



The Rebel Rouser

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**GWR Outing at
Winding Waters Riverfront RV Resort
Cartersville, Georgia**

Hosted by Kathy & Fred Genrich and Leslie & John Keener



It was stormy with scattered sunshine a few days together at a new RV resort in Cartersville, Georgia that our hosts scheduled for us. Thank you to our hosts for these few days together – it was filled with fun, excitement, education and wonder! There were 10 campers and 17 hearts that joined in on the fun: Frank Alciati & Roger Coulombe, Lyn Brown, Sandi Rice, Stulynn & Jimmy Simpson, Sarah & Roy Sowers, Joanne & Roy Thurston, Linda Tomsett, Yolanda & Don White, and hosts Kathy & Fred Genrich, Leslie & John Keener.

Check-in time was 2:00 PM on that Tuesday, and just about everyone showed up about then. The hosts enjoyed welcoming everyone pulling in and we all enjoyed getting re-acquainted

with each other and with this new RV resort. We all brought our chairs and favorite beverages and proceeded to set up our gathering site next to the Genrich's coach under a couple of shades that Fred set up at 5:00 PM. We enjoyed Kathy's appetizer of hot sausage & cheese dip and reuniting ourselves with wonderful friends.



Most of our group chose to eat out and left for dinner at Maine Street Coastal Cuisine – right before a terrible thunder & wind storm hit the park. Those of us who stayed back experienced a little rocking & rolling inside our coaches, rain coming in *under* our slide-outs, and saw park umbrella's flying straight across our bows about 4 feet off the ground! After the storm blew through and everyone was back – we all drove up to the club room to play cards – 5 Crowns was the game.

Wednesday morning breakfast was on our own, as we were meeting up about 10:00 AM to drive to the Tellus Earth Science Museum for a private tour by the Director of Tellus, Adam Wade, and to participate in the 'Lunch and Learn' event on Geology. We were excited to see the new building that was almost completed, the back rooms of the museum - where they receive and store items not currently on display, and we finished off with a show at the

Planetarium to finish off our Tellus visit. Thankyou Fred Genrich for arranging this wonderful excursion for us!



Dinner Wednesday night was Hamburgers and Hotdogs, grilled by chef Fred and everyone else brought delicious side dishes and desserts.



It was fun sitting around together in the shade and sometimes out of the rain, talking about our day and the next storm that was going to hit. It hit about 6:30 PM? We broke up quick and headed to our coaches. Before we met up again at the club house to play cards, we saw this beautiful rainbow shining on our time together.



Thursday morning breakfast was at Doug's Place in Emerson, GA – about 2 miles down Hwy 293 from us. There were only about 6 of us that enjoyed a really good inexpensive breakfast (and no dishes to wash!).



After returning from breakfast out, 5 of us ladies went into old Historic Cartersville to browse the shops and have lunch. We ate at Swheat Market on Maine Street followed by more shopping, and then hit the Kilwins Ice Cream – Chocolate – Fudge shop to finish off our excursion. Yum!



To kick-off Thursday's Happy Hour, we held our Club Meeting. Everyone was happy – especially when it was over!



Smoked pork loin was the main dish tonight cooked by Chef Fred in his portable smoker. Everyone else brought wonderful side dishes and desserts. This night we were not hit by any thunderstorms – they all passed us by and did a great job of keeping the temperatures down for us. How did we not get any pictures of Fred's pork?



Instead of wishing everyone an immediate farewell Friday morning, Fred cooked us pancakes, eggs & sausage for breakfast. We didn't have to check out until 11:00 AM, so we had plenty of time. As soon as breakfast was over, we immediately cleaned up and said our fair ye wells.

We enjoyed seeing everyone that spent time in Cartersville and look forward to spending time together again soon.

Our next event will be Tuesday, September 2 at the Rally Pointe Grille in Woodstock at 11:30 AM, hosted by Sandi Rice. Please mark your calendar and come!

Safe Travels! - Leslie Keener


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2025-2026 GWR Schedule

<u>Dates</u>	<u>Place</u>	<u>Campsite</u>	<u>Time</u>	<u>Hosts</u>	<u>Host Contact Info</u>
Tuesday, September 2, 2025	Rally Point Grille 10009 GA-92 Woodstock, GA. 30188	Luncheon + Meeting	11:30 AM	Sandi Rice	404-964-5454 quiltinsew@gmail.com
Dec 3 - 7, 2025	TWIN OAKS RV PARK 305 Georgia Hwy 26 East Elko, GA 31025 (Exit 127 Off I-75) (478) 987-9361 www.twinoaksvpark.com	Cost \$51/night (inc. 15% discount)	Check in 1:00 p.m./check out 11:00 a.m.	Linda Tomsett	404-861-5215; ltomsett11@outlook.com
April 29-May 3, 2026	State Rally - Theme "Super Hero's & Villains" Hiawassee KOA Holiday, 751 Gander Gap Rd, Hiawassee, GA 30546; 888-562-3202; hiawassee@koa.com		Check In: 1 pm; Check Out: 12 Noon	GWR & Linda Tomsett	404-861-5215; ltomsett11@outlook.com