

SIERRA NEVADA UNIT, WBCCI

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Sierra Nevada Unit - March 22, 2003 Meeting

The March meeting of the Sierra Nevada Unit was held at the Pinon Plaza in Carson City. The meeting was attended by the Hersey's, McGill's, and Leipper's. Diane stated that the Unit has new members - Jack and Lindi Schroeder. They own a 1964 Bambi II. Bryan Leipper saw them in the parking lot at Sam's Club in Reno with their Bambi and went over to talk with them about Airstream's and our unit. We welcome the Schroeder's to the SNU.

Diane also mentioned that the notices that the Hersey's have been placing in local papers seem to be making an impact. Over the last month we have received two calls from people who saw the notices and called for information. Ann has prepared a budget for 2003. Looks like we are in pretty good shape.

Diane provided an update on the re-location of the June rally. After extensive search by Fred and Diane, we have not been able to locate a campground in the area of Grover Hot Springs with a group area. At this time we are considering Lake Davis off of HWY 70 or Prosser Reservoir off of HWY 80. If you have any ideas please let us know.

We also discussed Don Damoth's idea that the Unit newsletter be e-mailed to all those members for whom we have current address. It was agreed that this was a good idea and that the Unit should continue this method of newsletter distribution. Those members without e-mail will still receive their newsletter via the postal service. We are also working to obtain the e-mail addresses of the Units neighboring the Sierra Nevada Unit so that we can email them the newsletter. Our next meeting will be Saturday April 26th at our Rally at Pelican Point, Pyramid Lake. We hope to see you all there. Diane Leipper, Unit Secretary.

Leonard Paul has a 1964, 17 foot Bambi for Sale. Would like \$10,000.00 or best offer. It is in real good condition, new liner, upholstery, Fantastic Fan, water heater etc. His address is: P.O. Box 2515, Minden, NV 89423 Tel 775-782-4388.

We already have 3 rigs signed up for our first rally. We look forward to seeing you there also. If you can't make it for the entire time, feel free to join us for a few hours, one day, or whatever time frame fits your schedule.

When: Friday April 25th through Sunday April 27th

Where: Pelican Point at Pyramid Lake. See detail map in this newsletter.

Cost: \$10 rally fee. Camping fees are paid by each individual rig upon arriving at Pyramid Lake. You can pay at the station near the entrance to the reservation when coming up from Reno on route 445 or at the Sutcliffe Marina near the RV park on the north side of Sutcliffe. Last year it was \$5 per night.

Events and activities: The unit meeting is scheduled for Saturday at about 1 p.m. Morning coffee klatch is from about 7 to 9 on Saturday and Sunday. Happy hours will likely occur on Friday and Saturday starting about 5 p.m. On Saturday we'd like to gather for a potluck dinner about 6 p.m. Bring whatever you want to eat plus a little to share. Star gazing, horse shoes, picture taking, hiking and watching pelicans are among the other activities we can enjoy.

Although no reservations are necessary a phone call to Diane at 775-972- 9392, or Fred at 775-266-3435 by April 15 would help us with the planning. Check the website <http://SierraNevadaAirstreams.org>

April Birthdays

Don Damoth - 11th Mildred Peters - April 9th

Mary Lou Damoth - 12th

April Anniversaries

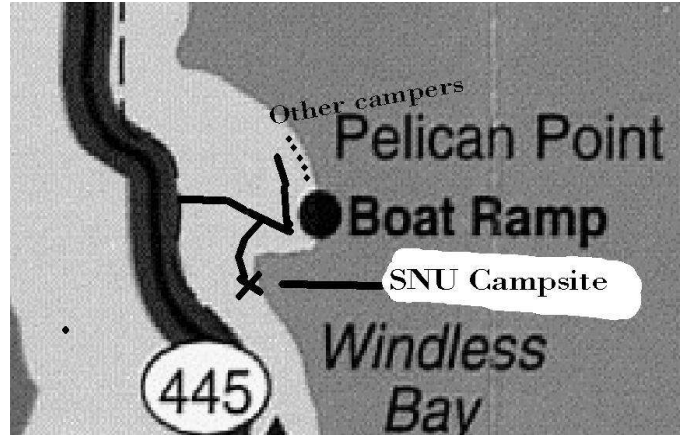
J. B. and Mildred Peters - April 27th

Email Newsletters

In order to save postage costs we would like to email the newsletter to everyone who has an email address. Please send email addresses to Don at drdbiker@aol.com.

The May meeting will be picnic at Mills Park in Carson City on Tuesday the 13th.

April Pyramid Lake Rally - From Reno/Sparks take the Pyramid Lake Highway Route 445 North. From I 80 east of Reno take route 447 towards Nixon and then Route 446 to merge with Route 445 going North. To reach the campsite for the Sierra Nevada Unit rally turn right off off 445 at the boat ramp sign. Follow gravel road down to boat ramp area. Turn right (looks like parking area) drive through and around hill to the right. Can't miss us. Trailers should be visable from hwy 445.



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WELCOME TO THE SIERRA NEVADA UNIT of WBCCI.

We are a small, friendly group who enjoy sharing our enjoyment of Airstreams, and the Airstream lifestyle, with others. You are invited to come to any of our meetings and if you like, to join our Unit. We predict that you will make many friends and relish the camaraderie of our rallies, caravans, and group activities. Our members are always ready to share their advice on equipment problems and trailering knowledge. In addition to being a member of our local Unit, you will be one of several thousand who make up the Wally Byam Caravan Club International (the Airstream RV Club.)

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