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Presidents Message...

Hello again my fellow RAMBLERS, I hope you all had a safe and pleasant summer

R.V.ing out of the awful heat of HAVASU CITY, or the desert of ARIZONA. HAVASU is my favorite city except for about 4 months in the SUMMER HEAT. Just remember we have NO EARTHQUAKES--NO FLOODS--- NO HURICANES, just nice COOL WINTERS, oh I forgot NO SNOW--- NO SNOW"

We have a good list of RALLY'S coming up so I hope all of you can make them happen. I already have 9 coaches going to the AVI in NOV. please those who have not called " OMA " @ 800-284-2946 to make your own RESERVATION please do so then call me.

The first RALLY of the year is in WILLIAMS AZ. and will be a lot of fun, you may go to the RIM OF THE CANYON , and BEARZONA wild animal park where the ANIMALS RUN FREE.

Since MARION was not feeling too great we did not want to stray too far from HOME, so spent a few weeks in WILLIAMS, it was very nice and very COOL. The CALLAHGANS were nice enough to join us and we had a good time.

Well that's about all the exercise my finger can use for now, so I'll close this letter and wish you all safe travels and " MAY GOD BLESS YOU ALL "

your PREZ. DON

HAVE YOU EVER WONDERED WHY IS THERE A " D " IN THE WORD FRIDGE BUT NOT IN REFRIGERATOR???????????????

2016- 2017 Rallies

November 13 – 17 2017 AVI Casino, Laughlin, Nv
Don & Marion Lay

December 2017 Christmas Party

January 11 – 15 2018 Palms RV Resort, Yuma AZ
Dennis & Margie Callaghan

February 20 - 23 2018 Desert Willow RV Resort
Hesperia, California
Chuck & Dorothy Michelsen

March 2018 Don & Marion Lay

April 2018 Frank & Kathie Richmond

May 2018 Annual Meeting

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Friendly Reminder...

Remember club dues are due before October. Take a moment to write a check for \$25.00 so you don't lose track of it over the summer.

Mail to:

Lou Sheeler
976 Rolling Hills Dr
Lake Havasu City, Az 86406

How we spent our summer

SUMMER 2017 THE FLYNN'S



We left on July 5th in our RV headed for The Calgary Stampede in Alberta, Canada.

Took only 6 days to get there, so we were on the move pretty much every day. We had not

been any farther north than Idaho Falls before, so really enjoyed going thru Montana. Lots of wide open space there! Both MT and AB were almost entirely farming country. The Stampede was a hoot, eh! Those crazy Canadians and their chuck wagon races – hooking up 4 quarter horses to one wagon and running like a bat out of hell!

While there, we were hosted by our snow bird golf buddies who come to Havasu for the winter. Toured Calgary & Banff, then traveled the Trans Canadian Highway over to Okanagan Valley in British Columbia.

Each place was really beautiful in its own unique way; sadly, there were many fires going on which kind of limited viewing the majestic mountains. In BC, we spent 6 days sightseeing, golfing and wine tasting with friends. Got to say.....we were worn out before we even began our trek back home!

Came back thru Coeur d'Alene, which we fell in love with. Got all the way to Salt Lake before we had trouble; could not avoid hitting a semi truck's tread that came off his tire. RV was ok, but took out the front of our tow car. Oh well, could have been worse. Got home mid- August to heat, heat, heat but still glad to be home.

Hope to see you all in October.

(Thanks Carl & Debbie)

How are you spending your summer

Hope everyone has a great summer. Let us know and we will share with everyone how you spend your summer,



SPECIAL NOTE

January Rally

You must Call the Rv Resort early (NOW) to reserve a spot. (See Flyer Below)

WE HAVE SOME NEW MEMBERS

Please welcome our new member at the next rally.

Terry Bitrich and
Deanna Sebek from
Parker Az



Cal and I think Meg
Bowman from Lake Havasu

Allen and Barb Palumbo from Bullhead City

Joke of the week



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."



CRR Williams October 2017 Rally

Oct 17-20, 2017 Depart 21st

Railside RV Ranch, 877 E Rodeo Rd, Williams, AZ 86046, 928-635-4077.

DEADLINE September 25, 2017. COST \$ 216.00

Rally Masters: Brian Tarrant, 928-279-4387 Rob and Shirley Crow, 928-706-0433

Directions: From Jct of I-40 and Grand Canyon Blvd (Exit 163), go S 0.1 mile to Grand Canyon Blvd to Rodeo Road. Go E 0.6 miles to Railside.

Tuesday Oct 17 5:00 P.M. Happy Hour

5:30 P.M. Dinner provided by Railside, then Bingo

Wednesday Oct 18, 9:45 A.M. Carpool to Bearizona Wildlife Park. This is a 3 mile drive through park on 160 acres through Ponderosa Pine Forest. There is also Fort Bearizona, a winding path in a zoo setting to see baby animals, and a Predatory Bird Show. Reviews are excellent for all of these activities.

5:00 P.M. Happy Hour. Nuts and Chips provided by Hosts

Thursday Oct 19 9:45 A.M. Carpool to IMAX Theatre and lunch in Tusayan or Grand Canyon.

5:30 P.M. Bring hors d'oeuvres, table service, and white elephant gift (one per person)

Friday Oct 20 Totally free day.

5:00 P.M. Dinner out. Restaurant to be decided later.

Saturday Oct 21 7:30-9:00 A.M. Continental Breakfast before traveling home safely.

Info: Tickets for Grand Canyon Train, Bearizona and IMAX may be purchased at Railside. Directions and movie names later. Shuttle provided to town and train station. All activities at Club House adjacent to Office. Early arrivals call Railside directly.

DEADLINE September 25. This is very important and would appreciate e mails or texts very soon if you think that you will be able to attend. S – shirlcrw@gmail.com. R – robertcrow80@gmail.com.

CRR WILLIAMS RALLY REGISTRATION

Name _____ Address _____

City _____ Cell Phone _____

Length of RV _____ Cost of Rally: \$216.00. Includes 4 nights camping, one dinner and continental breakfast.

Please make checks payable to: Brian Tarrant, 2673 Broken Arrow Street, Kingman, AZ 86401

November Rally
Avi Casino Loughtlin Nv
November 13th thru 17th
Host Don & Marion Lay

Each member must do the following---- Call the AVI Campgrounds and make their own reservation. Here is the instructions--- CALL " OMA " @ 800-284-2946-- be sure to tell her they are with " COLORADO RIVER RAMBLERS" DATE IS in NOV. 13th - out NOV 17th (4) nights. Then call me 928-453-3535 so I can add them to my list. I will be charging each coach about \$ 20.00 for snacks and what ever else. The RATE FOR THE R.V. PARK is ONLY \$ 19.00 per night. So this is going to be a " CLOSE & QUICK & CHEAP " RALLY. THANKS DON

The January, 2018 Rally
YUMA

Location: The Palms Rv Resort.

Dates:

Arrive: Thursday, 1/11/18

Depart: Monday, 1/15/18

We have 10 spaces on hold. January is a very busy month and spaces are difficult to secure. The resort has requested those who plan to attend call the resort directly and reserve their spot ASAP. If you wish to extend your stay they will honor the rally rate of 38.59 per nite. TO RESERVE YOUR SITE PLEASE DO THE FOLLOWING:

** Call the resort at 855-725-6778 and speak to TABATHA.

** Inform her you are with the COLORADO RIVER RAMBLERS GROUP.

**Secure your reservation with your credit card.

They are very accommodating and will email or mail you your receipt and conformation.

** Email Margie and I at dcallaghan@citlink.net so we will have a count of who is attending.

They have, we have been told, excellent entertainment. On Saturday evening they will have A Tribute to The Beach Boys in their showroom. They sell out quickly so if you wish to attend we suggest you secure your tickets early.

We will be getting out a rally itinerary in a subsequent newsletter. At that time we will also post what the club cost will be to cover food etc.

We hope to see all of you there. Remember, don't delay in making your reservations.

Dennis & Margie Callaghan

928-854-7611

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

We are an FMCA affiliate

LAKE HAVASU CITY
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:

Lou Sheeler
976 Rolling Hills Dr
Lake Havasu City, AZ 86406
(928) 846.2008

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