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♦ All dates are subject to change.

(Please note the date correction for CASEY'S ON THE RIVER RALLY)

2021 Calendar

****DATE REVISED!!****

August 30-September 2, 2021,

**Casey's-on-the-River RV Park, Westfir, Oregon

NO Hosts:

****Cancelled!!****

September 22-27, 2021

Prosser Balloon Festival

Host: Fred Dent

November 24-28, 2021

Thanksgiving Rally

Hosts: TBA

2022 Calendar

March 10-13, 2022

Odd-Fellows RV Park, Florence, Oregon

Hosts: Frank & Dana Suttell



President's Corner

We hope this finds everyone well and in good spirits.

Floyd and I were able to get out over the weekend of the 18th for our 58th annual family picnic. It was held near Cherry Grove, and we had a wonderful time. In the past we'd boondock for 5 days with about 200 family members showing up, but this year we only had around 100 for just a 2-day event. In years past, we would cook a whole pig, but this year we chose to cook home grown chickens and burgers instead and accompanied it by a keg of beer and an ice machine to keep the beer cold. In addition, in past years we would go through 50 lbs. of baked potatoes for hash browns and 25 lbs. of bacon for breakfast. This year the hash browns came out of a box, and we had just 15 lbs. of bacon added to 30 dozen eggs.

As for coming events, I know that everyone will recall that we had to cancel last year at Casey's-on-the-River because the smoke was so bad, and the forest was closed to all camping because of fires in the area. This year, the cut off date for reserving spots at the park for the "Gathering of Friends" (not an "official rally") was July 20th. As of this writing, there will be 7 coaches participating.

As for the Prosser Rally, we should hear more sometime in August from Host Fred Dent about plans for the rally and maybe some news about "when" or "if" the balloons will fly in September. As always, to all our NWCC members and friends, we wish you good health and safe travels wherever your journey may take you.

Joyce



A Few Pictures from a couple of The Hensley Family Happenings



2021



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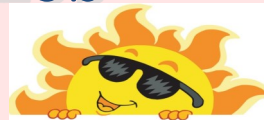
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The National Weather Service has just published instructions on how to bake a lasagna in your mailbox



Online Membership Photo Directory

Our Member's Directory is a convenient way to put faces with names of our membership. The Directory is available in the Members Only section of our website at: <https://www.nwccers.org/members-only>. Your password is your FMCA number including all capital letters (no spaces) and is case sensitive. You may also download a hard copy from the same area, or if you would like a color, hard copy mailed to you, use the Contact Us form on the web site to request a copy. Include your FMCA number in your request. (Our Directory is available only to current NWCC members.)

NWCC Website and Facebook

Website: NWCC maintains a website at [nwccers.org](https://www.nwccers.org) with current chapter information, copies of the newsletters, rally information and registration as well as a Members Only section with club governing documents, a membership directory and other information. The webmaster contact is: nwccwebmaster@nwccers.org

Facebook: The FaceBook page for Northwest Country Coachers search is: **NorthWest Country Coachers Motor Coach Club**. Many of our members are already friends on this social media site. If you would like to be a part of our Facebook community, please "Like" or "Follow" us.

MEMBERS' CORNER

A FEW "LINKS" FOR YOU

[https://www.doityourselfrv.com/3 Tips For Going Off The Grid In Your RV | Do It Yourself RV](https://www.doityourselfrv.com/3-Tips-For-Going-Off-The-Grid-In-Your-RV-Do-It-Yourself-RV)

[https://www.doityourselfrv.com/10 RV Camping Hacks With Items From The Dollar Store | Do It Yourself RV](https://www.doityourselfrv.com/10-RV-Camping-Hacks-With-Items-From-The-Dollar-Store-Do-It-Yourself-RV)

[https://mobilervng.com/6 RV Hacks for Keeping Cool in Extreme Heat | RV Living | MobileRVing Blogs](https://mobilervng.com/6-RV-Hacks-for-Keeping-Cool-in-Extreme-Heat-RV-Living-MobileRVing-Blogs)

Reading this positive article on Winnebago, it makes one wonder why they shut down the Junction City, OR facility?
Cheers,
Herb

Winnebago sees record sales as millennials enter RV market. Winnebago CEO, Michael Happe, suggests a record number of sales is due to a rise in demand amongst younger buyers. Read in Fox News: https://apple.news/A40iARL4qRUSbC_tYVHPiDg

Here's a new RV Park on the Central Coast that could be a good place to put on your visit list, especially in the summer and it is such a cool area. They are just opening and require multiple day stays on weekends and Holidays. Could not get the site price on this website, but I bet it's in the \$100 plus club. They must be pretty confident with their pricing as they will require a 7 day minimum stay next year when all services are fully open? Bring your wallet!
Cheers,
Herb
<https://FlyingFlagsAvilaBeach.com> | [Highway West Vacations](https://HighwayWestVacations.com)



Country Coach Allure on Coal Bank Pass HWY 550 south of Silverton, CO today. Other posts say occupants are OK (Thanks to Don and Lee)



FMCA DIRECTOR'S NEWS

National Director's Report

Governing Board Meeting

July 7, 2021

Gillette, Wy

As you probably know by now, the Governing Board passed a budget that included \$50 dues.

Hopefully the reduction in the dues rate will encourage more people to join FMCA. This new budget does retain FMCAssist thru the end of fiscal year 2022.

Newly elected officers are: National President – Rett Porter

National Senior Vice President – Gary Milner

National Secretary – Kathie Balogh

National Treasurer – Barbara Smith

There were changes to some Policy & Procedures. (1) The dues were decreased for commercial members bringing them in line with Full Family membership rates. (2) Guidelines were established for investments. (3) New chapters will no longer have to pay a \$35 formation fee.

A change was made to Bylaws Article VIII that would allow a Governing Board meeting to be held by electronic means such as internet or telephone under certain conditions when uncontrollable events prevent in person meetings.

Those were the highlights. More P&P's were amended but they don't affect the chapters or members. All Bylaws and P&Ps are available on the FMCA website.

The meeting began at 9am and ended at 5:15pm. Before the meeting begins members of the NW Area pick a time that they expect the meeting to end and put in \$1. Our own Barbara Holmes won \$14. She didn't share!

Barbara Schleuse

Here is an update on "Casey's on the River!!"

This will **not** be a Country Coach Rally as we've always had, but will be, instead, a "Gathering of Friends" with **NO** club house and **NO** Rally Fee. We hope to be able to use the open-air pavilion if we want to gather. If you do decide to attend, it's listed under my name, Floyd Hensley.

Did You Know?



Welcome to Casey's Riverside RV Park! Your group is scheduled to arrive August 30th and depart September 2nd, 2021.

We currently have 13 sites set aside for your group and require that each group member call 541-782-1906 to reserve their own site. All sites have full hook-ups with up to 50 amp service, free WIFI and cable. Sites may either be pull-thru or back-in and are a variety of lengths so please have your RV information when you call in. Please read and understand the following information as it ensures you have an enjoyable stay with us:

- All members who plan to be here August 30th, 2021, checking out September 2nd, 2021 must call 541-782-1906 by July 19th, 2021 to secure a site. All remaining sites (not reserved) will be released for open reservations to general public July 20th, 2021.
- The exterior of all RVs must be clean and in excellent condition. Units older than 15 years require pre-approval before completing a reservation. Management reserves the right to refuse admission to RVs not meeting park standards.
- A **non-refundable** deposit of \$15 is required at the time of booking. Please be prepared to submit credit card information when you call to complete your reservation. Deposits will cover the cancellation fee if reservation is cancelled before August 16th, 2021.
- Cancellations made on or after August 16th, 2021 will be subject to a charge equal to one regular price night fee.
- Rates may change at any time.
- Casey's Riverside RV Park does **not** allow tents, tent trailers, vans or any type of dry camping. *All units must be self contained with proper sewer connections.*
- Check in time is 1 pm. Please do not enter the park earlier as your site may not be ready to move in.
- All visitors of guests are required to pay \$7.00 per vehicle (up to four persons) per day. Visitor hours are 8:00 am to 9:00 pm.

Thank you and we look forward to seeing you in August, 2021. If you have any questions, please feel free to contact us.

Andre & Toni

Casey's Riverside RV Park

caseysrvpark.com

541-782-1906

Out and About with NorthWest Country Coachers



1935 Packard Motorhome
(Thanks to Lee Casebeer)



No "deer-dents" for this coach!!
Or maybe they are they planning
to go off-roading?

July found Frank Suttell and Steve Serex on-hand to help Vern Serex replace the deteriorated wood on two benches that are part of a small park serving as a memorial for Vern and Glenda's son, and Steve's brother, Rick.



And, of course, "wherever two or more have gathered" a sort of mini-rally was sure to take place as Richard and Sibylle Beck welcomed everyone for Sunday brunch. (No, Richard has not gone all "Hollywood" on us, the "shades" are to protect his eyes from bright light after cataract surgery.)





"It's never gonna fit!!"



"This is what we came for!!"

May, 2015





"HA!! We did it!!"



"Let's see now! I want one of these.....and one of these....."



"Does my hair look okay?"

	<p>2021 Prosser Balloon Festival Rally</p> <p>Cancelled</p>	
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Regretfully we have decided to cancel the Balloon Festival Rally for this year. The Balloon Festival is still on the calendar; however, the promoters may still cancel due to COVID concerns and won't know for sure for a "few more weeks." Additionally, Washington and Oregon Governors expressed concern that they may have to re-impose some COVID restrictions in the coming weeks. Wine Country RV Park asked all groups who have been holding reservations for the Balloon Festival weekend to make a decision by August first and to reconfirm their reservations. Given the uncertainties of the situation and the understandable reluctance of our members to make long term plans considering the waning COVID pandemic, the chapter felt it would be unlikely to register 15 coaches for a successful rally.

We are on the calendar for the 2023 Balloon Festival, but they are already fully booked for 2022 (Wine Country RV Park books the Balloon Festival weekend two years in advance).

So, we hope to see you at the Balloon Festival in 2023! Hopefully the COVID pandemic will be a distant memory by then spawning campfire stories of days gone by.

Fred Dent, Host

NorthWest Country Coachers

An FMCA Chapter, Chartered September 29, 2007 As a Local Northwest area Country Coach Owner's Club.

Membership Application

Date: _____ Referred By: _____

Driver Name _____ Co-Pilot Name _____

Date of Birth: (MM/DD) _____ Date of Birth: (MM/DD) _____ Anniversary: (MM/DD) _____

Mailing Address:

Street: _____ City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Phones: Home () _____ Driver Cell () _____ Co-Pilot Cell: () _____

Residence Address, if different than mailing:

Street: _____ City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

More Information:

FMCA # (Enter 'Applied' if applying concurrently) _____ Email Address: _____

Your Country Coach Information:

Year: _____ Length: _____ Model: _____ Coach # _____

NWCC Directory for CC Service and Parts

The following companies have been submitted to this directory by our club members. They have been found to be knowledgeable and

Company	Contact	Service
Amazing Creations https://www.amazingcreationsrv.com	Scott Adams 1220 Ivy Street Junction City, OR 541-998-1126	Custom cabinets, flooring and general remodeling/upgrades Amazingcreations1@yahoo.com
Bend RV Repair https://bendrvrepair.com/	Jeff Spear 62980 Boyd Acres Rd. Unit A-2	Complete RV Repair Referred: Lee Casebeer & Tom Lowery
Brazel's Performance https://brazelsrv.com	Alan Sanders 3912 Harrison Avenue, Centralia, WA 98531 877-786-1576 Referred by Russell Warren	Alignment, suspension, maintenance, dynamometer, electrical & mechanical repairs shop—50-amp sites and dump
Carrier & Son's RV Service Center Facebook: @Carrier RV Service	Tom & Teresa Carrier 29525 Airport Rd., Eugene, OR 97402 Off: 541-461-1673; Fax 541-461-1674 Referred by: Terry and Les Apple	Skilled service craftsmen are able to handle most of your RV service needs from the smallest job to a major structural rebuild job.
Coach Masters of Bend	Blake 20472 Brandis Ct., Bend, OR 97701 541-330-6863 Coachmasters@bendcable.com	Parts, Service, Repair coachmasters@bendcable.com
Coach Solutions	3451 Kendra St, Eugene, OR 97404 541-514-9000	House and Chassis Electrical; Audio/Video, including RTI Remotes. Local service & Fly-in Anywhere USA
Dave Root RV Glass Repair www.daverootrvglassrepair.com/	Dave Root, Bend, OR 541-280-3612	Reseals, Thermo-Pane windows, all RV side windows
Davis Cabinets www.daviscabinets.com	150 E 10 th Ave., Junction City, OR 97448 541-998-8778, Shaun Davis	Interior upgrades, cabinetry, window shades
Guaranty RV Center ** www.guarantyrv.com	So Hwy 99, Junction City, OR 877-463-0067 NWCC exclusive sales dealer NWCC \$25 discount on retail service	Service, Parts, Body Shop and RV Sales
Kaiser Brake and Alignment kaiserbrakealignment.com	265 Taylor St., Eugene, OR 97402 541-344-5887	Alignment, brakes, tires
K&M Mobile R.V. Repair LLC https://www.facebook.com/kmmobilervrepair	Kevin Waite (Former Country Coach Service Tech. & Owner) 95430 Noraton Rd., Junction City, OR 97448 541-953-6162 (Cell)	Mobile Repairs, Technical Support Country Coach Parts kvn.wt.7629@gmail.com
Kustom Coach Works	Bobby Vodden	Custom audio/video installations

Company	Contact	Service
Olstrom Custom Coach LLC NEW	Eric @ 1-520-485-3750 Www.olstromcc.com	Based out of Tucson is mobile to anywhere for repairs
Oregon Motorcoach Center **	29417 Airport Rd, Eugene, OR 97402 541-762-1505 Effective 01/03/2012: Current NWCC Badge gets 10% discount on Parts.* Bob Lee, Founder of OMC and NWCC Honorary Lifetime Member	*Present your NWCC badge for discount. You will need verification that your club dues are current. Interior restoration, modifications, remodel, service and parts Fax: 541-762-1509
Premier RV Services	Gary - 541-554-3997 Office: 541-998-2640	Sales - Service - Storage premierrvstorage@gmail.com
RV Glass Solutions	Eugene, OR 888-777-6778 Doug Rutherford – former CC Service Manager	Windshield replacement, glass and windows. Many CC windshields in stock. Call for a referral in your area.
RV Service Pro In the Puget Sound area	Mobile RV Service from Seattle to Olympia. Certified RV service and repair professionals for all your RV service and repairs	They do good work at fair prices. They overhauled my Aquahot for me. Recommended by Fred Dent
Hitch Pro & Tow	4701 West 11th Avenue Eugene, OR 97402 (541) 434-2403 Ken Banyard, Sales Manager	Complete service for towed vehicles: base plate installation, wiring, tow bars, braking systems and advice. Recommended by Denny Huffman
Silverleaf Electronics	2472 SW Ferry St., Albany, OR 97322. 888-741-0259, 541-220-5494	Total Coach Monitoring System, Vehicle Monitoring System
Specialty Crate, Inc Logistics Division	41 North Danebo Ave. Eugene, OR 97402 Randy Stout 541-689-8840	Country Coach parts – chassis, body and house.
Splendide (Westland Sales)	15650 SE 102 nd Ave., Clackamas, OR 97015	Washing machine repairs
Specialty Marine and RV 503-678-6501	Tom Dinsmore 20781 Olmstead Road NE	Diesel-powered coaches only Custom Accessories, Installations, Repairs and Services
Washington Auto Carriage	Terry Fout, General Manager 5301 E. Broadway, Spokane Valley, WA 99211	24 Hour Emergency Mobile Service: (509) 534-9358