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Presidential Ponderings

Officially summer is here and many of you are planning an excursion in your motorhome! Some past caravan leaders have suggested that you should try to publish your caravan in at least two issues of Wheels prior to the day on which your caravan is to begin. MIM members can share the excitement associated with reviewing a new potential adventure and then submitting an application.

MIM members, Allen and Diane Marcuse and Harry and Sherry Jacobs are currently traveling in Alaska enjoying the scenery and weather. Both families suggested that MIM should look into the possibility of joint venture with a professional group when planning an Alaskan adventure.

Suggestions have been made for MIM to have some activities planned around a one to two week event. Focus would be upon an annual or well known, local theme.

I'm getting ready to meet you in Salem at the Pre Rally Luncheon August 8, 2007.

Message from the Vice President

This summer's caravans, Canadian Maritimes and Colorado Four-Wheelin', are set to roll. Would you like to go on a Monacos in Motion caravan next summer? The planning time is NOW! Many good ideas were discussed at the last two business meetings. We're all members with the opportunity to plan and lead a caravan. If you have an idea for a caravan, I'm here to help you in the planning stages. Call me at 804-239-4214 or send an e-mail to:

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Connie and I are working with Wilt and Barbara Greenwood to plan a Utah National Parks caravan for the fall of 2008. Be watching future newsletters for more details

Ed Tilman

RV Friendly Program

Fred Brodersen FMCA Gov. & Legislative Affairs Committee reported that an **RV black on yellow circle symbol** is being displayed near places safe for travelers to stop and patronize.

FMCA Honors MIM Members France and Coe

Betten were featured on the cover of the June, 2007 issue of Family Motor Coaching. **The Loving the Life** article is worth the reading! Our congratulations to you France and Coe. Many of us have enjoyed sharing stories with you on a few MIM caravans.

Just Wondering?

Went into the RV market to shop. Saw a sign on an item which said, "Buy two, get one free." The first item had a lifetime guarantee! I may need a big shade tree. My brother thinks I've been in the sun too long. It's been in 100's for four weeks.

Bits and Pieces

Ed Tilman has been seen dragging in his Super Truck! When asked why he was doing this Ed replied, "It's for fun." Oh, yes, his hot truck is made of several collected parts thus the name "Bits & Pieces.

What to Pack for Pets Who Travel with You

Bring along a good picture of your pet. This can be copied and distributed should you be separated. Include a special set of tags which contain your name, address, and phone number. It would be great to have this on the collar before you begin driving.

Congratulations to John and Rita Ham

John and Rita are celebrating their Golden Anniversary July 20, 2007 at Ocean Park, WA.

We forgot and we apologize for omitting one of MIM 's long time members. Please add the information shown below to your 2007 Directory.

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I've learned that Joann might be preparing to again co-lead another beautiful Colorado caravan in the near future. Encourage her and volunteer to serve as Tailgunner if you have the skills to follow along.

Colorado High Country Caravan

A 4-Wheeling Adventure is scheduled for August 22nd through September 6, 2007. Caravan leaders John & Rita Ham and Wade & Linda Myers promise those going some spectacular views and great Off – Road 4-wheel tours.

Luncheon Anyone?

Wednesday, August 8, 2007 at 12:00 noon in the Main Dining Room. All Monaco Coach owners are invited to the social hour and short business meeting. You will also be given the opportunity to share ideas about caravans, as well as to tell the tallest tale you can bring! Tickets can be purchased at the Registration Table which will be located near the Information Booth. Tickets will be sold Monday from 1 to 4 pm and Tuesday from 9-12 noon.

Humor of Lexophiles

Time flies like an arrow;
fruit flies like a banana.

If you take a laptop computer for a run, you could jog your memory.

Police were called to a day care where a three-year old was resisting a rest.

When fish are in schools, they sometimes take debate.

The Maritime Adventures

The caravan began meeting here at Bar Harbor Bay. The coach couples then lined at the border up for heading into Canada.



The small, but important group began exercising their right to shop in Freeport, Maine. Can't wait to hear how they each explain their version of the days events.



After looking at the two in the Grog Shop I'm even more curious as to their mood. The Maritimes Monacos In Motion caravaners grouped at the Potato Museum. Ask them what they learned! They shared a beautiful sunset. Wish you were there?



This Maritime Caravan is so popular. Hope it comes along again soon!

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