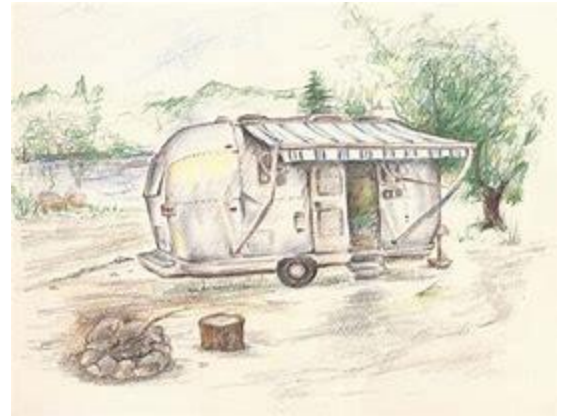


# The Ticker

Newsletter of the Central Indiana Airstream Club  
December 2020



## From Our President – December 2020

Greetings CIACers,

Welcome to the end of 2020. Let us hope for a better 2021.

I know that many (most?) of us are hunkering down (an older version of the word 'quarantine') at home this winter and we will not be Snow birding this year. But that is OK. We are staying home and we are staying safe.

On Monday evening, the CIAC Executive Board met via a Zoom video call to finalize our plans for 2021. During this meeting, the Board approved three, three day/two-night weekenders, a four-day rally and several other events. The entire schedule for CIAC is published in this month's Ticker. You will see a couple of TBDs and TBA (To Be Determined and To Be Announced) notes in the calendar. We are still working on these events and we will let you know when this planning is complete.

### WINTER SATURDAY LUNCHEONS

The Board chose to not hold our upcoming January-April winter luncheons because of COVID, but we decided to have electronic get-togethers. Stay tuned for more information on the "Brown Bag Lunches."

### OTHER CLUBS' ACTIVITIES

The Club Presidents in the WBAC Region Five (covering the States of Indiana, Kentucky, and Illinois) have all agreed to publicize their



*Happy Holidays to the Central Indiana  
Airstream Club Family!*

### **INCLUDED IN THIS EDITION OF THE TICKER:**

- 2021 Club Calendar
- Minutes of September 2020 Board Meeting
- Minutes of October 2020 Club Annual Meeting and Election
- Information on 2021 Events Hosted by Nearby Airstream Clubs

activities to the other clubs in the Region. It has been fun to meet members of other WBAC clubs at our events and I do hope you – as CIAC members – will take advantage of some of the other Club's activities.

In this month's Ticker, we are publishing the announcement for the Illinois Lincolnland's upcoming Wildflower Foray Rally at Brown County State Park on April 23-26, 2021. If you are interested in joining the Lincolnland group on this rally, please contact them directly. It looks like it will be a fun weekend.

## NEW MEMBERS

The CIAC is an extremely healthy club with close to fifty Regular and Affiliate members. We have gained several new members this year and they are listed elsewhere in the Ticker. I hope our new members will join us at our upcoming events and I personally look forward to meeting each of you.

## IN CLOSING

For the CIAC, while we did have to curtail many of our activities in 2020, and some were cancelled for us, we did put our Airstreams on the road, we camped at some of our favorite Indiana State Parks and we made new friends. Not all bad, everything considered. Please enjoy the upcoming Holidays with your families – safely – and we will meet somewhere down the road next year.

Keep the Shiny Side Up ... John Deegan, CIAC President

## Meet Our Newest Club Trustee

We welcome our new board member and trustee, Brenda Ansel. We will let Brenda introduce herself and tell her Airstream story:

Dave said, "you're crazy", "have you lost your mind?" and "what if we don't like it"? This is how we got started camping and yes, I might be a little crazy, I have not lost my mind that I am aware of, and yes, we like it. So much so at the end of this camping season we decided to trade our Bambi in on a new 25ft Flying Cloud. It

should be ready in February if all goes as planned.

So, let me back up a bit. I am Brenda, married to Dave, mother to Natalie and Izzy. I camped with my parents a handful of times when I was younger, and tent camped in my high school years. Then life happened, college, job, husband, kids and fast forward some 20+ years. I have been a nurse for thirty-three years and have worked at St. Francis for the last twenty-five of that. Currently I am a NP at a spine specialty clinic. Dave and I have been married for 16 years and he retired from the fire department four years ago after forty years of service. We met while I was working in the ED. I found out he had a motorcycle, and our first date was a ride that lasted well into the night. We spent many years riding motorcycles all over the country and loved it but eventually hung up our helmets for a home in the country, a tractor and a gator. Life was busy with work, kids, pets and very little free time. As the girls got older, they were gone more and more and I was seeing a lot of people buying vintage campers, fixing them up and glamping was the new thing. I had the bug for sure. I started looking for a canned ham and eventually found an adorable 11 ft Playmor. I got it for a steal and while it was not perfect it did not need extensive renovation. We used it for a whole season and fell in love with camping. We had to get something bigger, so the search was on again and we sold the Playmor. I was looking at SOB's and Dave suggested an Airstream. I found our Bambi on Marketplace two years ago and we have thoroughly enjoyed it. We have made some great friends and been to some great places. We experienced the usual newbie fails and been to some not-so-great places too but overall, we are loving it. We joined the club two years ago and have enjoyed participating in club events and meeting the other members. We are going to Urban Air this year so we will miss the season opener. We are planning on attending international and I think I am supposed to be coordinating a caravan, so I welcome any and all assistance since I know nothing about caravanning! I am looking forward to another fun season of camping in the new FC with Dave and Billy as your newest trustee.....Brenda



### Club Luncheons

Like many things in 2020, our monthly club luncheons in 2021 are becoming a victim of the covid pandemic.

We will not be holding monthly club luncheons at the MCL Cafeteria on West 86<sup>th</sup> Street, as we have previously published, in January, February, March, or April of 2021.

The executive committee made this decision considering the current COVID-19 situation in Indiana and considering that the national vaccination effort is just getting started. The board felt not having these luncheons in the best thing for the health and safety of our membership

But all is not lost! Hold these dates on your calendar:

- January 9, 2021 (note: second Saturday of the month)
- February 6
- March 6
- April 3

Club member Damon Beals is looking into organizing virtual club events for these dates in lieu of our luncheons, Details on these events will be forthcoming.



*Even in these challenging times, technology can help us stay connected!*



**Our first weekender for 2021 will be at Brown County State Park**

**Buffalo Ridge Campground**

**Target Sites: 25-32, 36-42, 43-52**

**Friday, April 30 - Sunday, May 2**

**Reservations are now open.**

<https://indianastateparks.reserveamerica.com/>



**Central Indiana Airstream Club**

**June 2021 Camping Event**

**June 10 - June 13, 2021**

**Clifty Falls State Park**

**Madison, Indiana**

*Pictured - The historic Lanier Mansion in Madison*

**Make your camping reservation now!**

## June 2021 – Clifty Falls State Park

On December 15<sup>th</sup>, we emailed to all club members details on our June 2021 Clifty Falls State Park outing. We are resharing that information below.

Dear Central Indiana Airstream Friends,

I hope that this email finds you all well.

I am writing to provide some information on the June 2021 Camping Event for our club that we are planning.

As the club executive committee put together a calendar of events for 2021, which we will get published in an edition of the Ticker to come out shortly, we discussed planning an event for the month of June that would be a bit longer than our typical Friday-Sunday weekender.

Here is what we are planning. We will hold a "camping event" - I guess we should call it a rally - at Clifty Falls State Park in Madison, Indiana. The dates will be Thursday, June 10 through Sunday, June 13. Your hosts will be Joe and Julie Ashland (one thing we are starting this year is having "hosts" for each event).

Consider this a "flexible arrival date" event.....we understand that some people will not be able to be there for the entire event.....come and stay as much as your schedule permits.

Your hosts will be arranging one or perhaps two activities for Thursday (June 10), Friday (June 11), and Saturday (June 12). We are thinking of including a visit to the Lanier Mansion/Madison Visitor Center Museum and a historic walking tour of the town and/or a riding tour (the visitor center offers guides for these sort of things). We are researching to see if there are any boat rides on the Ohio based in Madison, there are two wineries that do tastings if there are people interested in wine. We can organize some board or card games one evening and of course have happy hours and campfires. We will have to wait and see how things are with COVID-19 before we try to plan any group meals at the campground or restaurant meals.

***If you would like to attend, please make your own camping reservation for Clifty Falls State Park ASAP.***

<https://indianastateparks.reserveamerica.com/>

***Reservations for these dates are already open and there are already a limited number of electric sites available. Again, you can arrive and depart as your schedule permits. Your hosts will arrive on Wednesday June 9 and depart on Sunday 13.***

We know many of you have been to Clifty Falls and Madison. Please let us know of any things you have done there or places you have visited there that we may want to consider including in our plans.

Questions - Call Joe Ashland, 317-430-1395 or drop me an email at [jjashland522@gmail.com](mailto:jjashland522@gmail.com) (I will see your email quicker if you use my Gmail address rather than responding to this message).

### **Looking for More Camping Opportunities?**

Can't get enough time camping with other Airstreamers?

Airstream Club events are open to all Wally Byam Airstream Club members! Look at your monthly online or print copy of the Blue Beret Magazine. Events are listed and described, broken out by region.

We have received some information on events from some nearby clubs. Here are some chances to enjoy time with Northern Indiana and Illinois Airstreamers.

The [Northern Indiana Airstream Club](#) has a rally planned for May 20-23, 2021. It will take place in Niles, Michigan at the Riverfront Park Campground. Contact Club President Judy Rice for details. Phone 269-449-4351, or email [gandjrice@sbcglobalnet.net](mailto:gandjrice@sbcglobalnet.net).

The Lincolnland Airstream Club holds their annual Wildflower Foray Rally on April 23-26, 2021, at Brown County State Park here in

Indiana. There is a full page of information on this event in this edition of the Ticker. Contact Club President Bernie Taylor for details. 309-251-7744, or email [bgtdm132@gmail.com](mailto:bgtdm132@gmail.com).

The Northern Illinois Airstream Club has shared with us a fulling listing of their 2021 events. It is at the back of this edition of the Ticker. They have trips planned to destinations in Illinois, Indiana, and Wisconsin.

### Welcome to our Newest Members!

#### Regular Members

Howard & Susan Bishop #7164, Columbus, IN

Mark & Kathy Tarrh #7232, Indianapolis, IN

Victoria & Randall Baker #7339, Columbus, IN

Ace & Beth Yakey #2727, Indianapolis, IN

Lisa Hall & Robin Herman #24248,  
Indianapolis, IN

Tim & Kim Shinn #18089, Fillmore, IN

David & Terri Irwin #2791, Spencer, IN

Pamela & Ernie Anderson #7715, Ft. Collins,  
CO (moving back to Indiana in 2021)

Dwayne & Amy Whittaker #31040, Logansport,  
IN

#### Affiliates

John & Valerie Francis #4561, Russia, OH

Chris & Nancy Seplak #246, Ossian, IN



Wally Byam Airstream Club  
64<sup>th</sup> Annual International Rally  
July 17 – 24, 2021  
Wilson County Expo Center  
Lebanon, Tennessee

Registration Info:

<https://airstreamclub.org/lebanon-2021-international-rally/lebanon-2021-registration>

## Minutes of Executive Board Meeting Central Indiana Airstream Club September 10, 2020

President John Deegan presiding.

E-meeting called to order at 7:00 PM EST.  
Board members present, Pres. John Deegan, 1<sup>st</sup>  
VP Joe Ashland, Treasurer Mary Ellen Deegan,  
Secretary Charles Mason, Trustees Daryl and  
Denise Baldwin, Trustee Mike Brown.

A quorum is present.

Joe Ashland moved to accept the meeting minutes from May 12, 2020 and June 11, 2020 as written. Daryl Baldwin 2<sup>nd</sup>. Vote was unanimous: Yes.

Mary Ellen Deegan read the Treasurers' report and will Email the report to the Secretary to be included in the current meeting minutes. She recommends the Club should spend some of the money instead of setting the membership annual dues at \$0.00. Joe Ashland agreed and feels the Club could use money in recruitment of new members. Daryl Baldwin moved that the annual dues be restored to \$15.00 beginning January 1, 2021. Mike Brown 2<sup>nd</sup>. Vote was unanimous: Yes.

Mary Ellen Deegan reported that CIAC has 46 Regular members and 3 Affiliate members. She said the "membership portal" on the International website is not ready for membership renewal.

Chris Dillow sent out the current Directory with the revised Constitution and Bylaws (C&B) on September 6, 2020. The C&B changes will need to be voted on by the membership.

Pres. Deegan proposed adding the office of 2<sup>nd</sup> VP to the Executive Board. He also proposed that the number of Trustees be increased. Joe Ashland suggested to add 2 trustees now and

maybe more later. Daryl Baldwin suggested a minimum of 4 and a maximum of 8. Joe Ashland moved to have min.4/max.8 trustees. Daryl Baldwin 2<sup>nd</sup>. Vote unanimous: Yes. This change will need a vote by the membership. Chris Dillow will make changes to C&B for inclusion in the Sept. "Ticker". Joe Ashland to send out Sept. "Ticker" before October 1<sup>st</sup>.

The October CIAC Weekender is still on the schedule. The attendees will need to practice safe distancing and Covid-19 protection. Info will be included in the "Ticker".

Joe Ashland reviewed the proposed CIAC calendar for years 2021 and 2022. He suggested to have a program/speaker at CIAC luncheons and to not have luncheons in January and March. He cited low attendance at luncheons during winter months. Daryl Baldwin said that even small attendance allowed positive interactions. Since CIAC does not plan camping events in the same month as the International and Region 5 Rallies, he suggested having "no host" weekend camping for those members who can't/do not attend the International or Region 5 Rallies.

Pres. Deegan asked the Board for names of members for possible future office holders. Joe Ashland will make an appeal in the "Ticker" for member involvement in the Club.

Pres. Deegan said Brenda Ansel asked if CIAC might organize a caravan to the International Rally in Tennessee next year. He said it is about a 6-hour drive. He will contact Brenda to see if she would be willing to be the organizer.

Pres. Deegan stated that Tom and Vickie Ketcham (affiliate members) are planning a National Caravan from Baltimore, Md to Vandalia, Illinois. The caravan would be during May of 2022 and would consist of (3) nine-day segments. Ketchams have asked if anyone from CIAC would like to "co-host" the rally with them.

Pres. Deegan asked the Board members to think about ways to recruit new members and encourage member involvement. He would like to have 5-6 more members. The Club would like

members to volunteer for jobs like: "Ticker" editor, Hospitality, Historian and others.

Pres. Deegan proposed awarding Lifetime CIAC Membership to Barry and Karen Bell. Mike Brown moved to do so. Daryl Baldwin 2<sup>nd</sup>. Vote was unanimous: Yes.

Pres. Deegan stated that the CIAC used to host the INDY 500 National Rally. Camping was at the State Fairgrounds. Daryl Baldwin and Pres. Deegan will check with Barry Bell to get info of what would be involved to host a National Rally. If a multi-day rally is too involved, then maybe a rally on race weekend might work out.

Damon Beals reported about the International website. The home office has moved to a new platform. All the Club websites will be on the International site and will have the same "look" and format.

Open discussion: Need to find ways to encourage member involvement. Pres. Deegan and Damon Beals will send letters/emails to all members to "Welcome" and promote the CIAC activities to generate interest.

The meeting was adjourned at 8:53 PM.

Submitted by Charles Mason, Secretary, CIAC

## Minutes of Annual Business Meeting Central Indiana Airstream Club October 17, 2020

Meeting held at Versailles State Park, Versailles, Indiana

Meeting called to order: 2:15 PM EST,  
President John Deegan presiding.

CIAC board members present: Pres. John Deegan, Treasurer Mary Ellen Deegan, Secretary Charles Mason, Trustees Darryl and Denise Baldwin.

CIAC members attending Deegan, Bishop, Dillow, D. Beals, Baldwin, Ansel, Mason. A quorum is present.

Secretary Charles Mason read the minutes of the meeting held Oct. 19, 2019. Vote was unanimous to accept minutes as read.

Treasurer Mary Ellen Deegan presented financial report. Accepted unanimously.

Pres. Deegan welcomed Region 5 President Chris Seplak and 1<sup>st</sup> Lady Nancy Seplak and Miami Valley Airstream Club members John and Val Francis from Ohio. He reminded all about the \$0.00 dues renewal until Dec. 31<sup>st</sup>, 2020. He reviewed the CIAC activities held in the past year. He discussed the two-part ballot that was sent to members prior to meeting.

Pres. Deegan conducted the voting for the Proposed changes to the CIAC Constitution and Bylaws. The votes of the 7 members present were combined with the votes of 7 members who were not present who emailed their vote to Secretary Mason. The 4 proposed changes were accepted as worded.

Secretary Mason conducted the election of officers. With no nominations from the floor, each officer was elected by acclamation. The officers elected are: President; John Deegan, 1<sup>st</sup> Vice-President; Vacant, 2<sup>nd</sup> Vice President; Vacant, Treasurer; Mary Ellen Deegan, Secretary; Charles Mason, Trustees; Mike and Mary Jo Brown, Darryl and Denise Baldwin. Region 5 President Chris Seplak installed the Officers.

Pres. Deegan conducted the election of the 4 additional Trustees. Joe Ashland had emailed Pres. Deegan that he wanted to be a Trustee. Damon Beals and Chris Dillow agreed to be Trustees. The three were elected unanimously. One Trustee position is Vacant.

Pres. Deegan made an appeal for officer candidates.

Old Business; None

New Business: The event calendar for 2020-2021 was presented. Pres. Deegan would like to have a CIAC activity each month.

\*possibly add two days to the June 2021 event

\*possible to add "Buddy Rally"

\*have camping event during month of International Rally

\*have a tour of casting plant during Alumapalooza in Ohio

\*keep luncheons at MCL Cafeteria/Bakery on 86<sup>th</sup> street

Region 5 Pres. Seplak stated that 400 registrations for International Rally. The Region 5 Rally in 2021 will be in Warsaw, Indiana. CIAC

will provide breakfast on Saturday. Bring a door prize if you want to receive one.

The Region 5 Rally for 2022 will be in Columbus, Indiana.

Pres. Deegan would like to have a caravan to the 2021 International Rally in Tennessee. Site is about 6 hours from Indy. Maybe stay overnight on the way so arrival is midday. Chris Dillow will help Brenda Ansel with planning.

Pres. Deegan awarded a "Life Membership" in CIAC to Past International President and CIAC members Barry and Karen Bell.

CIAC door prizes were drawn for all members present.

Meeting adjourned at 3:55 PM



**If you have not renewed your Airstream Club membership you will want to do so before the end of December**

If you miss this deadline:

1. You will not be in the 2021 WBCCI Directory.
2. You will pay \$15.00 for your local club dues. If you renew before December 31<sup>st</sup>, local club dues are waived. Yes, that is right, you will pay \$0.00 (that is ZERO dollars!) for local club membership.

The preferred way to renew and pay is via the Airstream Club website: <https://airstreamclub.org/current-members/membership-renewal>

If you have questions, or need assistance, contact Mary Ellen Deegan: [medeegan@iquest.net](mailto:medeegan@iquest.net); 317-828-9713 (cell); 317-846-2979 (home)





## 2021 Events / Rallies

Many of our upcoming rallies are being held in state parks. **Each member attending will book their own reservation for their site.** It is the member's responsibility to select a suitable site. Illinois state parks use the [ReserveAmerica](#) system to reserve sites; they can be reserved 180 days in advance. Please RSVP all events via Constant Contact invite. *Events at restaurants are order off the menu with separate checks unless otherwise arranged.*

- February 20, 2021  
Saturday
- [Chicago RV Show](#) (Buddy event)  
5555 N River Rd.  
Rosemont, IL 60018  
(847) 934-8300  
We will meet at 2:00 pm by the ticket entrance; attend the show;  
meet for pizza at 5:30 pm – pizza location is 5 minutes away.  
**Post Pizza Party at [Giordano's](#)** (we'll try for reservations at 6:00)  
9415 W Higgins Road  
Rosemont, IL 600018 (847) 439-2000  
**RSVP via constant contact by Feb 1, 2021 (headcount needed)**
- March 20, 2021  
Saturday - Noon
- [Lunch – Granite City \(at noon\)](#)  
1828 Abriter Ct, Naperville, IL 60563  
(630) 544-3700  
**RSVP via constant contact by March 1, 2021 (headcount needed)**
- April 23<sup>th</sup> to April 25<sup>th</sup>  
Friday to Sunday
- Amboy– Season Opener “PIG ROAST”**  
Lee County 4-H Center & Fairgrounds 1196 Franklin Rd.  
Amboy, IL 61310  
  
April 23<sup>th</sup> – Executive Committee Meeting (Friday night)  
April 25<sup>th</sup> – General Business Meeting 10:00 am (Sunday morning)  
  
**HOST: PETER & JUDY SCHWARZ**
- May 14<sup>th</sup> to 16<sup>th</sup>
- [Thomson Causeway Rec](#)  
100 Lewis Avenue Thomson, Illinois 61285 (815) 259-2353  
<https://www.recreation.gov/camping/campgrounds/233651>  
Section to reserve sites 54 to 78 (Potters North).  
**Note** sites are reserved 6 months out.
- June 18<sup>th</sup> to 20<sup>th</sup>
- [Indiana Dunes State Park, IN](#)  
1600 N 25 E, Chesterton, IN 46304 (219) 926-1952  
**Note** sites are reserved 6 months out. Sites 8 thru 43.  
<https://indianastateparks.reserveamerica.com/welcome.do?tti=home>

July 9<sup>th</sup> to 11<sup>th</sup>

[Lowden State Park](#)

1411 N River Rd. Oregon, IL 61061 815-732-6828  
Reserve through "Reserve America"  
We will rally in the section with sites 60 to 77

July 17<sup>th</sup> to 24<sup>th</sup>

[International Rally](#)

65th International Rally  
Wilson County Expo Center  
Lebanon, TN 37087  
<https://airstreamclub.org/lebanon-2021-international-rally-0>  
\*If you are planning on attending let us know and if you are interested in doing a mini caravan from Northern Illinois.

August 12<sup>th</sup> to 15<sup>th</sup>

[Rock Cut State Park - Buddy Rally](#)

7318 Harlem Road Loves Park, IL 61111 (815) 885-3311  
Reserve through "Reserve America"  
We will rally in the section with sites 140 to 158

Sept 18<sup>th</sup> to Sept 20<sup>th</sup>

[Road America Vintage Festival](#)

*Friday to Sunday*

N7390 State Hwy 67  
Plymouth, WI 53073  
(920) 892-4576

Sept 15<sup>th</sup> to Sept 19<sup>th</sup>

[Region 5 Rally Kosciusko County Fairgrounds](#)

*Wednesday to Sunday*

Warsaw Indiana – more details to come  
Contact: Christopher Seplak [airstreambear3@icloud.com](mailto:airstreambear3@icloud.com)

Oct 15<sup>th</sup> to Oct 17<sup>th</sup>

[Thanksgiving & Installation Rally](#)

Lee County 4-H Center & Fairgrounds 1196  
Franklin Rd. Amboy, IL 61310

Oct 15<sup>th</sup> – Executive Committee Meeting tbd

Oct 16<sup>th</sup> – Business Meeting 10:30 am – Election of 2020 officers and  
Installation of new officers.

Thanksgiving dinner to follow Saturday night. **HOST: ?**



## *Wildflower Foray Rally*

*WBCCI Illinois Lincolnland Airstream Club #176 of WBAC*

*April 23 - April 26, 2021*

*Brown County Indiana State Park*

*Buffalo Ridge Campground - sites 32-52*

*West Gate Entrance - 1405 S.R. 46 W*

*Nashville, IN 47448*

Bernie and Mary Taylor are hosting the Wildflower Foray Rally in beautiful Brown County Indiana State Park, next April 23-26, 2021. Because the Wildflower Foray activities begin on Friday, April 23, 2021, you may wish to arrive on Thursday, April 22, 2021. We will be camping in the Buffalo Ridge Campground, electric sites 32-52. Please see the attached campground map, with Public Policies and Procedures. Park website is <https://www.in.gov/dnr/parklake/2988.htm>.

Brown County Indiana State Park is a very popular park, especially in the Spring and Fall. Because of its popularity, early camp site reservations are absolutely necessary for this rally. By early, we mean your reservations **must** be made now. Otherwise, camp sites will not be available, as Mary and I learned in April 2019. Some sites in this loop are already reserved. Buffalo Ridge Campground Class A electric only sites 32-52 are \$24.61 (includes tax) per night, Sunday-Wednesday; and \$32.10 (includes tax) per night, Thursday-Saturday. You may call or go online to make your reservations. When making your reservations, you will be charged for your

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entire stay plus a \$5.00 nonrefundable registration fee. The park entrance fee is \$9.00 for out-of-state vehicles and is a one-time fee during your stay. Water is available so be sure to bring your water hoses. There is also a dump station. Because this rally is the end of April, and the weather can be unpredictable, we have reserved an enclosed building for our use for Friday, Saturday, and Sunday. The \$135.00 reservation fee for the building will be prorated among those attending the rally.

To make reservations for camp sites through Reserve America, go online [www.CAMP.IN.gov](http://www.CAMP.IN.gov) or call 1-866-622-6746. Call Center hours are: Monday-Friday 12:00 Noon – 8:00 P.M. and Saturday-Sunday 12:00 Noon – 5:00 P.M., EDT (Indiana is 1 hour ahead of us).

The cancellation policy/fee is:

1. 8 or more days prior to arrival – \$10.00 cancellation fee
2. 1-7 days prior to arrival – 1<sup>st</sup> night camping fee + tax
3. if day of arrival or later – NO refund-you forfeit your entire amount paid

There are NO refunds due to inclement weather.

**VERY IMPORTANT: You must use the West Gate Entrance to enter the park with your RV, 1405 S. R. 46 W., Nashville, IN 47448**

The Wildflower Foray is hosted by the T. C. Steele State Historic Site. The hikes and programs encompass a wide area. For a preview of the Wildflower Foray 2021 activities, see the 2019 list of activities at <https://tcsteele.org/calendar/2019-wildflower-foray/>. The Foray also offers a Saturday night banquet, which we will attend, on Saturday, April 24, 2021, at the T. C. Steele State Historic Site. The 2021 list of activities has not been finalized yet, due to Covid-19. We can monitor the status of the Foray on their Facebook page, <https://www.facebook.com/TCSteeleSHS/> or the Indiana State Museum & Historic Sites website, <https://www.indianamuseum.org>. We can monitor the status of Brown County Indiana State Park on their website, <https://www.in.gov/dnr/parklake/2988.htm>.

Nashville, Indiana is 2 miles from Brown County State Park. It originated as an artists' colony and remains so today. In addition, there are numerous shops, restaurants, and breweries. My personal favorite restaurant is the Hobnob Corner Restaurant. Columbus, Indiana is 15 miles east of Nashville and Bloomington, Indiana is 19 miles west of Nashville on State Route 46.

Mary and I cordially invite you to make plans now to join us at the 2021 Wildflower Foray Rally, April 23-26, 2021, at Brown County Indiana State Park. As more details for the rally become available, we will notify you. If you should have any questions, please call my cell phone # (309) 251-7744 or email me at [bgtmd132@gmail.com](mailto:bgtmd132@gmail.com). Thank you.

Bernie G. Taylor, President 2020/2021  
WBCCI Illinois Lincolnland Airstream Club #176 of WBAC

## CIAC 2021 Events Calendar

### Date Prepared: December 15, 2020

Month	Date	Event	Location	Reservation Opening Date	Hosts	Recommended Sites
January	9	Luncheon	"Brown Bag Lunch" Zoom Event			
	Jan 9-17	Indy RV Expo	Indiana State Fairgrounds			
February	6	Luncheon	"Brown Bag Lunch" Zoom Event			
February TBA		Florida Snowbirds Luncheon Location, Date TBA				
March	6	Luncheon	"Brown Bag Lunch" Zoom Event			
April	3	Luncheon	"Brown Bag Lunch" Zoom Event			
April 30 - May 2		Season Opener	Brown County State Park Shelter Reserved for Saturday Night	BOOK NOW through Reserve America	TBD	Buffalo Ridge Sites 25-32, 36-42, 43-52
June 10-13		Rally by the Ohio River	Clifty Falls State Park, Madison, IN <i>FYI: Limited electric sites</i>	BOOK NOW through Reserve America	Joe & Julie Ashland	"Electric Sites"
July 14-15		Club Weekender Prior to International	Overnight @ Cedars of Lebanon SP, Lebanon TN	BOOK NOW through <a href="https://www.tnstateparks.com/parks/cedars-of-lebanon">https://www.tnstateparks.com/parks/cedars-of-lebanon</a>	Brenda Ansel	Sites 46-66
July 17-24		WBAC International Rally	Wilson County Expo Center, Lebanon, TN	Now		
July 30 - August 1		Dog Days of Summer Weekender	Turkey Run State Park, Marshall (Parke County), IN	January 30, 2021	TBD	TBD
August TBA		Club Picnic in Hamilton County	A Saturday Afternoon Event (Location TBA)			
September 7-12		Alumapalooza 11	Jackson Center, Ohio	Now		
September 15-19		Region 5 Rally	Kosciusko County Fairgrounds, Warsaw, Indiana	CIAC will host Saturday morning breakfast		
Sept 25- Oct 3		Swiss Festival National Airstream Rally	Amish Country at Winklepleck Grove, Sugarcreek, Ohio	Festival date October 1 & 2, 2021. Rally date estimated		
October 22-24		Celebrate Fall Season Close Weekender & Annual Business Meeting - Versailles SP		April 22, 2021	Brenda & Dave Ansel	Loop C
November	6	Luncheon	MCL, West 86th St, Indpls			
December	4	Luncheon	MCL, West 86th St, Indpls	Holiday Party?		

International Rally Registration Information: <a href="https://airstreamclub.org/lebanon">https://airstreamclub.org/lebanon</a>	12/15/2020 <i>All dates are subject to change</i>
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