

Sierra Nevada Unit Wally Byam Caravan Club, International

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Fall is in the air. Here it is the beginning of September, the newscasters are telling us it is snowing lightly on Slide Mountain, the air is crisp and cool, and we saw a small flock of geese flying over this morning.

The last unit gathering was a hamburger fry at Groschs in August, attended by a very congenial group of members and guests. Present were Elenere Amidon, Frank & Steve Burnham, Von Gallion and 4 houseguests, Dale & Marge Grosch, Fred Hersey, Betty Kopfhammer, Len & Virginia Paul and Pete Rinne. A good time was had by all.

As we always say - stay flexible. Regretfully the rally at Fort Churchill has been cancelled for several reasons, such as falling on the same weekend as the Reno Air Races, and too many people out of town. So - re-mark your calendars for a lunch instead on Thursday September 21. It will be at Grandma Hattie's in Carson City - also a new time - 1 PM. The address is 2811 South Carson Street - that is on the Access Road on the east side of the highway, just a little bit south of the Railroad Museum. Please call Steve at 825-6566 and let us know if you can come no later than Tuesday September 19 as we need to tell the manager how many places to set for us. Again, the lunch time is 1 PM as the room will be in use until then. We can all order off the menu, and Grandma Hattie's does offer a senior discount. Let's have a good turnout.

We have some new members in the club, and hope to introduce them and induct them into WBCCI and the Unit at the lunch. Glad to have them joining us, so come and welcome them. We will give you names and such then.

In the sick and lame department, we are happy to report that Pete Rinne is out of the hospital and made it to the last meeting. Alma George is still housebound and not able to ride in the car any distance. The Leippers were loading their trailer for a trip to Arizona, and Dale took a fall while fixing his car mirrors, and as a result he landed in the hospital instead and had surgery for a broken hip. He is now out of the hospital and in rehab and hopefully will be able to go home soon. He is receiving messages by E-mail and enjoys hearing from everybody. Frank is still making the rounds of the doctors - have a new one on the list this week. They are all busy trying to diagnose the cause of his problems. WBCCI has informed us that former International President (1982-1983) Gerald Crapnell passed away about a week ago..

September birthdays: 9-8 Dale Leipper; 9-11 Marge Grosch

September anniversaries: 9-2 Pierces, 9-8 Wights; 9-17 Pauls.

Congratulation all.

Don't forget to call Steve at 825-6566 to say you are coming.

Steve