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March 20th marked the first day of spring and serves as a reminder to take your Airstream out of hibernation and began planning for the travel season. For some, this already happened. We held our first away rally in celebration of St Patrick's Day at the Glen Ayr Resort in Hoodspport, WA. **Tim Dowell** hosted the rally at which 24 Airstreams and 49 members attended--including two first time rally attendees. The rally opened with wintry weather but cleared into a wonderfully beautiful, sunshiny event. Those who braved the initial conditions were rewarded with a spectacular rally that won't soon be forgotten.

April has two rallies scheduled. The first is the Spring Rally to be hosted by **Mike and Marti Gebbie**, April 21-23, at Lake Mayfield Resorts and Marina in Mossyrock, WA. The following weekend, April 27-30, **Carol Ortiz** will be co-hosting the annual Tri-Unit Rally on Whidbey Island, WA. Both should prove to be entertaining, relaxing, and memorable. There is still time to register for these events (see coupon page 3).

Please take advantage of the numerous opportunities to participate in upcoming rallies. I intentionally scheduled events throughout the Pacific Northwest to include as many members as possible. I serve a wonderful group of like-minded adventurers. Your participation makes this Unit one of the best and most active in the country. I look forward to seeing you soon.

Airstream for Life!

Timothy Haley, President

Spring Rally April 21-23, 2017
Lake Mayfield Marina & Resort
350 Hadaller Road, Mossyrock, WA 98564

Website: www.lakemayfield.com Phone: 360.985.2357
\$28 per night plus a group discount applied. Cabins also available.

Registration deadline is March 31, 2017 Rally Cost: \$25 pp



Please contact Lake Mayfield Resort to make your reservation by March 31.

We will, at a minimum, provide breakfast and dinner on Saturday. There will be a fishing tournament held on Saturday. We will be fishing for any legal fish where the majority are catch and release.




Bring your fishing license and your best bait. You can fish from the bank or reserve one of the boats the resort has. Saturday evening prepare for a costume party.

Wear your most magnificent Roman toga attire to dinner. Creativity is a must!

For additional information, contact one of the Gebbies.

Rally Hosts: Mike (360-485-6549) and Marti(360-250-2054)
John(360-790-4107) & Inge(360-790-0589) Gebbie

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TRI-UNIT RALLY APRIL 27 - 30, 2017



North Whidbey RV Park
565 West Cornet Bay Road,
Oak Harbor, WA 98277, (360) 675-9597

The WA Unit will be joining the North Cascade WA Unit and the British Columbia Unit for fun and more fun around the "Holland Happenings" in Oak Harbor. The Grand Parade will be on the 29th and it is quite a parade! There are carnival rides (for the young and young at heart), food vendors, local crafts and more. Joan and Bruce Rohm of the North Cascade WA Unit are the overall hosts and plan to have sandwich makings on Thursday night and dinners both Friday and Saturday evenings. The WA Unit will provide Saturday morning breakfast and the B.C. Unit will do Sunday breakfast. To cover rental of the Club House and the dinner expenses, we'll pay \$10 per person to the NCW Unit Treasurer, Jim Kolhoff at the rally.

There are plenty of places to explore: Deception Pass Bridge and the park adjacent to it, besides Oak Harbor and the Naval Air Station (if you are military). We'll have happy hours and outdoor gatherings (weather permitting). Bring games and puzzles and be prepared for many wonderful conversations.

To secure your place: **Phone the RV Park**, (Libby or Rebekah) identify yourself as from the WA Unit, pay \$36 + tax for the first night's reservation. **Resort Deadline is March 27th**. If you can't make it Thursday, come Friday and join the excitement.

Please email or call **Carol Ortiz**
(point person for the WA Unit),

so we can plan what to prepare for Saturday breakfast.

carolortiz1686@yahoo.com or

call (360) 491-6511 or (360) 870-4705

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doekat3@yahoo.com (main email)

THE ANNUAL "SILVER MIGRATION" FRIENDS+FISH=FUN!

It's that time again! The fishing rally is set for
May, 16-23, 2017. and spaces are going fast!

This year we will be returning to a long time favorite of the WBCCI Washington Unit, Black Beach Resort located in beautiful Republic, WA. Every year in May, the "silver migration" always makes its way east to the land of sun, mountains and the cool spring waters of high elevation lakes. The "silver migration" will line up on May 15, 2017 at 10:00 am across from Harmony Hall for those who wish to travel in caravan fashion. We will be leaving Harmony Hall at 10:30 am. The "silver migration" will be following the historic route of their predecessors. The beauty of the "silver migration" will travel over Tiger Mountain Summit on Hwy 18E, with its first resting point at North Bend where the migration can refuel and rest for an hour. Once restored, the "silver migration" will continue over Hwy 97N towards Wenatchee where it will rest for the night at Beebe Bridge Park located 34 miles north of Wenatchee on Hwy 97. Beebe Bridge is a first come first served park and has always had room in the past for the weary "silver migration". After such a long and grueling migration, there is no more need to hurry. The migration only has about a 2 hour journey ahead so this is the perfect morning to sleep in or spend time checking your tackle. The "silver migration" will depart towards Tonasket and then on to Republic at 11:00 am (don't want to arrive before check-in). Once there you can sit in the shade of your favorite tree or if you're like me, hit the water and start searching for the trophy winning Rainbow!



This year's rally is only \$375 for a couple and \$350 for singles leaving plenty of \$\$ for new gear or maybe go out to dinner with your favorite co-pilot.

Sign up for this amazing spectacle of the WBCCI, WA Unit annual "silver migration and fishing caravan" by April 15, 2017. You don't want to get left behind. **As of 3/16/17 there are seven spots left, so don't wait too long.**

Michael Medford, Rally Host

2017 UNIT FISHING CARAVAN MAY 16-23, 2017

Name _____
Spouse/Guest _____
Address _____
Phone _____ Cell _____
Unit (WA/Other) _____ WBCCI # _____
Trailer _____ Motorhome _____
Length _____
Email _____

Caravan hosts: Michael and Leslie Medford
Caravan Fee: \$375 for couple, \$350 for single
due by April 15, 2017.

Make checks payable to: WA Unit WBCCI
Mail to: Michael Medford,
9101 Steilacoom Rd SE #183, Olympia, WA 98513
Phone 360-870-0591

Spring Rally, April 21-23, 2017 Lake Mayfield Marina & Resort

Name(s) _____
Address _____
Phone: Home _____ Cell _____
Unit: WA _____ Other) _____ WBCCI # _____
E-Mail address for info _____
No. in Party _____ Adults _____ Children _____
No. attending _____ X \$25 _____
Total Enclosed \$ _____

**PHONE RESORT FOR RESERVATION;
360-985-2357**



LAST DAY TO REGISTER MAR 31, 2017

You may write one check for multiple rallies.
Washington Unit, WBCCI
Send to Paula Perryman
9101 Steilacoom Rd SE #76, Olympia, WA 98513
253-226-5242 paulapman@gmail.com



Crab Feed May 5-7, 2017

Name(s) _____
Address _____
Phone: Home _____ Cell _____
Unit: WA _____ Other) _____ WBCCI # _____
E-Mail address for info _____
No. in Party _____ Adults _____ Children _____
No. attending _____ X \$45 _____
Total Enclosed \$ _____

**IF PARKING ON THE TERRAPORT, CALL
GATEHOUSE FOR RESERVATION
360-491-3750 (tell them Crab Feed)**

LAST DAY TO REGISTER MAY 1, 2017

You may write one check for multiple rallies.
Washington Unit, WBCCI
Send to Paula Perryman
9101 Steilacoom Rd SE #76, Olympia, WA 98513
253-226-5242 paulapman@gmail.com

In Memoriam

The officers and members of the Washington Unit, WBCCI
express their sympathy to the families and friends
of our departed member:

Dave Reed #23746

In the way of introduction, my name is **Gloyd Dearth**. I count it a privilege to serve as your Chaplain as part of the Washington Unit #112. My wife, Jean, and I are available for needs you may have of a spiritual matter.

Gloyd Dearth, Chaplain, WA Unit
Home: 360-539-5004, Cell: 614571-8056



Easter is a season
Of hope and joy and cheer,
There's beauty all around us
To see and touch and hear...
So, no matter how down hearted
And discouraged we maybe,
New hope is born when we behold
Leaves budding on a tree...
Or when we see a timid flower
Push through the frozen sod
And open wide in glad surprise
Its petaled eyes to God...
For this is just God saying-
"Lift up your eyes to Me,
and the bleakness of your spirit,
Like the budding springtime tree,
Will lose its wintry darkness
And your heavy heart will sing"-
For God never sends the winter
Without the joy of spring.

Helen Steiner Rice

Crab Feed Rally, May 5, 6 & 7 **Harmony Hall**



This year's Crab Feed Rally will be a fun time for everyone and tasty too. The headliner once again is the Saturday evening crab dinner. Bring your tools a bib and an appetite. You will need them.

Thursday evening: BOT meeting with some ice cream to follow.

Friday: breakfast with activities yet to be determined afterwards, a fireside happy hour at 4PM (weather permitting) and a tasty evening meal.

Saturday: breakfast (I am told it is very decadent) followed by the membership meeting (time not set), lunch and fireside happy hour at 4PM. Dinner at 6PM followed by entertainment about 7:30 featuring Jeff Evans performing his magic show.

Bring your Airstream, even you Harbor residents, and join us on the Terraport for fireside activities all day and evenings.

Come meet some new friends and get reacquainted with some not so new friends, but do come to the meals, activities and fireside.

Jan and I hope to see everybody in the club here this year.

Thank you from your hosts,
Lee and Jan Wyman.

WLYH Garage Sale **Saturday, May 27, 2017**

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Submit articles for the **May 2017** WA Sound
by **deadline midday, April 19, 2017** to

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