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NOTICE

Send changes to
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Don Barr

The President's Message

by
Betty Woods

The March annual meeting was full of great activities. A special thanks to Daren and Marie Schmaltz, our rally co-hosts. They even offered to co-host the 2012 rally at Ft. McDowell next year.

One thing about our rallies is that no one can get bored. We kept busy with lots of activities, which Reggie will tell about in this newsletter. Also, we had great service and food at the Voyager Resort (it is like it's own little city) as well as the meals we had in and around Tucson.

From Tucson some of us went to Rocky Point, Mexico. We had no problems and the city is bustling with reconstruction and all sorts of improvements. All I can say about our time there is that "what happens in Rocky Point stays in Rocky Point." We had so much fun that we have made arrangements for another rally there after Ft. McDowell next spring. If you want to go next year, Jack Kelly has some of the registration forms.

Thanks to all of you for your support and if you didn't make Tucson, come to our other rallies. Lots of fun rallies coming up, although we need a rally around May 2012, so if you could volunteer it would be appreciated. Please sign up for the Zion and Boardman rally as soon as possible.

You can't beat the fun and comradeship of our Club.

Best wishes,
Betty

OLD PUEBLO VIII RALLY

Since it was a relatively cool winter for most of us, we were very glad that during the days of the rally the daily high temperatures were in the high 70's and the nights were in the 40's - warm days and cool nights. As usual, some of us arrive at the rally early and got caught up on the latest news of our friends. We all had long pull-thru sites at Voyager Resort and were amazed at the size and facilities of the Park; it was a small village! Registration went on all day and the last member pulled in shortly before Happy Hour. Since this was the first trip of the year for many of us, our coaches developed problems during the storage period. We were so glad that Chris was there to fix the problems.

We had a Mexican Dinner in the Caribbean Room at the Resort, but prior to our meal our President, Betty Woods, welcomed us to the rally and introduced new members, returning members and guests. Betty distributed gifts provided by Tanna Flomer, our Past President, to officers and committee members. Rod Woods told us about the schedules for the first two days of the rally. It has become a custom on the first evening of the rally for Reggie to have the Purple Pumpkin contest; the answer was Tucson. Along with the usual cheap prizes given for this contest were valued prizes that had traveled great distances from rally to rally and this contest was a good excuse to get rid of them. The Mexican Dinner was very good and we had brownies for dessert. The brownies were the subject of many conversations. The best way to describe them would be to say that they were extremely "chocolately"! We must have gotten our monthly allotment of Theobromine - it won't hurt us. (Theobromine belongs to a class of alkaloid molecules known as methylxanthines and is found in the products of the cocoa tree. Theobromine has a diuretic effect, particularly in cases where cardiac failure has resulted in an accumulation of body fluids. It has been administered with digitalis in order to relieve dilation. Because of its ability to dilate blood vessels, theobromine also has been used to treat high blood pressure. Betcha didn't know that and probably not many doctors know it either.)

After a Continental Breakfast on Friday, we had time to relax before heading out to Oracle Inn for delicious lunch (the pulled pork was so good!) and then to the Biosphere 2. We were given very extensive tours by excellent guides and experienced the desert environment and rainforest environment within minutes of each other. We almost got blown away in the wind tunnel where we walked against a head wind; that experience was the true meaning of the term "head wind". It was amazing to all of us, but we were glad to get out of the biosphere and into the fresh air. It was time for Happy Hour when we got back to the Resort and we all showed up for a light meal and birthday cake provide by Alta, whose birthday was the day before. Even though we were tired, we gathered in the ballroom and were entertained by a Nick, a British Comic Magician or a Magic Comedian. He was very entertaining and had us laughing for over an hour. We all slept well that night.

Saturday morning we had a Pancake Breakfast in the Catalina Room. The pancakes were huge, covering the entire plate. Only a few members could eat more than one. The golfers had gone off to hit the little white ball into the slightly larger hole eighteen times. In two groups, we went to the Titan Missile Museum, which was very informative. That evening, if we didn't venture off to meet friends who lived in the vicinity, we gathered at the Park's Grill. Many of us enjoyed the T-bone steak and Bear would enjoy the leftovers and bones for many days.

On Sunday morning, after breakfast, we had our Annual Business Meeting. The rest of the day was free until it was time to gather up and head on out to the Pinnacle Peak Steak House for dinner. Many of us stayed for the outdoor show, which can best be described as a melodramatic comical shoot-out. The next morning some of us headed home, others to other camping destinations and about ten coaches headed southwest to Rocky Point in Mexico. "See you in Zion!"

Marie and Daren Schmaltz – Co-hosts

Daren was born in Milan, Indiana and lived in Osgood, Indiana as a child. His father owned a service station (for cars) and was a mechanic. His mother was a housewife. Daren has one brother and two sisters; one is Vanessa Hays whom we first met at the Colorado Springs Rally. He has an Associate of Science Aircraft Maintenance Technology degree and a BS in Industrial Supervision from Purdue University. He has worked as an aircraft mechanic and flight engineer. Vintage cars are his hobby and his favorite RV Park is Stoney Creek in Osseo, Wisconsin.

Marie was born in Chippewa, Wisconsin and lived in Stanley, WI. Her father was a farmer and her mother was a housewife. There were seven children in the family, two boys and five girls. She has had a variety of occupations including receiving manager for a card store. Scrap booking and cross-stitching are her hobbies and her favorite RV Park is also Stoney Creek.

They have two boys, two grandsons and four outdoor cats. The best life experiences for Daren have been marriage, having children and watching Dwarf Race Cars grow from four tracks in back yards to thousands across the U.S. and U.K. While Marie's best life experiences are marriage, having children and watching their grandchildren grow up.

Marie and Daren did a fantastic job as co-hosts for the Tucson Rally and we're so glad that they are members of our club.

RMCC NEWSY NEWS—BUSINESS MEETING

- Betty Woods, President, opened the meeting and recognized Daren and Marie Schmaltz for their work as co-hosts at this rally.
- Donna Tanzi had read the minutes of the previous meeting at the Board of Directors' Meeting and they were approved.
- Kay Stokes gave the Treasurer's Report and copies are available for members to review. For Treasury information, please email Vern Weldy at vwenldy@aol.com .
- Bill Ponstler had counted the ballots for officers and all nominated candidates had been elected with no write-ins.
- Officers of Rocky Mountain Country Coachers:
 - President – Betty Woods
 - Vice President – Jack Kelly
 - Secretary – Donna Tanzi
 - Treasurer – Vern Weldy
- Bill Ponstler announced that due to current CCI circumstances and uncertainty of its future, for insurance purposes, we need to become a FMCA chapter. Bill and a committee of Bob Colclazer, Mary Ganone, Dan Durham and Bill Smith wrote and approved RMCC's new By-Laws. Carl Luschwitz was elected as our FMCA National Director and Dan Durham was elected as our FMCA Alternate National Director. Current members of RMCC do not have to belong to CCI, but they must be current members of FMCA.
- If we want new nametags, they will cost \$10 each.
- Bill Smith as Rally Coordinator introduced the Rally Hosts for future rallies and each spoke of what they had planned for their rally.
 - John Tanzi – Zion Rally
 - Reggie Knight – Boardman Rally
 - Jack Kelly – Litchfield Campout
 - Betty Woods – Fort McDowell Rally
 - Betty Wilcox – Ruidoso, NM Rally
- We need a rally site and hosts for a May rally in 2012. Vern Weldy mentioned that after the Zion Rally there are plans for a "moving rally" to visit Bryce Canyon and Lake Powell. Bill Smith said that there has been discussion about a "moving rally" to Texas and continuing on to Branson, MO.
- Jean Grabman and her family visited with Bill and Teri Smith and she is doing very well.
- Eileen Blakemore is enduring experimental cancer treatments and is very hopeful.
- Jack spoke about the Christmas Campout and our visit to the New Life Center for victims of domestic abuse. He suggested that we select a charity to support and contact him with our suggestions.
- Rod Woods has been working on a Data Base Management System with Jack that will allow us to renew our memberships and register for rallies on-line and other useful operations. He is hoping, but not promising, to show us the functions of this system at the Boardman Rally.

RALLY HO !!!

May 19 – 23, 2011 – Zion River Resort, Springdale, UT, John & Donna Tanzi

June 14 – 17, 2011 – Riverbend RV Resort, Harrisburg, OR, Country Coach Friendship Rally, Country Coach Social Club (FMCA), John & Juanita Malabicky

September 12 – 16, 2011 – Boardman Marina & RV Park, Boardman, OR, Bill & Reggie Knight and Mel & Carol Sapp

December 8 – 11, 2011 – Christmas Campout, Litchfield Park, Jack & Wanda Kelly and Ray & Harriet Van Den Berg

March 8 – 12, 2012 – Fort McDowell Casino, Scottsdale, AZ, Rod & Betty Woods and Daren & Marie Schmaltz

Spring Rally 2012 – Need site and hosts

September 26 – 30, 2012 – Circle B RV Park, Ruidoso, NM, Lyndol & Betty Wilcox and Jack and Susan Frost ** ALTITUDE 6100 ft

Zion RV Rally

MAY 19 – 23, 2011

Zion River Resort, Springdale, Utah

John and Donna Tanzi will be hosting a rally in the beautiful Zion National Park area.

May 19, Thursday – Golfing at Sky Mountain Golf Course, Registration, shopping and exploring Springdale, Happy Hour with Heavy Appetizers, Purple Pumpkin Contest

May 20, Friday – Catered Breakfast, explore Zion, Dinner at Switchback Restaurant with entertainment by Jerome

May 21, Saturday – Catered Breakfast, Business Meeting, Poolside Wet Tee Shirt Contest, Ice Cream Social, Horseshoe Tournament, Happy Hour, Dinner on your own, Show in Springdale

May 22, Sunday – Continental Breakfast, free day or optional Jeep Safari, Crazy Tee Shirt Contest at Happy Hour, BBQ with Smores.

May 23, Monday – Continental Breakfast and Bye-Bye

John and Donna have a whole lot of fun planned and can't wait to see you Zion zealots at the Rally. Information and registration form are on our website.

HISTORY LESSON – TUCSON

Although we are having our eighth rally in Tucson, we have never researched the history of Tucson. Life in the Tucson Valley began ca.10,000 BC with the migration of Paleo-Indian and Archaic hunters and gatherers. Mammoth and bison were hunted in this area until 6,000 BC. Whether or not there was continuous habitation is unclear, though evidence of agricultural settlements along the Santa Cruz River has been found dating from ca 1000 BC to 150 AD. The farmers were Cochise and later the Hohokam began farming the valley in 300 AD. The Early Ceramic period saw the extensive use of pottery vessels for cooking and storage. The Hohokam were known for their red-on-brown pottery. Native American communities thrived for centuries in this area and irrigated with water from the Santa Cruz River for growing squash, beans, maize, cotton and tobacco.

The European history of Tucson began about 1539 when Mendoza, the Spanish Viceroy of Mexico, sent Fray Marcos de Niza to search for the Seven Cities of Cobola. De Niza heard from the Native Americans in the area that there was such a place and relayed this information to Mendoza. The Viceroy commanded Don Francisco Basquez Coronado to begin his famous expedition for gold in this area in 1540. The King of Spain granted the original charter of Tucson in 1552. In the early 1600's Spanish Jesuits came from Mexico to establish missions and convert the natives to Christianity. Father Eusebio Kino passed through the Tucson area and named the Indian Village "San Cosme de Tucson" from the name of the Indian Village "Stjukshon" meaning water at the foot of black mountain. There are other versions of the naming of Tucson, but they all contain black mountain and water in some form. Father Kino and the Tohono O'odham natives built the mission of San Xavier de Bac, which was completed in 1797. Today the mission still serves the Native Community and is constantly being refurbished. The Tohono O'odham called the mission "La Palomo de Desierto" which means "The White Dove of the Desert".

From 1775 to 1821, Tucson was under Spanish rule and was part of the region known as Pimeria Alta. In 1775, an Irishman, Hugo O'Connor, of the Royal Spanish Army established the Presidio of San Agustin del Tucson and laid the foundation for the modern day city of Tucson. In 1821, Mexico won its independence from Spain. The inhabitants of the Tucson Presidio were now citizens of Mexico. Between 1846 and 1848, almost half of the northern portion of Mexico, including Tucson, was annexed from the outcome of the US war with Mexico. Many inhabitants left the area because of the constant Apache attacks and the love of gold found in California. Tucson was a rowdy frontier town with shootouts taking place frequently. Outlaws including Poncho Villa frequented Tucson saloons. In 1854, the US acquired the northern portion of the Sonora through the Gadsden Purchase and Tucson was now included in the New Mexico Territory. In 1864, Arizona became a separate territory and Tucson was the capital.

During the 1860's and 1870's, the first Anglo-American settlers lived in harmony with the majority Mexico-American community. The population of Tucson was primarily Mexicans and they dominated the trade business from Mexico that supplied goods to the settlers. A major economic, social, demographic and political shift occurred in Tucson with the arrival of the Southern Pacific Railroad. The railroad brought wealthy Anglo entrepreneurs who invested in mining, ranching, retailing and agriculture. Now goods and supplies from American suppliers were brought by the railroad for competition with the Mexican trade and the Mexican traders lost their domination of providing supplies.

Arizona became the 48th state in 1912. In 1950 Tucson's population reached 120,000 and in 1990 Tucson was the 33rd largest US city with a population of over 400,000. Today the population is about 750,000. Tucson is home to the University of Arizona and Davis-Monthan Air Force Base. The University of Arizona was formerly the Arizona Territorial University and opened in 1891 on land donated by a saloonkeeper and a pair of gamblers. (Wonder who they lost to?)

Some of Tucson's early African American settlers came to the Southwest as members of the US Infantry and Cavalry Regiments. The Black regiments fought against the Native American warriors in the Indian Campaigns under General George Pershing and against Poncho Villa in Mexico. The Native Americans respected the fighting ability of the Black troops and gave them the nickname "Buffalo Soldiers".

Today along with the University, Tucson's biggest industries are in the fields of electronics and missile production. The City's dry desert air and winter sunshine makes it a popular health and winter resort.

Oracle, AZ

On Friday we had lunch in Oracle, AZ, which is about 40 miles northwest of Tucson. It appears to be a sleepy little town, but don't judge a book or town by its cover. Oracle is situated in the foothills on the north side of the Santa Catalina Mountains. It rises from four to five thousand feet in elevation, which allows a year-round average temperature of ten degrees cooler than the surrounding area. Because of this ideal climate the town became known as a retreat for people with respiratory illnesses in the late 1920's.

Albert Wildon arrived in this area about 1880 to seek gold. He named his claim after the clipper ship "The Oracle" that had carried him safely through a violent sea voyage years earlier. After his first claim, a mining community of tent houses started to develop. The American Flag Ranch opened the first post office to serve the community. That building is now Arizona's oldest existing building that housed a territorial post office. When the gold fever ended, many of the miners turned to cattle and sheep ranching. The most famous of these prospector/ranchers was William "Buffalo Bill" Cody. Harold Bell Wright wrote a book partly set in Oracle, "Mine with the Iron Door". It was made into a movie, which helped to turn the area into a health haven. Of those who came for the health benefits of the climate, many constructed grand houses and working ranches that later became dude ranches for city visitors. Today there are at least six guest ranches and B & B Inns in the area.

Some say there is magic in Oracle, which makes it a haven for artists. It began in the 1920's when rancher Lee Kannally painted cowboy life. In 1968, a group of artists from the University of Arizona bought Rancho Linda Vista, a historic guest ranch, and turned it into an artists' community. In 1981, a visiting artists' program was organized, attracting artists from around the country. Today artists using almost every medium make Oracle their home. They also have a community theater.

Not only is this a pleasant environment for humans, but also wildlife is abundant here including mule and white tail deer, black bear, mountain lion, coatimundi and javelina. For those of us who are less adventurous, birding in this area is very popular and the area is considered the premier habitat of the Gambel quail in Arizona. There are miles of hiking trails including the "Arizona Trail" which runs from Mexico to Utah.

SCIENCE LESSON – BIOSPHERE 2

When we first started the tour of Biosphere 2, someone in our group asked what happened to Biosphere 1 – nothing has really happened to Biosphere 1, it is the Earth. Biosphere is a 3.14-acre structure built to be an artificial, materially enclosed ecological system by Space Biosphere Ventures and funded by Texas oil magnate Edward Bass. It was constructed between 1987 and 1991 and was used to explore the complex web of interactions within life systems in a structure that included five biomes, including a 900,000-gallon ocean, a rain forest, a desert, agricultural areas and a human habitat. It also explored the possible use of closed biospheres in space colonization and allowed the study and manipulation of a biosphere without harming Earth's. Some of the early designers and managers were interested in space travel and the possibility of colonizing the Moon or Mars. By building Biosphere 2 and sealing the people inside, they hoped to learn what problems would arise from living in a closed system. The structure has been designed for a hundred year study of complex ecological systems interactions.

The first crew of Biosphere 2, four men and four women, entered Biosphere 2 on September 26, 1991. The crew members remained inside for two years despite various problems, including limited agricultural productivity and emerged on September 26, 1993. After a six-month transition period, a second crew of biopherians (five men and two women) entered Biosphere 2. Unfortunately, after a number of physical and social problems developed, the project suffered scientific disdain and public ridicule before these experiments were suspended in 1994. (We were told the reason for the suspension of Mission 2 was because the test results were redundant as Mission 1 and there was no reason to continue the experiments. Another source mentioned that one of Mission 1's crew sabotaged the integrity of the Biosphere structure.) There have been no resident crews living inside Biosphere 2 and no future human habitation is planned.

A few findings:

- Results of the leak tests (air leakage) showed that an annual leak-rate of 10% while the space shuttle loses 2% a day.
- Oxygen began at 20.9% in the structure and fell at a steady pace and after 16 months was down to 14.5%; the O₂ available at an elevation of 13,400 ft. The inhabitants were having symptoms such as sleep apnea and fatigue. Injections of O₂ were twice introduced into the air system.
- An exceptionally forceful El Nino current cast Arizona into one of its cloudiest seasons on record. Inside Biosphere 2 carbon dioxide levels rose to about 3400 ppm coinciding with an unusually dark cloudy period in the last week of December when photosynthesis was greatly reduced. The carbon dioxide levels fluctuated wildly and most of the vertebrate species and all of the pollinating insects died and several bird species were lost. The cockroach population boomed along with a native ant that unintentionally got sealed in; these ants and the cockroaches performed the pollinating duties. There is thought that the drop in O₂ and increase in CO₂ were due to microbes in the soil and that CO₂ was reacting with exposed concrete within the structure to form calcium carbonate retaining both the CO₂ and O₂.

- A galago, a small nocturnal monkey, was conceived and born in the rainforest.
- The agricultural area was a half-acre. They produced 80% of their food and the other 20% was drawn from a three month supply of food that was grown inside the facility before the experiment began and from seed reserve. During the first year, all inhabitants lost 16% of their pre-entry weight before stabilizing. During the second year, the average caloric intake increased and they regained some weight lost. They all showed the same improvements in health indices such as lowering of blood cholesterol, blood pressure and enhancement of immune system. Other studies showed that their metabolism became more efficient at extracting nutrients from their food as an adaptation to the low-calorie and high nutrient diet.

Golf

by

Mike Cocci

Six intrepid golfers headed off to Arizona National Golf Course to test their abilities on the windswept championship course. Little did they realize that wind gusts of up to 60 Miles per hour would make this an adventuresome round of golf. June Mastor, Susan Frost and Maureen Cocci had the most difficult time as gusting winds would knock them off balance in the middle of their swings or putts. The heavy weights, Rod Woods, Mel Sapp and Mike Cocci had a little better luck as they were able to anchor themselves for their swing, but the higher and longer hitting guys suffered as their shots were significantly affected by the gusts, many times blowing them off the course or into the water. Despite these difficulties everyone enjoyed the warm southern Arizona day and the top notch golf course. Scores were above normal, but Susan Frost took the honors for the ladies with a 97 and Mike Cocci lead the men with a score of 90. A quick stop was made at the 19th hole to tally up the results on the skin game which resulted in 4 of the six golfers collecting prize money

TITAN MISSILE MUSEUM

Our members visited a Cold War Battlefield. The Titan Missile Museum showcases the dramatic vestiges of the Cold War between the U.S. and the former Soviet Union and provided an education about the history of nuclear conflict - a history of keeping the peace. The Titan II intercontinental Ballistic Missile (ICBM) was the first liquid propellant missile that could be launched from underground. It was equipped with a nine-megaton thermonuclear warhead and was capable of reaching its target, more than half a world away, in less than 30 minutes.

The preserved Titan II missile site, officially known as complex 571-7, was completed and turned over to the U.S. Air Force in 1963. Until 1987, when the last Titan II was deactivated, 54 Titan II missile complexes across the United States stood "on alert" 24 hours a day. 7 days a week.

Today this site is a National Historic Landmark and knowledgeable guides, some are former Titan II personnel, bring the history of the missile site alive.

The Columbia Sit & Sip Rally
Boardman Marina and RV Park
Boardman, OR
September 12-16, 2011

Hosts:

Bill and Reggie Knight (RegLK8168@gmail.com)
Mel and Carol Sapp (Carol_Law@msn.com)

September 12 – Monday

Golf in morning
Registration 1 – 3 PM
Happy Hour 4 – 5 PM
 Purple Pumpkin Contest
 Men's Wildest Hawaiian Shirt Contest
Cook – Out - 5 until dark

September 13 – Tuesday

Catered Breakfast Buffet 8 – 9:00 AM
Winery Tours - Groups will leave at different times TBA, Brown Bag Lunch at
 Polson Park
Happy Hour
Catered Dinner Buffet 5 PM

September 14 – Wednesday

Continental Breakfast 8 – 9:15A.M.
Business Meeting
Relax or maybe not
Happy Hour 4 – 5
Italian Pot Luck (details TBA)

September 15 – Thursday

Continental Breakfast 8 – 9:15

Olympics before and after Lunch

McNary Dam – “Salmon Window” – leave about 3 P.M.

Plate Dinner – Desert Inn – Umatilla, OR (very close to McNary Dam)

September 16 – Friday

Continental Breakfast 8 – 9:15 A.M.

Announcements (if necessary)

Decamp

Registration Forms are available on the web site, www.rmccusa.com

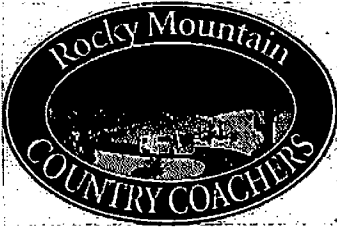
Funny Hospital Notes

The following are actual writings on patients charts:

- The patient refused autopsy.
- The patient has no previous history of suicides.
- Patient has left white blood cells at another hospital.
- Patient's medical history has been remarkably insignificant with only a 40-pound weight gain in the past three days.
- Patient has chest pain if she lies on her left side for over a year.
- On the second day the knee was better and on the third day it disappeared.
- The patient is tearful and crying constantly. She also appears to be depressed.
- The patient has been depressed since she began seeing me in 1993.
- Discharge status: Alive, but without my permission.
- Healthy appearing decrepit 69-year old male, mentally alert, but forgetful.
- Patient had waffles for breakfast and anorexia for lunch.
- She was numb from her toes down.
- While in the ER, she was examined, x-rated and sent home.
- The skin was moist and dry.
- Occasional, constant infrequent headaches.
- Patient was alert and unresponsive.
- Rectal examination revealed a normal size thyroid.

She stated that she had been constipated for most of her life until she got her divorce.

Submitted by Tom Cornell



Rocky Mountain Country Coachers Organized March 2003

The main purposes of the Rocky Mountain Country Coachers Club are to promote the aims and objectives of CCI and FMCA and, through creative activities, to further the fellowship and enjoyment in the Club, to provide a forum for the free exchange of ideas and experiences of motorhoming, and to represent ourselves as good, careful and responsible motorhome owners and operators.

The specific purposes shall be to: Promote and further good fellowship and cooperation among our Club members, promote periodic rallies that will effectively provide for the exchange of information for the common good, and carry on such business activities as deemed necessary on behalf of members at periodic meetings.

Rocky Mountain Country Coachers area includes: Arizona, New Mexico, Colorado, Utah, Nevada, Wyoming and Montana.

FROM THE EDITOR

Kudos to Betty and Rod for planning from scratch a very busy and successful rally after discovering that Beaudry was closed. Congratulations to Daren and Marie for surviving their first time as co-hosts in a city where they had never been. Voyager RV Resorts came to our rescue by providing us with spacious sites and rooms to have meals and meetings. It seems when everything is going wrong, there is always a Plan B. So for those of you who are fearful about being hosts and co-hosts, your fears are unfounded. You can pick a Park and location that you are familiar with and talk to the people at the attractions and restaurants to find out what they can do for a group such as ours. The Sapps and Bill and I are planning a rally in September in Oregon. We visited the area last August, made all the plans and since then have finalized reservations, meals, catering and activities via phone and email. Sure, there is going to be a lot of work the days of the rally, but someone else did all the work at the other rallies and now it is our opportunity to contribute to the success of RMCC. I'm from Pennsylvania and I'm going to talk to you as a "Dutch Uncle". We need a host, co-host and location for a Spring Rally 2012, so who is going to start pulling his/her oar? I have been hearing "empty barrels" expound on how well they can organize and manage projects and their finances - let's see some of those managerial skills by being hosts and co-hosts of a rally. Get the message?

NO SNIVELING!