# RV WHEELERS NEWSLETTER JULY 2024 Happy Independence Day





Roslyn Ginnis, Editor

# **UPCOMING EVENTS**

General Meeting, Clubhouse 3 at 6:30	Ice Cream Social	Sept. 12, 2024
Mission Bay San Diego Rally	No Host – Help is welcomed See attached Flier/Sign-U	Sept. 22-28, 2024 p Sheet
General Meeting Clubhouse 3 at 6:30	RV Auction – Save your items	October 10, 2024
Newport Dunes Rally	Watch for Flier Next month	Exact Oct. dates TBD
October Gas & Steam Engine	No Host – See Flier Page 10	October 17-21, 2024
General Meeting at 6:30	CH 1 or 3 / Location TBD	November 14, 2024
Caliente Springs Rally	Desert Hot Springs – Host??	Nov. 17-21, 2024
HOLIDAY PARTY	Watch for Flier/Details soon	December 12, 2024
Rice Ranch RV Park	Quartzsite, AZ RV Show	January 16-21, 2025

# CELEBRATE!!!

## July Birthdays

July

- 1 Dorothy Emerling
- 3 Rhondda Yeager
- 7 Jan Levinrad
- 15 Val Lester
- 15 Henryk Szostak
- 28 Sharon Braun
- 30 Jon Dennis





## and Anniversaries!!

July		Years
3	Mark & Kathy Furlan	53
4	Barbara & Dennis Stachelski	21
4	Henryk & Donna Szostak	46
19	Mike & Carol Epstein	38
19	Andrew & Jane Perry	55
20	Rick & Janie Moore	10



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# **RV Wheelers Rally September 22-28, 2024**



#### Come enjoy the lovely Mission Bay North RV Resort with all San Diego has to offer!!

- > Big-rig friendly sites with full hook-ups (30/50 amps), a picnic table and stronger WiFi for streaming.
- Enjoy the pool, spa; play ping pong or pickleball on the outdoor sports court, or pool, foosball, airhockey or board games inside the clubhouse.
- > Access to public beach, biking and pedestrian trails, and public golf course across from the RV park.
- > Water craft rentals are available at the marina.
- > Guests may use all the amenities of sister resort, Campland on the Bay, located across the bridge.
- > If you don't feel like cooking, enjoy the Campland Cantina which has a full bar.
- > Close to San Diego attractions, dining and shopping.

### There are only a few spaces left!

#### Cost: \$365 for 6 nights – Sunday 9/22 - Saturday 9/28

#### Reservations and deposit of \$185 due no later than July 22nd. Balance of \$180 due by September 4<sup>th</sup>

Please fill out the form below and mail with a check **payable to RV Wheelers** to Roslyn Ginnis 2002-A Via Mariposa West Laguna Woods, CA 92637 For more info call Roslyn at (818)620-5019 <u>rlynnie69@gmail.com</u>

#### MISSION BAY RALLY September 22-28, 2024

Please return this tear-off with \$185.00 Deposit by 7/22/24. \$180.00 Balance Due 9/4/24

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Name(s)		No. of people
Address		Cell Phone
Email:	RV Type	Length of Rig



Ron Zimmerman has offered to spearhead a club campout at the Antique Gas and Steam Engine Museum in Vista October 17-21, 2024. Some of us have attended in the past and it's quite an interesting experience. This is "Dry Camping" but they do have a water fill and a dump station adjacent to the camp ground.

They require a minimum of 10 rigs to do the camp setting. They will put our group together and sites will accomodate rigs and tow vehicles. We will have space for tables and campfires, the latter being in portable pits at least 6 inches off the ground Total cost is \$160.00 for the 4 nights.

There is a separate entrance and exit to the camping area so we are free to come and go, and to enjoy other activities in the Vista area. By arriving on Thursday afternoon, we would arrive before some of the exhibitors, many of whom will come with their campers and equipment and will spend Friday setting up their exhibits.

Attached is a road map and a grounds map to show where the camping area is located.

Though not confirmed, the last time we went they had a great breakfast we could buy in one of the buildings on the property.



Here is a link to the Antique Gas and Steam Engine Museum for more information.

#### https://www.agsem.org/exhibits





Let Ron know if you might be interested: zimmerperson@sbcglobal.net

### Quartzite No-Host Rally January, 2025

Some RV Wheelers plan to head to Quartzsite, AZ for the annual RV Show in January, 2025. The Quartzsite RV Show is the largest RV show in the world. This regional event is set to start on Saturday, January 18, 2025. Most of us are staying at the Rice Ranch RV Park which is located directly across the street from the main tent at 55 East Kuehn Street, Quartzsite, AZ. The Park has new owners who have done some improvements. We will confirm as it gets closer, but the rate is approximately \$57 per night for full hook-ups. Everyone must call to make their own reservations, but please tell them you're with the RV Wheelers as we have a block of sites on hold for our group from Thursday 1/16/2025 to Tuesday 1/21/2025.

Call Holly at Rice Ranch RV Park for reservations: (928)927-4782.

People love browsing the wares of over 425 vendors who cater to the RV enthusiast. From quirky kitchen items to RV bedding and the latest RV camping gadgets, the Quartzsite RV Show brings products to thousands of RV enthusiasts every day.

As a gathering place for winter snowbirds, the show is a cornerstone of <u>Quartzsite's winter snowbird scene</u>. Over one dozen different service bays on the show grounds provide needed repairs and upgrades for attendees.

An aerial view of the Big RV Tent (60,000 sq. ft.) is below.



## **Ronald McDonald Drink Tabs!**

#### **RV Wheelers Donate to Ronald McDonald House**

#### Thanks to Doug Gibson.

The Wheelers have been saving beverage TABS for the last 10 - 16 years. The Club's first donation was over 12,000 tabs!! This time we have over 30,000 - way too many to count!

As you enjoy your summer travels, you can help make our effort count! Please save your drink tabs and bring them to the Ice Cream Social / RV Wheelers Club Meeting on Sept 12th.

Maybe we will have a weight guessing contest!!!

It's interesting to note the donation/collection of tabs is an income line on their budget!



The TABs Collection so far!!

We need a new newsletter editor!! Can you help? Please call Roslyn at 818-620-5019

### MEMBERS ON THE MOVE . . . .

ANOTHER GREAT ALASKAN ADVENTURE!

By Dee Wennerstrom

Beautiful weather since I arrived. In the mid-70s. Expect some rain later this week. Staying busy. Flew out to a nearby glacier on Sunday and had a little picnic. The guys did some practice pistol shooting and we barbecued some moose hot dogs. The plane belongs to my son-in-law and is a tail dragger which is a little rough landing on a gravel runway near the glacier. Hi to The Wheelers!





**For Sale** – RV Wheeler members Kris and Sonia Flanigan are selling their RV. Please see the information and link below if you, or anyone you know, might be interested.



CLINK LINK BELOW TO VIEW ON FACEBOOK MARKETPLACE

2018 Winnebago fuse 23a

<u>facebook.com</u>

#### FOR SALE - 2018 WINNEBAGO FUSE 23A

#### LOCATED IN MISSION VIEJO (SOUTHERN CA)

After 6 years of enjoying our Fuse, we are changing our travel lifestyle to something new and will no longer be needing our RV. We absolutely love our Fuse but, after much reflection, we decided to go in a new direction. The sale includes all camping gear, bedding, surge protector, TPMS, etc., as detailed in description below.

## EXCELLENT CONDITION / VERY WELL MAINTAINED

19,556 miles

16-17 miles per gallon

24 FT without spare tire mounted on hitch or

26 FT with spare tire mounted on hitch (spare tire carrier is removable)

\$77,000

#### TITLE IN HAND

#### WINNEBAGO SPECS

-Ford Transit 350 HD chassis

-5 cylinders Powerstroke Turbo Diesel

-Ford SYNC 3 system updated / Bluetooth connectivity

-30 amp electrical system

-two twin beds that can convert to queen bed

-hitch with 5,000 lbs weight limit

-powered step

-indoor and outdoor speakers

-outdoor shower spray

-full bath with separate shower in rear section

-powered armless awning with LED lights

-Onan generator 2500 watts (low genny hours)

-on board propane tank

-fridge with separate upper freezer (3 way propane/battery/electric)

-propane gas stove with 2 burners

-microwave with convection oven

-front and rear dinette tables

-front and rear TV's (2)

#### NEW

-new tires / Micheline Agilis Cross Climate (5/2024)

-replacement of skylight (5/2024)

-professional roof inspection and preventative resealing of roof (5/2024)

-replacement of parts for reductant heater, sender assembly vent valve per Ford Customer Satisfaction program 20M02 - under Ford warranty (5/2024)

#### FACTORY OPTIONS INCLUDED

-bike rack

-solar panels (2)

-rear stabilizers electric jacks

-second TV in bedroom area

-heated black and gray tanks

#### **UPGRADES/MODS**

-replacement with new RecPro Houghton A/C unit (9/2022): quieter and use remote for thermostat control

-installation of leafs and space blocks lifting rear of RV from 12" to 15" height

-installation of second solar panel for 2 solar panels

(200 W)

-replacement with RENOGY AGM deep cycle batteries

-replacement of new back up camera

-installation of Borg dually valve kit / solid stems valves on all 6 tires

-TPMS sensors on all 6 tires including monitor

-Trik-L-Start battery maintainer

-Level Mate Pro remote leveling sensor system accessible via app

-installation of propane quick connect system including 2 hoses for connection to BBQ and fire pit

-upgrade to Oxygenics shower head for improved water pressure

-installation of privacy curtains between cab and coach

-installation of remote entry/code access lock on coach door (RV Locks)

-installation of tinted window and shade on coach door (AP Products Thin Shade)

-installation of Curt hitch mount spare carrier and one Michelin Agilis Cross Climate wheel and tire

-hooks to carry chairs on ladder

-installation of Ford keypad for keyless entry in cab

-replacement of all seals around compartment with thicker seals

#### PREVENTATIVE MAINTENANCE/UPGRADES

-ATS replacement with newer model (part replaced before any issues arose)

-replacement of newly designed Ford cover for engine air filter to prevent potential water intrusion (part replaced before any issues arose)

DETAILED MAINTENANCE/UPGRADES RECORDS AVAILABLE WITH ALL WORK COMPLETED BY PROFESSIONAL TECHNICIANS.

#### WINNEBAGO FACTORY INCLUDED ACCESSORIES -all manuals

-booster seat

-2 tables and 2 poles

-2 long cushions for twin beds

-large private curtains between kitchen section and bed section

#### **BONUS ACCESSORIES**

-surge protector (Progressive Industries)

-TPMS monitor and 6 tire sensors (TST 507 color monitor)

-Coverking covers for both front seats and cover for loveseat

-Huksy front floor liners / heavy floor mats for front cab

-new windshield and front windows roll up shades

-exterior front window shade

-all bedding

-memory foam topper on both beds (custom)

-large outdoor mat and carry bag

-large cutting board designed to cover stovetop section

-pots/pants/dishes/glasses/utensils

-camping coffee maker

-organizers / storage bins and cubes / fridge storage bins

-stinky hose and sewer hose support

-water filters and spare hoses

-lift blocks and wheel covers

-dog bones (50 amp to 30 amp) and long extension cords

-camping tables