

The Four Corners Connection



November 24, 2021

Desert bound for the Winter!

Did we see SNOW? Looks like our Midwest members have begun heading to the sunny Southwest as they saw their first view of that glorious white stuff! Welcome!

The Tucson Unplugged was a triumphant success! With twice the number of attendees who were accommodated by securing an adjacent group area, they had twice the fun! No clouds in sight for the weekend provided fabulous weather! Sunny skies and stary nights. Now that meant sunshine and 86 degrees during the day and 34 degrees during the evening! Nature programs, hiking, biking and bbq gave everyone a chance to reconnect with old friends and meet many, many new ones! Welcome to everyone who became a part of the Four Corners family that weekend!

Next up? New Years Rally at Picacho Peak! Register now to assure your spot in the group campground! It's going to be another rally not to be missed! Don't forget to begin thinking about the infamous White Elephant exchange!

A happy and healthy Thanksgiving!

RENEW YOUR MEMBERSHIP! Just a few weeks left!

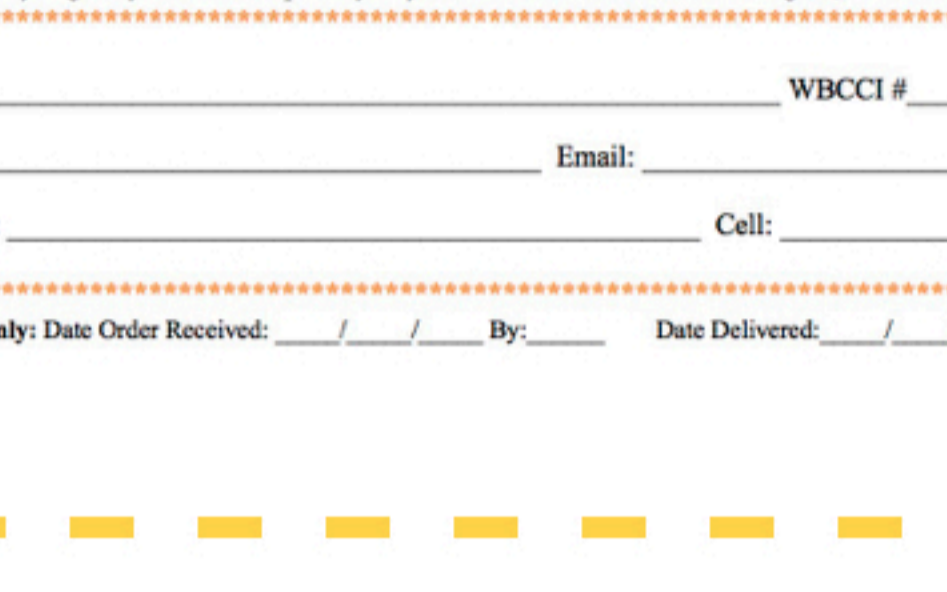
The Four Corners Unit is wrapping up our annual membership season and doing so couldn't be easier! A few clicks, your credit card and that's it! Terry Rich has forwarded all the information you need to know to keep your membership active as a full member and affiliate member or even switch to a full member of the Four Corners!

Why *renew*? Well, if you have been to one of our fabulous rallies, you have your answer right there! Full member or affiliate, renewal is the same process.

However, you may prefer to **change your Affiliate membership to a Full Member** of the Four Corners Unit, when you will have the opportunity to:

- Hold office in the Four Corners Unit. (**More on that later!*)
- Vote in the selection or election of Four Corners Unit, Region 11 as well as International Officers.
- Vote on any amendment to the Four Corners Unit as well as the International Constitution.

Thanks for being a valued member of the Four Corners!



Good News! We've taken delivery of our most recent order of 3"x5" 4CU Flags! We have fulfilled the pre-production orders, and we have a very limited number of extra flags to offer 4CU members. The flags are \$45 each plus shipping, if requested. Ordering instructions below:

- **First, email Terry Rich to check availability** (terry@brich.com).
- Once availability is confirmed, **complete the Order Form** below.
- Make your check payable to the Four Corners Unit.
- Mail your Order Form and Check **within 10 days** to:
Howard Elfer, Treasurer, 30 Camino Caballos Spur, Lamy, NM 87540
- We will acknowledge your completed order and let you know when your flag ships.

4CU Flag Order Form

I/we want to order: _____ 3"x5" Single Sided 4CU Flag(s) @ \$45.00 each =\$ _____
Shipping to the Address Below: _____ 1 Flag USPS Priority = \$9.20\$ _____
_____ 2-6 Flags USPS Priority = \$16.25\$ _____
TOTAL Enclosed - Check # _____ \$ _____

_____/we will take delivery at the _____ New Year's Rally _____ My Desert Valentine Rally.

State and/or country flags may be ordered separately on your own from the United States Flag Co, united-states-flag.com.

Name: _____ WBCCI # _____
Address: _____ Email: _____
City/State/Zip: _____ Cell: _____

For 4CU Use Only: Date Order Received: ____/____/____ By: _____ Date Delivered: ____/____/____ By: _____

IMPORTANT for FOUR CORNERS MEMBERS

It is with great pride that the Four Corners Unit represents all four states, Arizona, New Mexico, Utah and Colorado as it's core. As we know, membership transcends way beyond these state borders - - - toward each coast and north to Canada.

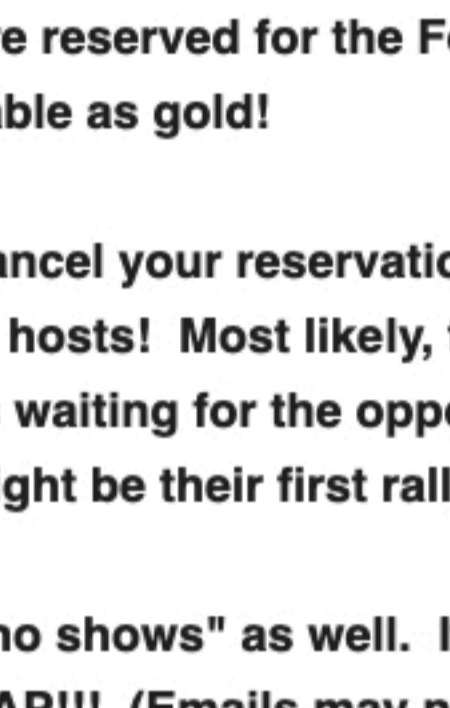
Unfortunately, the software currently in use by WBCCI headquarters cannot assign more than one identifier to the Four Corners Unit. Searching for our unit according by state can be a challenge. We ask that you please make sure to search **FOUR CORNERS UNIT** by name and **double check when you are renewing your membership**.

Check your Airstream Club On Line Account!!

We strongly encourage you to **sign into your account on the Airstream Club International website** (airstreamclub.org) and **review your profile**.

Please make sure all of your information is correct.

If Four Corners is your home unit or your affiliate unit, make sure it is noted correctly as well as any personal contact information.



Can't Find Your Badge???

It's been a while since we've seen some of our Four Corners friends!
We know their face but just can't remember the name!

Please remember to wear your badges when coming to the rally.

There's a new downloadable 4CU Name Badge Order Form available on the website's Membership Information Page <https://fourcornersunit.com/membership.html>.

Of course, if you're a new Full Member, you'll automatically get a name badge. If you're an Affiliate who joined us using the hard 4CU Membership Application or the 4CU's Online option, you were offered the option of ordering an Affiliate Name Badge when you joined. If you didn't order an Affiliate badge at that time and now wish to do so, use this form.

If you are an Affiliate who joined through the WBCCI website and would like to order an optional Affiliate Badge, please use the new Order Form.

And both current Full Members and Affiliate Members can use the form to order replacement badges as needed.

Check out further details on the website!

Change of plans??

We all know how difficult it is these days to secure camping sites in our favorite parks. When a site becomes available, it's snapped up in minutes...seconds, really!

So, when rally sites are reserved for the Four Corners Unit, those sites become as valuable as gold!

Should you need to cancel your reservation for a rally, please **first** get in touch with your hosts! Most likely, there is a long waiting list of fellow members waiting for the opportunity to attend the rally. Remember, it might be their first rally they attend!

Please help prevent "no shows" as well. If your plans change - call/text your host ASAP!!! (Emails may not reach them in time). Again, our campsites are precious commodities these days.

Upcoming Rallies:

Here's the latest update (11/22/2021)

2021

**Dec 29 - Jan 1 NEW YEARS
@ PICACHO PEAK
Picacho Peak State Park
Eloy, AZ**

2022

**Feb 11- 14 My Desert Valentine Rally
McDowell Mtn. Regional Park
Four Peaks Staging Area
Fountain Hills, AZ
(Dry Camping)
Full/Waitlist**

**Mar 9 - 13 Region 11 Annual Rally
Casa Grande, AZ
Details to Follow**

**Mar 24-27 Spring Equinox II
Patagonia Lake State Park
Patagonia, AZ
Full/Waitlist**

**July 23 - 29 65th International WBCCI
Rally
Fryeburg, ME**

WHAT'S THE NEXT RALLY???

Submit an idea...or...better yet..
Plan it yourself at **YOUR** Favorite Place!

Remember, rallies can be as simple or grand as you wish.

It's up to you!

If you're on the fence about hosting a rally, contact anyone on the board and we will connect you with a "host mentor"! Yes, we have a list of past members who would LOVE to share their varied experiences.

How about a "NO HOST RALLY"???

No plan, no schedule, no worries!!

Have a favorite location you'd like to enjoy with other members but don't want to "HOST" a rally? Simply book your site and let us know!

We will post your notice here and others can join in by booking their own site and...there ya go:

A NO HOST Rally!

(Worse case is that you booked your site and enjoy your weekend as planned, by yourself!)

Win. Win.

Where are you???

In these odd times, our travels have been taking us to new places and our Airstreams allow us to physically distance while still enjoying the country. In the past months, we have heard from a few of our members letting us know where they are "hiding out"!

Thank you for sending in brief overviews of your journeys!
We look forward to reading more!

Want to find out more about your fellow member's travels?
Grab your Quick Directory and get in touch!

We just want to have fun!! Just camping with friends.

Found that perfect fishing spot where you'd like to spend a weekend with fellow Four Corners Unit friends?

Want a casual get-together but prefer an alternative to a rally?

Feel free to post here and see if you have some like-minded Four Corners Unit friends!

Welcome Our Members to the Four Corners Unit!!

- John & Lois Munger, Bisbee, AZ (Aff) (re-joined)**
- Dave Czenkusch & Nancy Campbell, Loveland, CO (Aff)**
- Charles & Linda Meinholz, Madison, WI (Aff)**
- Heather Williams, Atlanta, GA (Aff)**
- Mike & Gayle Keenan, Albuquerque, NM (Aff)**
- Cathy & Diane Fuhrman, Phoenix, AZ (Aff)**
- Jim & Randy Rumbo, San Diego, AZ (Aff)**
- Tim & Sue Yarbrough, Beaumont, CA (Aff) (re-joined)**

See you at a rally very soon!!!!

Have a creative Airstream photo or art work you'd like to share on the front page of the Four Corners Connection?

Send a digital jpg to:

004vicepresident@wbcci.net

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