

RV WHEELERS NEWSLETTER March, 2023

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Website: RVWheeler.org



**Come on Down to the
Boot Scootin' Boogie and
Heavy Appetizer Potluck
at the March 9th meeting!**
**Line dancing with Doug Houston
and a Happy Trails Potluck to
wish a fond farewell to the RV
Wheeler who's been in the club the
longest, Dee Wennerstrom, who is
moving away in March.
Come join us and wish her well!**

Upcoming Events

- General Meeting, Clubhouse 1
Boot Scootin' Boogie & Potluck
March 9, 2023
- Spring Training/Arizona Rally
March 10-24, 2023
- General Meeting, Clubhouse 1
CPR preparedness
April 13, 2023
- Oceano Rally
April 16-21, 2023
- General Meeting, Clubhouse 1
May 11, 2023
- Bishop / June Lake Rally
June 1-10, 2023
- RV Wheelers Picnic Lake Rally
June 22, 2023

No Monthly Meetings June, July, August

TIME TO RENEW RV WHEELER MEMBERSHIP FOR 2023

***Renewal is based on the calendar year
Renewal Deadline Extended to 4/01/23
See Application on Page 8***

Please let us know if you are not planning on renewing for 2023. Those members who have not renewed by April 1, 2023 will be removed from the club's directory and mailing list. If you are unsure as to whether you've rejoined for 2023, please call Joanie, our new Membership chair, prior to March 15th at (949)836-6527

CELEBRATIONS

March

- 03 Fred Burt
- 14 Jerry Gross
- 16 Jack Dunnigan
- 16 John Gee
- 17 Joyce Luithle
- 20 Elizabeth Roper
- 22 Doug Gibson
- 23 E. Marie (Fitz) Fitzgerald
- 24 Janie Moore
- 24 Rickey Tambe
- 26 Larry Roussel
- 31 Jill Williams



Happy Anniversary



March

Yrs

- | | | |
|----|-----------------------------|----|
| 08 | Bob & Julie Mangino | 48 |
| 15 | Jeri Dipley & Carolyn Leach | 45 |





CPR REVIEW at APRIL MEETING

Many of us had CPR/AED training years ago. Every time we recertified there were changes. The Wheelers have an opportunity to get a 30/40 minute overview of current procedures from an expert instructor at our **Club's general meeting April 13th.**

John Little retired from the LA Fire Department in 2011 (a 39-year career) much of which was in emergency response, paramedic and investigation. His passion and expertise led him to become an instructor teacher at Saddleback Hospital and Hoag Hospitals. Also, he has volunteered his time and efforts to give basic instruction to Saddleback Church and other community organizations. Several RV Wheelers heard a recent presentation and thought this was good information for us as a group. John's delivery is informal, factual and entertaining. Please mark your calendars.

Doug & Lorrie Gibson



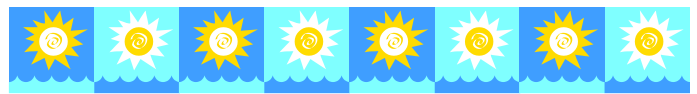
RV Items for Sale
Check the club's website
periodically –

Are you thinking about selling your RV? Are you planning to give up your RV space in the lot? The Board Members often get questions about RVs for sale and spots in the RV lot, so please let us know if you're going to sell your rig or give up your space.

Reminder to please check to see that your registration tags are current, and that the RV Wheelers Directory reflects your accurate RV space and information. If not, please email Roslyn at rlynn timer69@gmail.com to provide your space # and in which lot your RV is stored. Also email if you need the password. We look out for one another's rigs – so let's keep the info in the Directory current! If you notice things that should be addressed in the RV lots, please contact a Board Member. We're trying to help Security keep on top of these things.

Have NEWS to share with your fellow RV Wheelers? Please send to Roslyn by the 20th of each month to be included in the following month's newsletter!

Rlynnie69@gmail.com



www.RVWheelers.org
Classified Section

Joanie Van Wickle is selling her ebike – call for details

Have you been camping lately? Send your travel stories and a few pictures to be included in a future newsletter to Roslyn at rlynn timer69@gmail.com

MEMBERS ON THE MOVE

Wonderful Guajome Rally – a great time was had by all!

Twelve rigs arrived at the beautiful park near Oceanside on a crisp, sunny Sunday afternoon. The 13th rig joined us on Monday!



This was technically a “No-Host” rally, so we enjoyed several potlucks which did not disappoint! The first evening we had hot dogs and wonderful side dishes. Thank you to Mark Tate for grilling and providing the BBQ. We then shared a brilliant campfire – thanks to Ron Marrin and all who brought wood, some yummy marshmallow treats and an exciting Super Bowl game!



The next morning was a delicious potluck breakfast which we hurriedly decided to move inside to the enclosed pavilion due to some short-lived rain. Flexibility once again!



By the time we'd finished, the rain had stopped and the day was beautiful! We were able to explore the lake and the numerous hiking and biking trails in and around the park.



A few of us rode our bikes on the San Luis Rey Trail which began just outside the park. The heartiest of bike riders arrived at the trail's end near the Oceanside Pier. Kudos to Robert Salem who pedaled the entire roundtrip route **without** pedal assist!

Monday afternoon many Wheelers headed to Tip Top Meats in nearby Carlsbad for dinner. A unique butcher shop, European market, deli and restaurant – Tip Top has a myriad of imported foods, beer and wine in addition to the fresh meats and cheeses. We learned that Frank Van Wickle used to work for Tip Top Meats when it was in Glendale.



Since weather on Tuesday was expected to be the cold and windy, we chose that day to be indoors in the enclosed pavilion, with windows looking out to the lake. We had the room from morning until night, so we enjoyed another breakfast, then people came and went throughout the day, working on puzzles, talking, and enjoying each other – until we had our heavy appetizer potluck for dinner! Thanks to Melinda and Bunny for our sweet Valentine's Day candy and decorations, and to everyone who made such delicious dishes! We certainly eat well at RV Wheeler rallies!





Wednesday was another “chill” day at the campground – with another breakfast, walks, bike rides and friendship. A few went to Pala Casino and came out a little ahead overall! Some had originally thought to go to the Antique Gas & Steam Engine Museum just up the road, but instead most folks hung out around the campground. A few folks had to leave a day early so missed the early evening campfire. Those who remained were treated to some special campfire desserts – cookies made by Suzanne and Kevin Clover and campfire pies made by Ron Zimmerman and his helper, Doug Gibson. We “wondered” at how they were ***much better than expected*** – in fact they were delicious!!



All in all, we had a terrific time with a great bunch of RV Wheelers! We hope to see more of you at RV Wheeler rallies in the future. Remember, you don't have to do much to get a rally at your favorite camping spot on the calendar. If you plan it, the RV Wheelers will come! And we can help you with suggestions and ideas. A 'No-Host' campout can be simple – with very little planned, but a lot of fun being together!



Let's go camping!!



APPLICATION FOR RENEWAL / MEMBERSHIP - 2023

RV WHEELERS OF LAGUNA WOODS VILLAGE

☐ New
 ☒ **Renewal**
☐ Changes
 ☐ No changes
 Referred by _____

Any resident of Laguna Woods Village, who is the owner of, or is interested in, a travel trailer, camper or motor home is eligible for membership. Our purpose is to promote social relationships of our members by holding meetings, rallies and get-togethers and to disseminate information of benefit to members.

Date

\$

Anniversary (Mo/Day/Yr)

APPLICANT (PLEASE PRINT)

Last Name	First Name	Nickname	Birthday (Mo/Day)	Email
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SPOUSE/COMPANION

Last Name	First Name	Nickname	Birthday (Mo/Day)	Email
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Address	City	St	Zip
Home Phone	Cell #1	Cell #2	

RV	Make	RV Model	Rig Class	License	St
Rig Length	# Slides	Parking Lot A or B	Space Number		
Tow or Dinghy	Make	Model	License	St	

Our club's strength is member involvement. Would you be willing to help with: (x)

Social Events	Hospitality	Greeter	Programs
Publicity	Membership	Asst. Rally Host	Board Member

What are your interests? (x)

Card Games	Dominoes	Bingo	Shopping
Cycling	Hiking	Walking	Tours/Museums
Other (Please indicate)			

Please mail this application and **\$15.00 per person**. Make checks payable to "RV Wheelers".

If you wish, you may also submit this application at any regular meeting.

Mail to Treasurer: Liz Roper, 153-A Ave. Majorca, LW 92637

Please list some of your favorite campgrounds (within 150 miles) of Laguna Woods

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Pd List

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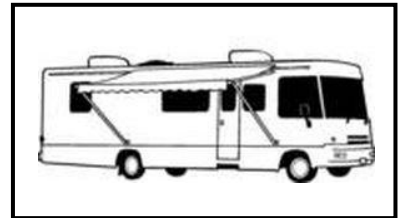
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MEETINGS ARE THE 2ND THURSDAY OF THE MONTH, AT CLUBHOUSE ONE, 6:30 PM



ADVANTAGES OF RV WHEELERS MEMBERSHIP

- **We are your only liaison with the GRF Security Committee and can relate your concerns about the RV lots, rules and regulations, lot fees and more**
- Planned 4 to 7-day group rallies, within a reasonable driving range of the Village. Also have some week to 2-week trips further afield with planned or spontaneous activities at destination planned by those who attend
- Monthly meetings with guest speakers with knowledge of RV maintenance, repair, and road rules plus social time and camaraderie
- Informative website and monthly club newsletter
- Resource Guide of member-recommended RV maintenance, repair, supplies, and parts dealers



RV WHEELER CLUB BADGES AVAILABLE



- Many RV Wheeler members have purchased the high quality plastic Club badges (pictured above) with either a heavy-duty magnet or regular pin on the back
- **Pin required if you have a Pacemaker**
- **Purchase of the badge(s) is optional at a cost of \$8.00 per badge.**
- Keep the badge(s) in your rig for rallies and/or at home for RV Wheeler meetings.
- Hanging “dangles” can be ordered for each rally attended, if desired, at a cost of \$1.50 each. Rally hosts will ask participants if they’d like to order a dangle for that rally. Each rally dangle will be a different color and hooks on to the bottom of the badge or to the preceding dangle (as shown).
- If you’re interested in ordering one or more of the badges, please tear off the order form below and send with your check **payable to the RV Wheelers** to:

Roslyn Ginnis 2002-A Via Mariposa West, Laguna Woods 92637 (818)620-5019

Please state your preference for magnet or pin, # of badges and which dangles you’d like

Name on Badge _____ # of Badges _____

Magnet or Pin on back **(Pin required if you have a Pacemaker)** _____

Name on Badge _____ # of Badges _____

Magnet or Pin on back **(Pin required if you have a Pacemaker)** _____

of Dangles for **2022 - 2023 Rallies:** Lone Pine / Bishop _____ Newport Dunes _____

Lake Skinner _____ Bonelli Bluffs _____ Quartzite _____ Bishop/June Lake _____

Jurupa _____ Guajome _____ Oceano _____ Arizona Spring Training _____