

SEMINARS AND SPEAKERS - WBCCI PRESENTATIONS

The seminars at our International Rally are always well attended. That is because we have so many talented members in our club. Again this year we will have about forty seminars. Most will be conducted by our members. Because of good attendance and the popularity of past seminars we have many returnees. There are also some new faces among our presenters with some new topics. We will have seminars about hobbies, medical and health, RV repair and maintenance, computers, and information from the Lewisburg area. The local residents have again stepped up and offered to share interesting items about the Lewisburg area.

Friday, June 24th

Mary Kay & Fighting the Signs of Aging WV Univ. Bldg. 10:30 a.m.-11:15 a.m.
Mary Kay offers a line of unique products that help you have the healthiest and best-looking skin possible. This seminar will include a full description of our anti-aging skin care products, both for your face and your body, and information on how and when to use each product. Questions welcomed. Expect a lively discussion. A door prize will be given at each seminar. *Presented by Sondra Nelson with Mary Kay*

Rock Your RV WV Univ. Bldg. 1:00 p.m.-1:45 p.m.
Learn to rock your RV cooking with Pampered Chef Rockcorks! Rockcorks save you space and time, and have multiple cooking uses. Prepare meals and desserts in 30 minutes or less! *Linda Weikle with Pampered Chef*

Sunday, June 26th

Pet Show WV Aud. 2:00 p.m.-3:30 p.m.
Enjoy the fun of seeing all the pets' antics. You will have a great time even if you don't own a pet. *Coordinated by Linda Agre.*

Monday, June 27th

Yoga WV Aud. 9:00 a.m.-10:00 a.m.
Discover Yoga. How to improve your life and outlook with the practice of yoga.
Presented by Christi Godby

Treasurers'/Membership Seminar Cafeteria 1:00 p.m.-2:00 p.m.
Headquarters staff will present the whats, whens, and hows of the headquarters operation in relation to our regions units. We will also take time to answer questions and take suggestions from the floor. *Presented by Lori Plummer*

First Timers' Reception/Seminar WV Aud. 2:00 p.m.-3:00 p.m.
Meet your fellow First Timers. Learn some of the Ins and Outs of the International Rally. Don't miss this if the International Rally is a new experience for you.
Presented by Beth McCall

Brainstorming for Blue Beret Cafeteria 2:15 p.m.-3:15 p.m.
This is your chance to make suggestions and hopefully volunteer to help improve the magazine. So bring your ideas and let's see what we can come up with.
Led by Cecelia Stansbury

Miche WV Univ. Bldg. 3:00 p.m.-3:45 p.m.
Miche interchangeable handbags. *Presented by Helene Graham*

Tuesday, June 28th

What Is Auxiliary Braking & Why Do I Need It?

WV Univ. Bldg. 8:30 a.m.-9:15 a.m.

Blue Ox gives an interactive seminar addressing what auxiliary braking is, and why you need one in your tow vehicle. We will address different braking systems, safety issues, state towing requirements and how they affect you. You will learn the do's and don'ts of caring for your auxiliary braking system, helpful hints, tips, and solutions to keeping RVing safe and enjoyable. *Blue Ox, WBCCI Vendor*

Growing Older, Staying Healthy

Cafeteria 9:00 a.m.-11:00 a.m.

Reviewing common health issues of older people. Will also discuss management of medication, care of your mental health, issues for men and women and emergencies. *Presented by Rae Gilbert*

Greenbrier County History & Sites to See

WV Auditorium 9:30 a.m.-10:30 a.m.

This will be a history of the Lewisburg area and the things to see while in this area. *Presented by Nick Lacasse*

Prepare Your Rig as an Escape Pod

WV Univ. Bldg. 9:30 a.m.-11:00 a.m.

Presented by Beth McCall

Off-Air and Satellite TV Reception

WV Univ. Bldg. 11:00 a.m.-11:45 a.m.

Covering the newest changes in both off-air and satellite TV products as well as an overview of upcoming changes. *Erik Guldager with Winegard*

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How to Stay Out of Emergency Rooms

Cafeteria 1:00 p.m.-2:00 p.m.

Emergency rooms can be frustrating. You will learn things that you can do to avoid going to them. *Presented by Bruce Fried*

Caves of West Virginia

WV Aud. 1:30 p.m.-2:30 p.m.

West Virginia has many caves. What is it like to explore them, where are they and how were they formed? *Presented by Ed Swetston/Bill Balfour*

Fashion Show

WV Univ. Bldg. 3:00 p.m.-3:45 p.m.

WBCCI ladies will model current fashions. *Coordinated by Linda Agre*

How You Can Create a Softer, Smoother, Safer Ride

WV Univ. Bldg. 3:00 p.m.-3:45 p.m.

Blue Ox presents a seminar designed to educate consumers on weight distributing hitches, their features and advantages over conventional hitches, and how using one can increase comfort, safety & stability resulting in a more enjoyable RVing experience. Tips for towing and Q&A. *Blue Ox, WBCCI Vendor*

Southwest Adventure Caravan

Conf. Room 3:00 p.m.-4:00 p.m.

Information for those going on the 2016 caravan and anyone interested in learning more about the caravan. *Presented by Jay Thompson*

Wednesday, June 29th

SkyMed Says Thank You

WV Aud. 9:00 a.m.-9:30 a.m.

Drawing after presentation. *Presented by President of SkyMed, Will Kline*

Airstream Company Presentation

WV Aud. 9:30 a.m.-10:30 a.m.

Justin Humphreys from the Airstream Company will present an update on current happenings in the Airstream Company and the RV industry.

Wednesday, June 29th (continued)

CPR – Review Adult CPR Conf. Room 10:30 a.m.-12:00 p.m.

Assessment of stroke, and how to assist with choking. Staying heart healthy.

Presented by Rae Gilbert

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Smart Apps for Smart Travelers Cafeteria 1:00 p.m.-2:00 p.m.

Using apps for your smartphone or tablet can make traveling much easier, and often less costly. This seminar will focus on those apps that have become favorites of Airstreamers. After a short presentation members will be invited to share their favorite apps with the audience. *Presented by Carolyn Beardshear*

Caravan Training (1 of 3) Conf. Room 1:00 p.m.-4:00 p.m.

The first of three sessions, valuable information is offered to enhance your caravaning experiences. If you want to be a caravan leader, these seminars will help toward that goal. Topic experts will share valuable information. *Led by Marion Pember*

Upgrades & Exterior Maintenance WV Aud. 1:30 p.m.-2:30 p.m.

Our unique trailers take special care to keep them looking like new. Learn how to maintain our prized possessions. *Presented by Rick March, Airstream*

Application of Graphics Stickers WV Univ. Bldg. 2:00 p.m.-2:45 p.m.

This will be a hands-on, step-by-step demonstration on how to apply a vinyl graphic sticker. *Presented by Billie & John Liparito with Simply Etched Stickers*

Tire Safety & Use of Tire Pressure Monitors WV Univ. Bldg. 3:00 p.m.-3:45 p.m.

Tire Safety is the single most important factor in keeping your Airstream beautiful. Damaged, worn, old, and under-inflated tires are the major causes of damage and injury to us as we travel. This seminar will discuss all aspects of tire safety and the most effective way to know what is going on with the tires on your Airstream while you are underway. Don't miss the opportunity to give yourself the best odds of enjoying the journey. *Presented by Steve Rosenthal with Truck Systems Technology*

Thursday, June 30th

SkyMed Presentation WV Univ. Bldg. 10:00 a.m.-11:00 a.m.

Learn about the emergency services program offered by this corporate sponsor.

Presented by JJ Johnjulia

Smooth Ambler Spirits, The History of American Small Production Distillation Cafeteria 1:00 p.m.-1:45 p.m.

The folks from Smooth Ambler Spirits, one of the largest craft distilleries in the U.S.A. will be on site to talk about their vodka, gin, bourbon and other offerings, and discuss the rich history of distilled spirits in this area, and in America, in general.

Presented by John Foster

Quilting On the Road WV Univ. Bldg. 1:30 p.m.-2:30 p.m.

Your passion for quilting does not have to be interrupted when you travel. BUT, where do you put everything? Tips for storing the necessities. *Presented by Kathi Mitchell*

Beginning Webmaster/WordPress Conf. Room 2:00 p.m.-3:00 p.m.

If you are a new WBCCI webmaster, or just want to start a personal blog, this seminar will teach you the basics of editing a WordPress site. Nothing fancy. Just the facts.

Presented by Carolyn Beardshear

Thursday, June 30th (continued)

Amateur Radio Exams (FCC) Cafeteria 2:00 p.m.-4:00 p.m.

Technical, General, & Extra Class Exams will be given.

Presented by the Amateur Radio Club.

Time to Tailgate WV Univ. Bldg. 2:30 p.m.-3:15 p.m.

Time for a tailgate party or a campsite meal? Grill inside or out! Keep your food chillin' for 4-6 hours. Tight on storage space? Learn about products that save space.

Presented by Linda Weikle with Pampered Chef

What is a Caravan Underwood East 2:30 p.m.-3:30 p.m.

This will be a chance to learn about caravans, where they go, how you travel along the route, what types of activities, how the payments are handled, what to bring, and any thing else you would like to learn about a caravan. *Presented by Jay Thompson*

RV Bathroom TLC WV Univ. Bldg. 3:30 p.m.-4:15 p.m.

Have you ever wondered how to choose the right holding tank deodorant for your RV toilet system? With so many choices out there, how do you know what works and what is safe to use in your RV plumbing? For the past 50 years, the lab at Thetford Corporation has developed holding tank deodorants that work in extreme weather conditions and are environmentally friendly. Paula Pacholke-Dumont will discuss the basics of RV bathroom care and help you choose the right solutions for a worry (and smell) free RV.

Presented by Paula Pacholke-Dumont, Mgr. Chemical/Product Development at Thetford

Friday, July 1st

Guiding Your Unit to Greatness Blue Ribbon Bldg. 8:30 a.m.-11:00 a.m.

Open to all members, and future and current officers to discuss new ideas and helpful tools for improving your unit. Reminder: Attendance earns points for your Unit's Merit Award. *Presented by Marilyn Collins*

Cooking for Diabetes WV Univ. Bldg. 9:00 a.m.-10:00 a.m.

How do you cook for someone who has diabetes, and still make delicious meals?

Presented by Kay Davis

Airstream Parks Association Conf. Room 9:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m.

Learn about the Airstream Parks Association.

Men's Product Feedback WV Aud. 9:15 a.m.-10:00 a.m.

MEN ONLY: *Led by Justin Humphreys, VP of Airstream Sales.* What would you like to see in a new Airstream? Now is your opportunity to speak up.

Women's Product Feedback WV Aud. 10:00 a.m.-10:45 a.m.

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Motorhome/Trailer Roundtable WV Univ. Bldg. 1:00 p.m.-2:00 p.m.

This is an open discussion of any topic of concern to members. Recent discussions have included: trailer sway, testing your breakaway switch, & safety sensors.

Led by Dave Schumann

Friday, July 1st (continued)

Future International Rally Site Presentation WV Aud. 1:00 p.m.-2:00 p.m.
Representatives from Escanaba, MI will provide information on the 2017 Rally, as well as representatives from future prospective sites. *Coordinated by Richard Girard*

Caravan Training (2 of 3) Conf. Room 1:00 p.m.-4:00 p.m.
The second of three sessions, valuable information is offered to enhance your caravanning experiences. If you want to be a caravan leader, these seminars will help to ward that goal. Topic experts will share valuable information. *Led by Marion Pember*

Intermediate Webmaster/WordPress WV Univ. Bldg. 2:15 p.m.-3:15 p.m.
If you have the basics of WordPress mastered and would like help with more advanced functions (links, pictures, media, etc.) this seminar should offer some tips. Tips from the audience are welcome and encouraged. We're all learning together.
Presented by Carolyn Beardshear

General Airstream Maintenance WV Aud. 2:30 p.m.-3:30 p.m.
Spare parts, special tools, maintenance information, and repair procedures for both motorhomes and trailers. *Presented by Dave Schumann*

Convection and Microwave Cooking Cafeteria 2:30 p.m.-3:30 p.m.
Want to get the most out of your Convection and Microwave Ovens? Ideas will be presented for the efficient use of the ovens in our Airstreams.

Saturday, July 2nd

Member Idea Share WV Univ. Bldg. 9:00 a.m.-10:00 a.m.
Open to all members to discuss your ideas to improve WBCCI, membership growth and retention, the International Rally, etc. *Presented by Mona Heath*

What's the Long Range Plan? Cafeteria 10:30 a.m.-11:15 a.m.
A four member panel of the Long Range Planning Committee will answer questions asked by club members. *Moderated by Jay Thompson*

Caravan Training (3 of 3) Conf. Room 1:00 p.m.-4:00 p.m.
The third of three sessions, valuable information is offered to enhance your caravanning experiences. If you want to be a caravan leader, these seminars will help toward that goal. Topic experts will share valuable information. *Led by Marion Pember*

Mountain Music Trail WV Aud. 1:30 p.m.-3:00 p.m.
What is the difference between bluegrass music and mountain music? What instruments are used in the mountains of West Virginia? Are the square dance calls different? Come and see. The Mountain Music Trail is a group of people who promote mountain music. *Presented by Kelsey Beverage*

Sunday, July 3rd

Oil Painting Class Cafeteria 1:00 p.m.-4:00 p.m.
Learn to paint an "Old Masters style" oil painting with Sue Gibbs Howard (4th year as oil painting instructor) 30 yrs. experience. Sue loves to teach people to paint and to share the joy it has brought to her life. You will learn color mixing, brush strokes, and paint application to create an 11x14" painting. You will receive step-by-step instructions from the artist. Fee \$65. All materials provided by the instructor/artist. Lots of fun and a learning experience. Limited class size. Register at the sign-up tables at registration or call Sue Howard at 513-582-7385, or at artsy2ntn@att.net. *Presented by Sue Howard*