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**RALLY SCHEDULE**

**September 17 - 19**

"Club Anniversary Rally" - Californian RV Resort, Acton

**October 22 - 24**

"Octoberfest" - Elks Lodge, Vista

**Please check our website for the schedule for the remainder of the year.**

WE'D LOVE TO HEAR YOUR IDEAS FOR A RALLY. CALL:  
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**From the President:**

Greetings fellow Trackers,  
 I hope everyone is enjoying summer.

With our club officer elections just around the corner and also having to finalize our schedule for next year, I thought I would discuss member involvement. What is an RV club? It is a group of people sharing a common interest. It's the people that make a club but it also takes people to work and volunteer to make the club a success. First, there are the club officers, the people the members put their trust in to lead the club, keep notes and records, monitor the club finances and keep members informed of FMCA developments. Without officers we would not have a club. There are also additional positions that are appointed like Newsletter editor, web master, hospitality, nominating committee and rally master. These are necessary to make the club function. Then there are rally hosts. These are the people that take on the responsibility of putting on a rally. Without a host we would not have a rally, plain and simple.

So, as you can see, it takes quite a number of people to have a functioning RV club. For our first 3 years these jobs have fallen on a small group of people with many taking on multiple jobs. It has also been the same people hosting rallies, some doing 2 a year. So I would ask each of you to look to yourself and ask what you could do to contribute to the success of this club. You can sit back and enjoy the fruits of others work (hoping there will always be someone to do it) or get involved. It truly is not hard work. I would love to see more candidates for club officer positions this election so we can actually have to make a choice and vote. Also, volunteers for our appointed positions would be great. And let's have a bunch of you step in and take on being a rally host. You will not be alone if you do and it is a very rewarding experience. Some of you have been with the club since the beginning and have not yet hosted a rally. Come on, step up and do it. To misquote JFK, "Ask not what your club can do for you, ask what you can do for your club".

Safe travels and see you all in September.  
 Bob Golk, President, GST

**September Anniversary Rally**

**September 17-19, 2010**

Hosts: Bob & Debbie Golk

Join the Golden State Trackers for our 3<sup>rd</sup> Anniversary Rally at The Californian RV Resort in Acton. To check out the park and their amenities, you can go to [www.calrv.com](http://www.calrv.com) The Rally fee is \$100.00 per rig for 2 people (\$82.00 for 1 person). The fee includes 2 nights parking, a catered dinner on Saturday and a continental breakfast on Sunday morning.

**Directions:** From either North or South bound Hwy 14: exit Soledad Canyon Rd (Exit #27). Turn right at the stop sign, go 1/2 block and enter park on the left. For you GPS fans the address is: 1535 W. Sierra Hwy, Acton, Ca. If you get lost, call Bob on his cell (661-599-0865) and he will talk you in. Early arrivals are welcome. If you plan to come in on Thursday, please call the park directly to book your reservation for that night – 888-787-8386. Fee for the extra day is your responsibility to the park. Indicate your arrival day on the reservation form so I can confirm that with the park.

**FRIDAY:** Arrive after noon at your leisure. The afternoon is yours to spend relaxing and mingling. Happy Hour will start at 5pm with heavy hors d'oeuvres at 6:00 – bring your favorite to share, this will be our evening meal.

**SATURDAY:** Coffee and a Potluck Breakfast at 8:00 AM in the pavilion near the pool followed by a business meeting and election of officers at 9:00. The remainder of the day is open to lounge by the pool, visit “famous” Blum Ranch or the Acton Winery. Happy Hour will start at 5pm with a catered dinner in the pavilion/pool area at 6:00 PM. This will be Mexican food from one of the local restaurants. We went there for lunch to check it out and it was very good.

**SUNDAY:** We will be doing a continental breakfast in the pavilion/pool area at 8:00 AM. Checkout time is 12 noon. Drive safely on your way home!

\_\_\_\_\_ cut and mail reservation \_\_\_\_\_

**September Trackers Campout**

Reservation form (\$50 deposit required)

Name \_\_\_\_\_ # in party \_\_\_\_\_

Deposit Fee Paid \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Arrival day \_\_\_\_\_

Phone # \_\_\_\_\_

Make deposit check payable to Robert Golk and send to: 21100 Brentwood Drive, Tehachapi, CA, 93561. Call Robert or Debbie with any questions at 661-822-0920 or e-mail at [rgolk@bak.rr.com](mailto:rgolk@bak.rr.com) .

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## AUGUST CELEBRATIONS

### BIRTHDAYS

Nanette Caldwell	8/15
Tom Chesnut	8/18
Georganne Slapper	8/20
Yuki Tuttle	8/23
Glen McClane	8/26
Floyd Hubert	8/28



### ANNIVERSARIES

Bill & Nancy Kitt-Carnes	8/20/88
Bill & Cookie Grove	8/26/78

Here's a recipe that's great for these hot summer days:

### Broccoli Salad Recipe

1 Bunch raw broccoli  
 1 Small red onion – diced small  
 ½ Cup raisins

6 – 8 Slices Bacon cooked & crumbled  
 (or 1 jar Real Bacon Bits)  
 ½ Cup sunflower seeds

### Dressing

1 Cup mayonnaise

1 Tablespoon vinegar

2 Tablespoons sugar

Mix dressing ingredients. Add to salad and mix well.

### Octoberfest Info:

22 – 24 October at the Elks Lodge, Vista, CA, hosted by Bob and Jan Rosellen. Watch for flyer and additional information.

The Oktoberfest Rally at Vista Elks will be \$115 for a 2 person coach and \$95.00 for a 1 person coach. We'll need a \$20.00 deposit by September 15th to hold a spot. Balance due at the rally.