parent Club
- WBCCI Airstream Club Website

Twitter Links to follow:

- WBCCI Airstream Club
- WBCCI Region 12 or #Airstream

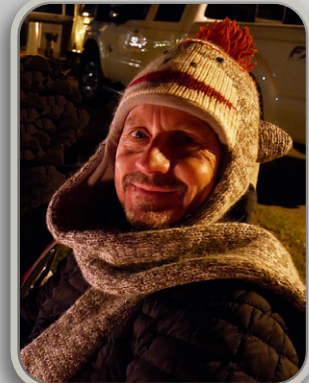
Join us and Have Fun at a Rally!



Joe & Myung Deering



Paula Poll & Judy Bremer



Dave Temple