



April 2015

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Presidents Message...



Hello again my fellow RAMBLERS, let me start this letter by thanking the FARR' S for a wonderful RALLY in YUMA this past month. The food was great, starting off with CORNED BEEF AND CABBAGE (T'WAS SAINT PATTY'S DAY don't you know). I have always thought of "THE PALMS" as one the best R. V. parks in our area. The food at MI RANCHO MEXICAN REASTURANT was again very good, as always.

Some of our members have left to beat our HOT SUMMER DAYS, and the APRIL RALLY will be our last one of the season so please all try to make it. Remember MAY 13th. @ GOLDEN CORRAL will be our ANNUAL MEETING, so please try to be there to say goodbye for the SUMMER to all our members.

Some of us may meet up during our trek this summer, MARION and I will be in the NORTHWEST AREA, OREGON AND WASHINGTON so if you are nearby, give us a call, maybe we can meet up for a few days. Remember to take your member list with you. You never know when you may need to call one of us to help you "PARTY".

Well no one has told me " WHAT GOES UP THE CHIMMNEY DOWN-- BUT WILL NOT GO DOWN THE CHIMMNEY UP " (I have asked you for the last TWO MONTHS) so I will tell you,--- IT IS AN " UMBERELLA "--- THINK ABOUT IT.

BE GOOD TO OTHERS AND GOD BLESS YOU ALL. See you in COTTONWOOD.
YOUR PREZ
. DON

2015 - 2016 Rallies

April 14 – 18 2015 Verde Valley RV Resort
Cottonwood, AZ
Dennis Callaghan 928.854.7611

May 13th 2015 The Annual meeting is Wednesday at 12:00 PM at the Golden Corral in Lake Havasu City. Cost \$10.00 p/p

October 2015 Lone Pine California
Rob & Shirley Crow 928.453.1462

December 17 2015 Thur 5-9 PM Christmas Party
College Street Brewhouse & Pub, Lake Havasu
Dorothy & Shirley 928.706.0433

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HAPPY EASTER



March Rally

Yuma Rally....

We had 8 coaches in attendance. Don & Marion Lay, Chuck & Dorothy Michelsen, Rob & Shirley Crow, Don & Gladys Gilbertson, Frank & Kathryn Richmond, Jim & Janice McDaniel, Bob Faulkner and the hosts Gene & Susie Farr.

The weather was so nice, although it did rain a bit one day but it cooled it down nicely.

We started off the rally upon arrival on St. Patrick's Day with a Corned Beef & Cabbage Dinner. That was followed off the next morning with a breakfast of Western



Omelet Casseroles, biscuits and gravy, bacon and sausage and fruit. Afterwards we all went our own way for the day. During the course of the week some of us found our way to the mall, the casino, the Peanut Patch, Algodonas, and let's not forget the Market Place. I think everyone ended up at the Market Place sooner or later. We also found some good lunch spots.

We went out to a great mexican dinner as a group on Thursday night. We capped off our week with a potluck dinner on Friday night.



Saturday morning was departure day so we met for a continental breakfast to say good bye until the next rally.

We would like to thank those who attended this rally and would also like to thank the other hosts this year for their rallies. This will be our last rally for about a year as we will be returning home to Montana to get our house built. If you are up our way, give us a call and you can come by and see the progress.



Have a safe and happy summer where ever your travels take you ...
Gene and Susie Farr

Hello CRR Members:

Here are some ideas for future rallies, some in CA, and some in NV and AZ. The CA ideas are: Morro Dunes Rv Park, Morro Bay, South Woods RV Park near Santa Cruz, which is the central coast and near redwoods, Pismo Coast Village, pricey but right on the beach, Salinas area near Carmel, Pebble Beach, Boardwalk and wineries, Visalia Sequoia near National forests, and Flying Flags RV in Buelton.

The spots in Nevada that are wonderful are Lake Tahoe and Sparks.

Ideas for AZ are Grand Canyon Caverns, Seligman, Show Low, Prescott, Phoenix and Tucson areas.

Most of these areas are some distance away, but they would be great destinations. Contact us or Frank and Kathie for any assistance making plans. We are always trying to think of interesting and different places to experience together. We have made lots of special memories through the years, and hope that we can all continue to have fun together. Thanks for your wonderful friendships and memories.

Rob and Shirley Crow



Friendships & Daisies

*In the wakening of springtime
Warm winds begin to blow
And like true friendships
Flowers begin to bloom and grow
Sunshine and showers
Make each blossom glow
Becoming fields of daisies
Blowing in the breeze
With a sweet and fragrant beauty
That's just as pretty as you please*

K Richmond

NEXT YEARS RALLY HOSTS

The following is a list of next years rally hosts. If you have any questions or concerns or need help on how to plan a rally, please contact Rob Crow at 928.453.1462 or Frank Richmond at 928.754.2506



- October 2015 Rob & Shirley Crow
- November 2015 Terry & Irene Moncrief
- December 2015 Dorothy & Shirley Christmas Party
- January 2016 Don & Gladys Gilberlson
- February 2016 Frank & Kathie Richmond
- March 2016 Chuck & Dorothy Michelsen
- April 2016 Open Looking for Someone Please Call
- May 13th 2016 Annual Meeting Wednesday



MAY MEETING

Meeting is scheduled for **Wednesday May 13th at 12:00 PM, at Golden Corral in Lake Havasu Cost \$10.00 Per Person..** All members should plan on attending. That is your time to be heard. Have a suggestion or a concern? That's your chance to express it. Also elections will be held to elect board members. Nominations will be taken from the floor.

Please show your support for our club and attend our annual election meeting.



Joke of the Month

Two Alabama State Troopers were pursuing a stolen car along the interstate highway toward Georgia. When the suspect crossed the state line into Georgia, the trooper who was driving pulled over immediately. "Why did you stop, Sarge?" asked the other trooper. The sergeant replied, "He's in Georgia now. They're an hour ahead of us, so we'll never catch him."



"He's a careful planner. However, he's been planning our RV trip for over 5 years, so he might be a little too careful."

VERDE VALLEY RV & CAMPING RESORT

APRIL RALLY

April 14 – 18 2015

Dennis & Marge Callaghan 928.854.7611

6400 E Thousand Trails Rd

Cottonwood, Az 86326

800.491.9657



Directions

From Flagstaff: Travel south on I-17 to Camp Verde, Exit 287. Turn off on Hwy 260 and travel northwest about 8 miles. The preserve is on the right, between mileposts 212 and 211.

Note: Hwy 89A from Prescott to Cottonwood is not recommended

Tuesday April 14th Arrive 5:00 Attitude adjustment. Bring Heavy Hors D'oeuvres

Wednesday April 15th 10:30 Carpool to Jerome.

Lunch at the Asylum Restaurant. In an historic hotel with beautiful views. (not included in rally fees) Visit Gold King Ghost Town.

5:00 Attitude adjustment. Dinner on your own.

There is a restaurant on the premises for those who wish to try it. I hear it is very good

Thursday April 16th 10:00 Caravan to Tuzigoot Ruins.

5:00 Attitude adjustment, Pulled Pork dinner supplied by host

Friday April 17th

Free day, Golf shopping etc. Or 11:00 Caravan to Clemenceau Heritage Museum

5:00 BBQ Tri-Tip dinner. supplied by host.

Saturday April 18th 8:30 Continental Breakfast. Depart

COST: \$190.00. Please mail checks to

Dennis Callaghan

1642 McCulloch Blvd N. #398

Lake Havasu City, AZ 86403



DEADLINE

APRIL 1 2015

The resort needs to have the names and coach size by April 1st as this is the busy season for them so please get your reservation in to me as soon as possible. (We have 12 spaces reserved lets fill them up)

The restaurant has requested a head count for the lunch on Wednesday so they can be prepared for us. Please indicate if you are attending and how many.

Name: _____ Phone: _____ Cell: _____

Address _____ City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Motor home Make: _____ Length: _____ Lunch # _____

APPLICATION FOR MEMBERSHIP

COLORADO RIVER RAMBLERS

Name(s) _____

Mailing Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip Code _____

Home Phone _____ Cell Phone _____

FMCA # _____ Email _____

Motorhome Info. _____

Year _____ Make _____ Model _____ Length _____

\$25.00 Annual Dues

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ARIZONA

Please print your names as you wish them to appear on your Badges.

Member _____

Spouse/other _____

Mail completed application and check made out to COLORADO RIVER RAMBLERS to:

**Dennis Callahan
3962 Azul Drive
Lake Havasu City, AZ 86406
(928) 854-7611**

For official use only: () Name badges ordered by Treasurer from Gold Star Trophies

- () Dues to Treasurer for deposit**
- () Names to Secretary for Membership Roster**
- () Names & E-Mail Address to Newsletter Editor**
- () Provide new member information to President**