

A FAMILY OF FRIENDS



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A Message from the President



Welcome Fork's RV/Continental Custom Coach from our "Family Of Friends" at Teton Club International. It is with great pleasure that I am able to announce at this time that following a lengthy period of negotiation, Teton Club International (TCI) and Forks RV have entered into an exclusive affiliation agreement that I am certain will prove to be a "Win-Win" situation for all concerned.

Teton owners are well aware that subsequent to Teton Homes going out of business in 2008 they lost valuable factory maintenance and repair support, sponsorship at the TCI annual rally and replacement coaches. Additionally, in subsequent years, membership in the club has been dwindling and the eventual demise of TCI was a real possibility.

Past-President Walter Sullivan found a high-end custom coach builder in Shipshewana, IN during his term of office and initiated discussions about an affiliation between Continental Custom Coach and TCI. Such an affiliation would bring Continental Coach owners into TCI to boost our membership and, through agreements, provide much needed support for us in the form of a factory level repair facility at Shipshewana and various forms of support at the Annual Rally.

For the owners of Continental coaches, they will now have a group to belong to for the camaraderie and familial associations we have long enjoyed. The affiliation agreement provides for Continental Coach owners to have full membership privileges in TCI.

An additional word about Continental Coaches. This spring Nancy and I took the time to visit the Forks RV facility in Shipshewana. We understand that last year several other Tetoners also visited in conjunction with the rally in Elkhart. Everyone we have spoken with raves about the Continental Coach. The workmanship and materials are top notch, designs are fabulous and the technology is cutting edge.

The day we visited Ervin and Laura Schrock's coach was being repaired after being hit by lightning. In a follow-up email Ervin reported "*Forks RV did do a very good job on our repairs and don't feel like we were over charged.*" I feel that will continue to be their practice.

So, again, **WELCOME CONTINENTAL COACH!**

Regards,

Pete Greig #789 President, TCI

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SE.....N/A
SW.....N/A

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2013 & 2014 Rally Calendar

TCI International Rally:	Emerald Desert RV Resort, Palm Desert, CA	November 8-14, 2013
TCI East Region Rally:	Stone Mountain Park, GA.	April 29th–May 3rd, 2014
TCI SW Region Rally:	Hacienda RV Resort, Las Cruces, NM	May 12-19, 2014
TCI NW Region Rally:	TBA	TBA

Letter of Agreement: Teton Club International and Forks RV/Continental Custom Coach



Following several meetings and interviews between Walter Sullivan and Peter Greig during their terms as Presidents of Teton Club International (TCI), with Jay Troyer, Director of Sales and Marketing for Forks RV of Shipshewana, IN, Teton Club International and Forks RV/Continental Custom Coach have agreed to an exclusive affiliation between the two entities.

The purposes and terms of this affiliation are:

1. To promote the growth of Teton Club International, owners of Continental Coaches will be allowed to apply for full membership in Teton Club International (TCI) with all the rights and privileges entitled therewith.
2. Forks RV will provide a facility in Shipshewana, IN for TCI members to get factory level repairs and upgrades of their coaches to the standard of quality and luxury expected by Teton owners.
3. The Teton membership will present an opportunity for Forks' Continental Coach to offer luxury 5th Wheel units as Tetons are in need of replacement.
4. Forks RV/Continental Custom Coach will offer support such as the presence of a demonstration Continental Coach unit and/or monetary support to the annual International Rally.
5. In accordance with the by-laws of TCI, the TCI database will not be made available for commercial purposes however; this should not preclude Forks RV from contacting TCI members identified by other means such as at rallies or RV shows.
6. In consideration of the support given to TCI, this affiliation will be an exclusive arrangement between Teton Club International and Forks RV/Continental Custom Coach precluding other manufacturers from establishing like affiliations with TCI.

Entered into this 5th day of August, 2013

Peter M. Greig

/s/ Peter M. Greig

President, Teton Club International

Jay Troyer

/s/ Jay Troyer

Dir. of Sales & Mrking. Forks RV/Continental Custom Coach

COORS BREWERY TOUR



Tetoners caravanned to the Miller Coors Brewery in Golden Colorado for a self-guided tour of the brewery. Using individual listening devices we listened to and observed the brewing process of the largest single brewery facility in the

world.

Started in 1873 by German immigrants Adolph Coors and Jacob Schueler, Coors has undergone many changes over the years. In 2004 Coors merged with Canadian brewer Molson and in 2007 with SAB Miller to become Miller Coors.

The tour ended with a visit to the tasting room where we were able to try various samples of their wares like Blue Moon, Keystone, and George Killian's Irish Red in addition to their Coors and Coors Light brands.



Jeanie Wilby #1450

Teton Club International Southwest Region 2013 Rally



The TCI Southwest Region rally for 2013 kicked off at Dakota Ridge RV Park in Golden CO with registration beginning at 3:00 pm on Monday, 5 August. Eighteen people in nine Teton and one Discovery motor home (guest) attended.

The fun started almost immediately with happy hour in the RV park followed by pizza dinner at a nearby restaurant. And things continued for the next six days, two of which were free days where participants could do whatever they wanted to do. However, happy hour, for those who wanted to partake, was convened every afternoon that the weather permitted. There were afternoon showers almost every day but they didn't dampen the party at all.

Tuesday, after a continental breakfast together, we boarded a bus for a ride to LODO, Lower Downtown, an area of Denver that has been rejuvenated with restaurants and shops. You can ride free shuttle-buses, or you can walk several blocks of 16th street, which has been converted into a walking area that is closed to all motorized traffic except for the shuttles. This leisurely activity was followed by a guided tour of the Molly Brown house.

The next day we had the opportunity to take a casino bus to the Black Hawk Casino in Black Hawk CO. And then in the evening we caravanned to the El Senor Sol Mexican restaurant for dinner. Of course, margaritas were a major part of the pre-dinner activity. One of the first people to order one told the waiter to bring him a big margarita, not realizing that was a 60 oz drink in a glass the size of a bird bath. Seeing that prompted others to take on the challenge, and before it was over, four of that size margaritas found their way to our table.

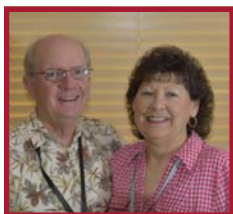
Friday, we caravanned to the Coors Brewery, in Golden CO, for a tour. The brewery there is the largest brewery situated in one location in the world. The tour culminated in a very generous beer-tasting opportunity, and of course, a stroll through the gift shop. Following the tour we walked around downtown Golden, an "artsy fartsy" tourist-oriented area, and we had lunch in any of the several restaurants along the main street. That evening we had a wonderful fried chicken dinner, catered to the RV park clubhouse, for the group to enjoy.

Sunday was potluck day. It started off with a potluck breakfast in the clubhouse. As with most potluck meals, there was far more food available than we could possibly eat, even if we spent the whole day there doing nothing else but eat. The official Southwest Region business meeting then took place at 11:00 am. All business was successfully conducted except no second vice president was identified, meaning that there is no one in line to be the rally master for the 2015 Southwest Region rally (any volunteers?). In the evening we had another potluck. This time it was Italian dinner followed by ice cream sundaes.

Sadly, all things must come to an end, even fun events like the rally. So on Monday morning we all said our goodbyes to each other, and the curtain closed on the Southwest Region's 2013 Rally.

Neil Cole TCI #1504

Guest Blog at Colorado SW Rally



Faye and I would like to thank you all for making us a part of your Teton family for the past week. It was a pleasure to get to know your group and the personalities in it. And I do mean "personalities" in the best sense of the word.

I hope you continue to gather and share your successes and foibles for many years!

Many thanks again, and safe travels,

Faye and Andrew Lyon

Molly Brown House Museum



Located in Denver, Colorado, the Molly Brown House Museum was home to the “Unsinkable” Molly Brown, known as the Titanic’s most famous survivor. She was born Margaret Tobin, on July 18, 1876, in Hannibal, Missouri to an Irish immigrant family. In 1886, Margaret followed her brother Daniel to Leadville, Colorado where she worked in a dry goods store. Margaret met J.J. Brown, an engineer for the mining company, at a church picnic and they marry soon after. In 1893, J.J. Brown engineers the largest gold strike in Colorado’s history, making him a millionaire. A year later, the Brown’s purchased their home at 1340 Pennsylvania Avenue. In 1912, Margaret travels to Egypt, Paris & Rome, but receives word that her grandson is ill and books passage on the Titanic. On October 26, 1932, Margaret dies while living in New York City at the Barbizon Hotel.



Mary Walker #1393

TCI SW Region Rally 2014



We will be meeting at the Hacienda RV Resort in Las Cruces, NM, with the rally starting on Monday, May 12, 2014 and ending on Monday, May 19, 2014.

We will be visiting White Sands National Monument and Missile Range, Old Mesilla, and other local trips.

Payment for this rally is different as the site amount will be paid directly to Hacienda RV Resort by you. You can pay it starting February 1, 2014. The best way to handle this is to call and talk to Judy or Jenny, and tell them that you are part of the Teton Rally in May. They will take your credit card number and hold it until the day you arrive. (If you make the reservation online you will be charged immediately.)

The nightly fee is \$31.46, which equals \$220.22 for the 7 nights. You may have this same rate for 3 days prior and 3 days after the rally as well.

The rest of the fee(\$200 per rig for two people; \$100 per rig for 1 person; \$100 for extra person in your rig) for the SW Rally should be paid directly to Karen Cole #1504 at 230 Rainbow Dr., #13031, Livingston, TX 77399.

Lastly, HELP!!! Calling ALL wannabe Rally masters for Southwest Region 2015 and 2016 rallies. There is so much help available for you and many places that have already been scouted for potential rallies.



Please call Karen (925-708-3655) or Bobbie (903-238-3747) for more information. You still have plenty of time to make this a memorable rally for all to enjoy.

Bobbie Stifle #1428

Convert Your 12 Volt Lighting to LED



Why would anyone want to go to the expense of replacing any of the 12 Volt bulbs or fluorescent tubes in an RV to LED lighting? After all, they are a bit on the pricy side. Some might make the change in order to “go green,” since LED lighting is about 9 times more efficient than incandescent bulbs and is about 3 ½ times more efficient than fluorescent lighting. In addition, they can last for decades.

Others might make the change for medical/comfort reasons, especially with fluorescent tubes, since LED lighting is generally considered to be a better quality light, can be dimmable and has no noisy humming ballast sound. Some people do not react well to the “flicker” of fluorescent tubes. Some do not like the idea of mercury, lead or other chemicals and electrical interference that may react with TVs and other electronics.

I made the change for several not so noble reasons . . . obsolete fixtures, heat, and boon docking.

Obsolete Fixtures – After burning out two ballasts in my overhead fluorescent lighting, I found that it’s not so easy to find matching replacement fixtures. And I didn’t want to replace every overhead fluorescent light fixture in the RV just to have them match.

A solution was to replace all of the living/dining area fluorescent tubes with new LED replacement tubes designed to fit in the existing fixtures. The difference is that these replacements do not require a ballast. By following included directions, you simply disconnect the ballast (removal is optional) and connect the replacement LED tubes to the 12 Volt supply and switch. I removed one good ballast and saved it for future replacement in the bedroom/bath areas if necessary.

Heat – Some of the lights I use regularly, especially when not connected to 120V shore power, are those little halogen puck lights. Unfortunately, they get very hot—just above my head. The 12 volt replacements are just as bright and don’t get hot. In addition, turning on every LED light in the coach makes virtually no difference in the amount of interior heat produced. A big deal if you’re not able to run an air conditioner.

Boon docking – More and more we find ourselves staying at places with no power, especially overnight at a Super Wal-Mart while enroute. Even though we have a generator, we prefer not to use it any more than necessary. By changing to LED lighting along with an LED TV, we can easily manage with just our two coach marine batteries.

Choosing Replacements

Replacing your 12Volt incandescent or fluorescent bulbs with comparable LED lamps isn’t as easy as buying a bulb that looks just the same as the old one. Fortunately, some of the LED RV bulb websites include replacement “crossover” charts and photos.

Fluorescents – Size, color and brightness (measured in Lumens) need to be considered. My fluorescent tubes were F8T5, where F8 = Fluorescent, 8 watts (translates to a 12 inch tube) T5 = Tube, 5 is the number of eighths (5/8) in diameter. Your bulbs may also have a color rating or Kelvin Scale rating. These are may be shown as, WW= warm white (below 3500 Kelvin-yellowish in color); NW= white or natural white (3200-4000 Kelvin-white in color); or CW= cool white (above 4000 Kelvin-bluish color). Teton Homes typically used warm white tubes. I changed over to natural white.

Paying attention to the brightness of replacement LED tubes is important if you want brightness comparable to the old tubes. The typical 12 inch (8 watt) fluorescent puts out 380 Lumens. I chose six 400 Lumen replacements giving me an additional 120 Lumens of light in the coach’s living area.

After checking RV.Net and other blogs, I chose Revolution LED Bulbs from a company by the same name. (<http://www.rvledbulbs.com/>). The Revolution tubes are a bit more expensive than the Ming bulbs (China) that they also sell, but these are brighter and use a Fresnel diffuser lens.

Incandescent – Replacing these bulbs is a matter of color, brightness and base. There are a few common bases used in RVs: The single (or double) contact Bayonet (1), Wedge (2), and G-4 Bi-pin (3). A good website for checking out these bulbs is www.LED4RV.com.

True LED lighting in an RV is now a possibility thanks to new generation of LED technology, which has produced the HyBright 3 LED semi conductor and other similar chips. These new flat LEDs can be ganged together on a small printed circuit board producing high Lumens in a small area. The new generation of ultra bright LEDs can last 60,000 hours, are quite rugged, produce almost no heat, and use up to 90% less power. **George Hooper #454**

Electrical Situation.....Forks RV to the Rescue



Anyone need work done on their Teton? While in Kearney, Nebraska in June on a Friday morning, we had an electrical situation. After trying to find someone in Nebraska who could replace the inverter to no avail, we contacted Forks RV Inc. in Elkhart, IN.

Phil talked with Eric Stutzman, one of the owners, who transferred him to Eric the electrician. They talked about the

situation and we were told to come on to Indiana. It was not in our travel plans but what can you do.

Because we have a household refrigerator, we ran an electrical cord through the window from the pedestal every night until we got there to have them work on the situation. We left Kearney on Saturday morning and stopped in Lincoln, NE for the night. We ran the cord out the window and the fridge kept running. Stopped one more night on the road and were in Elkhart on Monday afternoon. They asked us to check into an RV Park for Monday night and bring it in on Tuesday morning.

When we got there Tuesday, Eric the electrician came right out and went to diagnosing the situation. Found the problem to be the female end of the 50 amp cord. It had arced and burned the neutral which caused the inverter to go out. Eric wired around the inverter so we had power and we went back to the park. BuBu, our contact, went to work finding parts and stayed in touch with us most everyday. It took a week for the inverter to get there, installed and we were good to go.

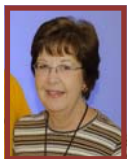
The thing we want to impress is this:

If you have a situation where you need expert help, contact Forks RV Inc.

Most professional, helpful, caring, and qualified to do any work we need whether it be electrical, structural, water damage, etc., they are there to help us.

Connie Hargin, #478

Sunshine Corner



Get well cards were sent to: Jack Bell #1586 after knee replacement surgery, Darlene Betz #130 following surgery, and Ina Ebert #950 who is dealing with kidney problems (she should have a procedure to allow for at-home dialysis soon, which they hope will allow them to resume traveling).

Jacquita Davis #831 had good news at her last checkup. The doctor switched her from appointments every 3 months to every 6 months! Unfortunately, Bill's report wasn't as good, so he is trying another type of treatment to help his body fight the cancer.

Don't forget that I need everyone's help to do my job. Please call (925-708-3655) or email (karen.cole@att.net) if you know of someone who needs some "Sunshine".

Karen Cole #1504

“Hello everyone, can you believe summer is nearly over?”



Cool weather is on its way and the clear blue skies over the Coachella Valley will be sparkling in anticipation of your arrival at the 24th Annual Teton Club International Rally Palm Desert, California.

There is a saying: the best laid plans of mice and men often go awry. Yes there have been some changes. If you paid for the JPL Optional Tour you will be reimbursed accordingly. The rally will be a huge success. There is still time to join in the festivities.

If you forgot to send in your registration or your plans have changed – give us a call or drop us an email. We will make every effort to accommodate you.

**If you wish to attend the rally
November 8 – 14 in Palm Desert
Direct inquiries to:
LaVerne Thomas #1213 at (818) 843-7379
bunnytrail@att.net.**

"REACH OUT TO THE STARS"



2013 TCI Rally Registration November 8 – 14, 2013



Emerald Desert Resort

76000 Frank Sinatra Drive

Palm Desert, CA 92211

(877) 624-4140

www.emeralddesert.com

GPS: Lat 33.772917; Lon -116.338493

Directions: CA Interstate 10, take exit #134, Cook Street. Turn south on Cook, Pass Gerald Ford Drive and move left. Then turn left Frank Sinatra Drive. Turn left on El Dorado Drive and into resort.

Reservation Options:

- \$675 per rig (2 people)
 - \$195 additional person
 - \$520 per rig (1 person)
 - \$5 per day (overnight guest)
 - \$2 per day use guest
 - \$2 per day per doggy
 - \$45 JPL Tour (per person) cancelled
- Contact Resort: \$50 night RV, 3 days before/after --- Villas also Available

Contact LaVerne Thomas #1213 immediately 818 843-7379

Mail Registration with payment payable to:

Teton Club International 3700 Westport Ave. #2590 Sioux Falls, SD 57108-6390

TCI Number _____ Arrival Date _____ Departure Date _____

Participants Last Name: _____ First: _____ / _____

Mailing Address: _____ City _____ St _____ Zip _____

Tel (c) _____ (other) _____ Email _____

Guest: _____ Health/Allergy Concerns _____

Number of: Members _____ Guests _____ Doggies _____ RV Make: _____

Length of: RV _____ Toad _____ Hauler: _____ Overall/Total: _____

This will be our (enter number) _____ International Rally. If this is your first rally, you will need a rally badge. Please attach a note with names (as you would like them printed) including state you wish to show.

NOTICE - TCI Rally badges should be worn to all events.

ALL PARTICIPANTS MUST SIGN THE FOLLOWING:

The undersigned hereby releases and agrees to indemnify and hold harmless Teton Club International Club officers of any and all liabilities, claims, losses, damages, injuries and reasonable attorney fees which may rise as a result from, or relate to this rally; or the negligence, omissions or lack of care of its officers during the time period specified above.

Cancellation Notice RECEIVED After contract dates expire Will Reduce Amount of Refund accordingly.

Members Signature (s): _____ / _____ Date: _____

Guest(s) Signature: _____ Date: _____

Information, contact LaVerne Thomas (818) 843-7379 or bunnytrail@att.net (08/09/13)

TCI East Region Rally 2014



Rally Includes:

- 5 Nights Full Hook-Ups
- 3 Dinners
- 1 Full Breakfast
- 3 Continental Breakfasts
- Bus Tour CNN/Coke and More
- Seminars and Free Time

Stone Mountain Park
4003 Stonewall Jackson Dr.
Stone Mountain Park, GA 30083
800-385-9807

www.stonemountainparkcampground.com

April 29th-May 3rd, 2014

GPS: N33 48.096, W84 07.479

Directions: I-285 East Beltway, exit 39B. East on Hwy 78 to exit 8, the main Stone Mountain Park main entrance. There is a one time \$10.00 Park Fee which is not part of the rally.

Early arrivals and or late stays welcome. Mention Teton Rally to get rally rate. Contact park direct at 770-498-5710 or 800-385-9807

NAME: Last _____ First _____ Spouse /Companion _____

Address _____ Email _____

City _____ State _____ ZIP _____ TCI Number _____

Number of Adults _____ Guests _____ Telephone _____

RV Make/Model: _____ Length of RV: _____ Toad: _____ Hauler/Length: _____

Do you require anything special due to health or other concerns? _____

COST: \$600 PER RIG (2 PEOPLE) \$410 PER RIG (1 PERSON) \$185 EXTRA PERSON (IN YOUR RIG) AMOUNT ENCLOSED: _____

IF THIS IS YOUR FIRST TCI RALLY, you will probably need club rally badges. If you do, attach a note showing names as you would like them to appear on each badge. Include the state you want on your badge. If we have enough lead-time, you will receive your free badge(s) when you arrive at the rally.

Make Checks Payable to:

TCI East Region

Mail To:

David McGilliard #1075
 3440 Snowhill PL
 Morganton, NC 28655

**Payment In Full Due
 By March 15, 2014**

Questions? Contact: Rally Hosts

Franz & Helen Petersen #1567
 franzpetersen@aol.com
 863-676-2957H 863-258-2507C

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The undersigned hereby releases and agrees to indemnify and hold harmless, Teton Club International and regional officers of any and all liabilities, claims, losses, damages, injuries and reasonable attorney fees which may rise as a result from, or relate to this rally; or the negligence, omissions or lack of care of its officers during the time period specified above. Cancellation in accordance with TCI by-laws.

Signature: _____ Date: _____

Signature: _____ Date: _____

TCI SW Region Rally 2014

Rally Includes:

- 7 Nights Full Hook-Ups
- 6 Breakfasts (1 Potluck and 5 Continental)
- 7 Lunches or Dinners (Including 1 Potluck Crock Pot Dinner)
- Margarita Happy Hour (provided by Hacienda RV Resort)
- Day Trip To White Sands Missile Range and White Sands Monument (Including Full Moon Concert In The Dunes)
- Day Trip To Old Mesilla With Tour of Church and Museum.
- Afternoon/Evening Trip To Farm and Heritage Museum (Including The Annual Blessing of the Crops)



Hacienda RV Resort

740 Stern Dr
Las Cruces, NM 88005
575-528-5800

<http://www.haciendarv.com/>

May 12-19, 2014

Area Attractions

- Las Cruces and Mesilla Farmer's & Crafts Market
- Hatch, NM and Chile Pepper Institute
- Wineries
- State Parks and Monuments
- Silver City, Ruidoso, El Paso, Juarez

Directions: I-10 exit 140 to NM 28 toward historic La Mesilla. Turn south on NM 28 S. Turn left on Stern Drive. Hacienda RV Resort is on right at end of road.

****ALL RV SITE RESERVATIONS** and early arrivals/late stays will be paid directly to Hacienda RV beginning February 1, 2014. Nightly rates are \$31.46 which includes tax, free wifi, and full hook-ups, morning trash pick-up curb side Please ask for Judy or Jenny. Credit card is to hold site only; your credit card will not be charged until day of check-in.

NAME: Last _____ First _____ Spouse /Companion _____
 Address _____ Email _____
 City _____ State _____ ZIP _____ TCI Number _____
 Number of Adults _____ Guests _____ Telephone _____
 RV Make/Model: _____ Length of RV: _____ Toad: _____ Hauler/Length: _____
 Do you require anything special due to health or other concerns? _____

****COST: \$200 PER RIG (2 PEOPLE) \$100 PER RIG (1 PERSON) \$100 EXTRA PERSON (IN YOUR RIG) AMOUNT ENCLOSED: _____**
IF THIS IS YOUR FIRST TCI RALLY, you will probably need club rally badges. If you do, attach a note showing names as you would like them to appear on each badge. Include the state you want on your badge. If we have enough lead-time, you will receive your free badge(s) when you arrive at the rally.

Make Checks Payable to:

TCI SW Region

Mail To:

Karen Cole #1504
230 Rainbow Dr #13031
Livingston, TX 77399

**Payment In Full Due
By March 1, 2014**

Questions? Contact: Rally Hosts

Pete & Bobbie Stifle #1428
bobbie.baileystifle@gmail.com
Pete: 623-225-6806 Bobbie: 903-238-3747

FOR SOUTHWEST MEMBERS, PAST & CURRENT AS OF 8/11/2013. The first 20 registrations received, based on postmark, will receive a \$100.00 fuel discount. SW members should submit the standard charge stated above less the \$100.00. If you are not in the first 20, you will be notified to submit an additional \$100.00.

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Signature: _____ Date: _____ Signature: _____ Date: _____

Announcements

2014 East Spring Luncheon

Are you in Florida in February 2014? Well if the answer is YES, then mark your calendar for the 2014 East Spring Luncheon.

The following is the information for the luncheon:

It will be held Thursday, February 13, 2014, at 2:00 p.m.

The location is: **The Golden Corral Restaurant- Celebration**
6077 West Irlo Bronson Memorial Highway (US Highway 192)
Kissimmee, FL 34747

So bring your favorite Valentine and join Hosts: **Phil and Connie Hargin and Joe and Darlene Betz**

For a super great meal. We look forward to seeing you.

Don't forget.....**MARK YOUR CALENDAR.**

Connie Hargin, #478

For Sale



NEWEST TETON AVAILABLE!
2008 Royal Reliance 44 ft.

A full-timers dream with twin beds and all the extras.
Asking \$143,999.00, Or Best Reasonable Offer.

Contact **Darrell Korman #1556** for price and pictures.
830-496-0712 or darrellkorman@gmail.com

For Sale



1997 DT 4700 International Truck

1997 DT 4700 International, 4 door, crew cab RV Hauler .

Truck assembled at Stalick, Eugene Oregon. Five speed Allison transmission, 478 rear end gears, 230 diesel, 100 gallon fuel capacity, large cargo box with seven storage compartments with locking latches. New tires - 7/13. Low mileage, 132,000. Custom interior, air suspension and air front seats, trailer saver air suspension hitch. \$35,900.

Pictures available by email
Contact **Gene and Sheryl Good #762, 360-921-4464**
Email sggood@juno.com

2005 CUSTOM 39' TETON GRAND FRONTIER
\$54,500

For Sale



This unit was built to our specifications:

Chassis: Three 8000lb. axles with Mor/ryde Independent Suspension and hydraulic disc brakes with "G" rated tires. We also added a skid roller.

Heating & Cooling: Two 34,00 BTU furnaces. Two 15,000 BTU air conditioners/heat pumps. 3 Fantastic Fans.

Electrical: Generator prep with 50Amp service located at the front and rear of 5th wheel. with a transfer switch. Whole house surge protector. Hughes 50 amp Autoformer. A 2500watt Prosine inverter with 4 12 volt batteries 3 120 watt solar panels. 4 dedicated 20 amp outlets, located in the entertainment area , the computer area, kitchen, and in the bay, all of which can be run from the inverter/solar panels.

Interior: Custom oak wood throughout, including headboard, custom cabinet above bed, solid oak around all slides and window valances. GE Spacemaker washer and a separate GE Spacemaker dryer, an Amana Radarange convection/microwave oven, an Amana stove range with oven. Two pantries with slideout adjustable shelves, solid surface counter with flip extension in kitchen. Tile floor in bathroom and kitchen area. Sealand china toilet. This is a non-smoking no pet unit that has been lived in at -20 degrees with no problems.

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HISTORIAN WANTED

TCI is in dire need of a club **Historian**. We have not had an **Historian** for the last three years. Members who might be interested please contact club president **Peter Greig #789** at 803-840-1956 or greigpm@yahoo.com

Submit Articles

The newsletter is published quarterly in **February, May, August, and November**. **Deadline for articles is the 20th of the month preceding publication**. All letters, articles, art, and photographs are subject to editing, alteration, or may be condensed.

Please email all articles to: **Laura Schrock #1407, Editor** Beauxsmomma@msn.com

Editorial Philosophy

We are a **Family of Friends**, dedicated to the promotion and enjoyment of our **Teton** RVs and the camaraderie of our members. Reflecting this, the newsletter is looking for positive and upbeat articles that we would be proud to share with anyone, including our children. There will be no profanity or "off-color" articles in the newsletter. Anything that needs to be said can be said in an adult manner. We do not discriminate against any person, RV or truck.

While we encourage technical articles that point out problems and offer solutions, we will not print negative articles that directly attack **TCI**, its **Members**, or **Teton Homes**.

The newsletter accepts no advertising but will print notices of sale for a club member's **Teton** trailer and/or tow vehicle. Following **TCI** Board guidelines, sale notices will be brief, including member name and **TCI** number; vehicle/trailer make, model and age; a few descriptive words, and the member's phone number and/or address. **Laura Schrock #1407, Editor**



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Hello, Teton Owner!

Former Teton Owners Are Welcome To Rejoin TCI

You are invited you to join The Teton Club International, a club dedicated to helping fellow owners enjoy their Teton RVs to the fullest. You have purchased the finest 5th wheel RV in America. Now join the finest RV club in America!

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- ◆ Camaraderie with other Teton owners who also love RVing
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PLUS. . . Two sets of TCI club logos and member numbers for your RV. Also, rally name badges with member name and number, when you attend your first rally.

NEW MEMBER REGISTRATION FORM

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TETON 5TH WHEEL MODEL/SIZE _____ TOW VEHICLE _____

NAMES AS YOU WANT THEM TO APPEAR ON YOUR TCI CLUB BADGES: YOU: _____

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