



Iowa Unit Newsletter

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Greetings to all

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Chuck and I went the Florida State Rally in Sarasota on February 13th through the 21st. We helped with the "Layout and Parking." While there we visited with Norm and Linda Beu, Gary and Cheryl Burrows, and John Thompson. Lavonne and Dennis Sandersfeld and Pat and Larry Dellamuth came for the day on Friday to hear Larry Huttle. Our International President, Tom Collier spoke instead of Larry Huttle. Larry Huttle had called from California that he was unable to attend the rally. Our International President gave an interesting presentation about WBCCI and answered questions at the end.

There was some excellent entertainment in the evenings. Wednesday night Entertainment Review II preformed for us. They were girls ranging in age from 8 to 17 who sang and danced. They were a bundle of energy. These girls were a local group from three surrounding counties.

Brian Roman, a Canadian singer, entertained on Thursday night. He melted our hearts with a variety of tunes. He came right down into the audience to serenade us.

We returned to the park on Sunday, February 21st to 70° temperatures. That was nice.

The February Luncheon in Iowa was attended by Keith and Jan Bowman, Steve Cochran, Charlie Key, Glen and Millie Hubbard, Dave and Pat Shaw, and Scott and Kathy Allen. Kathy said, "We laughed, we told stories, we ate. The only things missing were our aluminum trailers."

It is time to think about getting our rigs road worthy. Do you have any repairs that need to be done? You don't want to wait until the last minute and use that as an excuse to not attend the rallies. I hope we can break some records with attendance this year. Please contact airstream owners who are not members and encourage them to attend one of our rallies. We all need to be alert and when we see a nonmember airstream, visit with them and try to get them to join our Iowa Unit.

**Lincoln Highway
Iowa Unit Caravan
To Region 8 Rally**

The caravan will begin at 1:00 P.M. on Sunday, April 25th, at the Youngsville Café west of Cedar Rapids near the junction of Highways 30 & 218. It is on the north side of the road.

Most of the route will be Highway 30, which followed the Lincoln Highway.

You may join the caravan nearest your home.

Sunday night camping will be at Ogden, IA. Monday, the 26th the caravan will continue west on Highway 30 through Jefferson, Carroll, and Denison. It will conclude that evening at Fremont, NE.

Contact Dennis & Lavonne Sandersfeld to join the caravan on the historic Lincoln Highway through Iowa. Call 319-668-9439 after April 7th or call now at cell phone 319-331-3947 or email: sanders@iowatelecom.net.

Want to boost your tomato crop? Sprinkle a teaspoon of Epsom salts into the hole before you put the plant in. Tomatoes love the magnesium.

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Stuff a miniature marshmallow in the bottom of an ice cream cone to prevent ice cream drips. Or just suck the ice cream out of the bottom of the cone, for Pete's sake, you're probably lying on the couch with your feet up eating it anyway.

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Chuck Cabalka will be leading an early workers caravan to the International Rally in Gillette, Wyoming. I will try to have more information in the next newsletter.

Have a Happy St Patrick's Day. Remember to wear GREEN or be pinched!