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# CLUB MANAGER

## *Beverly Roance*



Spring cannot arrive soon enough. I welcome it each year with open arms. I understand the creation of the four seasons and the necessity for each. I just truly feel winter and summer could be a little shorter and possibly accomplish the same end results. Just my heart-felt thoughts..... I trust most of you are beginning to thaw out and are ready to hit the road. There are some fantastic rallies and activities scheduled to begin very soon. Check the calendar, I'm sure there is one or two near you.

I have been forced to scratch a few upcoming events off the calendar due to lack of interest. One was for 2020 and the other on the 2021 schedule. Both involved buying advanced tickets. Although the Indy 500 was scheduled for 2021, there was a lot involved to secure parking, tickets and buses. It's a gamble we cannot afford to take unless we see there are several interested. I have to admit, no one was more disappointed than me to have to cancel the 2020 Field of Dreams MLB game between the Yankees and White Sox. This was a unique opportunity to see these teams play at the filming location in Iowa. I was very excited to add it to our schedule. Sadly, it's not an event we can put back on the schedule as it is one of those 'one time opportunities'. Apparently, I overestimated the number of baseball fans within our Club. The cancellation of the DC Cherry Blossom Festival was a real blow and total disappointment as we were going with the maximum allowed coaches. That was so exciting. Those that were going were in for a real treat with Tom & Elaine Nale at the helm. They were

in daily communication with their DC contacts but within less than 24 hours, all buildings and places we planned to tour were shut down as a government mandate. The good news is we will put it back on the calendar for next year and attend the 2021 Cherry Blossom Festival without the fear of a lingering virus. If you're interested, I'd suggest you sign up early as this has turned into a very popular event.

Another addition to our 2021 calendar will be a special minicade in Florida. This event will follow the Florida chapter's spring rally in late April. It will probably be a one location/three city tour, approximate 10-12-day, 'fun in the sun' special event. It will be a last hurrah for the snowbirds before leaving and a little fun time for those who can't participate in a long motorcade. Keep watching for updates as 'fun' is in the making and 'fun' will be the result.

We only have a few spots open for our spring Ladies Driving School. Ron & Bonnie Cone will be heading the spring classes while John & Ellen McKee will be in charge of the fall classes.

I want to keep you updated on developments within our Club as we navigate to find solutions for growth and the betterment of our Club. Although we discussed a partnership or merger with Motorhomes of Texas, we both decided that a special relationship to simply help each other would be best at this time. They are going to supply coaches for our spring and fall Ladies Driving

School, help as needed with our Grandvention and give our members 10% discount on parts & service. We will be offering their members the opportunity to pay and join our Club. Before we could offer this, knowing they sell 'non-Fortravel' motorhomes, the Club Executive Board of Directors had to vote to make the needed change in our bylaws to accept class A, non-Fortravel coaches from a Club approved dealership (i.e. Motorhomes of Texas). Much thought and discussion went into this decision. We know this will take some of you some time to accept. We also know that not all the other brands will be jumping through hoops to join a club that has been known to be exclusively for Fortravel owners. We are asking you to accept this change with an open mind. The members we lose each year are not being replaced equally with the low volume of coaches produced. We need growth. Yes, this does mean a current Fortravel Motorcade Club member can change to another brand coach should they so desire and continue their membership in the Club. As you walk with us through these uncharted territories, know the decisions made by the Board of Directors are made with a passion for seeing our Club succeed. Should you have any thoughts or concerns about this or any subject about the Club, please do not hesitate to contact me or our International President, Russ Miller.



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# 2020 INTERNATIONAL PRESIDENT & FIRST LADY

## *Russ and Susan Miller*



Another quarter has passed, which makes Spring that much closer. Excitement is in the air as Susan and I prepare our drive around the country to see all of you. Much work is being done behind the scenes to make our club stronger, more efficient and a must for every Foretravel owner. Every week that passes convinces me that the Foretravel Motorcade Club's brightest days are right in front of us. I want to thank all who are lending their talent and energies to making us the premiere RV Club that we are.

By the time this is published in our quarterly magazine, Susan and I will already be enjoying our 2005 Foretravel U295 coach traveling through Louisiana, Texas and on to Arizona. As with many owners of older coaches and many much older than ours, we enjoy the comfort of knowing our home on the road. I enjoy sharing our stories with others who have motorhomes or those thinking about joining the ranks of RV enthusiasts. For those who know me, I do so love to tell our stories.

I mentioned that Susan and I are excited about seeing all of you at your rallies and even some of you near your homes. It's hard to believe we're excited about driving over 10,000 miles this year but there is so much to see, share and do. That's why we RV. This being our 19th year (18 with a Foretravel coach) we've learned, though we enjoy traveling by ourselves, to love being with other RVers at rallies and on motorcades. The fellowship we

enjoy and the friendships we form are so meaningful and enduring. The impromptu gatherings outside of another's coach telling "FISH/ RV STORIES" always trying to "ONE-UP" the previous story is incomparable to any other experience.

Having recently lost my dad, I can't help but think of the hundreds of thousands of miles he drove over the highways of America trying to make a living as a truck driver. He would always tell of the highways and routes that he had driven but never of the American cities he had experienced or the people he had shared a story with. Unfortunately, he didn't see the country and people as we do traveling in our RVs. He never had the pleasure of becoming friends with a total stranger, sharing a common interest and then renewing that friendship in a completely accidental meeting in another part of our great country. This is the beauty of the lifestyle we've chosen as RVers.

Several members have questioned the future of our club. The easy answer to that question, from my perspective, is that OUR club will continue to be everything it has always been and more. We continue to build infrastructure that will assure us of continuity and growth. We have opportunities for our members to be more involved as they accept more responsibilities in actively promoting OUR club and the benefits we offer through membership. Many members are members solely for the 10% discount

we receive as members on parts and service, and although this is perfectly OK, they are definitely missing out on the many other benefits of membership. Having renewed a relationship with Motorhomes of Texas, they are also extending a 10% discounts on parts and service provided you inform them of your current membership in OUR club and your membership number/card.

Many members have expressed their willingness to pay higher annual dues. Our former International President Steve Crook told us at Grandvention that dues would not be increased, and I agree with that decision. However, that doesn't prevent any member from supporting OUR club financially by paying more. As a vehicle for doing so, we've created a volunteer dues structure which not only will bring in greater dollars to OUR club but is structured to promote OUR club activities. Motorcades and our Grandvention provide so much of who we are. By rising to a new level of support, we are offering discounts thus encouraging more to participate in this part of our mission. Please contact Beverly or myself should you wish to learn more.

We WILL see you soon "Down the Road,"  
Russ

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# SERVICE NEWS

## *Mark & Donna Crick*

#16141



Greetings Motorcadgers,

Donna and I are so glad winter has slipped away, and spring is now upon us. For those of us that aren't lucky enough to be traveling full time, the thought of getting back on the road lingers in the back of our minds. As does that "To Do" list that has to be finished to get the coach ready to hit the road.

If you're like me and didn't service your engine last fall, (I'm the "King of Procrastination"- just ask Donna or Beverly for that matter), now is the time to get it done!

Along with changing oil and filter, lubricating the chassis, and checking fluid levels, don't forget your air filter! While we were at the recent Mid-South Rally, the subject of servicing, or for that matter, over-servicing, the Air Filter came up. During that discussion, many of you ask if I thought the Filter Minder, the airflow restriction gage which Foretravel installs on the remote start/stop panel in the engine compartment, even worked. My answer was yes! But the reason most of us don't see it move is that we are changing the air filter before it "needs to be replaced".

Let me explain. The air filter in your coach is a heavy-duty dry-type filter media, made of paper, and allows air flow through its fibers so the filter media has to be made with "small holes" in it. If that's the case,

how does it work, you ask? If the filter paper was made to tight, the initial restriction of air would be too high, causing it to become plugged easily and in need of replacement way too often. Therefore; the filter manufactures allow a new filter to let more particles through and is only about 99% efficient when first installed. As time goes by, the dust and dirt begin to "cake" on the filter media, and it actually becomes more efficient and does a better job of cleaning the air. So, in other words, a dirty filter works better than a new one!

That's why we have a Filter Minder, so we can monitor the amount of air restriction and vacuum in the air filter canister. Knowing the amount of restriction tells us when it's time to replace it. A new filter will have an initial restriction of around 2" to 10". As it gets more restricted, it will work its way toward the red line of 25".

With the size of our air filters and the paved surfaces that we drive on, most of us could run 40-50,000 miles before our indicator would be anywhere close to the red line. With that said, the Foretravel maintenance schedule recommends air filter replacement every 2 years.

So keep an eye on your Filter Minder and if you're wondering if it's working, just push the reset button, any time, on the front of the unit to determine if it's operating correctly.

It should reset back to 0" then rise back to the actual restriction level on your next road trip.

Now that you know your Filter Minder is working and how your air filter works, you can stop throwing away money on that new filter every year, and add that to your next Motorcade.

Hope to see you on one soon,

Mark and Donna Crick







# FORETRAVEL MOTORCADE CLUB

## *Welcomes...*

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# Cooking

## THE FORETRAVEL WAY

With so many rallies, motorcades and special events coming up, that could only mean one thing – Pot Luck Dinners. Here are a couple of easy recipes that will be great side dishes and will have you leaving with an empty dish. These came out of our latest Motorcade Club cookbook.

### Corn Casserole by Karen Kirk

#14759



- #17 can Bush's baked beans
- ½ cup mustard
- 2 cans unsweetened chunk pineapple w/juice
- 1 cup brown sugar
- ½ cup Worcestershire sauce
- 1 lb hot Italian sausage
- 1 cup picante sauce or salsa
- 1 cup onion – diced & sautéed

Brown sausage, drain of grease. Mix with remaining ingredients in large bowl then transfer to baking dish. Bake at 325 degrees for 3 hours.

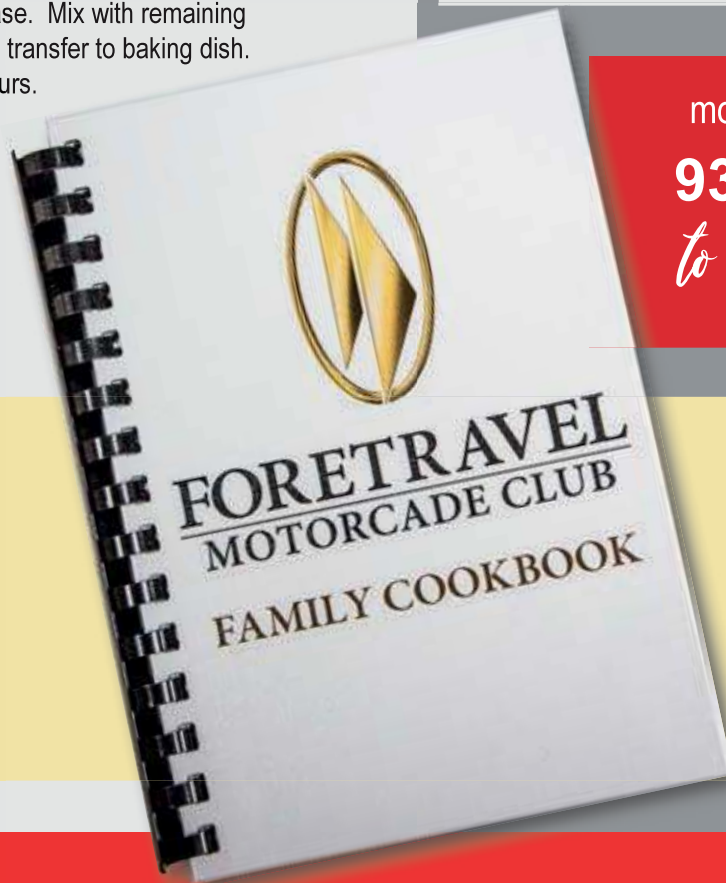
### Hawaiian Baked Beans by Sheri Bethard

#15597



- 2 cans creamed corn
- 1 box Jiffy corn bread mix
- 8 oz sour cream
- 2 cups grated cheese
- 1 stick unsalted butter or margarine melted
- salt & pepper to taste

Mix all ingredients together well. Place in oiled 2 quart baking dish. Bake at 350 degrees for 45 minutes. Serves 10-12



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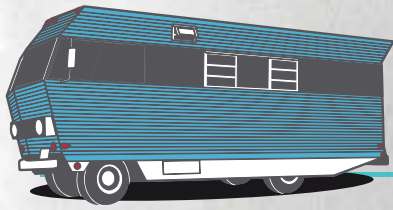
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## *In Memoriam*

**Mary Miller #16059**

September 6, 2019 • Port Saint Lucie, FL • Husband: Charles

**Gail Hatfield #12078**

Dec 28, 2019 • Longview, TX • Husband: Bill

**Larry Green #17336**

January 5, 2020 • Miramar Beach, FL • Wife: Sue

# CALENDAR OF EVENTS

## 2020

### JANUARY

### FEBRUARY

**APRIL 2 - 5 - CANCELED**  
Florida Chapter Rally

**APRIL 28 - 30**  
South Central Chapter Rally

**APRIL 29 - May 7**  
California/Four Corners  
Joint Chapter Rolling Rally

**MAY 4 - 7**  
Ladies Driving School

**MAY 14 - 16 - CANCELED**  
Mid Atlantic Chapter Rally

**MAY 28 - 31**  
North Atlantic Chapter Rally

**JUNE 9 - 13**  
Central Plains Chapter Rally

**JULY 6 - 10**  
Great Lakes Chapter Rally

**AUGUST 6 - 15**  
Field of Dreams - CANCELED

**SEPTEMBER 3 - OCTOBER 2**  
Heart of America Motorcade

**SEPTEMBER 15 - 18**  
Great Lakes Chapter Rally

**SEPTEMBER 16 - 20**  
North Atlantic Chapter Rally

**SEPTEMBER 17 - 20**  
Mid Atlantic Chapter Rally

**OCTOBER 8 - 10**  
Florida / South Central  
Joint Chapter Rally

**OCTOBER 12 - 15**  
Ladies Driving School

**OCTOBER 22 - 24**  
MidSouth Chapter Rally

**OCTOBER 22 - 25**  
Central Plains Chapter Rally

**OCTOBER 27 - 30**  
Texas Grandvention

**OCTOBER 31 - NOVEMBER 14**  
Texas Hill Country Connection

**NOVEMBER 8 - 12**  
California Rally

### DECEMBER

## 2021

### JANUARY

### FEBRUARY

**MARCH 29 - APRIL 11**  
DC Cherry Blossom Festival

**APRIL 25 - MAY 4**  
Florida Minicade

**MAY 10-14**  
Ladies Driving School

**JUNE 8 - JULY 27**  
North to Alaska Motorcade

### JULY

### AUGUST

**SEPTEMBER 28 - OCTOBER 1**  
Virginia Grandvention

**OCTOBER 4 - 31**  
Virginia/West Virginia Motorcade

**OCTOBER 18 - 21**  
Ladies Driving School

### NOVEMBER

### DECEMBER



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## POLICIES

### POLICIES RESERVATIONS

A \$500.00 deposit per event is required at the time of reservation. Full payment is due 90 days prior to the activity start date. A second deposit may be required and is due upon billing. Reservations may be made by mail or telephone by using your MasterCard, Visa, or Discover credit card. Failure to make required payments will result in losing your place in the sign-up rotation.

### CANCELLATIONS/REFUNDS

If reservations are canceled 90 days before the event, your deposits will be refunded less any unrecoverable monies retained by vendors from deposits made on member's behalf. If cancellation falls within 90 days prior to the beginning of the activity, 20% of the fees paid will be retained to cover the cost of postage, printing, supplies, bank charges, etc., plus any charges for any actual cost from guarantees and/or deposits made on member's behalf. No shows can result in no refunds. All refunds (except in very serious cases) will be charged 20% of the event fee plus actual cost from guarantees and/or deposits made on member's behalf.

Some special events have their own cancellation policies.

### GUESTS

Arrangements and/or registration for all guests should be made upon registration or no later than 90 days prior to the start of any event.

### STANDBY LIST

Space is limited on many events. All reservations are recorded in the order initial deposits are received. If received on the same day, they are handled in a lottery style manner. When a cancellation occurs, the first on the standby list is notified to fill the opening. Do not hesitate to sign up when discovering there is a standby list for an event. Very seldom have we had any standbys remaining at the start of an event.

### SCOUTING AN EVENT

This occurs approximately one year prior to running the event. Pricing and finalizing with confirmation of all tours and attractions for each event take approximately four to six months after scouting is completed. Dates are tentative. Pricing and confirmed dates will be published in the Motorcader magazine.

All Motorcading Guidelines and Policies are written in full and found in the back of the Foretravel Motorcade Club Membership Directory.

### YOU MUST BE A CURRENT MEMBER IF YOU WISH TO SIGN UP FOR EVENTS

EVENT	NUMBER IN PARTY	AMOUNT ENCLOSED
TOTAL ENCLOSED		

I and those attending with me understand that neither Foretravel, Inc., the Foretravel Motorcade Club, or its staff, any parking area owner or suppliers of services assume any responsibility directly or indirectly for the use or operation of any car or motorhome going to or from any of the activities that we attend, or for any losses involving personal belongings, the car or motorhome, due to any causes whatsoever, or for injuries within or without the activity, or damages to property of any kind.

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Are you bringing a guest: ☐ Yes ☐ No. If yes, Name of guest \_\_\_\_\_

If you want information regarding your sign-ups sent to a different address than used to mail this Motorcader, please note on a separate piece of paper.

# UPCOMING CHAPTER RALLIES

## CALIFORNIA

**April 29 - May 7, 2020**  
**SPRING JOINT w/California ROLLING RALLY**  
**Start: Williams, AZ**  
**End: Verde Valley, AZ**  
Wagon Masters: Tom & Diane Lang #16681  
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**November 8 - 12, 2020**  
**FALL RALLY**  
**Flying Flags RV Park Resort & Campground**  
**Buellton, CA**  
Wagon Masters: Tom & Diane Lang #16681  
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## CENTRAL PLAIN

**June 9 - 13, 2020**  
**SPRING RALLY**  
**Cedar Oaks RV Park**  
**Grove, Oklahoma**  
Wagon Masters:  
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620.330.6741 • brendavolz@hotmail.com  
Ben & Linda Chism #14562  
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**FALL RALLY**  
**Llano Grande RV Resort**  
**Mercedes, TX**  
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## FLORIDA

**April 2 - 5, 2020**  
**SPRING RALLY**  
**Whispering Pines RV Park**  
**Sebastian, FL**  
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**FALL RALLY**  
**South Central/Florida Joint Fall Rally**  
**Hidden Hollow RV Park**  
**Cottonwood, AL**

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## GREAT LAKES

**July 6 - 10, 2020**  
**SPRING RALLY**  
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**Amana, Iowa**  
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**September 15 - 18, 2020**  
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**Shipshewana, IN**  
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305.979.7795 • jackhobbs1364@gmail.com  
Jim & Genise Higginbotham #15086  
217.652.9515 • higgie41@yahoo.com  
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## MID ATLANTIC

**May 14 - 16, 2020**  
**SPRING RALLY**  
**State Fair of West Virginia Campground**  
**Lewisburg, WV**  
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**September 17 - 20, 2020**  
**FALL RALLY**  
**Annapolis, Maryland**  
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**March 18 - 21, 2020**  
**SPRING FLING RALLY**  
**Grand Encore RV Park**  
**Natchitoches, LA**  
Wagon Masters:  
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806.252.1325 • barbarafinney@mac.com  
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**FALL RALLY**  
**Buckhorn Lake RV Resort**  
**Kerrville, TX**  
Wagon Masters:  
Bill & Barbara Robinson #17402  
832.646.3371 • bill@robinsonfam.cc

## NORTH ATLANTIC

**May 28 - 31, 2020**  
**SPRING RALLY**  
**Alguire's on Hudson River**  
**Mechanicsville, NY**  
Wagon Masters:  
Nancy Alguire #16241  
518.664.4552 • jnalguire@yahoo.com

**September 16 - 20, 2020**  
**FALL RALLY**  
**Gettysburg, PA**  
Wagon Masters:  
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## SOUTH CENTRAL

**April 28 - 30, 2020**  
**SPRING RALLY**  
**Hightower Falls event Facility**  
**Cedartown, GA**  
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Phone (951) 894-2347 • Fax (951) 894-2349

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1939 Deere Ave., Irvine, CA 92606  
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Nash RV Service LLC  
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Cummins Northwest/Coburg  
33070 Roberts Court, Coburg, Oregon 97408  
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Oregon Motorcoach Center, LLC \*  
29417 Airport Road, Eugene, Oreg 97402  
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Phone (800) 232-3279 • Fax (717) 597-0639

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Platinum Coach & RV \*  
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Phone (972) 219-8999

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## LADIES' DRIVING SCHOOL

**MAY 4 - 7, 2020 • DAYS: 4**

TRAINED INSTRUCTORS  
COACHES PROVIDED  
DRIVERS MANUAL

W/ HOOKUPS: 4  
MEALS: 9  
PROGRAM  
SERVICE REP.: NO

PRICE:  
1 in MH - \$620.00  
2 in MH - \$825.00  
Guest - \$620.00

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Apprehension will disappear once you've driven a designated course in the off road

practice area accompanied by your personal instructor guiding you every step of the way.

A factory tour, complete walk-around and two informative seminars are scheduled for the men.

You'll be quite proud once you've completed this course.

So let us put you in the driver's seat and increase your confidence to the highest level.

**Only a few openings left.  
Full payment is due at this time.**







**FORETRAVEL**  
MOTORCADE CLUB

# Member **BUSINESS CARDS**

Foretravel Motorcade Club Member's business cards are available to all Motorcade Club Members. All cards are printed in full color on glossing card stock with UV coating. The price includes cards, printing, shipping & handling charges & sales tax.

*Prices start at  
\$35.00 for 250 and \$55.00 for 500*

*\$45.00 for 250 and \$65.00 for 500*



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# Heart of America MOTORCADE

SEPTEMBER 3 - OCTOBER 2, 2020 • DAYS: 30

MILES:  
ENC. TOURS:  
OPTIONS:

W/ HOOKUPS: 30  
MEALS:  
PROGRAM  
SERVICE REP.: YES

ESTIMATED PRICE:  
TBD

Come join us for a new adventure beginning in Eastern Iowa and down through America's heartland. Mid-America offers beautiful sites and lots of manufacturing and agriculture. We'll sit at a lovely table, eat delicious cuisine in the middle of a corn field where corn is as high as an elephant's eye! We will take a relaxing cruise down the Mississippi river. Car racing and the Fields of Dream are a couple excursions we'll see. You will be amazed when we make a stop in Gladbrook, Iowa to see unique, true to scale models of the battleship USS Iowa or the US Capital by Patrick Acton, made from matchsticks.

Several things we are looking into as possible tours will be a captivating behind the scenes tour at John Deere along the Mississippi, Fenelon

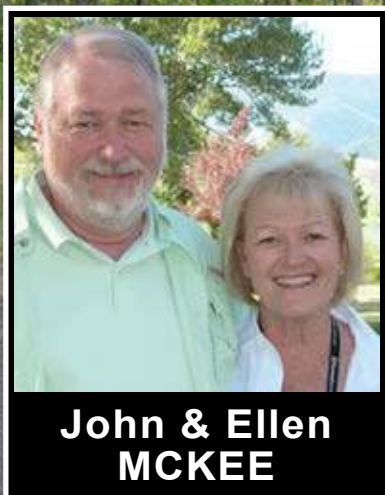
Elevator and Isabel Bloom showroom.

Travels through the heartland are sure to bring fun and fellowship and new adventures. We'll see a lot, do a lot and still have time to relax around the campfire. We'll end our journey close to Texas as we all make our way towards the Grandvention. Join us for this leisurely paced, fun filled motorcade.

**A \$500 Deposit will put you on the registration list.**







# LADIES' DRIVING SCHOOL

**OCTOBER 12 - 15, 2020 • DAYS: 4**

TRAINED INSTRUCTORS  
COACHES PROVIDED  
DRIVERS MANUAL

W/ HOOKUPS: 4  
MEALS: 9  
PROGRAM  
SERVICE REP.: NO

PRICE:  
1 in MH - \$620.00  
2 in MH - \$825.00  
Guest - \$620.00

Ladies, the words “Inspections – Post & Pre Trip, Walk Around, Enroute, Pivot Point, Hazards, Eye lead time/Looking into the future, Space Management” have great significance in the Ladies Driving School.

This program was designed especially for you! The curriculum is divided into three phases. Phase one is classroom lecture and discussion. Phase two is course problem driving in a controlled environment designed to simulate conditions you would encounter when driving a motorcoach and phase 3 is a blend of driving on city streets, state and federal highways.

The comfortable classroom and driving sessions taught by experienced qualified instructors includes all study guides, manuals and printed material needed for the class as well as for future reference. Detailed walk around and hands

on sessions will teach you a basic understanding of your motorcoach.

The behind-the-wheel driving time in one of the newest units provided by Foretravel, along with your personal experienced instructor, will provide you with skill and confidence through suggestions and useful information.

Husbands or guests are invited to attend several seminars that have been planned for them as well as all included meals.

We receive letter after letter from students advising us not to ever drop this valuable tool.

Please consider joining us in Nacogdoches, Texas at the Foretravel factory for this four day school designed for you.

**A \$500 Deposit will put you on the registration list.**





# Texas **GRAND**Vention

**OCTOBER 27 - 30, 2020 • DAYS: 4**

SEMINARS  
VENDORS  
ENTERTAINMENT  
SHOW COACHES

To Be Scouted

ESTIMATED PRICE:  
**\$598.00**

**HEAD FOR THE HILLS!!!** Well, the Hill Country that is and Kerrville, Texas to be exact.

We will be calling Buckhorn Lake RV Resort in Kerrville our home for the four days of our Grandvention. This is a very nice resort surrounded by rolling hills, gorgeous vineyards, a pristine lake and lovely ranchland.

Along with the great food, informative seminars, and enjoyable entertainment, we hope to increase our vendor attendance for this Grandvention.

Plan to greet old friends, meet new friends and have a grand time as we always do each year. Tell your friends to meet you in the Texas Hill Country.

**A \$200 Deposit will put you on the reservation list.**







# TEXAS *Hill Country* Connection

**OCTOBER 31 - NOVEMBER 14, 2020 • DAYS: 15**

MILES:  
ENC. TOURS:  
OPTIONS:

W/ HOOKUPS: 15  
MEALS: 16  
LOGBOOK  
SERVICE REP.: YES

PRICE:  
1 in MH - \$2,320.00  
2 in MH - \$3,175.00  
Guest - \$1,555.00

Immediately following the Grandvention, stick around as we take some time to explore the Texas Hill Country. We will spend a few extra days in Kerrville starting things off right with a grand Halloween party. Then while here, we will take in several points of interest found here such as the Y O Ranch which includes a two hour guided tour of the ranch and numerous exotic animals that call it home. This excursion will include a delicious lunch as well. While in Kerrville, we will tour James Avery Jewelry where some of the unique pieces are made and visit their large showroom. Bring those boots & hats for a day at a dude ranch complete with an evening of wonderful steak (or chop) dinner & dancing. Our list can go on and on as we move to the nearby German town of Fredericksburg where there is never a lack of reasons to celebrate as it hosts over 300 festivals annually. We have several tours and treats for this area before moving on to San Antonio to take in the sights and sounds of this fun city. We will end our last few days in

the historic town of Gonzales giving us access for a day trip to Schulenburg to tour the extraordinary painted churches.

This is just a few examples what is in store for those who plan to spend a few extra weeks in the hill country for this incredible special event.

Both history and natural charm are abundant in the Hill Country which also prides itself on their many vineyards as well. The drive is beautiful. You'll be glad you stayed.

Sign up today.

**A \$500 Deposit will put you on the registration list.**







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MOTORCADE CLUB

# Washington DC *Cherry Blossom* FESTIVAL

**MARCH 29 - APRIL 11, 2021 • DAYS: 14**

ENC. TOURS: 21

OPTIONS: 0

MEALS: 5

W/ HOOKUPS: 10

PARKING STOPS: 1

ITINERARY PROGRAM

SERVICE REP.: YES

ESTIMATED PRICE:

1 in MH - \$2470.00

2 in MH - \$3080.00

Guest - \$1770.00

See springtime in its finest. Vast magnificent cherry blossoms and other blooming floral will be on full display throughout this special event.

Traditionally marking the arrival of spring at our nation's capitol, the 2021 festival will be the 109th celebration of the original gift of the 3000 cherry trees from the city of Tokyo to the people of Washington DC in 1912. It was a memorial of national friendship between the two countries. The elaborate festivities have grown bigger and better each year.

While enjoying a most festive time in our capitol, we will make the necessary arrangements to visit the historical landmarks, monuments, museums, cemeteries, scenic sights and other well-known "must see" areas. Walk in the footsteps of world leaders and stand where world events have transpired. Each area is truly a spectacular sight framed in vivid white and pink blossoms.

We'll watch the incredible National Cherry Blossom Festival Parade as it marches down historic Constitution Ave., filling the street with color and music with

representation from across our great nation.

Daily cultural performances at the Jefferson Memorial have become a key feature of the festival. Traditional and contemporary music, dance, song, martial art demonstrations, arts and crafts exhibitions are done daily.

Join us and let us show you why these beautiful pink blossoms vie for their noted attention while proudly standing in the midst of our American history.

If you are considering this spectacular event, please sign up as soon as possible. We must send in additional information for security clearance to enter the White House, Pentagon and other high security areas. Do not delay.

**A \$500 Deposit will put you on the registration list.**







**John & Ellen  
MCKEE**

# Florida minicade

**APRIL 25 - MAY 4, 2021 • DAYS: 10-12**

All inclusive pricing  
LOGBOOK

Scouting in progress

PRICE:  
TBD

## Historic Florida (A Touch of Old & New)

Your Club is owned and managed by membership with your input and participation! Recently, Susan & Russ Miller attended two of your Foretravel Motorcade Club events (Kentucky Derby Delight – 8 days & Cherry Blossom Festival – 10 days). They enjoyed the comradery of being with fellow members and the 8 to 12 day planned events. Loving Florida as they do, they want to share its rich history, foods and entertainment with their friends and fellow Foretravelers. Russ discussed ideas with Florida Chapter President, Connie Pool about starting a 10 to 12 day Motorcade immediately following their 2021 Spring Rally in early April. Connie fully supported the idea, sharing her recommendations of venues to excite the souls of attendees along with those ideas offered from Russ & Susan.

Our Club is moving forward to scout and schedule this informative, historical and technology loaded Motorcade which will be after the Florida Chapter Spring Rally. Details will be developed for the Motorcade to initiate from same shared campground as the Florida Chapter Spring Rally. The plan is to stay in 3 locations for 3 or 4 days each with some structured events and one day in each location for everyone to chase their dreams that satisfy them the most and peaks their interest.

Plans are being reviewed and formulated to start in the Cocoa Beach area which offers many things to do; fishing, great dining, Kennedy Space Center tours, NASA, tour Manatee sanctuary, perhaps dine with an astronaut, Cape Canaveral Lighthouse, etc. We are looking at moving

North to St. Augustine where the oldest continuous city in North America is alive and well displaying influences of European culture with great food, great shopping, the historic center of town, shops, Basilica of St. Augustine church with 450+ years of history, fishing, boat rides / tours, etc. The final and / third stop under consideration will be in Tallahassee area where beaches are beautiful with white sands and enticing water is plentiful, The Florida State Capital, St. Marks National Wildlife Refuge, Alfred B. Maclay Gardens State Park, Mission San Luis de Apalachee, and Tallahassee Antique Car Museum are just a few items to pique your interest. Everyone should be aware that spring training abounds all over Florida for Major League Baseball teams (you might even catch a training game for your favorite team) and so many other wonderful historic, beautiful exciting plans for you to do.

Plans are moving forward so if you want to attend, mark your calendar for April 2021, contact Beverly ASAP to reserve your spot and join Ellen & John McKee on this fun adventure. RV driving / travel distance will be less than 400 miles to make this 3 move / stops trip. It will be fun, food will be great and as always, you will be surrounded with your Foretravel friends. Please note this is still in planning stage and subject to change based upon where the Florida Chapter opts to host their Spring Rally; but, if you have comments or questions feel free to call John McKee at

972-679-3390 or Beverly Koonce, Club Manager. See you in Florida

**A \$500 Deposit will put you on the registration list.**





**Ron & Bonnie  
CONE**

## LADIES' DRIVING SCHOOL

**MAY 10-14, 2021 • DAYS: 4**

TRAINED INSTRUCTORS  
COACHES PROVIDED  
DRIVERS MANUAL

W/ HOOKUPS: 4  
MEALS: 9  
PROGRAM  
SERVICE REP.: NO

PRICE:  
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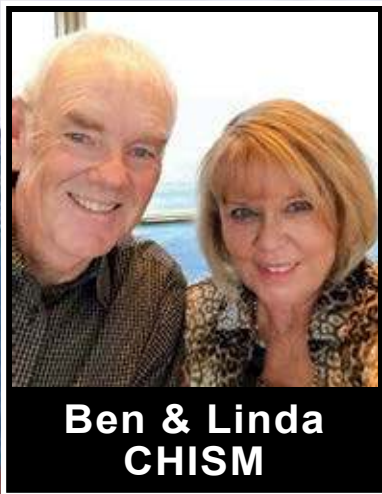
You'll be quite proud once you've completed this course.

So let us put you in the driver's seat and increase your confidence to the highest level.

**A \$500 Deposit will put you on the registration list.**







**Ben & Linda  
CHISM**

# NORTH TO *Alaska* MOTORCADE

**JUNE 8 - JULY 27, 2021 • DAYS: 50**

MILES: 3700  
ENC. TOURS: 15  
OPTIONS: 24  
MEALS: 16

W/ HOOKUPS: 50  
PARKING STOPS: 19  
LOGBOOK  
SERVICE REP.: YES

PRICE:  
**1 in MH - \$8,300.00**  
**2 in MH - \$9,900.00**  
**Guest - \$5,900.00**

Have you ever been so engulfed by a photograph or painting, you wished you could just escape into the picture? Well now you can. Join us and let us show you how as we escape to the last frontier.

With more reality TV shows centering around life in Alaska, one tends to wonder what's real and what's produced for dramatic effects; probably some of both. The Discovery channel and a few others certainly make every attempt to keep us well entertained with shows like the Alaskan Bush People, Alaska the Last Frontier, Living Alaska and The Last Alaskans. Sadly, they're so busy running from a bear or falling into frozen waters, they forget to show the breathtaking beauty of this state. But do know, we will have fun panning for gold at one of the mines without the drama depicted on the adventures of Gold Rush or Bering Sea Gold.

We'll meet and begin 'our' adventure in Dawson Creek and from here, until we finish, it's just one perfect picture after another.

As a tradition, we always leave our legacy on a post at the Sign Post Forest of Watson Lake. A sign with the Foretravel logo, the year and all of the names will be hung on the post.

We'll park on the water's edge so we can wake up in

morning, look out our front windows and see the snowcapped mountains reflection in the water.

We'll say hello to the locals - that would be moose, bear, mountain goats, eagles, etc. along the way where we will find they have no problem posing a few minutes for that photo op.

We'll take several cruises to not miss the beauty of sea life. Once again, have your cameras ready. You'll not want to miss the opportunity to snap your own picture of the massive whales, playful sea lions and otters.

You'll be able to take an optional helicopter ride to the nearest glacier and just stand in amazement on the sparkling phenomenon. Or take a plane to a small island and salmon fish and bear watch.

The culture is unique. The scenery is breath taking. It's why people keep coming back again and again.

Now, what are YOU waiting for? Make 2021 the year you make unforgettable memories in Alaska. Don't miss out, sign up today.

**A \$500 Deposit will put you on the registration list.**





# Virginia GRANDVention

SEPTEMBER 28 - OCTOBER 1, 2021 • DAYS: 4

SEMINARS  
VENDORS  
ENTERTAINMENT  
SHOW COACHES

To Be Scouted

ESTIMATED PRICE:  
TBD

We won't mind calling Urbanna, Virginia home for a few days as we absorb the tranquility of the waterfront views while we host our annual Grandvention at Beth Page RV Resort. Urbanna is known to be a tiny town with a big personality.

Along with great food, informative seminars, great entertainment, and knowledgeable vendors, we look forward to seeing old friends and making new ones.

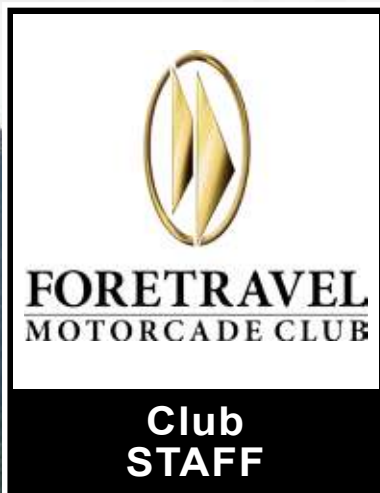
This amazing resort will not only offer us the spacious accommodations we need, but will give us a multitude of 'playtime' options on and off the water.

Tell your friends you'll meet them in Urbanna.

**A \$200 Deposit will put you on the registration list.**







**OCTOBER 4 - 31, 2021 • DAYS: 28**

**MILES:  
ENC. TOURS:  
OPTIONS:  
MEALS:**

**To Be Scouted**

**ESTIMATED PRICE:  
TBD**

Following the Virginia Grandvention, we'll continue taking in the beauty of Virginia and West Virginia with an endless list of things to see and do.

We will take a paddle boat to Blennerhassett Island Historical State Park and tour the Palladian mansion which houses some interesting stories. Speaking of interesting stories, we will find more than a few when we tour the Trans-Allegheny Lunatic Asylum. And 'no', regardless of any plea, we will not leave anyone there upon request.

A visit to the quaint, historic community, of Harpers Ferry National Historical Park at the confluence of the Potomac and Shenandoah rivers, is like stepping into the past where we stroll the picturesque streets, visit exhibits and museums, or hike trails and battlefields.

Want to get a better look of the area? There's no better place than the top of the Green

Bank Observatory. Bring your camera.

Now be forewarned, the haunted prison in Moundsville, West Virginia is said to be one of the most haunted places in the country. This particular prison has made the top ten list by the Department of Justice as one of the "most violent". Another forewarning.... Stay with the group!

Perhaps river rafting around the New River Gorge can be arranged or a tour to see the remarkable talents of Appalachian glass blowing.

The list can go on and on, but know for sure, you will enjoy every minute and every mile of this incredible motorcade.

**A \$500 Deposit will put your name on the registration list.**





**John & Ellen  
MCKEE**

## LADIES' DRIVING SCHOOL

**OCTOBER 18 - 21, 2021 • DAYS: 4**

TRAINED INSTRUCTORS

COACHES PROVIDED

DRIVERS MANUAL

W/ HOOKUPS: 4

MEALS: 9

PROGRAM

SERVICE REP.: NO

PRICE:

1 in MH - \$620.00

2 in MH - \$825.00

Guest - \$620.00

Ladies, the words "Inspections – Post & Pre Trip, Walk Around, Enroute, Pivot Point, Hazards, Eye lead time/Looking into the future, Space Management" have great significance in the Ladies Driving School.

This program was designed especially for you! The curriculum is divided into three phases. Phase one is classroom lecture and discussion. Phase two is course problem driving in a controlled environment designed to simulate conditions you would encounter when driving a motorcoach and phase 3 is a blend of driving on city streets, state and federal highways.

The comfortable classroom and driving sessions taught by experienced qualified instructors includes all study guides, manuals and printed material needed for the class as well as for future reference. Detailed walk around

and hands on sessions will teach you a basic understanding of your motorcoach.

The behind-the-wheel driving time in one of the newest units provided by Foretravel, along with your personal experienced instructor, will provide you with skill and confidence through suggestions and useful information.

Husbands or guests are invited to attend several seminars that have been planned for them as well as all included meals.

We receive letter after letter from students advising us not to ever drop this valuable tool.

Please consider joining us in Nacogdoches, Texas at the Foretravel factory for this four day school designed for you.

**A \$500 Deposit will put you on the  
registration list.**





# MEMOIRS AND MEMORIES

As Easter approaches, I reflect on my childhood and a wardrobe experience that changed my life forever.

With the children's program at church prior to the sermon, and family get-together afterwards, Easter was just extra special. But what was so exciting for me as a child was getting the new outfit. The dress, the shoes, the socks, the hat, the gloves, and the 4-multilayered frilly slip! It was a day I looked forward to each year. It was not a pleasant experience for my sister and mother. My complete ensemble had to match 'perfectly'. My pink shoes could not be darker or lighter than my dress and the same for the other pieces including the 4-multilayered frilly slip. Needless to say, it made for a fairly long day. My sister and mother would be finished within hours. It just took some time to find the perfect hat. And, I did find it with the exact color and my favorite flower, a daisy, sticking straight up out of it. I'm certain if I'd found it at the first store, my mother would have said no with must disgust, but by the end of the day I probably could have walked away with a motorcycle helmet on my head.

My sister is three years older than me (something I remind her of often). So when I was around 8 years old and she 11, and we had just returned home from our annual fiasco (her words), my frustrated sister began plotting her revenge. She concocted a very believable story (to an 8 year old anyway). She very seriously said our mom & dad didn't want me to know for fear it would frighten me, so it would be best if I didn't tell them she had told me (well of course!). It appeared we had 'visitors' that came into our home from time to time - 'invisible' visitors. Nothing evil or scary. Nothing to be fearful of, except they seemed to like to take things - 'pretty' things - especially things that matched. Whoa - hang on there. Was she talking about my brand new dress, shoes, socks, gloves, lovely hat with the daisy,

the purse and 4-multilayered frilly slip? I just stared at her, unable to speak. She left the room quite satisfied she'd shared this news with me. I on the other hand, was suddenly overcome with worry and despair. My complete, perfectly, matching attire could disappear as I slept. Should I stay awake all night? Should I tell my dad to load the guns? How do you shoot an invisible visitor? After much thought, there was only one solution. So the invisible visitors couldn't take my perfectly matched apparel, I'd have to sleep in it - everything - all of it. So I put it all on - socks, shoes, gloves frilly slip, dress and hat. I climbed into bed and although it was somewhat uncomfortable, all was well until my mother come in to say goodnight and saw my lovely hat sitting on my head and the daisy sticking straight up. With further examination, she uncovered my ill-fated attempt. She was in total disbelief. She wasn't letting me get a word in as she was blabbering on and on about how we do not sleep in clothes, we sleep in pajamas...bla, bla, bla. She thought I was just excited to wear my new outfit. I see my sister standing at my door doing her best not to laugh as my mother was yanking everything off and not even allowing me to explain that I knew about the invisible visitors and that I was just protecting the clothes from being stolen. I never got to explain the rationale. After she left, I was still very concerned. I decided if I could perhaps get away with only saving one thing it would have to be the shoes. I could easily hide them as they'd be on my feet, under the covers. I very quietly got up, put on the shoes, climbed back into bed and went to sleep.

To my surprise, the next morning I awoke to find every piece of my outfit present and accounted for. I ran into my sister's room to share the good news. She kept her composure and told me how very lucky I was (little scamp!).

It was years before the truth was revealed, but to this day, I will not buy things that completely and perfectly match. They must be lighter or darker! But daisies are still my favorite flower.

by Beverly Koonce

Greetings everyone, we hope you are having a wonderful summer and enjoying your travels! The editor of the Motorcade Magazine has asked my husband Jeff and I to contribute a story, focusing on a member of the Club each quarter, who will share their travels, life, coach experiences and "Foretravel Fellowship". We've really been awestruck by the kindness, support and fun that this community embodies.

This article is about a couple who resides in Sarasota Florida and has one of the coolest-looking 34' foot Foretravel Coaches we've seen! They are great folks, always willing to help everyone, good company, and quite humorous.



Greetings everyone and welcome to the roaring 20's! We hope this new Century brings you good health, safe travels and many great continued friendships and new encounters. As you may know, Motorcade Magazine has asked my husband Jeff and I to contribute a story, focusing on a member of our Club who will share thoughts on life, travels, coach experiences and "Foretravel Fellowship". We really do appreciate and enjoy the kindness, support and fun this community embodies. This article is about a couple I'm positive need no introduction to many of the Motorcade members!

My "Corner" is dedicated to introducing fellow Foretravel RV'ers who enjoy the many aspects of being members of the Foretravel Motorcade Club. I've chosen to interview Charlie and Anna Mae Bateman who are two of the most genuine, kind, admirable and I might suggest, "humorous" folks you will ever meet! When not on the road, they spend summers in Upstate New York and winters in Polk City, Florida.

Kristen: Tell me how it began. How you started traveling, about your first Foretravel Coach, and joining the Motorcade Club.

Charlie/Anna Mae: Well, we saved money forever... started with a travel trailer. We wanted to take a trip to California. In 1969 we packed up the family, threw the kids in the back- they fought the whole way out as we headed West! We then moved up to a Class A RV and finally in 1994 bought our first Foretravel. We loved it. We joined the Club right away, but didn't do anything with the Club the first year. Then, we got a call from a member to attend a North Atlantic Chapter Rally in Vermont. We were the people that needed a lot of help, and there were a lot of great Foretravel people there that noticed and said, "these people need help and we're going to help them". There was a couple from Long Island. They took us under their wing and we've been traveling ever since! We liked the atmosphere at the Rally. We met and made many friends. The rest is history, I

think if you attend one Rally, you will be back for more!

Kristen: Yes, we had a very similar experience. Did that lead to you attending Motorcades, and/or GrandVentions?

Charlie/Anna Mae: So many great experiences. We continued to attend the North Atlantic Rallies. Then, we attended the Florida Chapter Rally. AND then we began attending the Mid-South Chapter Rally on our way to the GrandVention every year. It's long drive from Upstate NY to home now in Florida via Texas you know. We've attended every GrandVention since 2002. They are well done with entertainment and you get to see people we've met along our travels- it's a family reunion. I really like Motorcades. We were reluctant at first because a lot of people think that the Motorcades are expensive. Well, they aren't anymore expensive than anything else. And let me tell you, every Motorcade I've went on has been well worth it! I think it is the only way to go. Now, we've traveled to Alaska three times. The first time was by ourselves, which was quite an experience. We had a good time, but missed out on a lot of stuff. Because when you go on a Motorcade, you can really get involved and take in everything. We really enjoyed ourselves so much because of the people we went with, so we did it again!

Kristen: I understand you both then became very involved in the Club?

Charlie /Anna Mae: We both were very active. Anna Mae has been a Chapter Secretary. I was a Chapter President for three terms as well as an International President. The best benefit of the Club is the companionship. We always have a great time! You know, Motorhome people no matter what Motorhome you got, they are more open minded. Very seldom do you find somebody that's got an "insect problem". They're just nice people because they get out, and it's a 'live and let live' attitude! I found that with more people that travel, than those that don't.

And those that don't travel don't know what they are missing.

Kristen: How can we keep our Club attractive to both new owners and seasoned owners of Foretravel Motorhomes?

Charlie: Well, I think that if you can get new owners to attend their first Rally, most will come back. It's a good time. Then they might try another event. I also like that the Club allows those who feel they need to "downsize" into a smaller rig to keep coming to events. Also, friends with another type of motorhome can be invited to a Rally so they can meet us and see the Foretravel Motorhomes.

Kristen: What has been your most memorable experience with the Club?

Anna Mae: I'll say... I never expected to see Chuck ride an elephant at a Rally, but he did at the 2019 Florida Spring Rally!

Charlie: Oh yeah, that was NOT on my bucket list...



Kristen: Well thank you both for your insight and I must say we all enjoy the humor that you two always bring to an event! Charlie has a hobby. He shares his hobby with everyone he meets at the Rally's. As he says, he has a workshop and he makes "sawdust". So, if you attend a Rally with these folks, you might get a beautiful cutting board or cork hot plate. (Charlie says Anna Mae is solely responsible for contributing the wine corks).

All the best, KL



# SPRING CHAPTER RALLY

# CENTRAL PLAINS

**JUNE 9 - 13, 2020**

**GROVE, OK • CEDAR OAKS RV**

If you want to venture out, you can find the Har-Ber Village Museum on the shores of Grand Lake. You can experience the area's history and ecology through self-guided tours. Antiques, collectibles and reproductions are displayed in exhibitions representing the mid-1800s to the early 1900s in the local four-state region (Oklahoma, Arkansas, Missouri and Kansas). Several of the Village's Historic Buildings were relocated to the grounds, including a schoolhouse, jail and 16 log cabins. Other log structures were built to house collections and are typical for the mid-to-late 1800s- a courthouse, a bank, a stagecoach inn and a church built with bricks hand-made before the Civil War. Other replicated buildings include a mercantile, jail and hanging gallows, a doctor's and a dentist's office, print shop, post office, drug store and more.

There is also a Car Museum nearby for those car enthusiasts.

We are hoping to have a Blue Grass band entertain us as well.

Relax around the campfire, swim, fish, boat or float – we plan to have a great time at the lake.

#### **CHECKS PAYABLE TO:**

Central Plains  
Brenda Votz - Treasurer  
5497 Chism Ln.  
Elk City, KS 67344

#### **RALLY FEES:**

2 in MH \$185.00  
1 in MH \$150.00

Registration Deadline: **TBD**



**CLINTON & BRENDA VOLZ #16260**  
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**BEN & LINDA CHISM #14562**  
620.331.9441 • linda\_chism@yahoo.com



# FRIENDS CHAPTER RALLY

# GREAT LAKES



RAY & MARILYNN FALCONE #17672

815.485.2260 • mfalcone021@gmail.com

**JULY 6 - 10, 2020**

## AMANA, IA • AMANA RV PARK & EVENT CENTER

The Amana Colonies are made up of 7 German villages on 26,000 acres...all within an easy drive. Amana has lots to do and see! You may enjoy a woolen mill, an art guild, antiques, shops, crafts, golf, restaurants (including family style dining), museums and more! Bring your fishing pole and walking shoes. <https://amanacolonies.com/>

The Rally will include one dinner, one ice cream social and one breakfast. The Rally will also include a DELICIOUS craft!

We will be going to the HWH plant in Moscow, Iowa for a Q & A session regarding the leveling systems, slides, etc. Bring your questions! If you would like to use this week to schedule your coach for its FREE annual inspection or any other service at HWH, they ask for, at least, a 2-week notice. The inspection is free however, any needed service will be charged. (Their labor rate is reasonable.) [www.hwhcorp.com/ml37235.pdf](http://www.hwhcorp.com/ml37235.pdf)

We will be camping at the Amana RV Park & Event Center. Call for reservations (319) 622-7616. Mention our Foretravel Group. All sites are pull-through. Discounts are available: Good Sam's, Passport America, AAA, or Escapees. Amana RV Park offers 1 night free with a week's stay. You may only use one discount. Please ask for Section X. <https://amanarvpark.com/>

We will have a large enclosed meeting room with a complete kitchen and air conditioning so no weather worries! It will be a great place to meet and socialize.

Come join us for fun, games and an all-around good time!  
We will depart on July 11th.

**CHECKS PAYABLE TO:**  
Foretravel Great Lakes Chapter  
Karen Pontius  
20169 5B RD  
Plymouth, IN 46563

**RALLY FEES:**  
2 in MH \$60.00

Registration Deadline: **TBD**





# FALL CHAPTER RALLY

# GREAT LAKES



**SEPTEMBER 15 - 18, 2020**

## SHIPSHEWANA, IN SHIPSHEWANA SOUTH CAMPGROUND

We hope you'll make plans to join us in the quaint city of Shipshewana for a fun and relaxing time during our fall rally.

The Shipshewana area is home to the third largest Amish community in the United States, for having the Midwest's largest flea market, and for its reputation of hand-crafted wares. Just a little warning – perhaps you should arrive with your bays empty! While we take advantage these novelties, we may find ourselves admiring what so many visitors love about the area which is just a simpler way of life.

The RV Hall of Fame is not far away and well worth the visit. Here among those recognized for their outstanding accomplishments, you will discover the photo and history of Foretravel founder, CM Fore.

Visit the flea market and locally owned stores. Stock up on homemade jams, jellies, pies or pretzels. Take a carriage ride through the countryside and bring your chair to relax around the campfire.

'Shipshe' as the locals call it, has only 670 residents but of the two million annual visitors, most wish they too could call it home. When you join us, you will see why.



**CHECKS PAYABLE TO:**  
Foretravel Great Lakes Chapter  
Karen Pontius  
20169 5B RD  
Plymouth, IN 46563

**RALLY FEES:**  
Estimated Price  
2 in MH \$100.00

Registration Deadline: **June 30, 2020**



**JIM & GENISE HIGGINOTHAM #15086**  
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**JACK HOBBS & ROSEMARY REASNER #15636**  
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# SPRING CHAPTER RALLY

# MID ATLANTIC

**MAY 14 - 16, 2020**



**David and Gay Sebert #15673**  
304.992.6497 • gsebert@suddenlink.net

## LEWISBURG, WV

## STATE FAIR OF WEST VIRGINIA CAMPGROUND

- Giant Flea Market at State Fair Grounds
- Many Antique Stores & Restaurants in Lewisburg & Sulphur Springs
- Greenbrier Hotel and Bunker
- Barnwood Builder Store
- Smooth Ambler Spirits Distillery
- Lost World Caverns
- Golfing

Rally Fee Includes: 3 Breakfast, 2 Dinners, does not include Thursday, May 14th Pot Luck Dinner.

Campsite Fee separate pay upon arrival  
State Fair of West Virginia Campground  
947 Maplewood Ave., Lewisburg, WV 24901  
304.645.6600

Camping Fee  
Campground Pay upon arrival. Prior reservations not required.

Discount for MAC\* Members:  
\$125.00 (2 MAC\*Members in a MH)  
\$70.00 (1 MAC\*Members in a MH)

### CHECKS PAYABLE TO:

Mid Atlantic Foretravel Motorcade Club  
Elaine Nale, Treasurer  
2627 Proctor Ln  
Parkville, MD 2134

### RALLY FEES:

2 in MH \$175.00  
1 in MH \$95.00  
Guest \$85.00

Registration Deadline: **APRIL 25, 2020**





# FALL CHAPTER RALLY

# MID ATLANTIC

SEPTEMBER 17 - 20, 2020

WASHINGTON D.C., NE • CAPITOL KOA

Even though it is early and not all plans are finalized yet. We have a great weekend planned for your enjoyment. Our plans include the Maryland Renaissance Festival which is considered one of the very best in the country. The Renaissance Festival is complete with live jousting arena, Globe Theatre; where you may catch a Shakespeare Play and many artisans' wears and great food.

Capitol KOA  
768 Cecil Ave. N, Millersville, MD 21108  
410.923.2771

We'll be tucked away like we're in the country, but the city is just a hop, skip and jump away.

We are in close proximity to Washington, DC, Baltimore and Annapolis giving us a verity of optional choices to visit before or after the rally

#### CHECKS PAYABLE TO:

Mid Atlantic Foretravel Motorcade Club  
Elaine Nale, Treasurer  
2627 Proctor Ln  
Baltimore, MD 21234

#### RALLY FEES:

TBA

Registration Deadline: TBA



TOM & ELAINE NALE #10962

443.794.6613 • tomnelainale@earthlink.net



# FALL CHAPTER RALLY

# NORTH ATLANTIC

SEPTEMBER 16 - 20, 2020

## GETTYSBURG, PA

### ARTILLERY RIDGE CAMPGROUND & HORSE PARK

Join us all for a very special 2020 Fall Rally in historic Gettysburg, PA.

Gettysburg is the location of the famous Battle of Gettysburg which was fought July 1 - 3, 1863 which marked the turning point of the Civil War and is also the location of the equally famous Lincoln's Gettysburg Address. We will be staying at the Artillery Ridge Campground and

Horse Park which is located on the grounds of the Union Artillery Reserve of the Gettysburg Campaign. Activities will include a guided tour of the impression battlefields as well as a visit to the famous Diorama which details the legendary three day battle. Other local attractions include ghost tours, Soldiers' Cemetery, the home of Dwight D. Eisenhower, and battle field tours on horseback for our equine inclined rally goers. This rally is sure to please so sign up early.

ARTILLERY RIDGE CAMPGROUND & HORSE PARK  
610 Taneytown Road • Gettysburg, PA 17325  
717.334.1288



**CHECKS PAYABLE TO:**  
Motorcade North Atlantic Chapter  
Donna Christensen  
697 ShootFlying Hill Road  
Centerville, MA 02632

**RALLY FEES:**  
TBA

Registration Deadline:



CHRIS & SUE DILEO #17955  
610.282.3980 • ctd204@epix.net





# SPRING COUNTRY RALLY

# SOUTH CENTRAL

APRIL 28 - 30, 2020



STEVE AND CAROL CROOK #16819  
770-313-3855 • crooksteve39@gmail.com

## CEDARTOWN, GA • HIGHTOWER FALLS EVENT FACILITIES

Return to nature at Hightower Falls where the 80' water fall will sooth your cares away. Have your picture taken at the 150 year old grist mill ruins. Enjoy banjo pickin, movie night, and prizes given for the best dressed Granny, Jed, Elly May, and Jethro. Join your cousins for a laid back, have some fun, eat Granny's cooken, and set a spell with the Clampetts.

We are located one hour west of Atlanta, in the country, between Rockmart and Cedartown, GA. To avoid low hanging branches, on local roads, we will email directions to all attendees. Come with your water tank full and waste tanks empty. There is a dump and water station on the property. The first 12 coaches will get 30 amp power.

Hightower Falls Event Facilities  
[www.hightowerfalls.com](http://www.hightowerfalls.com)  
771 Hightower Falls Road, Cedartown, GA 30125  
Phone: 770-748-2517

The campground fee is included in the rally fee.

### CHECKS PAYABLE TO:

South Central Chapter  
Lyn Whitaker, Treasurer  
4464 Hawkins Road  
Greer, SC 29651

### RALLY FEES:

2 in MH \$255.00  
1 in MH \$140.00  
Guest \$115.00

Registration Deadline: March 31, 2020



# FORETRAVEL MOTORCADE CLUB

## OPTIONAL DUES STRUCTURE

### BRONZE

Standard Motorcade Club annual dues:

**\$95/year per coach.**

- Benefits: 10% discount parts/service at FOT
- Quarterly magazine
- Chapter rallies  
(if chapter dues is paid to at least 1 chapter)
- Motorcades scouted by FMC activity directors
- Access to FMC website for the latest on activities
- Access to on-line Membership Directory  
(with user name/password)
- Membership badges
- Membership number decals for coach

### SILVER

Foretravel  
Motorcade Club  
annual dues:

**\$250**  
year per coach

- All Bronze benefits plus:
- \$100 discount on one motorcade/year
- \$50 discount on Grandvention registration/coach

### GOLD

Foretravel  
Motorcade Club  
annual dues:

**\$500**  
year per coach

- All Bronze benefits plus:
- \$100 discount on up to two motorcades/year
- \$100 discount on Grandvention registration/coach

### PLATINUM

Foretravel  
Motorcade Club  
annual dues:

**\$1,000**  
year per coach

- All Bronze benefits plus:
- \$150 discount on up to three motorcades/year
- \$150 discount on Grandvention registration/coach
- Preferred parking at all Club events.

### DIAMOND

Foretravel  
Motorcade Club  
one-time payment:

**\$6,000**  
per coach

- Benefits:  
All Platinum benefits for lifetime



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# CHAPTER

## Reports

### CALIFORNIA

Exciting times are in store for the California Chapter. We have new members and we are growing. Exciting new adventures are in store. Come be part of the adventure.

Our rally in Temecula this past November was the best ever. Thanks to Jim and Sharon Allen and Richard and Betty Bark for putting this together. Tours of the fire station and winery-motorcycle museum and the Pala Casino buffet and show were great fun. It pays to have fresh minds in charge.

First on our calendar is the Spring Rally. As requested, we are rallying outside of our comfort zone (California) and into Arizona. This is a joint California Chapter and Four Corners Chapter rally. As always, all Motorcadars nationwide are encouraged to join in the fun. All are encouraged to join all chapter events. Join our chapter too. This is a two-stop rolling rally (think mini-Motorcade) covering some of Arizona's most scenic attractions – Historic Route 66, the Grand Canyon, Sedona, and the National Monuments of Northern Arizona. We have many fun group activities, including the Grand Canyon Railway train trip and a Sedona trolley tour, plus ample time to relax and enjoy Arizona's beauty! The dates are April 29 through May 2 in Williams and after a short 80-mile drive, Camp Verde, May 3 to May 7.

Our Fall rally is November 8-12 in Buellton, California, gateway to Solvang and Santa Barbara, at Flying Flags RV Park resort and campground. This rally is in the planning stages, and possible activities include Solvang, Santa Barbara, wineries and breweries, Chumash Casino, missions, and the beauty of the Central California Coast. Fresh ideas and helping hands are always welcome.

These are friends' rallies. Your non-Foretravel friends are welcome to join the fun. If you know someone with a Foretravel coach who is not currently a Motorcade Club member, invite them to join us one time and see what they are missing.

We have come to learn that traveling the country in our wonderful coaches is only one facet of the Motorcade Club. The other important facet is the people. We all enjoy being with fellow Motorcadars, our old and new friends. With this in mind, we are trying something new. Let's get together in small groups for lunch, dinner, or whatever at a restaurant or at your home, no need to bring the coach. Just call some nearby Foretravel Motorcade friends and set a date. Let me know, and I'll ask my staff (Diane) to send out email announcements. No agenda unless you want one. No Club meeting. It's all about visiting and having a good time with friends.

One final comment: Seeing our Foretravel friends twice a year is not frequent enough. Adding non-camping get-togethers help. But there is more to this Club, much more, don't miss out. Diane and I are thoroughly enjoying Motorcades (Alaska last summer was great) and GrandVentions. We have made plans to attend our second Motorcade (Heart of America) and our third GrandVention this summer. We are hooked!

See you soon, Tom Lang,  
President California Chapter.

### CENTRAL PLAINS

Winter is a time when RV owners catch up on rest and all the doctor appointments! Our chapter has had more than its fair share of members with major medical issues this fall. I'm happy to report that everyone is healing and ready to start 2020 with some fun! I've enjoyed keeping up with everyone on the Foretravel Motorcade Club Facebook page.

Central Plains has several new members this year. We will contact each one by email or phone. I hope they will get involved in our chapter and attend our rallies, Motorcade Club events and the Grandvention.

Our chapter is blessed to have Jack Crick as President and Dani Chapman as Vice President. The chapter will finalize plans and wagon masters for the Fall rally during our spring rally meeting. The Spring Rally is one you will not want to miss out on. Mark your calendar now! The RV park is close to shopping and a great lake for boating & swimming, good food and just about anything! And.....it's not too far from the 'Chism Party Barn'!!! Ben & Linda Chism will be hosting a fish fry like you have never eaten before. We can spend the day boating, swimming, sun tanning, and relaxing while we visit. If you are a casino addict, we may never see you. I lose count of the casinos on the way to Wyandotte.

Spring Rally – June 9-13, 2020 (see ad in this magazine)

Wagon Masters: Clinton & Brenda Volz #16260 and Ben & Linda Chism #14562

Location: Cedar Oaks RV Resort

1550 83rd St NW

Grove, Oklahoma 74344

918.786.4303

[www.cedaroaksrvpark.com](http://www.cedaroaksrvpark.com)

Respectively submitted,  
Brenda Volz #16260, Secretary



## FLORIDA

The Florida Chapter continues to be very active and having some great rallies throughout the year. Our December rally was held in Clermont, FL. We had a terrific turnout with 27 coaches and 7 first time attendees. Pat and Yvonne Brewer #12728 hosted and made arrangements for several tours and lots of food (that which makes a rally great!).

Although it is not an official function of the Florida Chapter, we put together a group of 16 Foretravel Motorcade Club members and attended the Florida Super Show in January. Camaraderie, food, entertainment and a trip to Parkesdale Market for the best strawberry short cake in the area rounded out the five day event. It should be on every bodies bucket list to attend the show at least once.

We will be holding our Spring Rally on April 2 – 5 in Sebastian, FL with Gail & Skip Langfitt and Bob & Dolly Ferguson. Plans include several tours, crafts, tech talk, Bingo and plenty of food, of course. An optional narrated tour is being offered of the Blue Cypress Recreation Area by airboat on one of the most scenic waterways on Florida's Treasure Coast.

We are working on a joint rally with the South Central Chapter to take place in October. As the rally is firmed, more information will follow.

We continue to have new members join, but we continue to lose members due to health issues. With the diligent work of the four chapter officers, we are reaching out to all members of the Florida Chapter in updating their records and keeping the lines of communications open. Although we normally have almost 30% participation at our rallies, we are striving to increase that participation. We truly want to share the fun we have at our rallies with all our members.

Our chapter is healthy and striving to be better with each day.  
Connie Pool, President

## FOUR CORNERS

## GREAT LAKES

Hello to all our friends reading this magazine. As I write this, we are in Florida visiting family and friends while taking a break from the winter weather in Indiana. 2019 was a good year for our chapter and we know 2020 will be even better.

We have two chapter rallies planned for this year with the first being in Amana, Iowa, hosted by Ray & Marilyn Falcone. It will be July 6-10. Come join us in the Amana Colonies. Check out the full page ad in this magazine for reservation details.

Our second rally will be September 15-18 in Shipshewana, Indiana. This rally will be hosted by Jim & Genise Higginbotham and Jack Hobbs & Rosemary Reasner. There are plenty of things to do and see in the center of Amish country such as flea market, shopping, carriage rides, a petting zoo where buffalo, elk, giraffe and other exotic animals eat from your hand as you ride a horse drawn wagon through the field.

Our rallies aren't always filled with activities and scheduled events, but if you come, I'm sure you'll have a good time. We're looking forward to seeing you at one or both of our rallies this year.

Larry Pontius #16813, President

## MID ATLANTIC

What a wonderful time to be alive and what better way to enjoy it in a Foretravel Motorhome Coach! As everyone either loves to spend their winters in the magnificent cooler northern areas of our country or the delightful warmer sections of our land, it is always great to be a member of beautiful America! However, spring is here so we need to start traveling again in our fantastic Foretravel coaches seeing our magnificent country, mingle with our neighbors and learning about our vast national cultures, especially, by traveling to attend the many Foretravel Motorcades and Chapter Rallies (FMC) being held across the country! Our Mid Atlantic Chapter (MAC) 2020 Spring Rally, hosted by David and MAC Recording Secretary, Gay Sebert, is being held in the historic town of Lewisburg, WV, named the "Coolest Small Town in America". This rally is designed to allow plenty of time for attendees to visit the many historic places in town and nearby city of White Sulphur Springs. Our campsites will be on the grounds at the State Fair of West Virginia Fairgrounds within walking distance to the Giant Flea Market. Plus, we will have the use of a nearby building for our included three (3) breakfasts and two (2) dinner meals. There are many antique shops in Lewisburg to keep everyone busy and plenty of restaurants to eat at when it's time to sit and relax. In the nearby town of White Sulphur Springs, there is the magnificent Greenbrier Hotel which has a tour of the famous bunker area; however, this tour involves a separate charge not included in your Rally Fees. The nearby town of White Sulphur Springs is home to the famous Barnwood Builder Store plus many antique stores to visit if you are so inclined. The Bean Bag Baseball game board will also be available and can easily be set up so all rally participants can enjoy an exciting fun game! The MAC Spring Rally will be held Thursday, May 14-16 departing the morning of Sunday, May 17, 2020. The preliminary fee for all FMC members and non-members will be \$175.00/ 2 members in Coach, \$95.00/1 member in Coach, \$85.00/ each additional member/non-member guests. Mid Atlantic Chapter Members please note you will receive a discount of \$50.00 for 2 MAC members in Coach or \$25.00 for 1 MAC member in Coach or \$125.00 and \$70.00 respectively. The MAC Fall Rally will be held in the month of September in Annapolis, Maryland with much of the rally information listed in this edition of the Motorcader. The Fall MAC rally will be hosted by Tom and Elaine Nale, long time Motorcade Club Activity & Tour Directors, who have a wealth of experience in organizing Foretravel Club events and fabulous Motorcade tours during their long tenure on the Foretravel Motorcade Club staff. I know this will be a rally chocked full of interesting places for all to learn and see regarding the historic State Capital of Maryland. I am sure there will be many other fun things included so please go to the rally section of the Motorcader Magazine and check out all that our two seasoned Foretravel Tour Directors have in store for participants at this Fall Annapolis Maryland Rally! MAC Rally discounts fee will also apply for this rally. As written in the Foretravel Motorcade Club bylaws, "the object of this private Club shall be to afford opportunities for enjoyment, companionship, travel and recreation of its members." As per the Club objectives by participating in chapter rallies, our members enjoy visiting areas and learning local facts you were never aware of. You may meet coach owners who are from close by towns, maybe even living in your neighborhood. You may be able to resolve an annoying coach issue, but most importantly, you will meet new friends! The Mid Atlantic Chapter which is in sound financial condition, welcomes all its members, Foretravel Club members, and guests to attend these rallies, especially all new members and existing members who are first time participants. EVERYONE COME ON OUT ENJOY the FUN and FRIENDSHIP!

Tony Pasquale 16577, President

# CHAPTER

## *Reports continued*

### MID SOUTH

It is with pleasure that I can report our chapter is doing well. Last year our membership was at 353, having two great rallies in Amarillo, Texas and in Gladewater, Texas. The rally in Gladewater was exceptionally fun having our International President Steve Crook and First Lady Carol joining us.

Now that 2020 is here, we are in the process of planning several mini-rallies. Our Spring rally will be held in Natchitoches, Louisiana at Grand Encore RV Park in March. Our wagon masters, Bob and Barbara Finney and Merlyn and JoDean Neel, have planned several days filled with fun and excitement in this very historical area. This year's International President Russ Miller and First Lady Susan will be attending. Russ will be able to bring us up to date on the Motorcade and share future plans of the Club. At this time, we have 57 coaches signed up. Our Fall rally will be held in Kerrville, Texas at Buckhorn Lake Resort the week before Grandvention. Wagon masters Bill and Barbara Robinson are planning several fun days in the Hill Country. Make plans to attend. Looking forward to seeing as many of you as possible.

Safe Travels,  
Clifford Hughes #17011, President

### SOUTH CENTRAL

Hello Motorcadars. While many may be in Florida or Texas or other southern locations, enjoying the warm weather, here we are waiting on Spring to get out on the road with our Foretravels for more adventures and rallies.

We are looking forward to our Spring rally which will be held April 28-30, at Hightower Falls in Cedartown, Ga. (Please see our ad) This beautiful facility is owned by Steve and Carol Crook, our rally hosts. We hope that all Motorcadars that may be near will try to attend and as always, we hope to see all members of the South Central chapter. Also, be sure to invite your friends with other brands as they are always welcome at Foretravel rallies as your guest.

We would also like to announce the dates and location for our fall rally, which is a joint rally with the Florida chapter. It will be held October 8-10 at Hidden Hollow RV Park in Cottonwood, AL. So, go ahead and put these dates on your calendar. There will be more details coming soon. There is no easier way to learn about the Foretravel brand than talking to owners willing to share their knowledge. It is always nice to get together with friends to share our travelin' experiences, talk about future trips, and discuss technical troubleshooting and resolutions.

Jerry Moon, President

### NORTHWEST

A great big 'HELLO' from the Northwest chapter. Just to let you know we are alive and well. Yes, we are still seeking support within our chapter to help fill vacant positions, need help with future rallies and most of all need member participation. But we are not going to let the lack of those needs stand in our way of moving forward.

We are in the planning stages of perhaps a summer rally and hope many of our chapter members will join us at the Grandvention in Kerrville, TX this October. Please consider joining us and being a part of a chapter that plans to soar.

Bert & Trina De Winkle #17800, President

### NORTH ATLANTIC

Greetings from the North Atlantic Chapter of the Motorcade Club. Winter is in full swing in our part of the country. So far we have had a fairly mild winter with a light amount of snow and no temperatures below freezing. We are hoping that Punxsutawney Phil got it right over the weekend when he did not see his shadow and that we will have an early spring.

It is time to be thinking about getting into gear for our chapter rallies. We are thankful for our wonderful North Atlantic Chapter of the Motorcade Club. We may be smaller in number than some of the other chapters, but we make up for that in our enthusiasm and dedicated members who are there to support chapter activities. We have great rallies where we all pitch in to create fun filled memories. Please plan to join our group for a rally sometime and share our comradery.

Congratulations from our chapter to the new International President and First Lady, Russ and Susan Miller. We hope you have a fabulous year visiting the Motorcade chapters. We understand that you are planning to be at our Spring Rally. We look forward to seeing you there and to learning about all the changes taking place in the Motorcade Club.

We had 2 fun rallies in 2019 and expect the same this new year. We had many first time attendees at both rallies and are hoping to see them and other newbies at this year's events.

We held elections at our Fall Rally and our chapter officers for 2020 are:

**Richard Sherman (15323) – President • Glenn Turner (15909) – Vice President**  
**Donna Christensen (18100) – Treasurer • Marlene Wildenstein (11292) – Secretary**

Our 2020 chapter president, Dick Sherman, sends greetings to all. He and Joanne look forward to seeing good friends and meeting first time attendees at all our chapter rallies. He especially wanted to thank those members who volunteered to serve as officers, past and present. All chapter members join Dick in thanking those who have stepped up to be Rally Masters for chapter events.

I am sure that most of the Foretravel Club members were friends with John and Nancy Alguire. They were very active in the Club and in FMCA. John passed away a few months ago and his presence is missed. Nancy is going to continue traveling and has offered to host our Spring Rally at their home on the Hudson River in Mechanicsville, NY. Dates are May 28 thru May 31. It is a delightful place to relax and enjoy the area. The river is practically in Nancy's backyard and the weekend is always filled with boat rides, great food and enlightening conversation. There will be lots of good memories to share.

Our Fall Rally will be September 16-20 in Gettysburg, PA., hosted by Sue and Chris DiLeo. Sue and Chris hosted a great Fall Rally in Hershey in 2018 and this one should be wonderful too. If you love history, ghost tours, and great shopping, you will love Gettysburg.

Remember that each of our rallies is a Friends Rally so members are invited to bring their RVing buddies along.

Hope to see lots of you at a rally or down the road. Safe travels to all.

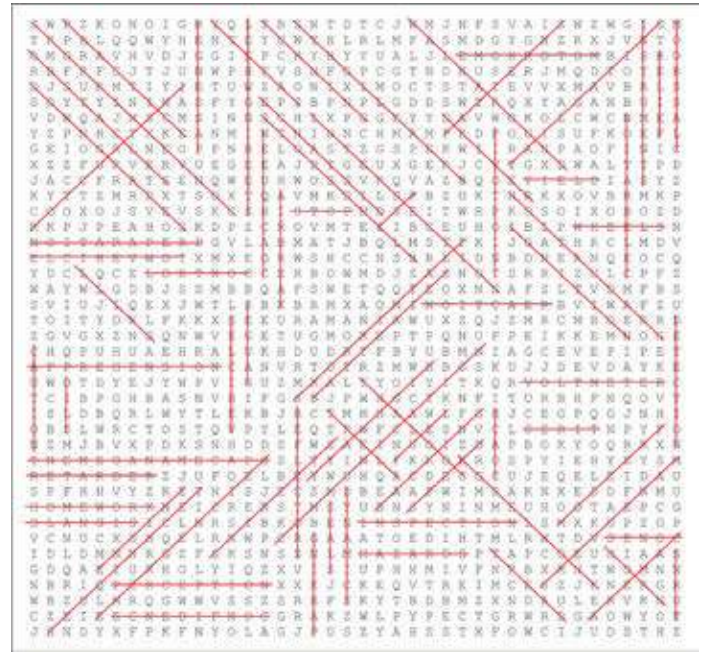
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