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## SOUTHWESTERN BUS NUTS NEWSLETTER

...AND THE WHEELS GO AROUND AND ROUND
BUT IT TAKES OUR BUS NUTS TO KEEP THEM GOING!



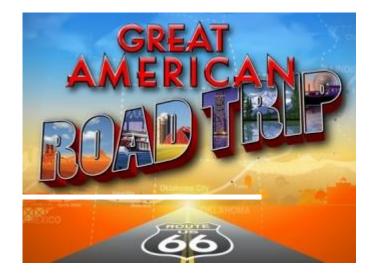
PLEASE HELP... OUR TIRES ARE LOSING AIR!!!!!

WE NEED NEW MEMBERS!!!!





Jeany and I will be leaving Hemet and start a long trip across the states and be back for our September rally, so until then have an enjoyable summer and stay safe.







### From our Secretary....

## Respectfully submitted by Lois Jones

MINUTES - BUS NUTS, GOLDEN VILLAGE PALMS - MAY 15, 2021

MEETING CALLED TO ORDER AT 9: a.m.

OFFICERS PRESENT WERE: GENE LeMEUR, WARREN MOORE, LOIS JONES, BOB CROFT. ABSENT WERE BEVERLY JONES AND JAN MACY.

WE HAD NO TREASURY REPORT.

MINUTES OF THE LAST MEETING WERE POSTED AND APPROVED.

GENE INTRODUCED OUR NEW MEMBERS; LORAN AND GLORY BAYER, LONG TIME FRIENDS OF JEANY LEMEUR.

GENE ANNOUNCED THAT OUR PLANNED TRIP TO THE AIRPORT MUSEUM HAD BEEN CANCELED.

SINCE WE HAD NO CLUBHOUSE, GENE HAD BOUGHT A VERY NICE AWNING THAT WAS ABOUT 12x20 — A MOTION WAS MADE BY EVERETT FULLER THAT WE BUY ANOTHER ONE, IT WAS DISCUSSED AND WE VOTED A BIG YES, ALONG WITH A MUCH NEEDED NEW COFFEE POT. WARREN OFFERED TO BUY IT ALL!!

WE THEN HAD A LONG DISCUSSION WITH BOTH PROS AND CONS OF JOINING WITH ANOTHER CLUB FOR FINACIAL REASONS. ALL CLUBS ARE HAVING PROBLEMS WITH LOSING MEMBERS. THERE WAS NO DEFINITE DECISION. IT WILL BE DISCUSSED AGAIN.

WE ALL THANKED JEANY LEMEUR FOR ALL THE WORK SHE DID TO MAKE THIS A REALLY NICE AND DELICIOUS RALLY.

MEETING ADJOURNED AT 9:30.

RESPECTFULLY SUBMITTED,

LOIS JONES, Secretary.





# From our Hospitality Desk

#### Respectfully submitted by Jan Macy

Hmmmm.... And more days go by, that turn into weeks, that turn into months and haven't really heard of any news from anyone. I take that as a good sign!!! As the saying goes, no news is good news!!! I'm sure we have had some special events that have taken place during May and June, but.....

I know many of you have now heard that we are selling our motorhome and that rumor is true! We are, but we are not dropping out of the club. We will see you at the rally in September! Don't want to miss out on Alan's Famous Spaghetti Dinner!!! (I think he said he was making that.) THAT INFORMATION IS INCLUDED IN THIS NEWSLETTER!



I hope you are surviving this summer's heat waves and keeping cool.

Let us continue to use good judgement, and not have to take any steps backward in this pandemic. Go out and meet, eat, travel, enjoy, and practice our safety habits.

The BEST OF HEALTH to everyone!





Our prayers may be awkward. Our attempts may be feeble. But since the power of prayer is in the One who hears it and not in the one who says it, our prayers do make a difference.



#### And now a humor break......

















# Miscellaneous Ramblings by Warren Moore, VP Southwestern Bus Nuts

In lieu of Gene and Jeany being on vacation, we will read from Warren's notes::::

May's Rally was held in Hemet at Golden Village. There were 13-15? rigs in attendance:

Gene & Jeany LeMeur, Alan & Beverly Jones, Paul & Joan Flickinger, Ray Bass, Lois Jones, JoAnn Davis, Ed & Sue Kalac, Loren & Glory Bayer, Bob & Pat Darden, Tony & Betty Fraley, Everett & Sue Fuller, Lou & Lois Huff, Norm & Phyllis Wilson, Bob & Liana Croft and yes, Molly and I were there as well. Sorry if I forgot anyone.

The overwhelming theme of the weekend was the possible merger with the California Chapter. They just so happened to be in attendance on the west side of the park. For some strange reason, we got placed on the east side of the park for the first time in my memory. The Park played a little favoritism, I think. Anyways, our (the Clubs) financial situation was brought out on the floor and it was voted on that Gene should go over to the Cal Chapter and discuss the possibly of merging.

I'm not privy to what actually transpired, but the merger and legal problems of a 501 merging with another and how to rename the club was a major issue. The name CalBusNuts was kicked around by our members.

((Personal sidebar, I believe that staying ahead of the financial problem is the only answer, and Cal Chapter has a war chest of funds. But I'm not sure that raising our expenses, is the way to get more and younger folks involved with our club.!))

But the other issue brought up was the lack of parks willing to give us a club house, even the Sportsman's Club in Joshua Tree. Gene has bought a 10×20 shelter to take to meetings so while the club was discussing it...... I picked up my phone and ordered from Amazon two new Coffee Urns and an additional shelter, 10x20, with sides that roll up and can be zipped off.

I think I shocked the club members by how fast it was that I could order something, and have it sent to my house by day three and fix a problem that has been side stepped by the membership for years.

We now have (for how long, I really don't know) double 10×40 / 20×20 shelters we can erect in a parking space and have our own portable club house. I think these are a quick answer to a nagging problem. Now they sit and are patiently waiting for the next rally!

Someone else's club had these erected at Chula Vista for New Year's 2 years ago and I thought them a nifty idea. Could be used as a club house or a hospitality tent for schmoozing a new possibility of a member to the club.

# A few photos that I received from new members Loren & Glory Bayer and one from Molly Moore too!!! THANK YOU!!!!









I understand Bob serenaded a few of the ladies as well as entertained them with his wit!!



#### Molly Moore says,

A great memory was playing Rummy tiles with sister Sue, Joanne and Lois, lots of laughs and and even Mrs. Wilson (can't remember her first name) Phyllis came over and joined in on the fun. Who knew she is such a cowboy lover, I thought for sure she had horses, oh no! It's the clothes and country singers like Blake Shelton she loves 🗇

Another great memory was Bob, his wit and charm is so adorable, he even sang for the ladies!

#### Sue Kalac adds~

I really have nothing to say about the rally, just good to be with friends in a nice RV park. Gene and Jeany put on a nice rally. I don't think Jeany ever stopped, she worked so hard!

#### New member Loren Bayer adds~

As new members Glory and I enjoyed the stories and fellowship.

#### And this from Glory~

Hi Jan  $\bigcirc$  Glory here Loren & I are the newbies & very much enjoyed this Rally~ Loved meeting the friendly members who welcomed us & made us feel very special  $\textcircled{\bullet}$  Gene & Jeany were Great very organized & the meals were excellent ~ They worked hard & it blessed me to see how helpful the members were with them  $\textcircled{\bullet}$  Really kind moments of people whom we just met stepping in & helping us with our Coach ~ Still on a learning curve & so pleased with Awesome Mentors that were willing to help us  $\textcircled{\circ}$  Loren has some pics in his phone he will be sending~ "See you n September"  $\textcircled{\circ}$  ~ Glory Bayer



JULY 1 – BOB CROFT

AUGUST 1 – LOIS JONES
7 - LOU HUFF
29 – GLEN BLANKENSHIP

SEPTEMBER 1 – JIM PATTERSON 6 – LOIS HUFF



AUGUST - 21 - GLEN & JEANNE BLANKENSHIP

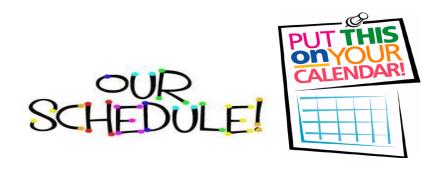
25 - NORM & PHYLISS WILSON

27 - BOB & PAT DARDEN

SEPTEMBER 4 – JIM & EDDA PATTERSON 8 – EVERETT & SUE FULLER



PLEASE ADD TO OUR LIST!!! BIRTHDAY AND ANNIVERSARY DATES...I only need the month / day...unless it's a biggy! Just drop me a quick email with your information. ~ Jan Macy



# SOUTHWESTERN BUS NUTS RALLY SCHEDULE 2021

JAN 6 – 10 WMHA Area Rally Indio, CA Cancelled

FEB 11-13 Golden Shore RV Long Beach, CA Cancelled

MAR 11-14 KOA Stagecoach Banning, CA B- LeMeur's Cancelled

✓ APR 8-11 Bonelli Bluffs RV Resort San Dimas, CA Moore's/Fuller

✓ MAY 13-16 Golden Village Pals Hemet, CA LeMeur's & Bayer's

JUN No Rally

JUL No Rally

AUG No Rally

SEP 9-12 Chula Vista (New Park) Chula Vista, CA Bev & Alan Jones

OCT 7-10 Golden Shore Long Beach, CA

NOV No Rally

DEC 28-Jan 2 Chula Vista (New Park) Chula Vista, CA

If you would like to Trail Boss a rally or have any suggestions for future rallies, please contact Gene LeMeur. (714) 264-0674

WHEN THE REGISTRATION FORMS BECOME AVAILABLE TO YOU, I URGE YOU TO SEND THEM IN FOR THESE RALLY'S AS SOON AS POSSIBLE, AS THE PARKS ARE WANTING DEADLINE CONFIRMATIONS A MONTH OR MORE IN ADVANCE.

WE WILL SEND REGISTRATION FORMS PRIOR TO EACH RALLY.

## HERE IT IS FOLKS.....

# THE SEPTEMBER RALLY

# INFORMATION AND REGISTRATION FORMS



# SWBN SEPTEMBER 2021 Rally

SEPT 9, 10, 11, and Home on 12



825 E. Street, Chula Vista, CA 91910

NAME: _		FMCA #	
ADDRESS: _			
CELL PHONE #	#:		
EMAIL ADDRES	SS:		
HANDICAPPED	D: YES/NO		
RV LENGTH: _	NUMBER OF SLIDES:	SLIDE LOCATION: L/R/BC	TH
RALLY PARKIN	NG FEE \$ 93 Per Night OR \$ 256.68 for 3	3 nights \$	
RALLY FEE PE	ER PERSON: \$ 30.00 x	\$	
		TOTAL: \$	<del></del>
FEES DUE BY	AUGUST 10th		
PLEASE MAKE	CHECKS PAYABLE TO: SOUTHWES	TERN BUS NUTS	
12390 T	LEMEUR – WAGON MASTER  Triple Tree Terrace		
VICTOR	RVILLE, CA 92392		

For more information contact Gene at 714 264-0674

**HOSTED BY ALAN AND BEVERLY JONES** 





#### **RALLY AGENDA AND MEALS**

THURSDAY SEPT 9, WELCOME AND CHECK IN

DINNER ON OWN AT THE GALLEY

FRIDAY SEPT 10, 7:30 COFFEES ON

8:30 SUNNY'S DONUTS, YOGURT AND FRUIT

11:00 SHUTTLE WILL PICK US UP AT PARK FOR TOUR

TOUR OF DISCOVER WILDLIFE No charge.

4:30 HAPPY HOUR

5:30 DINNER SPAGHETTI

SATURDAY SEPT 11 7:30 COFFEES ON

8:30 BREAKFAST CASSEROLE

11:00 BOARD MEETING

12 NOON GENERAL MEETING (DISCUSSING NEW YEARS EVE)

1:00 BINGO EVENT CENTER

4:30 HAPPY HOUR

5:30 DINNER PULL PORK SANDWICH/COLE SLAW

WE HAVE EVENT CENTER UNTIL 7PM TIMES MAY CHANGE.

#### PLATES AND SILVERWARE WILL NEED TO BE BROUGHT TO ALL MEALS

SUNDAY SEPT 12, HAVE A SAFE TRIP HOME.

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#### MORE INFORMATION

DEAR FRIENDS,

ALAN AND I WENT TO THE RESORT TO CHECK IT OUT THIS PAST WEEKEND, AND FOUND IT IS A LOVELY PLACE.

VERY FIRST CLASS AND EASY TO WORK WITH. THE SITES ARE VERY LARGE AND EACH SITE HAS A PROPANE FIRE PIT, YOU CAN EITHER BRING YOUR OWN PROPANE TANK OR RENT ONE FROM THEM FOR \$25.00 WITH A \$50.00 DOLLAR DEPOSIT.

THERE IS A NICE CAFÉ/COFFEE BAR, COMMUNITY POOL AND STORE.

IF YOU ARE BRINGING OR HAVING A GUEST COME FOR THE DAY LET ME OR ALAN KNOW AND WE WILL LET YOU KNOW HOW THAT WORKS. ANY OTHER QUESTIONS YOU MIGHT HAVE, PLEASE LET US KNOW AS WELL.

ALSO, IF YOU WANT TO BE PARKED NEXT TO SOMEONE SPECIAL LET US KNOW ON YOUR RESERVATION FORM.

THE RESORT SITS UP HIGHER AND WITH NO WIND BLOCK, SO BRING JACKETS AND SWEATERS.

WE WANT TO MAKE THIS A REALLY SPECIAL EXPERIENCE FOR ALL.

BEVERLY JONES 951 236-1419

ALAN JONES 951 830-7803

# So far this is what our 2022 Rally Schedule looks like.....



# 2022

JAN Indio (WMHA) Indio, CA

FEB NO RALLY

MAR TBD

APR NO RALLY

MAY BONELLI BLUFFS San Dimas, CA





#### Hello Everyone!

It was good to hear that a good turnout was had at the Hemet rally. Be sure to put the next rally on your calendar and get your Registration form in. A HUGE THANK YOU to all who contributed to this Newsletter! Let me hear from more of you!!!

Take care and be safe!

Please submit something......



A tasty, easy recipe or one from a rally that was requested. Or a funny one!



A handy hint for an RV user.



Good, clean jokes or thoughts, notes, reminders. Road trip stories!!!



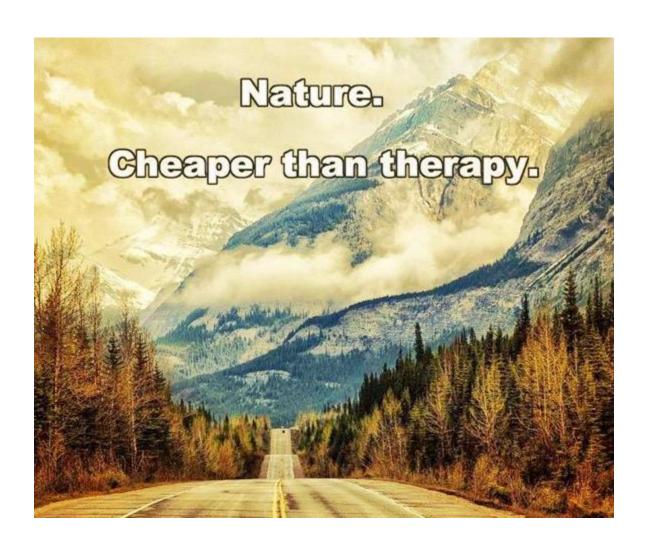
Please keep any changes in your contact info up to date.

#### THANK YOU!

~Jan Macy Southwestern Bus Nuts Newsletter Editor 951 757-1701 Cell jan@macyassoc.com

"And in the end, it's not the years in your life that count.

It's the life in your years." Abraham Lincoln



See ya.....

