

"A number of us who know and admire these fine trailers have banded together to form the Vintage Airstream Club to meet together periodically, swap stories, help each other and do all the fun things people do when they share a common interest."

Bud Cooper, 1st President of the Vintage Airstream Club ~ 1993-1994

The VINTAGE AIRSTREAM CLUB is an Intra-club of the Wally Byam Caravan Club International ~ WBCCI

## WELCOME

The Vintage Airstream Club (VAC) is excited that you have decided to join this Intra-Club of the Wally Byam Caravan Club International (WBCCI). There are many great adventures and events ahead. Included in this packet is a club decal. There is no set location for the decal, but most members proudly display their decal either on the front or rear window of their Airstream.

Your membership dues are paid coinciding with your WBCCI anniversary date. During your normal WBCCI renewal period, log onto <u>https://airstreamclub.org</u> and the form window will guide you through the renewal process. Be sure to check the "Vintage Airstream Club" under the Intra-Club section of the form. You will receive a renewal reminder via email. Please remember to update your personal contact and/or trailer information on the airstreamclub.org website if any changes occur.

Full "Member" status applies to all VAC members who have an Airstream or Argosy that is 25 years or older. "Affiliate" membership status applies to anyone whose Airstream does not meet the 25-year-old criteria. The only difference is that "Affiliate" members do not have voting privileges and cannot hold an officer position. All other VAC Member Benefits are available.

## **VAC Member Benefits**

VAC Website ~ <u>https://vintageairstreamclub.com</u> is where you can find a lot of great information on the history of Airstream, membership information, upcoming vintage rallies, a list of VAC officers and contact information, newsletters, photos, resources, technical library and on-line store with VAC merchandise. Included on this site:

- VAC Archives ~ Contains general information and helpful how-to materials from members and other resources. Our Historian is Joe Peplinski, historian@vintageairstreamclub.com and our Librarian is Scott Goranson, librarian@vintageairstreamclub.com
- **VAC Newsletter** ~ Keep current with up-to-date information sent to members via email. Contact DJ Watson, Newsletter Editor, at <a href="mailto:newsletter@vintageairstreamclub.com">newsletter@vintageairstreamclub.com</a> to submit an article.

VAC Facebook link ~ Many VAC members are active Facebook users.

VAC Youtube Channel link ~ Features the first VAC Virtual Rally, historical clips and rally events.

**Virtual Chats** ~ A zoom link is sent to all VAC members periodically for open question and answer sessions.

**WBCCI International Rally** ~ The Annual International Rally typically begins with a VAC pre-rally 'Rendezvous'. \* We enter the rally grounds ceremoniously in a VAC parade, then park together in the Vintage Parking area. You can attend the annual membership meeting, enjoy social and technical programs, daily happy hours, and camaraderie with vintage trailer enthusiasts. The VAC **Open House** is a hugely popular event where the vintage airstreams are shown off to the public and the **Concours d'Elegance** vintage trailer show and competition, held at the International Rally, is one of the only trailer concourse programs in the world.

\*Note: The VAC 'Rendezvous' and Annual Meeting may take place separate from the International.

**Vintage Trailer Rallies** ~ Several VAC rallies are held each year across the country. This is a wonderful opportunity to reconnect or make new friends with a common interest.

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