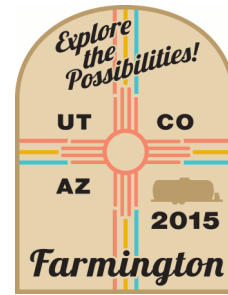




RALLY NEWS



Newsletter for WBCCI Early Workers

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In the movie Custer's Last Stand, I recall as Major Reno lay dying, the screen writer gave him these last words, "Oh, if I could just see the sun rise one more time". I think the reason these words have stuck in my memory all these years is because they speak of a fact we don't think about as much as we should. What a gift a sun rise is, what a great value in every moment of our lives. If we live the average life, we may have about 27,000 sunrises and if we are wise, we will watch a few of them because everyone is precious.

Time matters, it is the building blocks of life. If you are reading these words, then you are at the 58th International rally as a worker. You are parking Airstreams, verifying, planning space, handling paper work, or practicing with the band to entertain us. You are here to donate some of that precious time and talent to make our lives a little better.

Yes, I know what you have given, many of us do. Thank you!!

If you would like to put an article in the newsletter please contact Shannon Wylie #4199 at (210) 323-1742 or at shannonwylie248@hotmail.com, site 2-33. There is a box in the Club Office titled Rally News Articles if you would like to drop your articles there. The cut off time for your article is 3:00 PM daily. Anything given after the 3:00 PM deadline will be included in the following days newsletter.

Please do not park in front of the MUB in their business sites. Please park behind the concession stands or in RV1 lot.

Please do not go to the McGee Park office. The Club Office is in Room F of the same building, the second door down the sidewalk.

Just a reminder, for the pancake breakfasts this week please bring your plates, coffee cups and eating utensils.

Rig Count

There are 107 rigs on the grounds!

HELP WANTED

The International Rally Committees need volunteers. Please look them up and let them know you would like to help. You can never have too many volunteers!!

Building Security

Cargo

Carpenter

Community Service

Grounds after Rally

Information/Lost & Found

Message Center/Scooters

Parade

Parking

Registration

Sanitation

Traffic Control

Transportation/Shuttle/Tractor

Verification/Welcome

Water

Worker Tour Sign-Up

Severe Weather AND Emergency Procedures Farmington, NM 2015

SEVERE WEATHER PROCEDURES

1. In case of severe weather, you will be notified by Traffic Control (TC) personnel and you should proceed to the Convention Center, building #2 immediately.
 2. It is recommended that you secure awnings, flags and all loose items around your RV.
 3. Pets may be taken to the building, but you must be prepared to accommodate their needs.
 4. Any time there is bad weather and you have not been notified by TC personnel, you may proceed to building #2 if you feel unsafe in your RV.
 5. When it is safe, an all-clear will be announced by TC personnel.
2. Give your name, location (McGee Park) lot number and your RV number.
 3. Turn on your headlights, emergency flashers and have a neighbor stand by to direct emergency personnel to your sight.
 4. YOUR RV NUMBER MUST BE PROMINENTLY DISPLAYED ON YOUR RV SO EMERGENCY PERSONNEL CAN LOCATE YOUR RV AS QUICKLY AS POSSIBLE.

SECURITY

EMERGENCY PROCEDURES

1. In case of an emergency for any reason, please call 911.
1. The McGee Park is a very secure and safe place, but it is always best to take necessary precautions to protect your property.
2. It is recommended that you keep all your RV compartments locked as well as your vehicle.
3. Keep all bicycles, scooters, etc. locked when not in use.
4. The local Law Enforcement and McGee Park Security will be patrolling the area.

As stated in the Pre Rally Schedule, trash will be picked up at 7:00 AM in front of your rig. If after 7:00 AM when put out, please put in trash barrels located in each RV lot.

Recycle bins are in place in front of the MUB.

Looking for your friends at the rally? Check the daily locator report on Farmington.wbcci.net. Debbie #4822

POST OFFICE which is located in the Coliseum will be open June 17th through 19th from 11:00 AM to 1:00 PM. June 22nd to July 2nd from 11:00 AM to 3:00 PM. All mail must be picked up by July 3rd. Post Office will be open on July 3rd from 10:00 AM to Noon. Closed Saturdays and Sundays!

MAIL IN FARMINGTON

All mail for members attending the International Convention/Rally should be addressed as follows:

Standard Mail
Name, WBCCI # _____
P.O. Box 448
Bloomfield, NM 87413-0448

FedEx or UPS Packages
WBCCI Property Room
Name, WBCCI # _____
McGee Park, San Juan County Fairgrounds
#41 County Road 5568
Farmington, NM 87401

Dump Schedule

The first pump out is June 16th followed by June 20th, June 24th or 25th, June 28th or 29th and July 2nd or 3rd.

Worker Tour Sign Up

You can sign up for Worker Tours in the Club Office in the MUB Room F.

HELP WANTED—Early worker tour sign up table, Contact Julee Shields #12275, site 2-7 or call (913) 908-7500. No experience required!

FREE DAY—JUNE 29, 2015

CHOIR NOTICE

Choir practice will be from 3:00—4:00 PM every weekday beginning Tuesday, June 16th and ending with the last scheduled rehearsal on Friday, June 26th at Bloomfield High School Band Room. The address is 520 N. 1st Street, Bloomfield, NM 87413 (a fifteen minute drive). Turn right on Hwy 64 (east). Turn left on Hwy 550 north, several blocks past Hwy 550 south. The school is on the right. After turning into the schoolyard, the choir entrance door will be on the left and will have a choir sign.

Any questions contact Bonny Herman at (352)-584-1503 or see me at site 2-83.

Sportz Arena Restaurant at Sun Ray Park & Casino Daily Specials

Daily specials start at 11:00 AM

Sunday—Spaghetti & Meatballs \$6.95

Monday—Taco Platter \$7.95

Tuesday—Steak & Shrimp \$8.95

Wednesday—Prime Rib Sandwich (lunch) \$6.95

After 4 PM—Prime Rib Dinner \$9.95

Thursday—Pot Roast \$8.95

Friday—Sizzling Fajitas \$9.95

HELP WANTED

Doug Wylie needs some help at the Verification booth. If you have a couple hours to spare contact Doug at site 2-33, (210) 602-5700 or dew50@sbcglobal.net.

HELP WANTED

Contact Susan Swearingen, #4482, site 1-10, (309) 824-5085 or smsflyfisher@hotmail.com if you want to help secure the rally. I need some volunteers with Building Security, no experience required. I will have a meeting with sign up sheets on June 24th from 2:00 PM to 3:00 PM in the MUB room B. If you have a couple hours to spare come see me.

Please be responsible pet owners and clean up after your pet. There is not a lot of grassy areas so please clean up where ever your pet goes. There are non pet owners who enjoy walking around the grounds without having to watch where they step. Thank you!

Purple Cow Kafe, one of the concessions here, is open for business. Jeanne Stark, owner, has a variety of items on the menu. She is located next to the MUB. The hours of operation are 7:30 AM to 1:30 PM. She will be closed Saturday June 20th and Sunday June 21st. They will have ice cream next week. Here are some of her popular items: coffee, biscuits and gravy, green chili wrap, pulled pig wrap, chicken salad sandwich and pink pig lemonade. There have been quite a few eating there and saying how good it is. Go support her when you can.

The fairgrounds has WIFI available in the buildings, but bandwidth is limited. Please make sure that you use it only for emails and avoid downloads of music, videos, Skype and streaming. If we have the system overloaded we will not have the bandwidth to conduct business, and we will have no choice but to restrict access. Please use the WIFI with consideration for all other Rally Attendees.

There is no WI-FI in the Multi Use Building. It is available in the Convention Center. The Bandwidth is very limited, so please restrict use to email only. The code is mpw1r4L4ss (all lower case).

Showers are located by the Covered Pavilion and Memorial Coliseum. Showers open 6:00 AM to 1:00 PM and 3:00 PM to 10:00 PM. Please be careful with the locks when leaving the Handicap showers. The lock gets pressed by accident and locks the next person out.

Please Note

Region 8 Breakfast is at 7:30 AM and not 8:00 AM as noted in the Pre-Rally Book.

Region 9 Luncheon is being held at Three Rivers Brewery, Friday, June 26, 2015, 11:30 -1:00 pm. You must have a ticket. David Thompson, Region 9, Treasurer, Rig # 2971 is located in McGee Park Offices in WBCCI Finance Offices. The Offices are open Monday - Friday 9-12 and 1-4. David can be contacted at (806) 679-8337 or Jan (806) 681-8270

Quilters!!

The Pre-Rally Quilting area is now open in the Convention Center. It's behind the purple drapes at the end opposite the stage. Hours are 9:00 AM to 4:30 PM. Come join us!!

Carol White

(618) 319-0524

The speed limit for the fairgrounds is 10 MPH. Please keep with in the limit when driving around the grounds. Thank you.

Help Wanted

The Sign Shop need some assistance. Please call Caroline Zimmer-Stone at (941) 730-2549.

June 18—August 1

Outdoor Summer Theater: “Beauty and the Beast” Come experience live local theater in a beautiful natural sandstone amphitheater. Performances are held Thursdays, Fridays and Saturdays at 8 PM at Lions Wilderness Park. Information: 877-599-3331 or www.fmtn.org/sandstone

June 19—21

8th Annual San Juan River Balloon Rally Three days of excitement! Balloons will take flight from the Bloomfield Soccer Fields and fly down the San Juan River. Information: 505-632-0880 or www.bloomfieldchamber.info

June 20

Grower’s Market Shop locally for fresh produce and other products at the Farmers Market at the Farmington Meseum’s parking lot from 8 AM to Noon or sell out at Gateway Park Museum and Visitors Center, 3041 E Main St. Market held every Tuesday and Saturday.