



## RV WHEELERS NEWSLETTER

AUGUST 2022

Roslyn Ginnis, Editor

### Join us at the September RV Wheeler meeting!

Our monthly club meeting and Ice Cream Social will be held on  
**Thursday, September 8<sup>th</sup>**  
at 6:30 p.m. in **Clubhouse 1**



### Upcoming Events

- General Meeting, Clubhouse 1  
September 8, 2022
- General Meeting **at Newport Dunes**  
October 13, 2022  
*More Info to come in September*
- Newport Dunes Rally  
October 13 – 18, 2022
- Lake Skinner Rally  
Oct. 28 – Nov. 1 2022
- General Meeting, Clubhouse 1  
November 10, 2022

# MEET YOUR FELLOW RV WHEELERS

We'd like to continue to highlight our awesome members! If you enjoy these stories, consider sending me yours for future issues! They will become a link on our website directory.

Roslyn Ginnis, Membership VP [rlynn69@gmail.com](mailto:rlynn69@gmail.com)



## NEW MEMBERS



Hi Everyone,

I am Yoko Davis. I am half Japanese and half Chinese but was born and raised in Taiwan.

I went to the University of Missouri and worked in the Bay Area for many years.

I recently decided to retire early and moved from San Diego to LWV.

I enjoy all type of outdoor activities including hiking, biking, kayaking, SUP, swimming and camping.

Last year about this time I did a three day backpacking trip in the Kennedy Meadows area with a friend. We got lost and almost got killed. It was life time experience but it did reduce my passions for camping and backpacking.

I have been fascinated by Van Life YouTube stories. Maybe one day I will buy an RV even as I love living in LWV.

Look forward to being part of the RV Wheelers family!

Yoko

*LET'S GO CAMPING!!*

# AUGUST CELEBRATIONS!!

## BIRTHDAYS

### August

03	Maria Givan
03	Mark Monin
03	Rick Moore
10	Sonia Flanigan
12	Nancy Lemire
12	Jonathan Woo
13	Jane Perry
15	Chuck Hale
15	Ruihu (Ray) Liu
29	Francisco Gomez
31	Charlotte Palmer-Finke
31	Heidi Penkava
31	Leroy Roper



## and ANNIVERSARIES!!

August	Years
08	Dennis & Toni Rohrig 62
09	Fred & Shirley Burt 64
10	Francisco & Irmina Gomez 62
13	"Fitz" Fitzgerald & Jan Levinrad 9
17	Rich & Bonnie Smith 54
27	Doug & Lorrie Gibson 56
31	Brad & Jackie Martin 48



# MEMBERS ON THE MOVE . . . .

## A GREAT ALASKAN ADVENTURE!

By Dee Wennerstrom



While I may not be doing much rv'ing these days, I am still getting around!

A couple of months ago my Alaska son-in-law bid for a ride on a vintage DC-3 at a charity auction at the aviation museum in Palmer. He had the winning bid so carefully chose 17 of his flying friends to go with him. I was fortunate enough to be one of those people. The company that does this rehabilitates vintage DC-3 planes.

We went on July 14th. What a beautiful flight. The crew was friendly and fun. While the weather was marginal toward the end of



the one hour flight, the scenery around the Knik glacier and the Mat-Su Valley was spectacular. Big windows in the cabin so everyone got a great view.



A great ride in a classic aircraft. It was definitely a unique flight seeing experience. The sound and feel of the old radial engines was fantastic! Lots of laughing and fun! The crew wore uniforms of the era and we were encouraged to dress up in vintage clothing too! Makes the experience more enjoyable!



# Ron and Roslyn continue their journey . . . . . Pics from So. Dakota and Montana



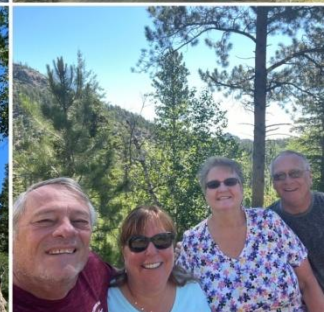
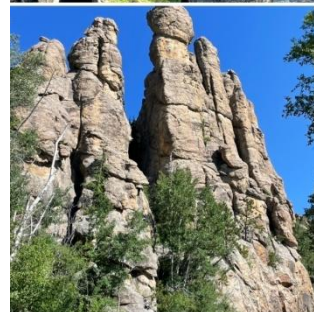
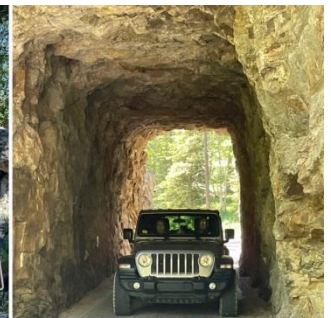
WE WERE AWED BY THE GRANDEUR OF MT. RUSHMORE



CUSTER STATE PARK AND BISMARCK NATIONAL FOREST



BISON GALORE!! A DIFFERENT KIND OF TRAFFIC JAM!



SCENIC BYWAYS - IRON MTN RD AND NEEDLES HWY



BEAUTIFUL BISMARCK LAKE CAMPGROUND



BIKING THE MIKELSON TRAIL



CAMPING & FISHING - GALLITIN RIVER, MT

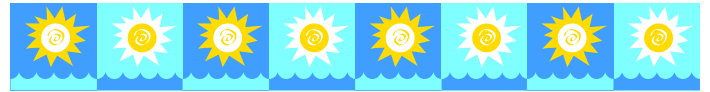
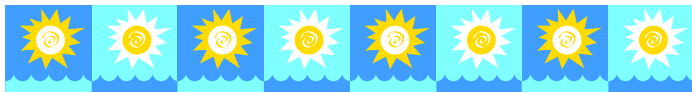
# Sunshine...

A Get Well Card was sent to our club secretary, Bruce Block, who had hernia surgery and is recovering at home.

If you have some good, or “not so good” news, or know of someone who could use a little sunshine, please let Dee Wennerstrom know and she’ll send a card and/or our positive thoughts and good wishes in our monthly newsletters! Dee’s contact information is as follows:

Cell: (949) 697-0798

Email: [dee561@comline.com](mailto:dee561@comline.com)



**Have NEWS to share with your fellow RV Wheelers? Please send to Roslyn by the 20<sup>th</sup> of each month to be included in the following month’s newsletter!**

**[Rlynnie69@gmail.com](mailto:Rlynnie69@gmail.com)**

Susan Smallwood Cooper reported that the ***Rice Ranch RV Park in Quartzsite*** where the Club stayed in January 2020 and 2022 has been sold and the new owners are upgrading the park – thus they have canceled some reservations for this winter.

## Camping Suggestions??

**What are some of your favorite places to camp?**



**DON'T DELAY – NEWPORT DUNES IS A VERY POPULAR RALLY! REGISTER TODAY – SEE ATTACHED FLIER FOR DETAILS**



# RV WHEELERS CAMPOUT

**OCTOBER 13 – 18, 2022 \*\***

**NEWPORT DUNES \*1131 Back Bay Drive Newport Beach \* [newportdunes.com](http://newportdunes.com)**

Located on 110 acres of beach in Newport's Back Bay, Newport Dunes RV Resort offers beautiful views and many amenities – beach access, relaxing pool and spa complex, nearby rentals for water sports and bicycling, proximity to Balboa Island and Newport Fashion Island. RV back in sites are 40' L x 25' W with full hook ups (30 and 50 amps).

**Total Cost: \$310.00 for MINIMUM of five nights (including 13% resort tax/some meals) \*\***

**50% deposit check (\$155.00) required by August 22, 2022**

**Balance (\$155.00) due by September 14, 2022**

**SPACES BOOK QUICKLY – RESERVE NOW – SPACE IS LIMITED**

Rally Hosts: Roslyn Ginnis / Ron Marrin – Call for more information (818)620-5019

[RLYNNIE69@GMAIL.COM](mailto:RLYNNIE69@GMAIL.COM) / [RONALDMARRIN@YAHOO.COM](mailto:RONALDMARRIN@YAHOO.COM)

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**Please return this tear-off with \$155.00 deposit no later than August 22, 2022. \$155.00 Balance Due 9/14/22.**

**Make checks payable to Roslyn Ginnis and mail to 2002-A Via Mariposa W, Laguna Woods 92637**

Name(s) \_\_\_\_\_ No. of people \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_ Cell Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_ Length of Rig \_\_\_\_\_ No. of pets \_\_\_\_\_

# RV WHEELERS

## LAKE SKINNER RALLY

OCTOBER 28-NOV 1, 2022

**\$100 for 4 nights**



Lake Skinner Campground, 37701 Warren Road, Winchester, CA, Approx. 1500' elevation

We have reserved 16 spaces at beautiful Lake Skinner, located in Riverside County, 12 miles southwest of Hemet and **only 80 miles from Laguna Woods**. Tucked in the Auld Valley of the Tocalota Hills, Lake Skinner spreads across 1400 surface acres. The lake is operated by the Metropolitan Water District of So. California. Anglers enjoy fishing for bass, carp, trout, catfish, and bluegill. There is no body-contact allowed in the lake, but boating is popular. A marina provides rentals. There is a well stocked camp store too.

This time we will be going Friday and coming home on Tuesday November 1. **The price for the four days is dependent on getting 16 rigs! The cost will be a bit higher if we do not fill all 16 spaces,** Sites have 30 amp electricity, water, a fire pit and picnic table (but no sewer hookup; however, there is a free dump station for the use of campers). There are coin operated showers. No ground fires allowed; use BBQ or fire ring.

We will provide a packet prior to departure with more information for those who will be going. We need to have your reservations and money by **October 1**. Please fill out the form below and mail with a check made payable to **Host: Bunny Quartararo, 700B Avenida Sevilla, Laguna Woods, CA 92637. Phone: 949-290-6769 Email: ajquarta@gmail.com**

**Co-Hosts: Frank & Joanie VanWickle (949) 836-6527**

**Co-Hosts: Doug and Lorrie Gibson (949) 562-9144**

## LAKE SKINNER RALLY

**(Must have form & check by October 1)**

**Attached is my check for \$100**

Bringing tow vehicle? Yes or No (circle one)

Name(s) \_\_\_\_\_ No. of people \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_ Pet? \_\_\_\_\_

Rig size \_\_\_\_\_ Home Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Cell Phone \_\_\_\_\_

e-mail address \_\_\_\_\_

MAKE CHECKS PAYABLE TO:

Bunny Quartararo  
700B Avenida Sevilla  
Laguna Woods, CA 92637

# 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

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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 **2021 /2022 Rallies:** Lone Pine / Bishop \_\_\_\_\_ Julian \_\_\_\_\_

Newport Dunes \_\_\_\_\_ Lake Skinner \_\_\_\_\_ Quartzsite \_\_\_\_\_ Bonelli Bluffs \_\_\_\_\_

Bishop / June Lake \_\_\_\_\_