



Holiday Rally
December 4th – 7th



It's not too late to sign up for the annual Holiday rally. Your rally hosts are Gary and Linda Mau and Gary and Cortney Webb, so you know it's going to be a good one. A wonderful sit down prime rib dinner along with the gift exchange and coach decorating contest makes this rally a fun one.

There will be a pet parade and a ladies luncheon accenting the events. The registration form was included in the September newsletter.



Lazydays 2009 Rally
January 15th – 17th



The annual Lazy Days Rally is approaching and we are hard at work making it a rally to remember. You'll find the registration form inserted in this newsletter. Remember to make your reservations early. Rally Park has reserved a set number of camping spots for the Southeast Chapter and it is first come, first serve. Our rally is being held at the same time as the largest RV show in the country, the 2009 Florida RV Supershow at the close by State Fairgrounds. Of course, Randy

and the American Coach service crew will be on hand to take care of your coach needs. His service request form will be sent to you upon receipt of your registration. Remember not to arrive before 1:00 PM on Thursday the 15th of January. The Wednesday night coaches departing Rally Park may still be in your assigned spot. This really creates a problem for our volunteer parking crew and they would greatly appreciate your cooperation.

Welcome to the following Southeast Chapter new members:

Beth & Ann Greenwood	Jacksonville, FL	Gary Bell	Steinhatchee, FL
Brian Daiagi	Fort Lauderdale, FL	David Gunn	Brandon, FL
Donald Facciobene	Palm Bay, FL	Luis & Nancy Pereira	Spring Hill, FL
Van Saylor	St. Petersburg, FL	Bob Rist	Semmes, AL
William & Penny Forrest	New Port Richey, FL	Christopher Ramsey	Bellview, FL

President's Message



Dan Lee

Hello Everyone ... I guess you have already figured out that I am now the newsletter editor. Please excuse the last newsletter in black and white. I didn't have the chapter's color printer at my disposal when I printed it. Just a few reminders to our members: When you renew your membership in January, please fill out a membership renewal form with your latest address, email address and phone numbers. We are sending out more and more last minute notices via email and we are noticing many of your email address are out of date or missing and several of our newsletters are being returned. If you need to update your info before then, contact our membership chairperson, Janice Thompson jan@southeastaca.org. Vic and Joanne Schneider

are hosting a rally in February at Flagler Beach. As soon as we have the dates firm we'll let you know. Watch on the website for updates. Also our annual elections for the chapter officers are in January at the Lazdays Rally. Please step up to the plate and help us keep this chapter alive. A very small number of your fellow chapter members are doing almost all the work. If we share some of these responsibilities, it will make the tasks much more enjoyable. Contact Doug Thompson, our Nominations Chairman if you would like to help out. We also need volunteers to host future rallies. Contact Joyce Bennett, our Rally Chairperson with ideas for future rallies and to pitch in and help host an upcoming rally. Email her at: joyce@southeastaca.org

National Website Update

Doug Thompson



On September 1st, the ACA national site at: <http://www.myamericancoach.com> – reinstated the ability to take credit cards for dues renewal. Additionally, we now have programs in place to provide for registration to the national events- the ability to transfer your service needs to Randy so that he can prepare to work on your coach at that rally – and the ability of any American Coach owner who is not currently a member to either renew, or join as the case may be. Many moving parts here, but all seems to be working well.

We encourage you to use these updated features of the site- It saves you time, a stamp, and gives you the ability to verify and update your profile information as it currently appears on the ACA database. Please remember that if

you update your information- that data is not currently shared with the regional chapters, including South East. You should also send any changes to the membership chairman of any/all regional chapters that you belong to. Additional upcoming features include the ability to view and/or print ACA national bylaws, the most recent Board and Fleetwood meeting minutes, and an annotated treasurer's report. We continue to add features to the site to make it more user friendly, as well as add the information you need as a member. If you have ideas or suggestions, we'd love to hear them. Feel free to send them to the webguy.... doug@myamericancoach.com

Upcoming Rallies

Joyce Bennett



Date	Rally	Location	Hosts
November 10 – 15	ACA National Rally	Tucson, Arizona	Southern Cal Chapter
December 4 – 7	Holiday Rally	Sarasota, Florida	Mau's & Webb's
January 15-18	Lazydays Rally	Seffner, Florida	Lee's & Thompson's
February ----	To be announced	Flagler Beach	Schneider's

Treasurer's Report

Pat Leszewski



September 29, 2008

General Account \$7,957.40

Rally Account \$7,348.27

Total **\$15,305.67**

No outstanding debits or income as of this date



Happy there is money in the bank

Membership

Janice Thompson



Hi Everyone –

I have a different idea for you. If you have an email address, but are not getting our email news flashes - please send me an email ASAP. We have so many emails that are not currently working and you are the ones missing out. Of course, I am always glad to change or correct any of your

info. Remember your membership dues are due in January.

Contact me at jan@southeastaca.org

Happy RVing.....Jan

Your Chapter's web address is: <http://www.southeastaca.org/>



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