



Coaster Chatter

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July 2020



President's Corner

Hi everyone, not much to say as there's nothing going on. Hope you are all staying safe and healthy during these trying times. Looking forward to seeing everyone soon!

Leroy



From the Wagon Master



It looks like several of our members are getting out and going places. Sue and Glenn went to Reno earlier this month to make final arrangements for the Verdi Rally in September. They have 22 rigs signed up as of June 23 and have 25 spaces reserved. So, if you plan on going you better get your information to Sue. Sybil and I went all the way to the Santa Margarita KOA (30 miles from home) along with My daughter Debbie Henderson who is a new member of the Coasters.

It was good to just get out.

Sybil and I are still planning on a post-rally trip after Verdi to the Pacific Northwest. If any of you are thinking of a post-rally trip, let me know, as I have three possibilities put together that I could send to you.

Stay well!
Denny

Notes from the Editor

IMPORTANT!

Sylvia said no sunshine report this month—no news is good news!

From Sue & Glenn:

We have decided that even if, by chance, the Balloon Races are cancelled we will still be putting on the outing. In our opinion everyone is ready to take a trip even if the main event is cancelled. We will be at a wonderful campground nestled in the foothills outside of Reno. We will be with friends (and can "social distance" as we choose), the weather should be wonderful and the food will be great (we hope). At this time the Balloon Festival is still happening so let's keep our fingers crossed. (24 of the 25 spots are reserved, so there's room for one more-let Sue know today if you want to attend.)

Registration & Activity forms for the September and October rallies are on pages 4-7

Birthdays



Do I smell
birthday
cake?



Rhonda Catron	7-1
Christine Reid	7-10
Mike Catron	7-11
James Dills	7-12
Jeff Watkins	7-12
Dennis Muller	7-13
Nevin Lithacum	7-15
Joy Gilles	7-15
Tom Tringham	7-16
Don Sturdevant	7-16
Hal Chase	7-17
Virginia Springer	7-18
Larry Johnson	7-21
Glenn DeSchryver	7-22
Jamie Strachan	7-23
Nancy Baumgart	7-24
Howard Jones	7-24
Juan Marquiz	7-25
Roy Hill	7-26
William Beckley	7-27
Leroy Davis	7-31



Anniversaries



Jim & Cece Fischer 54 years



Ernest & Debra Davis 30 Years

*Hal and Karen Chase
celebrating 41 years
this month,
no photo available*



Steve & Christine Reid 43 Years



Officers

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Wagon Master Denny Wheeler

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Sunshine Sylvia Burns
Photographer Sharon Rendall

Historian Donna Brodt
Newsletter Editors DC & Mary Contreras

California Coasters Summary Financial Statement June 2020

Beginning Balance	\$15,876.30
Receipts	2,583.00
Expenses	4,844.23
Ending Balance	\$13,615.07



According to Dale Johnson, Treasurer,
there was no activity for June, so the
figures have not change from March.

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Coaster Chapter Links (newsletters)	wafmca.com/?p=340
Coaster Rally Photos:	flickr.com/photos/12765661@N06/sets/
Coaster Member Photographs:	flickr.com/photos/12765661@N06/sets/72157610995972874/
FMCA Website	fmca.com
FMCA Digital Magazine	fmcmagazine.com
Western Motor Home Association	wafmca.com



Place: Gold Ranch Casino & RV Resort 350 Gold Ranch Rd Verdi, NV 89439 Date: Sept 10 - 13, 2020 (4 nights, leaving Sept. 14)	Trail Bosses: Glenn DeSchryver & Sue Levine Kerry & Robin Ray Dale & Betty Johnson Registration Deadline: July 1, 2020
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Name(s):	Arrival Date:
Phone:	Email:
Cell Phone:	FMCA #
Emergency Contact:	Emergency Phone:
Relationship:	Handicapped Parking : Y N

Coach Length:	License #	Tow: Y N	Number of Slides:
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ITEM	# OF NIGHTS /PEOPLE	AMOUNT CHARGED	AMOUNT TO PAY	COMMENTS
PARKING FEE PER NIGHT		\$50.00		
FOOD COST PER PERSON		\$50.00		
TOTAL ENCLOSED =				

SEND FORM and CHECK PAYABLE TO: CALIFORNIA COASTERS
 MAIL TO: Glenn DeSchryver
 1541 Rose Arbor Lane
 Simi Valley, CA 93065

NOTE: Registration checks will be deposited no more than five days prior to the start of the rally.

No clubhouse facility so we will need "Easy Ups" and tables

DIRECTIONS:

		<h2 style="text-align: center;">Rally Activity Schedule</h2> <h3 style="text-align: center;">September, 2020 Verdi, NV</h3>			
DAY/DATE	TIME	ACTIVITY			
Wednesday September 9		Early Arrivals			
Thursday September 10	All Day	Rally Arrivals			
	5:30 PM	Social Hour, Snacks Provided, BYOB			
	6:30 PM	Dinner: Knockwurst, Sauerkraut, German Potato Salad			
Friday September 11	5:00 AM	Balloon Races start today and continue the whole weekend. You will be given a schedule of each day's events. Paid parking is available at the park, \$10.00.			
	4:30 PM	Demonstration of Permanent Tire Sealant to prevent flat tires. Given by Russ Cartwright.			
	5:00 PM	Social Hour, Snacks Provided, BYOB			
	6:00 PM	Catered Mexican Dinner: Tacos, Enchiladas, Rice & Beans			
Saturday September 12	All Day	Free Day			
	5:00 PM	Social Hour, Snacks Provided, BYOB			
	6:00 PM	Dinner: Spaghetti, Salad, Garlic Bread			
Sunday September 13	All Day	Free Day			
	5:00 PM	Social Hour, Snacks Provided, BYOB			
	6:00 PM	Dinner: Spare Ribs, Beans, Coleslaw			
Monday September 14		Rally ends, Safe travels!			
		There will be after dinner activities to be announced each day			
		We have allowed lots of free time because there is so much to do in and around Reno. We will provide an extensive list of interesting places to visit			



California Coasters October 19 - 23, 2020 Rally
Valencia Travel Village - Castaic, CA



Place: Valencia Travel Village RV Resort 27946 Henry Mayo Road (Hwy 126) Castaic, CA 91384 (Four night rally starts on Monday ends on Friday)	Committee: George & Donna	Brodts
	Randy & Doris	Gibbs
	Dave & Sylvia	Burns
	Woody & Ida-Jean	Woodruff
Registration Deadline: September 11, 2020		

Name(s):		Arrival Date:	
Phone:		Email:	
Cell Phone:		FMCA #	
Emergency Contact:		Emergency Phone:	
Relationship:		Handicapped Parking : Y N	

Coach Length:	License #:	Tow: Y N	Number of Slides:	
ITEM	# OF	AMOUNT CHARGED	AMOUNT TO PAY	COMMENTS
PARKING FEE PER NIGHT		\$53.00		
FOOD COST PER PERSON		\$55.00		
TOTAL ENCLOSED =				



Send registration form and your check made payable to: **CALIFORNIA COASTERS**

MAIL TO: George Brodts
28378 Willow Canyon Court
Santa Clarita, CA 91390

NOTE: Registration checks will be deposited no more than five days prior to the start of the rally.

We are planning to follow the recommended Covid-19 social distancing and face mask guidelines recommended in LA County during this rally. Travel Village is a nice RV Resort that is located in the northern part of LA County. It is located off of Hwy 126 about one mile west of Interstate 5 in the town of Castaic, CA.

Directions: Driving north or south on Interstate 5 you would take the Hwy 126 exit and go west about one mile to the traffic signal at Cambridge View Drive. Turning **left** on Cambridge View Drive takes you into the RV Park. If you are driving east on Hwy 126 from Ventura, you would turn **right** at the Cambridge View Drive traffic signal (about one mile before reaching Interstate 5).

 RALLY ACTIVITY SCHEDULE Valencia Travel Village 		
DAY/DATE	TIME	ACTIVITY
Sunday 10/18/2020	2:00 PM	Committee Arrives
Monday 10/19/2020	2:00 PM	Members Arrive
	5:00 PM	Social Hour (BYOB), hosts provide snacks
	6:00 PM	Catered Mexican Dinner (BYOTS)
Tuesday 10/20/2020	7:30 AM	Coffee and danish at the clubhouse (Bring mug)
	9:30 AM	Suggested outing to the Ronald Reagan Presidential Library in Simi Valley www.reaganlibrary.com
	10:00 AM	Optional outing for target practice at Oaktree Gun Club in Newhall, CA
	Noon	Lunch on your own
	5:00 PM	Social Hour (BYOB), hosts provide snacks
	6:00 PM	Catered Grand Panda Chinese Dinner (BYOTS)
	7:00 PM	Dice game - Left Center Right \$ 0.75 entry fee to play
Wednesday 10/21/2020	7:30 AM	Coffee and danish at the clubhouse (Bring mug)
	9:30 AM	Suggested free outing to The Getty Center art museums in Brentwood, CA
	Noon	Lunch on your own at The Getty or someplace else
	3:30 PM	General member business meeting
	5:00 PM	Social Hour (BYOB), hosts provide snacks
	6:00 PM	Catered Italian Dinner (BYOTS)
	7:00 PM	Bingo - Cards \$ 2.00/ea or three for \$ 5.00
Thursday 10/22/2020	7:30 AM	Coffee and danish at the clubhouse (Bring mug)
	9:00 AM	Carpools depart for the Nethercutt Museum and Collection 155151 Bledsoe St. Sylmar, CA 91342
	10:00 AM	Free guided tour of restored classic cars, musical instruments and the mighty Wurlitzer organ
	Noon	Lunch on your own
	5:00 PM	Social Hour (BYOB), hosts provide snacks
	6:00 PM	Catered Bar-B-Que dinner by Rattlers (BYOTS)
Friday 10/23/2020	8 to 11:00 AM	Rally ends - Have a safe drive home

California Coasters Chapter, FMCA 2020 Schedule

2020	RALLY & LOCATION	TRAIL BOSS	ASSISTANTS
January 8 - 12	WFMCA Rally Riverside County Fairground Indio, CA	DC & Mary Contreras	Steve & Sheila Ton Glenn & Sue DeSchryver Don & Denise Sturdevant Kerry & Robin Ray
February 10-12	Flying Flags RV Resort Buellton, CA	Tim & Joy Gilles	Lance & Judi Brown Pat & Shirley Crawford
March 16 – 20	Ventura Ranch KOA Event Cancelled	Ed & Geri Frank Event Cancelled	Mike & Karen Morrow
April 21 - 25	Kings River RV Park Kingsburg, CA Event Cancelled	Denny & Sylvia Wheeler Event Cancelled	Dave & Sylvia Burns
May 4 - 8	The Lakes RV Resort Chowchilla, CA Event Cancelled	Bob & Julie Wyrick Event Cancelled	Need Assistant Trail Bosses
June/July/Aug.	DARK MONTHS		
September 10 – 13	Gold Ranch Casino & RV Resort Verdi, NV	Glenn DeSchryver & Sue Levine	Kerry & Robin Ray Dale & Betty Johnson
Oct. 19 - 23	Valencia Travel Village Castaic, CA	George & Donna Brodt	Randy & Doris Gibbs Dave & Sylvia Burns Woody & Ida-Jean Woodruff
November	DARK MONTH		
December 1 - 3	Wine Country RV Resort Paso Robles	Leroy & DJ Davis	David & Lisa Henry Dennis & Judy Muller Steve & Sheila Ton