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Wednesday Feb. 6th. Mike & Sharon Moran picked us up and drove to Homers Buffet in Sebring for the Jayco luncheon. We had around 40 members this year down a little from last year. Had some new faces, some were interested in State Rallies and the Jayco International Rally, so maybe we will have some new members at some of the Rallies, we sure need them, as our numbers are not looking very good right now!!!!!



I am writing this E-News on Feb. 8<sup>th</sup>. Phyllis is packing our bags as I write. We are heading for Tampa, FL. Sat. the 9<sup>th</sup> to Board the Carnival Paradise. That's right we are going on a Cruise, no 5th wheel just a Cruise on a BIG SHIP. This will be a first for us. It's only 5 days so I guess we can get along without the 5th Wheel for 5 days!!

The Nova Scotia Trip -- June 24th - July 11, 2013 -- that's an 18 day trip that will take you to -- Maine, New Brunswick, Prince Edward Island, & Nova Scotia -- the cost is only (\$3195.00 for two adults and one unit -- or -- \$2215,00 for 1 adult and a unit)

There is a lot to see and do in those 18 days. We only have 10 units signed up as of now. We sure could use 12 more units. That's a total of 22 units or one bus load. Get signed up right away - it helps in making the final plans.

The Jayco International Rally 2013 will be in Marion, North Carolina at Tom Johnson Camping Center. Everyone will have full hook-up. We only have 35 units signed up, we need a lot more for this Rally to be successful, so don't wait get signed up -- do it today!!!!!

Its just a phone call away to sign up for the TRIP or the RALLY or BOTH!!!!

1-800-262-5178 or 1-574-259-0591 --- Jackie will have you signed up in just a flash!!! Do not wait!

Do not forget about the State Rallies. I only know about 3 State Rallies as of now if your

State is having a Rally, let the office know or send me an e-mail with all the info about your State Rally so it can be added to the Jayco E-Newsletter.

Michigan State Rally -June 14-16 - St. Louis, MI.

PA. State Rally - Sept. 6-8

N.Y. State Rally -Sept.20-22 - FrankFort, N.Y.

#### Now for the sad part of this E-News letter --

Henry Gjeltema passed away January 30, 2013 in Bradenton, FL. -- He was born October 28, 1937 in Uxbridge, MA. Hank has been a member of our local Jayco Club for many years, he has help with parking at the International Rally for the last 8 or 9 years. Hank sure will be missed around the camp fires at our local camp outs --

Ray Horning passed away Friday February 1st. Ray was the International Events Manager for the Jayco Jafari Travel Club for 9 years his last year was 2003.

Phyllis & I were Ray & Donna's assistants for 6 years from 1998 to 2003, traveled a lot of miles around the country helping on trips and at the International Rally. We would be traveling along and Ray would come on the C B and say -- Phyllis I see a golden arches sign do we need to stop and get you a BIG ICE TEA!!!!

Ray will be missed by the Jayco Jafari family

Unit Next Time Safe & Happy Travels Go-RVing

Arnie & Phyllis

# **Valentine Smile**

On Valentine's Day we think of those Who make our lives worthwhile, Those gracious, friendly people who We think of with a smile.

I am fortunate to know you, That's why I want to say, To a rare and special person: Happy Valentine's Day!

By Joanna Fuchs



# Trips & Tours

Jayco Travel Club - RV Tours and Camping Mark your calendars now, you won't want to miss out on these great travel opportunities!!

# **2013 SCHEDULE OF EVENTS**

2013 Michigan State Rally

June 15 -16, 2013

St. Louis, MI

2013 Nova Scotia

June 24 - July 11, 2013

Maine, New Brunswick, Prince Edward Island & Nova Scotia

2013 Jayco Int'l Rally

August 5-9, 2013

Marion, North Carolina

2013 Pennsylvania State Rally

September 6-8, 2013

2013 New York State Rally

September 19-22, 2013

## Frankfort, New York

## Tidbits



We received word that Ray Horning passed away on February 1st. Ray and his wife Donna were International Events managers for 9 years. They retired in 2003 as events managers. Ray's memories will always be with us. He was very special, and he will always have a special place in our lives. Our deepest condolences are with you Donna.

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#### #89 - 2013 Camping Schedule

March 17 Farmers Wife Resturant, Ono

April 19-21 Birchview Farms Campground May 10-12 Buttonwood Campground June 7-9 Dogwood Acreas Campground July 12-14 Hickory Run Campground August 8-13 International Rally - Marion , NC August 16-18 Paradice Stream Campground Sept. 6-8 State Rally - Merritt Pond Campground, Bedford, PA Oct. 4-6 Pine Hill Campground Nov. 10 Thanksgiving Dinner, Salem U.M. Church Rt. 850 at 5 pm Dec. 8 Christmas Dinner, Salem U.M. Church at 5 pm

### Flt.14 Kyanna Birds 2013 camping schedule:

April 19,20 - KY Horse Park, Lexington KY 40511

May 17,18 - Little Farm on the River, Rising Sun, IN 47040

June 21,22 - CERALAND, Columbus, IN 47203

July 19,20 - Renfro Valley RV Park, Mt. Vernon, KY 40456

Aug. 5-9 - International Rally, Tom Johnson Camping Center Marion, NC

Aug. 16,17 - Yogi Bear Jellystone at Raintree, Scottsburg, IN 47170

Sept.20,21 - Bowling Green KOA, Bowling Green, KY 42104

Oct 18,19 - 2 Rivers Campground, Carrolton, KY 41008

## **#51 Wise Owls 2013 Camping Schedule**

April 26-28 Candy Hill, Winchester, VA May 10-12 Merritt Pond, Bedford, PA June 14-16 Twin Steams, Morris, PA July 12-14 Kozy Rest Yogi Bear Campground, Harrisville, PA Aug. 23-25 Sharp's Campground, Shelocta, PA Sept. 6-8 Merritt Pond State Rally Oct. 4-6 Hickory Hollow Campground, Rockwood, PA Dec. 14 6 pm-Penn Gables, Ebensburg, PA

## 2013 State Rallies . .

If you are planning a State Rally for next year, please send me your information so I can include it in the next issue. You can email to <u>membership@recclub.com</u> or fax 1-574-259-7105 or mail to: Jayco Jafari 58800 Executive Dr Mishawaka, IN 46544

Also, if you have any chapter news or schedules that you would like published please send that as well. And if JJ is reading this, we would love to hear about your adventures too!

Recipes

# BAKER'S ONE BOWL Chocolate-Strawberry Cake



What you need: 5 squares BAKER'S Semi-Sweet Chocolate, divided 6 Tbsp. butter or margarine

3/4 cup sugar 1 tsp. vanilla 2 eggs 1-1/4 cups flour, divided 1/2 tsp. baking soda 3/4 cup water 1-1/2 cups thawed COOL WHIP DIPS Strawberry Crème 1 cup sliced strawberries Make It:

PREHEAT oven to 350°F. Place 3 of the chocolate squares and the butter in large microwaveable bowl. Microwave on HIGH 2 min. or until butter is melted. Stir until chocolate is completely melted.

STIR in sugar and vanilla until well blended. Add eggs, 1 at a time, beating with electric mixer on low speed after each addition until well blended. Add 1/4 cup of the flour and the baking soda; mix well. Add remaining 1 cup flour alternately with the water, beating until well blended after each addition. Pour evenly into 9-inch round cake pan sprayed with cooking spray.

BAKE 30 min. or until toothpick inserted in center comes out clean. Cool in pan 10 min.; remove from pan to wire rack. Cool completely. Top with the COOL WHIP DIPS and strawberries just before serving. Melt remaining 2 chocolate squares as directed on package; drizzle over cake. Let stand until chocolate is set. Store in refrigerator.

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