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May 19-21, 2017 Rally

Shades of Sherwood Campground

14334 Sherwood Trail
Zumbrota, Mn. 55992
507-732-5100

Reservations should be made
under the Great River Roos—
Sharon Swanson

Please make reservations by May
5 if possible

Sharon Swanson 651-459-4182
Bruce Swanson 651-331-6802
Tom and Sue Schnorr
Friday AM Men's golf 18 holes

Women's golf—9 holes
or more if desired. We will tee off
right after the men. Score keeping
is optional so just come enjoy the
out of doors and the
companionship.

Friday evening— Roast hot-dogs
over the campfire. Meat, buns,
condiments, s'more makings, and
Tonka pie supplies provided.
Please bring a dish to share.

Saturday AM Brunch at Area 57
Coffee Café

Saturday evening meal -
Hamburgers with the trimmings
provided by the hosts
Games will be available in the
shelter during free time
Sunday AM - donuts and coffee

June 9-11, 2017

St. Cloud Campground

2491 2nd St. NE
St. Cloud, Mn. 56304
320-251-4463 (Chris)
800-690-7045

Please call and make reservation
by May 26th

We will help celebrate Tom & Pat's
40th Anniversary on the 10th of June

Tom Campbell 218-391-3629
Pat Campbell 218-391-0613

We will have more information on
this rally when the June issue of the
newsletter comes out.

July 13-15, 2017

Wildwedge Golf & RV Park

Pequot Lakes, MN
located 2 miles N of Pequot Lakes
on Hwy 371
John & Gale Lecy 763-438-5191
Jay & Jan Ahlstrand 320-267-5791

We will be doubling up on the pull
thru sites like we did last year.
Cost is \$105 for 3 nights.
RSVP to Gale Lecy at 763-438-
5191 by June 10th - **do not call
the RV Park directly.**
Park is requiring that I give them a
final count by June 13th --

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due to heavy demand for RV camping in the Brainerd Lakes area spots will be released after that date.

For members that do not have a motorhome the park has 2 lodging units. As of this newsletter both were still available but they fill up fast. Please call them directly at **218-568-5000** immediately if interested. [Click here to see more info on lodge rooms](#)

Activities at park include:

Par 3 golf course and driving range (a group golf outing would be an excellent

Member

activity – followed by a group meal)

Mini-golf

Maze

More details to come on the rally group activities in future newsletters.

August 18-20, 2017

Millie Wicox 651-261-1278

Walt & Andrea Augustyn 218-340-0488

September 15-17, 2017

Ron & Fran Haugan 612-327-4226

Neil & Lucy Baker 651-592-5297

October 13-15, 2017

Pat & Cindi Dunlavy 715-456-4413

or 715-456-0957

Peggy Armstrong-Larsen 651-319-2299

Presidents Message



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*It's all the little moments
that make life a very big
adventure.*

Wow it is already the beginning of the RV season here in Great River Roo's territory. I hope everyone had a good Winter whether you were away or at home and also that Spring finds everyone healthy and happy and ready to start another great year of rallies. Thank you to Mel and Naomi for making sure everyone here during the Winter was able to enjoy the brunches and holiday party and visiting with the members left in the North. We were lucky enough to attend those 3 activities plus then spend some time down in Apache Junction with the members that left in the September/October timeframe - so we had the best of both worlds. The Smith's were our next door neighbors for 3 months along with Millie, the Campbells, and the Duhachek's. What an initiation to retirement!!!! Looks like our rallies start south of the Cities in May and end the year in Hinkley with places in between. My hope for this year is that we have plenty of group activities planned for each rally at the park site so we have lots of good camaraderie (and good food). Hope to see you all in May.

Gale

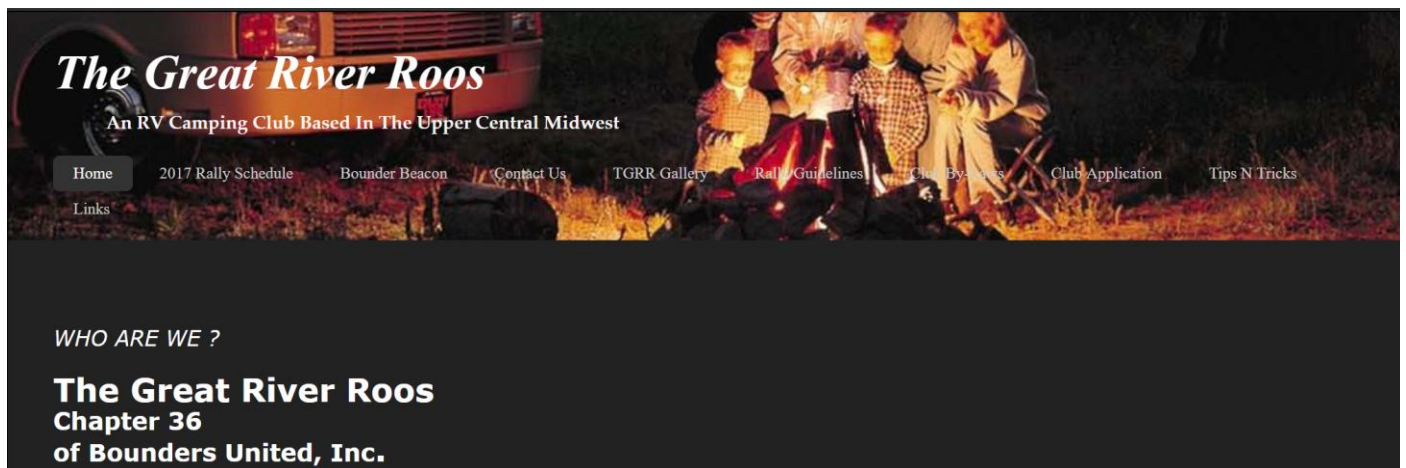
From the Editor:

Thank you to Cindi for sitting with me and walking me through how to set up the newsletter and for sharing all the little tools she accumulated thru the years to make it happen. She sure did a lot of hard work over the years in getting the newsletter out and all the other things she did besides the newsletter to keep us organized. She went above and beyond. I won't be able to fill her shoes but I will do the best I can.

Please let me know if there is anything anyone would like to share in the newsletter and ways to improve it. Sharing information is the best way we all find out about new adventures that might be of interest!!!!!!

During the Winter months I had some spare time so I put together a website for our club (greatriverroos.com) – check it out. I did this to give us visibility on the Web that we are an RV club that enjoys getting together for good camaraderie and are always looking for new members to join. Please feel free to contact me if there is anything you would like to put on the website – a place you visited that you thought would be of interest – you are selling an rv or some equipment – or you are looking for an item or help. This is a website for all club members to share not just for me to think of items to add. Menus can always be added or deleted for any interest we may have. Newsletters will be available on the website in case you have misplaced yours. It would be nice to get a small committee together to help expand and/or improve the website so we can attract more interest to our club.

John





Sunshine Corner:

Barb Loscheider reports that she has no illnesses or serious doctoring, etc. that was relayed since her last report in November. Good News is nice!!!

2018 RALLY/CAMP OUTS

The following is the list of rally dates and hosts for **2018**. Rigs are assigned to each month in order to have plenty of help and ideas. This is meant to be a joint effort with responsibility shared by all to get together and plan the rally.

THE NAMES ARE IN NO PARTICULAR ORDER. HOSTS SHALL DECIDE WHO THE RALLY CHAIRMAN WILL BE. REMEMBER TO HAVE FUN PLANNING YOUR EVENTS. THIS IS YOUR CLUB.

Anyone who needs or wishes to change his or her assigned month with someone else may do so. IT IS YOUR RESPONSIBILITY to notify all the individuals of both months to be sure it is OK with all, and to NOTIFY the VP/WAGONMASTERS of all changes.

Thank you to everyone who spends time working on the rallies and making them fun for all of us.

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May 18-20, 2018

Don & Barb Loscheider

June 8-10, 2018

Bob and Sue Nelson
David and Sue Loscheider

July 20-22, 2018

Ron and Arlie Hoffman

August 17-19, 2018

Barry and Vanny Palm
Bob and Sheila Smith

September 14-16, 2018

Carl and Jean Brummer

October 12-14, 2018

Mel and Naomi Houle

BIRTHDAYS



MAY

5/12 Fran Haugan
5/19 John Lecy
5/20 Tom Schnorr
5/20 Sharon Zahn
5/21 Jean Walters
5/22 Bruce Swanson
5/23 Ron Haugan
5/26 Ginny Duhachek

JUNE

6/9 Don Loscheider
6/11 Greg Luger
6/19 Donna Wees
6/24 Gale Lecy

ANNIVERSARIES



MAY

05/12/07 Dave & Carol Krona
05/21/99 Mel & Naomi Houle
05/21/83 John & Gale Lecy
05/24/58 Barry & Vanny Palm
05/31/69 Dale & Anita Weyer

JUNE

06/03/-- Danny & Darla Day
06/10/72 Pat & Cindi Dunlavy
06/11/77 Tom & Pat Campbell

Ole & Lena and the L.C.

Ole and Lena had never been camping and they heard about a nice camp near Black River Falls, Wisconsin. Lena was worried about the toilet facilities, but she didn't want to use the word "Toilet," so she wrote a letter to the camp ground owner. She remembered that around the Minot, North Dakota area where they lived that they used to call it an L.C. or Lavatory Commode. But she was so prim that she didn't want to say "Toilet" or "Lavatory Commode" So, she simply asked in her letter if the camp had a L.C.

The camp ground owner read Lena's Letter and was puzzled about the Initials L.C. He finally decided it meant Lutheran Church. So he wrote Lena the following letter:

"I am happy to inform you there is a local L.C. located nine miles north of the camp ground. I realize this is kind of far if you are used to going regular. It's a really nice one... it seats 250 people. The last time my wife and I went was 6 years ago and it was so crowded we had to wait 20 minutes to be seated. Some people like it so much that they bring their lunch and make a day of it. There is going to be a fund raising dinner in the Basement of the L.C. and they're going to use the money to buy more seats. It pains me that I can't go more often like I know I should, but it gets more difficult when you get older, especially in the winter. So, you come down and stay at our camp, and maybe we can go with you the first time to the L.C. and sit with you. I'll introduce you to all the nice folks around here, because, after all this is a very very f

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Memorial Day May 29, 2017

