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A Chapter of Family Motor Coach Association



## A MESSAGE FROM THE PRESIDENT

We have a couple announcements, 1<sup>st</sup> we will have a quick meeting at Past Time Park, the meeting is to vote in Patty Del Sorbo to the position of Vice President.

If you have no one to nominate for position of Vice President, everyone will vote at the meeting for all nominations.

We also would like to announce that we have a new webmaster, James Fenn, but he doesn't need to get voted on, so just a warm welcome to the position!

Glamarama is still undecided at this time. Hopefully more information will be available soon.

Coming up on September 8-11 our next rally at *Pastime Park*, 370 North Chillicothe Street, Plain City, Ohio *for reservations call Pastime Park: (614) 873-3527 ext. 108* Rallymasters are Cory & Jodie Zell

Just a reminder, we are working on the 2023 rally schedule so anyone with any ideas for a rally please let us know.

Your President,  
Denny Edgar

# UPCOMING RALLIES

**8-11 SEPTEMBER**

PASTIME PARK, PLAIN CITY, OHIO.

Hosts – Cory & Jodie Zell

**6-9 OCTOBER** DARKE COUNTY FAIRGROUNDS, OHIO.

Hosts – Tony & Patty DeSorbo



# OHIO- NOMADS OCTOBER RALLY

Rally Hosts: Tony, Patty & Ana DelSorbo

October 5 – October 9

Darke County Fairgrounds

(Steam Thresher Lot)

800 Sweitzer St, Greenville, OH 45331

See: <https://darkecountyfair.com/directions/>

## Schedule of Events:

- Wed: Arrival. Evening on your own.
- Thu:
  - 9 AM – Fruit/pastries provided; BYOB
  - Day – On your own; impromptu card games in the building.
  - 5 PM – dinner at a local restaurant
- Fri:
  - 9 AM – Fruit/pastries provided; BYOB
  - Afternoon crafts led by Patty.
  - Impromptu card games in the building.
  - 4 PM – Happy Hour – BYOB and munchies
  - 5 PM – Soup and Chili Pot-luck in the building – Bring your favorite soup or Chili to share; cheese, sour cream, onions, and crackers will be provided
- Sat:
  - 9 AM – Fruit/pastries provided; BYOB
  - Day – On your own; impromptu card games in the building.
  - 4 PM – Happy Hour – BYOB and munchies
  - 5 PM – Home-made (secret Italian recipe) Meatball Sub Dinner (by Patty and Tony), everyone brings a side and/or dessert.

Please detach and mail with your payment:

Pilot and Co-Pilot names: \_\_\_\_\_

Cell phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Arrival date(circle):      10/5   10/6   10/7   10/8

Camping Fee: \$35 per night full hook-ups (30A), or      \_\_\_\_\_ X \$35=      \$ \_\_\_\_\_

\$40 per night full hook-ups (50A)      \_\_\_\_\_ X \$40=      \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Rally fee \$10.00 per person      \_\_\_\_\_ X \$10=      \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Total:      \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Make checks for camping and rally fee by **Sep 30<sup>th</sup>**, payable to: **Ohio Nomads**. Send to:

Ohio Nomads  
c/o Tony DelSorbo  
8131 Beechcreek Dr.  
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## A Note from the Treasurer

As some of you know, my family and I entered into the next phase of our lives: retirement. With that came the realization that we no longer had the same level of disposable, discretionary, funds we've come to enjoy at rallies throughout the year. Compound that with world events such as inflation and dwindling 401K/IRA portfolios and the outlook appears bleak. Yet, as I reflect on the events of the past year, I still find myself blessed with a wonderful family and friends and fortunate to be able to continue with those things about which my family and I feel passionate.

Still, there are those who are not so fortunate around the world. While we can't help everyone, the OH Nomads has done a wonderful job of annually contributing to the local Shriners Hospital for Children. For example, last year we donated \$228.00 to the Shriners (now known as Shriners Children's Ohio). Usually, these funds come from donations or sheriff collections at the rallies. Another source of that fund is the 50/50 drawings of which we have not had any this year to date. But this year's collection is woefully low. Either you've all been really, really good about keeping your badges on while around the sheriff, or she just hasn't caught you – yet!

So, if you find yourself able to help in building up our pot, it would go a long way to being able to make a substantial donation by Sep 30 (the end of our fiscal year).

Finally, our membership dues are coming due. Usually, we ask that you try to renew by 30 September. We need a full accounting by 1 December so that we can report our member count to FMCA. The sooner you get your membership renewed (\$10) for the 2023 season the less work we have to do in getting reminders out, and be able to meet our obligations to FMCA. Make your checks payable to "Ohio Nomads" and send to:

OH Nomads  
C/O Tony DelSorbo  
8131 Beechcreek Dr,  
Dayton, OH 45458

In case you didn't know, you can pay for future years as well. If you also send a donation for charity, please be sure to identify how much is for membership and how much is for charity.

Safe travels to all of you.

**Tony DelSorbo**  
**Ohio Nomads Treasurer**

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Kathy Gehret 9/3

Kent Copeland 9/6

Bob Garcia 9/10

Judith Taylor 9/15

Helen Kurthy 9/23

Ralph Gehret 9/28

# ANNIVERSARIES

Patty & Tony Del Sorbo 9/16

Kathy & Ralph Gehret. 9/21

Rita & David Price 9/30





## COME JOIN US



**OHIO NOMADS** is a chapter of **FMCA**, **Family Motor Coach Association**. Our chapter was founded February 17, 1978. We get together May thru October to see the sights, to relax and to have fun. Our members will be only too happy to share

their experiences with you, the good, the bad and the ugly!

Most of our rallies are held somewhere in Ohio, more often than not in the vicinity of a festival or attraction. We have also camped in Indiana, Michigan and Kentucky, and

as far away as Tennessee and Missouri.

If you are currently a member of FMCA you are aware of its many benefits.

If you would like more information, call FMCA at 800-543-3622 or [www.FMCA.com](http://www.FMCA.com).

Our newsletter Scope Ohio is published seven times a year via email. A rally schedule is included in each issue.

You are welcome to join with any type of self-contained RV: Class A Motorhome, 5th-Wheel, Class B Motorhome, Travel Trailer, Class C Motorhome or Toy Hauler.

Membership is \$35.00 the first year and provides you with two chapter name tags and

an Ohio Nomads membership oval. Thereafter, membership is \$10. a year, due before the 1st of October each year.

Our Website [www.ohionomads.com](http://www.ohionomads.com) is at your fingertips for information and to view pictures of rallies, past and present.

Please feel free

to contact our Secretary, Mary Alice Gast, about Ohio Nomads membership or for any questions you have at [513-594-0774](tel:513-594-0774) - email at [rgast@cinci.rr.com](mailto:rgast@cinci.rr.com).

