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A Chapter of Family Motor Coach Association



## A MESSAGE FROM THE PRESIDENT

We had a great time at the July Rally in Kenton, OH where we joined the Ohio Good Sam Summer Rally. There were 6 member RVs there. Congratulations to Chris Gross for coming in 1st place in the Bean Bag Toss Tournament. Of course, there was plenty of food and friends. Later in the month we also had a great turnout of Nomads in Richwood OH, where we joined Sue White for Joe's celebration of life. I know Sue was glad to see everyone.

Now, we are getting ready for lots more food and fun at Lively Lady for our Aug rally where we have at least 15 families registered, so far. We're going to take an opportunity to have a chapter meeting on Friday after dinner.

This month we welcome our newest members Larry and Brenda Kinnett from Loveland OH. Looking forward to having them join us at our rallies. And, while we're on the subject, we are in the process of setting the calendar for next year; so, please consider hosting a rally. You pick the month, date and place.

Finally, we're nearing the end of the fiscal year which means the membership dues will be coming up soon. No need to wait until the end of September, though. Send your \$20 dues to Tony at:

Tony DelSorbo  
8131 Beechcreek Dr.  
Dayton, OH 45458

Make checks payable to "Ohio Nomads". Recall too, that we will be donating in our designated Chapter Charity by Sep 30th. Our current charity fund is unusually low. Won't you consider being generous with your donation?

If you have any pictures from the rallies we would love to see them. You can email me at [pattydels58@gmail.com](mailto:pattydels58@gmail.com) or feel free to post them on the Facebook page, Ohio Nomads/Members Only.

Safe travels,  
Patty

# UPCOMING RALLIES

- **JULY 11-14: GOOD SAM SUMMER RALLY, KENTON, OH**  
HOSTS: TONY & PATTY DELSORBO
- **AUGUST 7-11: LIVELY LADY CG, ABERDEEN OH**  
HOSTS: TONY & PATTY DELSORBO
- **SEPTEMBER 10-15: SHIPSHEWANA CAMPGROUND, SHIPSHEWANA, INDIANA**  
HOSTS: DENNY & BONNIE EDGAR
- **OCTOBER 3-6: ARROWHEAD CAMPGROUND, NEW PARIS, OH**  
HOSTS: JODIE AND CORY ZELL



# RALLY INFO

PLEASE READ OVER THE NEXT COUPLE PAGES AS THEY ARE ALL INFO ABOUT UPCOMING RALLIES! THESE WILL BE UPDATED AS THE YEAR GOES ON. THANK YOU!



**SEPTEMBER 2024 OHIO NOMADS RALLY**  
**SHIPSHEWANA CAMPGROUND SOUTH PARK**

1105 S Van Buren St. (SR 5)

Shipshewana, Indiana 46565

**September 10-15, 2024**

The Shipshewana Flea Market is Tuesday and Wednesday Sept. 10 and 11 if you do not want to enjoy the Flea market arrive Thursday Sept 12. **or** arrive Tuesday Sept. 10 and leave whenever

Make reservations by **Aug. 1, 2024 to** ensure you will be with the group. If you have never been to Shipshewana before, there are a lot of things to do every day of the week but **Sunday** as most Amish businesses are closed Sundays  
Camping cost at \$49.00 per night plus a \$10.00 per person rally fee payable to **Bonnie Edgar**

[dbedgar@bright.net](mailto:dbedgar@bright.net) or 419-966-2026

Bonnie Edgar 10413 State Route 110 Napoleon, Oh. 43545

Name(s)\_\_\_\_\_

Date of your arrival \_\_\_\_\_

Total at \$49.00 per day camping \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Total at \$10.00 per person rally fee \$ \_\_\_\_\_

**TOTAL** \$ \_\_\_\_\_

# OCTOBER RALLY: ARROWHEAD CAMPGROUND

1361 THOMAS RD., NEW PARIS, OH 4534

ARRIVE THURSDAY, OCTOBER 3<sup>RD</sup> AND LEAVE SUNDAY, OCTOBER 6TH

You must call ASAP to reserve your spot by the 12<sup>th</sup> of August.

You must tell them you are with the NOMADS. If you get an answering machine, make sure you leave your info and that you are with the nomads.

Here is the number to call: 937-996-6203

I will be sending information about  
this rally in the next 2 weeks.  
Thank you!

# WEBMASTER NEEDED!!

We're in search of a volunteer to take on the role of webmaster for our chapter's website. This position requires very little time commitment, with tasks that can typically be completed in just an hour a month, offering a perfect chance to **contribute to our chapter** on your own terms. It's a straightforward role, but *your efforts will help keep our online presence active and engaging*. If you have a knack for websites or just want to lend a hand in maintaining our digital footprint, this is a great way to make a direct and appreciated impact. Join us in making a positive difference with ease and flexibility!

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## OHIO NOMADS TREASURER QUARTERLY REPORT

This financial report spans the 3-month period from April 1, 2024 through June 30, 2024. This period we had quite a few new members join us. We are pleased to welcome, Chris & Megan Gross with their children Elsie, Corbin and Hudson, Terry & Mary Bacus, Bev Dunnington, and Kevin & Denise Watters (our elected National Directors). We also had a 50-50 drawing at our May rally where we collected \$33.00 for our annual charity donation. Our rally income you see below is for our upcoming August rally at Lively Lady. We're going to have quite a turnout at that rally – you don't want to miss out! Finally, our expenses this quarter include getting badges out to our new members as well as the purchase of food & supplies for our gathering at GLAMARAMA '24.

### PERIOD COVERED: Apr 1, 2024 - June 30, 2024

<b>STARTING BALANCE:</b>	<b>(4-1-2024)</b>	<b>\$3,898.44</b>
<b>INCOME</b>		<b>\$2,192.00</b>
Gifts, Collections, Donations	33.00	
Membership Inc.		
:New Members	\$105.00	
Rally Inc.		
:Fees	\$2054.00	
<b>EXPENSES</b>		<b>\$(196.00)</b>
Membership Exp.		
:Badges	\$(88.00)	
Rally Exp.		
:Food & Supplies	\$(108.00)	
<b>OVERALL TOTAL (Inc – Exp)</b>		<b>\$1,996.00</b>
<b>ENDING BALANCE</b>	<b>(6-30-2024)</b>	<b>\$5,894.44</b>

As of the last bank reconciliation effort, our checkbook and quicken data are in agreement with the bank balance.

Please note that the membership year ends on Sep 30<sup>th</sup> of each year. It's never too early to send in your membership renewal. So, no need to wait until the last minute 😊. Also, as noted above, the funds collected or set aside for our annual charity donation is minimal. While we'll try to have 50-50 drawings at each rally to better this standing, don't forget that you can give at any time for charity.

Looking forward to seeing you all at our upcoming rallies.

**Tony DeISorbo**  
**Ohio Nomads Treasurer**

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## BIRTHDAYS

CAROL CRAVEN -- 8/8  
BOB GAST -- 8/10  
LINDA LAW -- 8/16  
ERNEY HOWARD -- 8/18  
RITA PRICE. -- 8/19  
GARY TOOHIIG -- 8/21

## ANNIVERSARIES

GEORGE & SUE MYERS -8/1  
LARRY & DEBBIE WILLIAMS -8/4  
LINDA & JOHN LAW -8/15  
BEV & BOB GARCIA -8/23  
BONNIE & DENNY EDGAR -8/29  
CAROL & KEN SCHLACHT -8/30





## 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).

