



March 2014

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Next FVC meeting/ eVANt

Sidewinders evant meeting Agenda

Date: March 15, 2014

Time: 12:00

Cost: \$10.00 + covered dish Place: Sidewinder's Log House

16298 SE 95th Trail, White Springs, FL 32096

Directions: From I-75 exit 439, go E. on SR 136, pull over at inspection station, Do not speed going through town, turn L at flashing light US 41, go past Steven Foster Memorial, at blinking light turn R on SR 137, cross railroad tracks, make next R on dirt road, follow signs to Tom's house, next road bear L, watch for big 2 story log house at end of road. **Schedule:**

11:45am Officers to meeting area (open discussion sheet is displayed) 12:00 noon Meeting begins

- 1. Minutes of last meeting
- 2. Roll call and Roster update
- 3. Treasurer's report
- 4. Newsletter report
- 5. Old Business
- 6. New Business
- 7. Vannin.com advertising
- 8. Van-in proposals
- 9. Vannin.com advertising
- 10. Van-in updates
- 11. FVC By-Law update
- 12. 50/50 Adjournment

Clean up meeting area and prepare for evening activities

*** Leave it like we found it or better! ***
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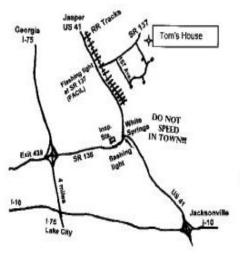
Thank-you Drive Safe

*May 11, 2014 - Next Newsletter deadline - May 11, 2014 *

Next Meeting at Nightmare at Clark Campground - June 14, 2014

COVER: 2014 Council of Council's Meeting Van Show in New Orleans, LA Photo courtesy of DHUFSTADER PHOTOGRAPHY - http://www.hufstader.com

Broward's Laid Back Week-end



Primitive eVANt

Old time no frills get together

March 14-16, 2014

In White Springs Florida

Bring a covered dish, we will supply the meat

evening campfire gathering

\$10 per van pre reg or at gate

From I-75 exit SR136, Right on US 41 past Steven Foster Memorial; at flashing light turn right on SR137, cross railroad tracks take first right on 157 Ave.; follow around to the big log home. Info: directions – Sidewinder 386-397-1616 eVANt – Linard 954-472-0461

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Mail to: Linard Morris; 12931 SW 10th Court; Davie, FL 33325

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Signature	Date	
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FLORIDA VAN COUNCIL

Minutes of the January 18, 2014 meeting at the Chester Ranch near Morriston are as follows:

Rich called the meeting to order. Leslie couldn't make the meeting because her husband, Luke, is in the hospital.

Minutes of the November 9, 2013 meeting were read and approved. It was noted that the dates for the FVC Truck-in were incorrect on the printed copy of the minutes in the FVC newsletter, as well as the on-line version. Secretary's note: Scribe John checked on this when he got home and found out that he had, indeed, made the correction, but, somehow, still sent the wrong version out to the FVC officers and FVC newsletter.

There were 8 clubs present (out of 14 clubs total) and 2 Excused Absences during roll call.

TREASURER'S REPORT:

Linard gave the Treasurer's report. He noted that the FVC needs to purchase a P-touch label maker. A motion by Cari to purchase this item was carried by voice vote.

NEWSLETTER REPORT:

Gnarly thanked everyone for the huge amount of inputs he got for this issue of the newsletter. Those inputs that came way past the deadline will come out in the next issue. Deadline for inputs to the next issue of the newsletter is right after the Council of Councils meeting in February. We want to have those inputs and photos in the March issue.

MEETING DATES FOR THE REMAINDER OF 2014.

March 15	Meeting in conjunction with primitive event at Sidewinder's in White Springs
June 14	Meeting in conjunction with Coastal event at Clark Family Campground near Orange City.
August 30	Meeting in conjunction with event at Junior and Glenda's in Englewood.
November 8	Election of Officers and Pig Roast – Floridian R.V. Resort

OLD BUSINESS:

<u>Dash Plaques:</u> Joe Madonia asked if we are still giving out dash plaques and membership cards every year. He hasn't had one in a while. A discussion of dash plaques followed, and Joe brought up the point that he knows of a place where we can get rectangular dash plaques made without any minimum order.

That isn't true of the round dash plaques we have been getting. It takes a special die to cut out the round dash plaques.

<u>Floridian R.V. Resort</u>: It was noted that nobody seemed to be able to get through to the campground regarding the deplorable condition of the bathrooms. The number Judith gave us at the last meeting seemed to either be busy, or not answer. Since nothing ever seems to be done to correct the situation, it was decided that we need to search, in earnest, for a new campground.

It was noted that this is one of the few centrally-located campgrounds that let us circle up our vans, and not be confined to parking one van per site. However, the drawbacks have come to outweigh the advantages.

Scribe John noted that, for 2014, we only need to find a suitable campground for ONE meeting, the November Pig Roast and Election of Officers meeting. The other four meetings are in conjunction with an event. In most years, we do not have an event in June, so, for the average year, we only need to find a campground that is centrally located, for 2 meetings a year. And, it doesn't necessarily have to be the same campground, as some campgrounds are full in the June timeframe and some are full in the November timeframe.

The prospect of having the meetings in a State Park campground was discussed. There was the point that you have to pay to get in to attend the meeting, even if you're not camping. One member noted that, at the campground over in Zephyrhills, it only cost \$2 if you were a guest. Another topic was the consumption of alcoholic beverages. One person noted that they thought it was OK to drink in your own campsite, but not in the public area, where a meeting might be held. Also, could we reserve campsites in advance, so we could be parked together? And, would we be allowed to bring our own smoker for out pig roast meeting? These considerations, and maybe a few more, would have to be addressed if we use a State Park campground.

All the members present were asked to SERIOUSLY LOOK for campgrounds or state parks located in the central area of the state that would be suitable for us, and bring the details to the next meeting. We don't mind a reasonable drive, but having a regular meeting in Key West or Pensacola is pretty much out of the question.

NEW BUSINESS:

New Van Club. Joe Van noted that he has brought back an old van club, with a slightly revised name. Everyone welcomed Adventure Vans of Florida as our newest FVC club. In the distant past the club was known as Adventure Vans of Ocala.

<u>FVC Stickers.</u> Dan'o has a printing machine capable of making the FVC stickers for us. It would cost \$2 for a standard small size and \$10 for the bigger size sticker. Also, custom colors, window-size decals etc. could be ordered for an increased price. Linard said that we probably have enough on hand for a year. Gnarly asked if the FVC wanted to get them from Dan'o and

re-sell them to members. There wasn't much enthusiasm for the FVC getting in the middle of this. If Dan'o is willing to do this, let him do it. A motion by Cari that Dan'o be authorized to create and distribute stickers and decals in a variety of sizes and colors utilizing the official FVC logo was passed.

VAN-IN PROPOSALS:

Joe Madonia April 13, 2014 – 19th Annual Die cast Toy Show – Port Richey, FL. 9 AM to 3 PM. Table Rental & Info Contact: Joe & Bonnie Madonia, 12101 Chuck Circle, Hudson, FL 34669. 727-863-7033 – Surferjo2@aol.com

Rick Chester January 2 - 4, 2015 - Chester's place - West of Ocala - Annual New Year's party and get-together.

VAN-IN UPDATES:

Primitive at Sidewinder's March 14 - 16, 2014 – Sidewinder's in White Springs. The FVC meeting will be held on The Ides of March, Saturday, March 15, 2014. \$10 per van. Bring a covered dish, we supply the meat. Evening campfire gathering. Bring your own ammo if you want to shoot on the range. Info Sidewinder 386-397-1616 – Linard 954-472-0461.

ForePlay May 2 - 4, 2014 – Beverly Beach Camptown, 2815 N. Oceanshore Boulevard (A1A), Flagler Beach, FL 32136. 15th Anniversary of the event, with a theme of "Put Your Big Lips on This." Foreplay Café – Burgers and Dogs Friday and Saturday. Food, music, games, Tiki bar, Show-N-Shine. \$60 pre-reg, \$65 at the gate. Travel Trailers and Motor Homes are \$35 extra. Deadline for pre-entry is 3/25/2014. Info: Magoo 813-267-9794, Shogun 386-804-1063.

Coastal June 13 – 14, 2014 – Clark Family Campground near Orange City. No update.

Jr. and Glenda's - August 29 – September 1, 2014 – Englewood. No update.

GSVR X October 3 - 4, 2014 – Flaming Arrow Campground, just south of Cherokee, NC. Hosted by the Southeast Van Council. No update.

FVC October 24 - 25, 2014 – Halloween in the Keys. Sunshine Key Campground, mile marker 39, U.S. 1 in the Florida Keys. Spookytooth has a signed contract with the campground.

Cari made a motion to adjourn and the meeting was concluded.

Respectfully submitted,

Scribe John, Secretary

FLORIDA VAN COUNCIL - CLUB ROSTER March 15, 2014

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FVC President

We started the New Year off great. My first meeting at Chester's was to say a little nerve wracking. My first time at the head table. You see it done a hundred times, but now it's you! It was like "oh hell now what do I do?" I will get better and will not leave my gavel at the table again (thanks Linard).



Next it was off to the Council of

Councils in New Orleans. The ride with Gnarly and Mook was hilarious. The whole time with them was so much fun. Thought we had a good turn out from Florida Van Council. Congrats to Buffalo Bob for winning best interior at the van show.

We enjoyed the tour at the rum factory. We couldn't see wasting all those samples, so we did our best to see them put to good use. Between Gnarly, Mook, Lori and I, I think we had about 50 empty sample cups. Even left with a bottle or two.

Thank you guys for a good time.

See you all at Tom's for the next FVC meeting!

Richie

FVC Vice President

I hope everyone is doing well. I apologize for not making it to Chester's but you all know the reason. From what I have heard, a great time was had by all that attended. I also enjoyed seeing everyone's pics from C of C in New Orleans.

I wanted to take a minute to say thank you for all the prayers, love, and support that all of our vanning family has provided during this trying time. EVC members are the best I than meant a



time. FVC members are the best! It has meant a lot to both Luke and myself. Things are finally starting to look up.

I can not wait to see you all at Sidewinders in March. Continue to take care of yourselves and each other. Let's make this a wonderful year!

Leslie Stanziani

FVC Treasurer



Well, a new year is upon us now. We had us a nice cold weekend at Chester's place. We got to watch the bird's ice skate in the bird bath in the mornings. I'm glad I had directions and the bitch (Pam too) to help me find his place; it's really dark out there at twelve o' clock in the morning. We had a nice fire and if you got to cold, you could warm up

in the house. Plenty of food and good times for everybody that was there. Thanks Rick and Nancy for having us.

The next meeting is at Sidewinder's house in White Springs. We need to get a head count on who is coming, so please call me (home 954-472-0461) leave a message or e-mail me at (morr465@bellsouth.net or Imorris@erwparts.com). We will supply the main dish and you bring a covered dish (with something in it) for Saturday night. Friday night will be soup night, so if you want to bring something, feel free to do so. I'm sure we'll eat it. We hope to see you there.

We need to think up a theme for the Keys truck-in at the next meeting. So put your thinking caps's on and bring it to the meeting! If you can't make it, then send it to the officers. Get involved and don't sit in the back! Have you sent your pre-reg in for the next event yet?

Drive safe and hope to see you soon. Linard



Vanning, its not for everyone, I suppose that's good, however... don't be afraid to invite your friends and others you meet... You never know who the next new vanner is!

NOLA... well, I can now I've been there & done that...I enjoyed the opportunity to catch up with an old friend who moved there many years ago, he showed me & Mook the local's version and

did not disappoint!

I want to thank Richie and Lori for the cost spitting measures and good travelling times. Also want to thank Dan'o and Bonnie for sending me lots of photos.

I had a tough time condensing all the great input for this newsletter! With all of your great help, this Newsletter is the best in Vanning!

Gnarly –FVC Newsletter Editor



Presents:



Hillbilly Hollar

For more information contact the Southeast Van Council. Reservations can be made by Contacting the Flaming Arrow Campground. Come enjoy music, a pot luck dinner, the Parade through Cherokee, Show & Shine, raffle, games, and an awards ceremony all in the heart of the Great Smokey Mountains.

All vans, panels, and enthusiasts welcome.

Reservations by 9/1/2014 - Tent site with electric \$25 - RV site full hook up \$35 Reservations after 9/1/2014 - Tent site w/ electric \$30 - RV site full hook up \$40

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Info@flamingarrowcampground.com

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When: October 3rd-5th 2014 Where: Flaming Arrow Campground Cherokee NC.



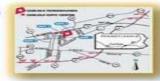
August 1-3,2014 Carlisle Fairgrounds , Carlisle, PA

Exclusive Vanner Show Package includes:

- 1-Vehicle windshield Sticker (entry pass) for show field/pavilion
- 2-people passes per vehicle
- 2-Vanner Buffet Pass bracelets (buffet on Saturday evening)

Your van entered in show and will be judged (Sat. 10am-5pm)

- 1-Vanner exclusive goody bag
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- 1-Vanner exclusive Dash Plaque Camping (IN YOUR VAN)



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Outside around the pavilion (MAYBE electric) (15+ spaces available)....\$75.00

3 Ways to register:

Featured FVC van

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has a page to highlight our members & another page for their rides they will now be included in our Newsletter for all to enjoy

"Red Ryder" - Joe Van



Red Ryder is a 1966 GMC Handi Van with a 307 V8 and a turbo 350 transmission it has 373 gears in the rear end I have completely gone through

the whole chassis with all bushings new repainted the motor rebuilt the Holly 600 carb all new hedder and collector gaskets electric Hei fan distributor redone the brakes with a modern duel master cylinder for safety added a JVC stereo electric gauges installed a NOS floor mat added а 70's



aluminum wing painted the whole underside of the van new rims and tires and started the interior with some insulation and tongue and grove wood to follow later this year.

More pictures available on the FVC website http://www.floridavancouncil.com/cover_van/red_ryder/red_ryder.htm



2014 CofC meeting in NOLA



Featured FVC member - Dan (Dan'o) Werry



Once upon a time there was this guy. At the time he was just known as Dan. Kind of guy who regular drove а white Firebird with slotted mags and fat 50's on the back. Dan would cruise up and down the main drag (Woodman Blvd) Davton. Ohio Friday and Saturday night. Well one Saturday night while hanging out in the parking lot of the local

watering hole The Dixie Electric Company I met up with a friend who was driving an awesome GLOSS BLACK! Ford van with wall to wall silver shag carpet on the interior. The year 1982! My friend Gary Hudson who worked as a carpet installer was working for a Vanner. After Gary went to his first truck-in he went out and bought the Ford Van and had it painted and he finished the interior out himself. My brothers' friend Terry had a custom van and I always liked it, but he never talked about going vanning. Gary began to fill me in on all the happenings at truck-ins or Van-in which some call it. Gary asked me if I wanted to go to one sometime and I expressed quickly YES, sure! When is the next one? Gary said in a couple weeks, we can spit the costs, just bring your own food and beer! Easy enough!

My first truck-in was hosted by Mid-West Vans for their Inter-National event. As I recall there were about 750 vans in attendance. Yes, 750 vans! Remember 1982

To make an unbelievable story short I returned from that weekend a different person. I went out and bought a 1975 Chevy Van (shorty) with a 350ci motor and a 3 on the tree trans. The van was already somewhat customized but I added my touches like anyone would. It wasn't long before the Firebird was sold and vanning was the choice for the weekends. Ya see back then there was a truck-in somewhere in the tri-state every weekend. Even the smaller truck-ins would bring in 350 vans.

I decided to join the same van club my friend Gary H. had joined since they made me feel so welcomed into their camping spot a couple times already. Back then there were a couple van clubs in the Dayton area and South Towne Vans LTD was a close nit group. At the time and for many years Gary (Woodstock)Pendington was the president. I stayed with STV for a few years before moving to Daytona Beach FI in 1986. I had sold my van and bought a car that would make the trip to Florida and was off to start a new life at the age of 25.

Several years went by and I eventually bought another van, a 86 Chevy (long wheel) with a 6 banger automatic in it. I put a gullwing door and visor I found at the local bone yard on and had it painted dark blue metallic. It wasn't until 1995 that I spotted a little red early Ford van going down the main road with a blonde driving (Hattie Stumph) that I was able to find vanning in Florida. We didn't have the internet to search these things up like we do now. I didn't catch up to Russ n Hattie until later that month when Coastal was hosting a truck-in at Bulow Campground north of Daytona. See I was in the chiropractor's office when I heard some guy in the lobby asking who owns this van out in the parking lot. Since I was in no position to jump up and see what he (Spaceman) wanted. He left a flyer on the windshield and the rest is history. I soon joined up with Coastal Vans of Daytona and cruised with them for many years, and I am currently a member of Adventure Vans of Florida, and The Florida Van Council.

Over the years I have had several vans,

1975 Chevy shorty	1969 GMC Window Van	1993 Astro Van		
1987 Astro Van	1986 Chevy Long Wheel base	1993 Ford Van		
1996 Dodge Van	1992 Astro Van	1994 Astro Van		
1968 Chevy Van	1978 Chevy 4x4 van	1966 GMC Van		
2012 Ford van				

Although the party's still go on late into the night I find myself more content on hanging out with friends around a campfire or radio playing some old-time rock n roll and exchanging story's from past adventures, and plans for new ones. The traveling also suits me. Getting out on the open road and seeing what this country has to offer and sights to see is awesome. Being there is way better than pictures!

So I say, van-on my friends until we park together again!

Dan'o



Dear FVC, For those who didn't make it, you missed a fabulous time in NOLA. The Vintage Vanners did an awesome job putting this together and showing us a wonderful time. Amie and Smiley rock! I finally crossed the mechanical bull off my bucket list! Video on my FB page thanks to Darrin Bentley. The weather alternated from good to bad to good to bad during the 5 days I was there but didn't

damper our fun. I also want to extend my thanks to Rick and Nancy Chester for opening their home and showing us another very good time. Looking forward to New Years again with you. Thank you too to Tom and Sheila for opening their home to us for this most recent eVANt. I don't mind the drive and enjoy getting back out in the woods for each of these trips. Coastal will be next and there's sure to be good food at Clarks. ForePlay will also be entertaining us at Beverly Beach in May. I hope that everyone can join us for each of these eVANts and bring a friend or 2 to share the good times. Your support and participation of each eVANt guarantees the host club the ability to improve on "The betterment of Vanning'!

Best wishes to all.

Cari



The 2014 Council of Councils in New Orleans was an excellent adventure. The Vintage Chevy Van Council, particularly Amie Accardo Krake and Smiley Wilson did a great job. This group showed what even a small group of dedicated Vanners can pull off. The Pajama party on Friday night with the band Levee Mule was a blast. The Costume Party on Saturday night was fun, with a lot of interesting costumes. There was a Van Show on Saturday afternoon. I

was stoked to get the "Best Interior" The first trophy for the "Red Ball Express"

I was an honor to be the 2nd Rep. to the C of C with Ritchie. At the meeting The Colorado Van Council's proposal to host next year's C of C was approved. It will be in Denver.

Things are going okay for this year's Nats in N.Y. But due to rules nobody will be allowed to park inside the pole barns and Vans, etc. must stay 5 ft. away. Doc Sousa and Eddie Eddie are working hard to put on a quality eVant.

Word is the 2015 Nats will be back in Altamonte, IL. again, but if so an announcement won't be made until this year's Nats.

It was a great experience to meet and party with Vanners from around the USA, England and even a great group from Norway. Vanner's from all over have a lot in common.

I'm sorry we will not be at the meeting, The FVC was well represented at the C of C and I was looking forward to sharing all our stories with everybody it will be fun I'm sure. We are playing host to a couple of Vanners coming down for Bike Week, Ralph and Charlie.

Keep On Vanning...We will see ya'll at Beverly after we go up for the SEVC's Spring eVant in April. Buffalo Bob

Caostal Vans of Daytona

Presents

Friday the 13th Nightmare at </ark <6

June 13, 14, 15, 2014

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Phone #:	# of People	
Sleep-in Trailer/Cam	per: Yes No	

Hi all,

Sorry to have missed you all at the Chester Ranch. My brother can into town for the first time in about 15 years. I look forward to seeing all of you at Tom.

John and I drove to the council of Council, stopped along the way to Geo Cache in each state. Coop



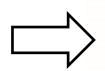
followed us the whole way. We had a nice drive and worked on the FVC By-laws while we drove. We will be presenting our results at the next meeting.

Council of Councils, What a great time. Amie and Smiley and the VCVC did an outstanding job. They went out of their way to make everything great for everyone. The hotel was really nice. It was right on the Trolley line. You could ride all day for \$3. It was well used as were all the restaurants in the area. Couldn't go anyplace without seeing a vanner. I think a very large time was had by all. There was King Cake in the hospitality room every day. And I received one in the mail the day after I got back. Thanks Smiley. The party Saturday night was lots of fun. At least half the people dressed us. The had a photo machine there and we were able to get out photos done while we waited. The meeting itself was productive.

Thanks to all of you who helped at the Nats. We were able to pay it forward. We donated money to both the 42nd Nats in NY and the 43rd Nats in Altamonte IL. We also made an additional donation to the Mid Ohio food bank and to the girls basketball team that washed vans at the Nats. Our board meeting went well and it was really short only 3 ½ hr.

See you all soon.

Judith



Vanners for Vanners

The Party Never Ends 2015

That's right, We're doing it again!!!!!!

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Will be around the same time of year.

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21-22	IL	Groundhog party #39. Save a horse, Ride a groundhog. By Vanatics vans At Magnuson Grand Hotel 19067 W Frontage Rd. Raymond, IL Rooms \$74.50 per night Pets \$15. per night for reservations call 217-324-2100. Friday night pool party with entertainment, free beer and prizes. Saturday night cowboy theme. Live music games, prizes, beer and food. Attending Friday & Saturday \$20. each adult, Saturday only \$15. each adult. Fast Eddies bus trip \$20. each adult. Must be registered by 12/31 and be 21 to attend Fast Eddies. For info contact Darrin 217-652-6968 vanatics@charter.net
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8th	MD	-41st Anniversary Bull and Oyster Roast by Nomads Van Club at Martin's East 9000 Pulaski Hwy. Baltimore Md 8 PM till or midnight open bar. Sthe Sound Storm Band semi-formal. Tickers Call Swat 410-376-7952 or Billie Brown 410-747-6587
28-30	MO	Freeze out 2014. at Eagle ridge RV Park, 22708 W. 182th St. Eagleville, MO Free beer Fri. and Sat. nights for over 18. HOAVC meeting at 4:30 on Sat. gate \$35. van and 2 adults. \$10. extras over 17 Thursday night camping \$18. mail to Three Trails Vans of Kansas City. c/o Rick Kenney 24204 NE 136th Tr. Excelsior Springs MO 64024
April		
4-6	ТХ	Van Fair South XXXVI by Lone Star Van Club at Burns Run West Campground 825 West Burns Rd. Cartwright, OK 74731 The event Benefits the Texas Scottish Rite Hospital for Children phone 903-465-4990 Pre-reg by 3/21 \$35. gate \$40 more than 2 adults in van \$5. Trailers \$15. Send to Lone Star Van Club PO Box 570152 Dallas, TX 75357
18-20	Austra	39th Australian Van Nationals Irymple Community Leisure Centre Proudly hosted by Uteznvanz Inc see for further infohttp://australianvannationals.com /
25-27	Z	Van Jam 38! by Bluegrass Vanner of Louisville KY @ Old Mill Campground, 7249 1St, ST. Friendship, IN. pre-reg \$30. gate \$35. extra people \$10. utility trailers \$10. RV trailers \$15. one club trailer free. kids under 16 free. mail to PO Box 34711, Louisville, KY 40231
25-27	R	30th The Blessing of the Vans Hosted by The Out to Lunch Bunch at The Tavern on the Hill RT 3 Nooseneck Hill Rd. West Greenwich, RI additional info Call Carla & John Rappa 401-741-6861 pre-reg \$15. walk-in \$10. Gate \$20. Campers \$15. mail pre reg to Carla Rappa, 31 Ivan St. N. Providence, RI 02904
May		
1-4	RI	Spring Warn Up Party and NEVC meeting @ 189 Fennerhill Rd., Hope Valley RI Call Doc and Dee for more info 401-575-7742
2-4	IA	Vanniversary 40the by Central Iowa Vanners at Jasper County Fairgrounds. (Exit 155 off I 80 Colfax) pre-reg by 4/15 \$40. gate \$45. van and 2 adults. \$10 for extra people, not charge for trailers mail to Central Iowa Vanners c/o Bonnie Ritz 11549 Rutledge Rd. Ottumwa, IA 52501 info Sue 515-266-8564 Food vendor on site. music & Party, games and fun. Saturday Cruise to Iowa Speedway tour and laps
2-4	FL	Beverly Beach Camptown (US 1 on the beach) by Fore play Vanners call Magoo at 813-267-9794 Foreplay Cafe Burgers and dog frid and sat. food, music, games, tiki Bar, show-n-shine. \$60 prereg by 3/25 gate \$65. travel trailers and motor home are and extra \$35. make checks payable to Bruce Hartman 3701 Southview Dr. Brandon, FL 33511 more info as available

9-11	НО	Spring Back 2011 at Knox CO Fairgrounds, Mt. Vernon Oh. Dinner on Saturday night. Live music Show and Shine, games etc. Pre reg \$30. Camp trailers \$15. gate \$40. extra people \$10. Send to Vans on the Run, PO Box 247614 Columbus, OH 43224. Directions Take RT 3 to the North Edge of Mt. Vernon. Turn West at the flashing light. more info Call 614-268-9060
16-18	MO	Spring Fever 37.Super Hero's come help the vanners save the world. \$40. pre reg \$45. gate. van and 2 adults extra adults \$10. kids free. Club trailers free Down Under Campground, Turney MO for more info contact Don at Dnooner@aol.com 913-486-8866 or Ginger 913*441*6794 sent to Vantasia vans 727 s, 6th st Edwardsville, KS 66111
16-18	M	8th Annual Vanner's Fest by American Van Enthusiasts at visit the Muscada WI Mushroom Fest. Friday night poker crawl sat car & Van show all for special Olympics Camp at Ike's and Jull's Funny Farm 2 miles south of town at 18289 CTY Rd. G Muscado, WI donation \$15. Call Dan for more info 262-909-7381
23-26	NY	Lost on Bourbon Street Memorial Day Weekend Greenwich, NY by Concerned Vanners at Washington County Fairgrounds/o Lucy McCasland PO Box 893 Saranac lake, NY 13983 call Willie 803-432-2752 pre-reg by may 1 \$40. gate \$45. extra persons over 15 \$5/ trailers under 16ft \$15. trailers over 16 ft \$25. not checks at gate
23-26	F	36th Mid-west International Truck-in Flashback to 74" e-mail Woody or Register at the Gate. Rolling Hills Campground, 3151 County Rd 2800 E, Penfield, IL Live bands 2 nights, DJ Friday, Games, pre reg by 5/15 \$40., gate \$50. extra people \$15Camper Trailers \$20. Thursday Lost Memorial Day Weekend Hosted by Concerned Vanners at Washington County Fairgrounds, 392 Old Schuyerville RD Greenwich, NY pre reg by 5/1 \$35.00 gate \$40. extra people \$5. trailers under 16ft \$10. over \$20. motor homes with van pre reg \$60. gate \$65. alone \$50. and \$55. make check to Lucy McCasland mail to night \$15. We Take Paypal: contact mvlhoward@aol.com 630-363-8267 or 708-359-3274 send to Midwest V Itd 1589 Wolf Rd. Berkeley, II
23- 26	WA	Poison Ivy Vans Campout Pot luck Saturday nigte, PJ party \$20. and a can of food per person under 18 years old free. at Eagles Park Ziiah, Call Polock 509-961-6433 for more info
June	•	
	×	County Line Vans 37th Annual Beer Bust at George's Club Highview 5305 60th St. Kenosha, WI Donation sitll \$2.00 Door Prizes and Raffles. info call Lil Ed. 262-925-9507
13-15	꼰	Camp Crowther's hosted by Real Vanners on the grounds of Crowther's Restaurant 90 Pottersville Rd. Little Compton RI Van and 2 people \$25. additional people over 18 \$5. Gates open Friday at Noon. Call Puppy for more info 401-374-0752 Live entertainment, community campfire, games happy
13-15	WI	Van-a-Mega-Mania by County Line Vans at Jefferson County Fairgrounds 503 N. Jackson Ave Jefferson, WI pre-reg by 6/9 \$30. van and 2 adults. \$40. gate. \$20. camping trailers. Extra adults \$10. Thursday night \$15. Mail to County Line Vans 9222 48th Ave Kenosha, WI 53142 info call lil Ed 262-925-9507
13-15	Canada	Van Fest.19 Canada's Largest van and truck show at Aylmer, Ont. Canada Pre reg by June 1 \$45. extra people \$10. Camping trailers \$15. Early arrivals on Thursday \$15. camping. Show and no camping \$30. send to Vanfest 23254 Highbury Ave. N RR4 Denfield Ontario Canada N0M1P0 web site is www.Vanfest.vandomain.com info call Stacy 905-643-0162 or e-mail wanfest@hotmail.com theme is Roaring Twenties, from the west on 401 take Wellington Rd to Hwy 3 St. Thomas to Springwater Rd. to the Conservation Rd. From the East 401 to Hwy 73 thought Aylmer to Conservation Rd. address is 8079 Springwater Road Aylmer, ON GPS Coords are N 42 45.019 W 81 01.68 must be in line for the show at 10 AM no exceptions

20-22	MZ.	Twin City Vans Tubin' Truckin at our new location, Cushon's Peak Resort on the Root River near Houston, MN. Just \$10/day for tubing including the tube and multiple bus rides back again. White sand beach, pot luck supper, lots of full hook up campsites. Pre-reg by 6/15 \$35 for one van and two adults. Gate \$40, extra adults \$10 each, no charge for trailers. Vans and panels only. Info at triggertoy@aol.com or 763-269-4130. Checks to: Larry Bontreger, 5159 Penn Ave. N. Minneapolis, MN 55430
20- 22	MO	H.I.V.E presents Take it Easy at Eagleridge R.V Park22708 W. 182th St. Eagleville, MO Kick back at the pool Dash plaques etc. pre-entry \$30. gate \$35. cash only
20-22	8	Woodie Boogie #XXI Waikiki Van Tiki by Colorado Van Assoc. Western Ridge Resort. 106 Eiger Rd. Livermore, CO Cost \$40. prereg \$45. gate camping railers \$10. send to Colorado Van Assoc. 2600 Eppinger Blvd. Tornton CO 80229 phone Frank or Elaine 287-287-5968 email Early Vaner@aol.com
20- 21	꼰	Boat-N-Mickey's Backyard party 2. Saturday night music by Marc. Pot Luck dinner they will supply the mystery meat you supply the sides. \$10 per person, Porta Johns, limited water, no electric 145 New London Rd. Warwick, RI Call Boat 401-219-0811
27-29	СТ	New England Van Council meeting hosted by Brass City Truckers3rd Annual Campout. \$25. at gate \$20 pre-reg. behind Ideal's Flea Market, Southington CT for more info Contact Bill Luddy 388 Marion Ave, Plantsville, CT 06479 or call 806-384-2832 \$5. of each entry goes to the 2014 Nats.
27- 29	<u> </u>	Titletown Van's the River Run 4 at RJ's 300 Wilbert Street. Crivitz, WI 54114 \$10 per person kids ress. Best raft/tube building contest, Sat. pot luck. contact RJ 715-291-8813 for more details
July		
2-6	Mass	40th Anniversary of Central Connecticute Coachmen at Indian Hollow, Chesterfield, Mass. Living in a Van doen at the Hollow. Hot showers, flush toilets, not electric only quiet generators welcome. gate \$30. van and 2 people, motor home \$40 Trailers \$10, extra people 5. pre-reg and save \$5. send to Rooster 102 Wickham Drive East Hartford, CT 08118
16- 20	NY	42nd National Truck-in hosted by Vanners for Vanners at Greenwich, NY at Washington County Fairgrounds. Theme Halloween. new flyers are being made at this time. I'll put the new info up as received.
25-27	Э	Back to Cortland by Buckeye Van Assoc. Return to Cortlandpre reg by 6/30 van and 2 adults \$40 extra people \$10. gate \$50. trailers \$20. gate \$25. send pre-reg to Buckeye van assoc. c/o Cherie Smith 596 Andrews. Salem OH 44460. info Puppy Trucker 330-980-1836
Augi	ust	
1-3	오	Vanstock by Nextgen Vanners 3 days of Peace and Vans at the Coon Club 8120 Coon Club Rd. Media, OH \$40. at the gate Walkins/groupies \$15. E-mail NextgenerationVanners.org for more info
8-10	СТ	Super Somer hosted by Altruck Fourtown Fairgrounds, Somers Ct pre-reg mail to Beth Elsdom 78 Central Ave Wolcott, CT 06716 make checks payable To Altruck Vanners, Inc. \$40 pre-reg van and two people, extra people \$8. Gate \$45. extras \$10. Trailers \$15. per motoerhomes and buses \$40. extra people \$10. call Beth 203-217-4295
7-9	CA	Wild in the Woods #11. by Sunshine Super Vans.Pre-reg only. Wooded Hills, CA Back to basics. No electric or water. Pre-reg by 7/15/14. Cost \$35. for 1 vehicle and 2 adults. For info contact Bill-O vanner@frontiernet.net 928-754-4027 www.Shovans.com
9-11	F	Birthday Truckin 37 th License 2 Chill, Spring Creek Campground, Montrose IL pre-reg by 8/2 \$37. van and 2 people. Gate \$42. extra adults \$14. Trailers \$15. Show and Shine, Bright and shine. Dinner Saturday night (bring a covered dish) For info call Ed and Loretta 217-752-6897 days or 217-962-0812 cel

15-17	NΥ	Vanner in Vantoon Town by Western NY Vans Orleans County Fair Grounds 12690 St. Hwy 31 Albion, NY Pre-reg \$40. gate \$45. for van and 2 adults. Extra people over 16 \$20. Camping trailer 16ft or smaller \$20. over 16ft \$25. one club utility trailer free. Not checks at gate. Mail to WNYVans c/0 John Celenza 3996 Hill Rd. N. Tonawanda, NY 14120 info John 716-807-4504 sluggo56@verizon.not Saturday cruise to Batavia Car Show. costume contest
15-17	НО	Van-a-palooza by Knightmare Vanners 3915 Olivesburg, OH Feathers BBQ, vanner games and trophies, day and evening activities Best 70=80 costume rock bands porta johns and limited power available. %35. pre-reg by 7/1 for van and 2 adult's \$40. after and gate Thursday camping \$10. Make check payable to Amy Hale 565 Townview Circle east apt 4 Mansfield OH 44907 check out face book for more info.
22-24	NM	Ivan and Jane go to Vanstock by Northwester vanners and Naughty but nice at Fillmore County Fairgrounds Preston MN pre-reg by 8/10 \$35. gate \$45. includes van and 2 adults no extra charge for trailers extra adults \$10. send to Northwestern vanns 1640 County Rd. 6 SW Howard Lake , MN 55349 Info call Kenny (Smiley) 763-516-1081
29-9/1	PA	Butler. Cruising into the fifties Rock-N-Roll Every night. Water and electric, flush toilets and hot showers. Vans and Panels only by Three Rivers Vans at. by 8/10. Van and 2 people pre entry \$50.00-At the Gate-\$55.00 Camping trailer \$25.00 -Extra person in van (over 15)-\$25.00.Gates open Friday at 12 Noon. For info call Carol at >724-375-6484 or Jim at 412-262-4298 Show and Shine-Goodie bags-Adult games-Late night games-Kids games-vendors and Awards anywhere. Butler County Fairgrounds route 422-1127 New Castle Rd Prospect Pa, Pre reg deadline August
29-9/1	OR	Corn Cob Campout by Vanners for Vanners at Schroeder Park 605 Schroeder Lane Grants Pass Or. Jet boat Dinner Friday night. corn all weekend. Float trip bring your boat. Pre reg for T-Shirt by calling Paul McCain 775-852-5994 Pre entry by 8/5 \$60. gate \$70. extra people \$\$20. trailers \$20. motor homes \$90. for more info contact MA @ onehtma2@aol.com or 253-241-9090 send to Chris Page 15908 79th Ave. Puyallup WA 98375
29-9/1	MA	Welcome to the Loonie Bin by Loonie Toon Truckers at Indian Hollow Campground Chesterfield MA not water or Elec. hot showers and flush toilets. pre-reg \$35. Van and 2 people gate \$40. van and 2 people \$2.00 donation at gate for the American Cancer society campers free. extra people \$10. send pre-reg to Paul Landry 12 Apple Valley Parkway, Smithfield, RI 02828 call Becky 603-867-1728 for info
30	ΙL	10th Custom Van Show by Hy-Rollin Vans at Fatman Inn 36309 N RT-41 Gurnee, IL 60031 Call Taz 847-560-5147 or Fatman Inn. 847-244-8300 info
31	F	Taz'z 14th Annual Vintage Chevy Vans Fest party in the yard. All Vans Welcome. 12866 West Country Club Ave. Waukegan, IL 60087 info call taz 847-560-5147 \$5.00
Sept	embe	er
5-7	СО	The H.A.V.E.'S You by the H.A.V.E'S and The H.A.V.E. N.O.T.S at Lost Borro Campground, Cripple Creek, CO 4013 Teller Rd. #1 Cripple Creek CO 80813 pre entry by 8/1 \$35. Gate \$40. club trailers \$10. sleeping trailers \$15. extra people \$10. 720-207-1578 or Cindy-Lou 4snymph@comcast.net
12- 14	RI	Jungle Smut by Smut Truckers at Tavern on the Hill Greenwich, RI \$25. van and 2 people \$30 van w/trailer, ectra people \$5. Call Joe and Marty Lout for more info 401-828-1338
19-21	WI	Oktoberfest Truckin-in by Bar City vans. Bring can goods to fill the van for the local food pantries. La Crosse Interstate Fairgrounds West Salem, WI Pre-reg by 9/8 \$40. van and 2 adults, gate \$45/ trailers \$10 extra people \$10. send to Bar City Vans N2798 Gabers Rd. La Crosse, WI 54601 info call Dee 608-785-1571

18-21	PA	Keystone Madness by Performance, (the eVANt does not start until Thursday 9/14. You may come as early as 9/13 and pay \$5.00 per night to camp). at Schuylkill county Fairgrounds, Summit Station PA pre reg by 9/1 \$35. \$75.motor homes by 9/1 (club affiliated only) gate .motor homes \$80.extra people \$10. trailers \$15. 1 free club trailer. for more info contact Performance Inc. PO Box 815 Pottstown, PA 19464 or Chas 610-469-0604
25- 28	MA	Vanished III and New England Van Council meeting at Holland Rd. Brimfield MA van and 2 people \$35 extras \$10. campers \$10. pre-reg by 9/15 \$30.send to Justin Deroches/The Vanished 137 Eastford Rd. apt 2 Southbridge MA 01550
Octo	ber.	
3-5		GSVR X hosted by the Southeast Van Council at Flaming Arrow Campground (1-877-497-6161) Reserve with the campground by 9/1 \$25. per night, full hook up \$35 After 9/1 tent site/electric \$30 full hook up \$40 extra people \$5.Call after 2/1/14Music, pot luck dinner, parade through Cherokee, NC, and an awards ceremony more info as available
9-	꼬	Summers End Party at Dock and Dee's playground 189 Fennerhill Rd., Hope Valley RI Call Doc and Dee for more info 401-575-7742 pot luck
10-12	WI	A Howling Van-Pir-te #20 by Hy-Rollin Vans Walworth County Fairgrounds Elkhorn WI Pre reg by 10/1/14 \$40. gate \$45. includes van and 2 adults and children under 17 Sleeping trailers \$15. extra people over 17 \$10.send to Hy-Rollin Vans c/o Taz 12866 W. Country Club Ave/ Waukegan, IL 60087 info call Taz 847-560-5147 e-mail Hyrollin@gmail.com
17-19	MO	Hoavac's Monster Havoc #36 at Eagleridge R.V Park22708 W. 182th St. Eagleville, MO pre-reg by 10/1 \$35. van and 2 adults. gate \$40. extra adults \$10 Send to Heart of America Van Council c/o Patti Weber 8649 N. Hull Kansas City MO 64154 info Patti 513-260-9803
17-19	Ξ	Frostbite Frolics hosted by Chair City Truckers and all 4 wheel drive vans. Stateline Campground RT 12 South 850 Winchendon RD, Fitzwilliam NH \$25 gate and \$10 trailers. form ore info call Barry Wichman 978-630-1154
Nove	embe	<u>r</u>
1st	꼰	Getaway Truckers 21st Halloween Party at Riverside Sportsman's Association Riverside, RI pre-reg \$12. per person by 10/1 after \$15.00 per person. make checks payabe3l to Carol Coutemache 32 Andover Ave. South Attleboro, MA 02703 no alcohol to be taken into the club. Call Dave for info 58-826-2272 hotel is Motel 6 821 Fall River Rd. Seekonk, MA 02771 call 508-336-7800 shuttle service form hotel
7-9	WA	Truckin for Tots by Northwest Van Council at Touch of Nostalgia Museum 251 S. Austin Seattle WA. Weekend \$25. Sat only \$10 per person and at least one Toy Friday night chili and soup, Saturday hot cakes and games, winter carnival and cake walk pot luck and Santa for the kids Christmas stocking auction. make a stocking to auction. for info call MA 253-241-9090 onehtma2@aol.com
6 4	FL	Zephyrhills Vanarama details to be announced as available
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6th	MO	38th Annual Christmas Party by Three Trails Vans of KS.at Pleasant Valley Community Center Pleasant Valley MO. Snack and set ups provided by Three Trails Vans BYOB \$120. per person and a toy valued at at least \$5. 7 pm till midnight. music by Noons Tunes near by hotel info Fairfield In 816-792-4000, Comfort suites 816-781-7273

Florida Van Council

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