

ULTRA MOTOR COACH CLUBS, INC.

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Newsletter



FIRST CLASS

- PERSONAL -

ED & BETSY HULL BOX 78 LAYTON, NEW JERSEY 07851



R.M.U. General meeting Poor Farm campground Fletcher, Oh.

Minutes.

The meeting was called to order by Neva Brining At 8 P.M. Gus and Neva Brining and Marietta and Howard Walthers were our host and hostess.

Director present was Gil and Melva Coen.

Neva Brinning opened meeting by reading a poem" Remember me". it was adout our flag and gave us all food for thought.

Don Richard lead us in the pledge to our flag.

Ken Casselman lead us in prayer.

Reading of the minutes were read and approved.

Gus Brining made a motion that the Sec. would retain the money as Treas.

K. Casselman 2nd , motion carried.

Jackets, patches and hats was discussed, Vi Krantz has the stock Jerry Hutton volunteered to take charge of them. Ken Casselman offered to recieve them from Vi, and see that Jerry recieved them ,as Jerry, s home is rolling and no address.

Don Richards made motion , Sarah Fowler 2nd, motion carried.

Wagonmaster report.

I3 Ultra Vans.

3x brands

I visitor.

9 Ohio.

2 ea. New York& Ill.

Iea. Fla. Mich, Ind, Ky.

I visiter

32 adults- 5 children.

It was suggested we hold a rally in Oct, after much discussion and such short notice , Don Richards and Aen Casselman are planningon something Oct 16, 17, 15. location in southern Ind . to be announced later. Discussion of national rally , and it was a conscious of opinion we discuss Poor Farm campground at national rally. Steve and Kathy Fowler our new members agreed to help as also Don and Micky Richards and Jerry nutton.

Our June rally will be held somewhere near ill. city, with the Fowlers as host and hostess. Don Richards made motion , Aken Casselman

2nd, motion carried.

Our sheriff Melva Coen turned in 50%.

Happy to have our new members

Harold ,Ethel Starbird #495

46I The Bells.

Steve , Kathy rowler #339 #339 Those reported all were Lynn nunter and Betty Lake .. Neva announced church services Sun morning 10 A.M.

Nomfurther business , meeting adjourned.

EVER HEAR OF 'POOR FARM'? -- SURE YOU HAVE! -- BUT THIS ONE IS A LITTLE DIFFERENT AND VERY UNUSAL. FOR INSTANT, THEY HAVE THE LITTLE HOUSE, WITH THE 1/2 MOON CRESENT, IN THE LIVING ROOM. (WILL LEAVE YOU TO WONDER ABOUT EVERYTHING ELSE) NEEDLESS TO SAY, WE HAD A WONDERFUL TIME.....THANKS TO GUS & NEVA BRINING AND MARIETTA & HOWARD WALTHERS, OUR HOSTS' & HOSTESSES'

DATES: AUG. 13 to 16. 13 ULTRAS, 3 BRAND X'S & 1 VISITOR. (IE: 9/0HIO, 2/N.Y. & ILL.,

AND ONE EACH FROM FLA., MICH., IND. & KY. = 35 ADULTS & 5 CHILDREN)

THIS WAS A DELIGHTFUL CAMPGROUND FOR A RALLY? OUR CAMPSITES WERE NEAR A HUGH SHELTER HOUSE WITH A FIREPLACE AT ONE END AND A KITCHEN AT THE OPPOSITE END.

THUR. WAS SPENT GREETING, VISITING, REGISTRATING & COACH-HOPPIN' -- SOME WENT SHOPPING, PICKING BLACKBERRIES OR JUST ENJOYING THE GROUNDS. IN THE EVENING, THE MGR. TOOK US FOR A HAY-RIDE - PULLED BY A HUGH 1935 EAGLE-6 TRACTOR. HE TOLD US ABOUT HIS FARM AND HOW HE ST-ARTED THE CAMPGROUND. WE ALSO WENT THROUGH HIS PET CEMETERY. FOLLOWING THE HAY-RIDE, DON RICHARDSSHOWED SLIDES OF CAESARS CREEK PIONEER VILLAGE. HE TOLD US OF HOW THEY WORKED AND RESTORED THE VILLAGE BUILDINGS AND WHAT THEY ARE DOING TO RAISE FUNDS FOR THIS PROJECT.

FRI. AFTER COFFEE, WE ALL ATTENDED A TOUR OF THE CAVEN'S MEAT PLANT. THIS WAS A MOST INTERESTING TREK AND THE SPICE ROOM AND THE HICKORY-SMOKED HAMS, CERTAINLY MADE YOU HUNGRY. EVERYONE WENT HOME WITH DELICIOUS MEATS, HAD A QUICK LUNCH AND THEN TOURED THE PIQUA HISTOR-ICAL AREA. THIS INCLUDED THE JOHN JOHNSTON FARMSTEAD. JOHNSTON WAS A FEDERAL AGENT FOR THE INDIANS. THE FARMHOUSE HAS BEEN RESTORED TO LOOK AS IT DID WHEN THE INDIANS VISITED THE FARM. IT WAS THE ONLY INDIAN AGENT HOUSE IN OHIO IN THE 1800's. THE EARLY PIONEER FARM-LIFE, COOKING, SPINNING, WEAVING AND CANDLE-MAKING IS ALWAYS OF INTEREST. WE THEN WALKED TO THE INDIAN MUSEUM AND GOT A LOOK AT INDIAN LIFE-STYLE WITH FULL-SCALE MANNEQUINS AND DISPLAYS OF ARTIFACTS OF THE INDIAN TRIBES WHICH INHABITED THE OHIO COUNTRY DURING THE PERIOD :: 1650 THRU 1850. WE ALSO SAW THE OLD CANAL SYSTEM, LAID OUT IN THE 1820'S -- TO CONNECT LAKE ERIE TO THE OHIO RIVER. OHIO HAS NEARLY I,000 MILES OF CANALS. AFTER THE TOUR, WE WENT TO --"DUFF'S" FOR DINNER, WHERE A PLEASANT SURPRISE GREETED US DOT FEARING, HER SISTER & NIECE GREETED US ::: AND JOINED US FOR DINNER. HOW NICE IT WAS TO HAVE HER JOIN US AGAIN. SHE RETURNED WITH US TO THE CAMPSITE AND VISITED WITH OTHERS. WE THEN GATHERED AROUND THE FIRE-PLACE AND WATCHED FILMS: "FIRE MUSTER" -- (PRACTICE DRILLS) AND SOME FUN DAYS THAT WERE HAD AT THE POOR FARM, INCLUDING WATER-FIGHTS, TRACTOR-PULLS, ETC

SAT. MORNING COFFEE & VISITING, THEN INTO CRAFT & TECH SESSIONS AND GENERAL *COACH-HOPPIN* --- IN THE AFTERNOON, THE LADIES GOT TOGEATHER AND TOURED THE FARMHOUSE. THE HOME WAS VERY BEAUTIFUL AND REFLECTED THE MANY HOURS, AS WELL AS THE YEARS OF WORK. LATER IN THE EVENING WE HELD OUR FAMOUS "POTLUCK" DINNER. (YOU JUST CAN'T BELIEVE WHAT ALL COMES OUT OF THOSE ULTRA KITCHENS) -- MOST DELICIOUS FOOD !!! -- WE ALL HAD A GOOD TIME AND THE FOOD WAS SUPURB.

SUN. MORNING COFFEE AND LATER WE GATHERED FOR OUR SUNDAY MORNING SERVICES, BY KENNETH CASSELMAN AND DON RICHARDS. DON PRIVIDED THE MUSIC, -- HE PLAYED HIS DULCIMER, AND KATHY FOWLER LEAD THE SINGING. SOME LEFT AFTER THE SERVICES AND SEVERAL STAYED ON. AFTER A "MUST-GO" LUNCH, OTHERS SAID THEIR "GOODBYES" -- AS WE ALL WENT OUR SEPERATE ROUTES TO-WARD HOME. REMINDERS AND WISHES FOR A SAFE TRIP AND GOOD HEALTH, "TIL WE MEET AGAIN.

HAPPY TRAVELIN' AND SEE YOU IN COLORADO AT THE "NATIONAL"

ULTRA MOTOR COACH CLUBS, INC.

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GENERAL MEETING

NATIONAL RALLY VALLECITO RESORT MAYFIELD, COLO. (N/E of DURANGO)



MINUTES

19 SEPTEMBER 1981

PRELUDE: HILDA GREEN, EVELYN DONALDSON & RACHAEL HELANDER JOINED IN LEADING THE MEMBERSHIP IN SINGING OUR SONG, "SPIRIT OF ULTRA"

THE MEETING WAS CALLED TO ORDER BY PRESIDENT, MEL DINESEN AT 2:25 PM. HE INTRODUCED THE GUESTS OF THE SUCKOWS, THE RHYNEHOLTS (STILL LOOKING FOR AN ULTRA FOR SALE) AND THE NEW MEMBERS; THE FOWLERS, STEVE & KATHY & SON JEREMY (PURCHASED #339 FROM HIS PAR-ENTS. LEROY & SARA). ALSO A NEW MEMBER, SIGNED UP TODAY, JIM WOOD #396.

THE MINUTES OF THE LAST MEETING WERE ACCEPTED AS MAILED.

THE TREASURER'S REPORT: WAS GIVEN BY ROMA SMITH AS FOLLOWS;

PREVIOUS REPORTED BALANCE: (PRIOR TO	MT.HOOD RALLY)	6/29/81	\$1,295.20
RECEIPTS:		7/21/81	615.50
DISBURSMENTS:		7/21/81	553.50
PRESENT BALANCE: CHECKING ACCOUNT		7/22/81	1,357.20
HOME FEDERAL SAVINGS ACCOUNT	\$1,000.00		
HOME SAVINGS & LOAN ACCOUNT	500.00		1,500.00
THE REPORT WAS ACCEPTED A	S READ		

THE WAGONMASTER'S REPORT: WAS GIVEN BY MEL DINESEN AS FOLLOWS: THERE ARE 34 COACHES PRESENT. 32 ULTRAS & 2 BRAND Xs. (2) CHILDREN WITH BILL MOE (#445) AND (1) WITH THE FOWLERS (#339). ALSO FIRST-TIME ATTENDERS, THE TETREAULTS (#460) ERNEST & ANN, WITH THEIR GUESTS, ROY & JANE. THE STATE BY STATE COUNT IS AS FOLLOWS; CALIF. (15) -- OHIO, COLO. & ARIZ. (3 EA.) -- FLA. & ILL. (2 EA.) --- AND ONE EACH FROM; N.MEX., IOWA, N.JERSEY, MARYLAND, MINN., & MISSOURI. ON THE PRETENSE OF USING THE 'CONTINENTAL DIVIDE' AS THE DIVIDER FOR 'NATIONAL RALLIES' ONLY, THE WMUS HAD 19 AND THE EMUS HAD 15. (SINCE MEL HAD THE ONLY DOG, NO 'DOGGIE' COUNT WAS NEEDED)

THE DIRECTOR'S MEETING REPORT: WAS GIVEN BY NORM JOHNSON, BRIEFLY AND JUST HI-LITES; 1: A SUGGESTION TO HOLD 'NATIONAL' RALLY IN JULY OR AUG. (THE EMUS WILL HOST THE '82 NATIONAL RALLY, AND MAY MAKE THIS CHOICE). THEY WILL LOOK INTO IT.

2: THE DIRECTORS APPROVED ADDING AN ADVERTISMENT SHEET TO THE NEWSLETTER; (WANT TO BUY, SELL, TRADE, ULTRAS, AND/OR ULTRA PARTS) WALT DAVISON (#452) IS SETTING IT UP.

3: A SPECIAL ADDENDUM SHEET WILL BE PRINTED UP (ADD TO DIRECTORY) LISTING NAMES & LOC-ATION OF ULTRAITES HAVING SPACE(S) AT THEIR HOME OR LOCALE, THAT OTHER TRAVELING ULTRA MEMBERS MAY STOP OVER-NITE OR VISIT, ENROUTE OF THEIR TRAVELS. NOTING NUMBER OF SPACES, HOOKUPS (?), DUMP (?), WATER (?), ULTRA PARTS (?), TOOLS (?), ETC....

42 NOTING THAT NO NOMINATING COMMITTEE WAS SET UP THIS YEAR, AND THAT NEW FOREMAT WAS BEING CONSIDERED, INCLUDING ABSENTEE BALLOTTING, AND TO BE ENACTED UPON BY MID-YEAR, (JULY OR AUGUST) --- THAT FOR THE NEXT CURRENT YEAR, THE EXISTING INCUMBENTS; OFFIC-ERS & DIRECTORS, WILL CONTINUE FOR ONE ADDITIONAL YEAR. DETAILS WILL BE IN THE UP-COMING NEWSLETTER (S) AS THEY ARE FIRMED UP.

OLD BUSINESS: P.W.DONALDSON DESPLAYED SEVERAL SAMPLES OF A NEW PLAQUE, AS DESIGNED BY ALLAN POLUS (#401). IT WILL REPLACE THE PRESENTATION OF THE 'JEWELLED' PIN, PREVIOUSLY AWARDED TO THE MEMBERS FOR ACHIEVING OR PASSING THE 100,000 MILE BARRIER. THE JEWELL PIN IS NO LONGER ATTAINABLE. ERNEST ONLY HAD 3 REMAINING, AND WITH TODAY'S PRESENTATION TO THE STEENBURGS (#507) AND THE HELANDERS (#459). CONGRADULATIONS; ARNOLD & EDNA AND ALSO BILL & RACHAEL -- PILOTE & CO. PILOTE ENHALLY EARLIED ILL LONIN ONE DIN LECT!

NEW BUSINESS: BOB & ARLENE ACKERMAN (#458) ARE LOOKING INTO THE POSSIBILITIES OF LOC-ATING A NEW SUPPLIER, FROM WHICH WE MIGHT PURCHASE OUR 'CLUB JACKETS & CAPS' (SIMULAR IN DESIGN, PATTERN & COLOR -- AS WE'VE GOTTEN IN THE PAST. THE PRESENT SUPPLIER WILL NO LONGER SUPPLY IN SHORT ORDERS. THEY WILL REPORT BACK AT A LATER DATE ON THIS.

THE L-O-N-G-E-S-T DISTANCE TRAVELED, TO ATTEND, WAS AWARDED TO MORRIS & TENNIE

RANDLE (#328) -- FROM MIAMI SPRINGS, FLA.

THE SHORTEST DISTANCE TRAVELED. TO ATTEND, WAS AWARDED TO JIM WOOD (#396) -- (NEW MEMBER, SIGNED UP TODAY) -- FROM COLORADO SPRINGS, COLO.

THE "TWO-BIT" DRAWING WAS WON BY THE RANDLES! (#328) -- (\$4.50 WENT TO THE RANDLES!

AND \$4.50 WENT TO THE CLUB'S COFFERS).

THE LYLES' (#499), AL & VIRGINIA -- WON THE PRIZE FOR BRINGING THE MOST SOUVENIERS AND LOGOS FROM 'PAST RALLIES' "MEMORABILIAS" = 14.

THE "CANNED-FOOD" CONTEST. (A CAN OF: ? ? ? -- WAS ON DISPLAY, WITH THE 'LABEL' RE-MOVED). APPROX 100 7GUESSES? WERE SUBMITTED. AS TO IT'S CONTENTS. (I MISSED WHO WON.

BUT HE OR SHE WON THE CAN AND IT'S CONTENTS -- -- "HOMINY GRITS"

THE LONG DRAWN-OUT AND SUSPENSEFUL CONTEST WAS ANNOUNCED ON THE FIRST DAY. MEMBERS WERE ASSIGNED A 'MYSTERY' NAME (A NOM DE PLUME) IE: 'MR. PICHIC" ---"MRS. ULTRA" --- "MR. BUTTON" ::: THE OBJECT WAS TO GUESS ???WHO??? WAS EACH, BY QUESTIONING /OR SEARCHING (FRISKING) FOR EACH SUSPECT. IT WAS ANNOUNCED LATER AT THE POT LUCK DINNER; THE 3 MYSTERY PERSONS AND THEIR DISCOVERERS !!!

"MR. PICNIC" DON RICHARDS (#379) GUESSED BY: LOU GRIGGS (#334) MABEL GRIGGS (#334) GUESSED BY: LOU GRIGGS (#334)
KEN HUNTER (#258) GUESSED BY: MABEL GRIGGS (#334) "MRS. ULTRA" "MR. BUTTON"

THE 1982 RALLY SCHEDULES: (DISCUSSIONS & TENATIVE DATES SET)

THE WMU TENATIVE SCHEDULE IS AS FOLLOWS:

WICKENBURG, ARIZ. (FLYER ENCLOSED) HOSTS/CO-HOSTS: VANDERSTEEG AND JAN. 21-24

APR. (DATES) PAMONA FAIRGROUNDS (WORKING) (ALTERNATES): ROYAL OAK PARK - KINGSBURG, CAL.

LAKE ISABELLA - ISABELLA, CAL.

JUL. (DATES) (NOT THIS YEAR FOR B.C.CANADA) (ALTERNATES): (HOPEFULLY, WASH. OR ORE. STATE) SUCKOWS

HOSTS: STEENBURGS

(OR FUTURE DATE, IF NEEDED)

(USED TWICE, 7 SITES REMAINING) (REPORT FROM EDY RYERSON)

(HOST NEEDED)

THE EMU TENATIVE SCHEDULE IS AS FOLLOWS:

MAR. (25-28)? FISHEATING CREEK, HWY 27, (?s/o PALMOALE, FLA.?) NEAR LAKE OKACHOBEE (HOPEFULLY A FLYER WILL BE RECEIVED, TO ENCLOSE, BY "PRESS-TIME") JUN. (DATES) (4TH WEEK) - ILLINOIS CITY, ILL. - FOWLER'S FARM - FOWLERS' HOSTING.

THE EMUS! WILL BE HOSTING THE "NATIONAL RALLY" IN '82. PLANS ARE BEING PUT TOGEATHER TO HOLD IT NEAR KNOXVILLE, TENN., THE SITE OF THE 'WORLD'S FAIR" THE DATES AND LOCATION WILL BE A GREAT UNDERTAKING. UP-DATING WILL TRY TO BE INSERTED IN NEXT'S NEWSLETTER (FEB. 182) AND FOLLOWING NEWSLETTERS.

(TOO LATE FOR LAST QUARTER'S NEWSLETTER) - BUT THE EMUS HELD A RALLY FOLLOWING THE WMU "NATIONAL RALLY" @ VALLECITO - IN PATOKA, IND. (10/09-10/11). (SEE REPORT ENCLOSED)

VALLECITO RESORT, COLO. NATIONAL ULTRA RALLEY REPORT: SEPT. 16-20, 1981

Al and Virginia Lyles, of Orange, Calif. hosted the ralley, with Bill & Theresa Vandersteed, of Phoenix, Ariz. Co-hosting.

The Ultra coaches started arriving early. By Tues, the 15th, there were already 20 coaches in our beautiful park under the tall pines, near the Animus River, just below Vallecita Lake. We had the use of a very nice recreation hall, in which we enjoyed our coffee hours, games, crafts, meetings, and pot luck supper. Our fishermen made use of the lake.

The sun shown beautifully in the mornings, with hikes in the early afternoons, and thunder showers in the late afternoons, sometimes including hail.

The Vandersteeds and a few others put on a free hot dog lunch for the early arrivals on Wed.

A Mary Kay representative, (resident of Vallecito Resort) gave free facials to the ladies who wanted them: glamor girls for a day.

Crafts were enjoyed by many. Theresa Vandersteed really brought a lot of materials, along with patterns and instructions, which she shared with the girls. She also had many fun games, which we enjoyed, and which helped us get better acquainted with the others in our group.

Fri. p.m. late, about 15 Ultras took off for the Bar D Chuckwagon Restaurant in Durango. We enjoyed a good barbequed dinner, followed by an hour of entertainment by singing, guitar playing cowboys.

Sat. morning we had our regular coffee hour and crafts and men's discussion, followed in the p.m. by the general meeting. The Lyles received the prize for bringing the most registration trinkets: from 14 different

Jim Wood, of Colorado Springs, came the shortest distance, and Morris and Tennie Randle (of Miami Spring, Florida) came the longest

As usual, the evening pot luck was superb. It was followed by a lively game of Yankee Swap.

Early Sun. a.m. several of the coaches took off for the train ride from Durango to Silverton, and back.

The rest of us had an early church service, at 8:15 a.m. Rev. Pierce, the local community church pastor was our guest speaker. The coffee hour followed. The coach members wanting to get an early start home were happy to have the church service early, so they could attend and still get off when they wanted to.

We all appreciated the effort that Theresa Vandersteed put into the planning of the games and crafts. All agreed, it was a good ralley.

Al and Virginia Lyles

E.M.U. Winutes

PATOKA LAKE CampGROUND October 9-10-11 Birdseye, 1nd.

In the absence of any directors, Ken Casselman introduced Neva Brining to conduct the business meeting which was called to order at 8:45 PM.

The minutes of the last meeting at Poorfarm Campground, was read and approved.

Discussion of Treasurer's report. Gus Bringing moved and Don Richards seconded that Treas. Treva Casselman write to Walter Davison for the EMU money so that a correct balance might be found and that outstanding bills could be paid.

The question of jackets, hats and patches was discussed a again. Motion was made by Ken Casselman seconded by Jerry Hutton that a letter be written to Edna Newhouse requesting an accounting of the EMU jacket project. Copies to all Directors to improve communications within our club.

The Florida Funshine Rally will be held at Fisheating Creek on Highway 27 near Lake Okachobee. March dates to Be announced by Davison.

June Rally will be held near Illinois City where the Fowler Families will be the Hosts. Time to be announced.

Kathy and Steve Fowler reported on the National Rally at near Durango, Clorado. There was 15 EMU's, 19 WMU's. Motion was made to allow the EMU's to keep sherriffs fines. The 1982 National Rally was announced to be held near Knoxville, Tenn. Neva Brining volunteered to write to Bob Ackerman regarding 1982 National Rally.

Don Richards moved and Ken Casselman secnded that the National be held in August before school starts in order that students and teachers might also attend.

Wagonmaster Reported those in attendance were; Casselmans, Vales, Hutton, Brining, Starbird, Richards, Alling, S. Fowler, L. Fowler, Perrys, Silvey and Allison drive-in.

29 people, 11Ultras, 2X Brand, 2drive-ins, allisons-Ferrys 6 States Rep. Ill. 3-Ind 3-Ohio 2-New York 1-Mich 1-Minnl 4 Children- 3 dogs- L Racoon

Sunday Morning Service conducted by Ken Casselman at 8:30 Immediately following service we caravan to Interpretive Center- A Solar Demonstration on the grounds.

There being no further business to be conducted motion to

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YOUR ULTRA -- IDEAS FOR IMPROVEMENT

TECHNICAL REPORTER: MORY SNYDER

OIL FILTER ADAPTERS: MANUAL SECTION: 13 - Page: 13-15 & 13-17 CORVAIR To use many current "off the shelf" filters there is an adapter manufac-

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WATER INJECTION: MANUAL SECTION: 12

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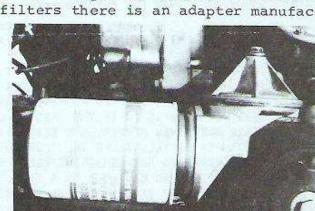
Many Ultra owners have installed this system and report very good results and are able to use regular gas. For Info write or call.

BRAKES: SERVICE & CARE...MANUAL SECTION 11-6

FLEXIBLE BRAKE HOSES -- coat with "Amorall" to resist cracking. Let it dry between several coats.

STEEL BRAKE LINES....Under floor boards forward and between wheel well, examine for possible rust and abrasion. Clean, inspect and paint or treat with WD-40.

BRAKE MECHANISMS IN WHEELS.... A much neglected type of service. Remove wheels & drums and blow out all dust and debris. Blow AWAY FROM FACE so as not to breathe in asbestos dust. Carefully apply Lubriplate to all



THE ADDENDUM PAGE

ONCE AGAIN AT "GOING TO PRESS" TIME, WE'VE ENDED UP WITH ONE ADDITIONAL PAGE. RATHER THAN LEAVING IT BLANK (PRINTED ON ONE SIDE ONLY) -- THE FOLLOWING ITEMS ARE INSERTED TO COMPLETE THIS ISSUE.

IT WAS EXPECTED THAT INFORMATION AND DATA / RE: OUR "CLASSIFIED" (WANT AD) SECTION (PAGE) WAS TO BE INSERTED IN THIS ISSUE, BUT AT "PRESS-TIME" -- NOTHING HAS BEEN RECEIVED.

SINCE OUR LAST NEWSLETTER, A FEW HAVE CONTACTED ME (SECRETARY), EITHER BY MAIL OF PHONE, THAT THEY WISHED TO BE LISTED AS "ULTRA - FOR - SALE" TO AVOID ANY ERRORS IN PRICE, OR CONDITION, OR DESCRIPTION, ETC... THE FOLLOWING NAMES - WITH COACH NUMBER ARE LISTED.

LOOK TO YOUR DIRECTORY FOR ADDRESS OR PHONE No.#
TO GET IN TOUCH - AND MAKE YOUR OWN DEAL.

447 - VIOLETTE KRANTZ (I UNDERSTAND THAT IT HAS THE OLDS-CONVERSION)

488 - TOM SHEPHERD (HE BOUGHT IT EARLIER THIS YEAR FROM LT. CASSOUT / FLORIDA)

527 - GORDON HARVEY (NOTE NEW ADDRESS CHANGE IN THIS ISSUE) (HE HAS 2 - KEEPING # 469)

454 - DOROTHEA FEARING (WITH THE PASSING OF OLIVER, SHE NO LONGER HAS NEED FOR IT)

453 - CLARK ROSS (NEW MEMBER, HAS BEEN HIT WITH HEAVY MEDICAL COSTS. MUST SELL)

295 - ED Q MARA (STILL STICKS THE 'FOR SALE' SIGN IN THE WINDOW, AT RALLIES)

532 - LARRY PERRY (A NON-MEMBER) (CALLED FROM INDIANA. HAD PURCHASED IT FROM ANOTHER NON-MEMBER, HAD BAD LUCK ON A TRIP, LOST L/FRONT & L/REAR SPINDLES, REPAIRED NOW AND DESDRES TO SELL. MIGHT BE A BARGIN ! ??? !) -- ADDRESS; P.O.BOX 1102 -- MARTINSVILLE, IND. 46151 -- PHONE: 317-728-4283

ALSO RECEIVED CALLS & LETTERS FROM FOLLOWING, DESIRING TO PURCHASE AN ULTRA VAN.

DALE DUNSMORE - 79 KINGSLAND PL. SW - CALGARY, ALBERTA-CANADA (ZIP ???) (PHONE) ???

LOYAL HARRIS - (VAN NUYS, CALIF) - (ADDRESS ??) - PHONE: 213-881-0946

DAVE MOGCK - 5817 NORTHWOOD DR - EDINA, N.M. 55436 (PHONE ???)

GENE PETERS - 601 WALNUT - ROGERS, ARK. 72756 - PH: 501-636-0203

JOHN RONNER - 1034 W. SOUTH PARK AVE. - OSHKOSH, WISC. (ZIP ?) PHONE: 414-231-3909

THE REINHARDTS - FRIENDS OF THE SUCKOWS, HAS "GUESTED" AT SEVERAL OF OUR RALLIES. STILL

LOOKING FOR ONE FOR SALE. CONTACT THE SUCKOWS.

"IN MEMORY" EDWARD A. MARTIN PASSED AWAY ON NOVEMBER 3, 1981. BORN 1902

PAST PRESIDENT, DIRECTOR AND TECH. REPORTER, OF THE ULTRA MOTOR COACH CLUBS.

HE IS ALSO A MEMBER OF THE NEPTUNE SOCIETY. HE WILL BE GREATLY MISSED BY HIS FRIENDS.

"HAPPY CARE-FREE TRAVELIN' ED, WE'LL ALL MISS YOU"



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January 21st. to 24th. \$5.00 W/Hookups--\$2.50 W/O DATES & PRICES:

\$10.00 daily for meeting room

Av. Temp. 700 (602) 684-9978 684- 7656 PHONE:

ELEVATION 2000 FT. DIRECTIONS: See map

Bill & Threasa Vandersteeg and Warren & Nobia Suckow HOSTS & CO-HOSTS

Coffee TENTATIVE SCHEDULE: 9.00 A.M.

Tech & Craft Sessions 10.00 A.M. THURSDAY: Bring along a dog-a hot dog - that is, for an

12.00 Noon

"Impromptu Lunch with Friends".

Tea & Crumpets: Ladies, Please bring left over 3.00 P.M.

Christmas cookies from your freezer.

7.00 P.M. Slides, if you have some to show or games.

9:00 A.M. Coffee FRIDAY:

Tech & Crafts Sessions 10:00 A.M.

Vulture Mine trip \$3.00 or Monetary Meeting 1:00 P.M.

Museum-Best in west-- Curator will meet with us. 3:00 P.M. Elk's Club Fish dinner--Price \$4.00 per person 5:00 P.M.

Present "Useless Gift" -- Crazy Bingo, if time 7:00 P.M.

9:00 A.M. Coffee SATURDAY

> Tech & Craft Sessions 10:00 A.M.

11:00 A.M. Directors Meeting

1:30 P.M. General Meeting

5:30 P.M. Pot Luck

"THIS IS YOUR LIFE EDNA & ERNIE NEWHOUSE" Your

letters will be read at this time. Distribution

of Valentines.

9:00 A.M. SUNDAY: Coffee

> 10:30 A.M. Non-denominational church service. Claire Sieberling

(layman) will speak, and anyone else who would like to relate an inspirational bible verse or thought

that has been helpful along life's path.

11:00 A.M. Formulate Buddy Up plans for additional time in

Arizona.

12:00 Noon Brunch at Ranchos De Los Caballeros, Optional

PLEASE prepare a letter of appreciation for the Ultra efforts of Edna and Ernie Newhouse. We can read them Saturday night and later put them into a scrap book. Humorous--Sentimental--Your choice---Can be hand written.

Come tan in Wickenburg sun and sand. Desert and mountains, we have it all, but we need you to make it complete.

A lady was unable to attend an election of officers at her club meeting. The next day she received a letter starting "Dear Mrs. Chairman". The point?. You will be our next host and hostess automatically if you fail to attend. Now thats incentive.

THINGS TO SEE AND DO WITHIN THREE BLOCKS:

BAKERY, LAUNDROMAT, RESTURANT AND GROCER

WISHING WELL ON HASSAYAMPA RIVER:

(No fishing from bridge) Take a drink of this river and you will never again tell

the truth.

OLD 761 SANTE FE STEAM LOCOMOTIVE:

Plied tracks between Chicago & the west.

WESTERN MUSEUM:

Best in west-Curator will meet with us.

THE JAIL TREE:

Rowdies were chained to this tree.

FRONTIER STREET:

Like walking thru a unique part of 1900's

old Southwest.

SURROUNDING AREA:

VULTURE MINE:

Prussian named Henry Wickenburg stumbled into richest Arizona gold mine. See old mining equipment. \$3.00 per person.

ST. JOSEPH'S SHRINE:

At Yarnell, statues an plagues which follow

stations of the cross.

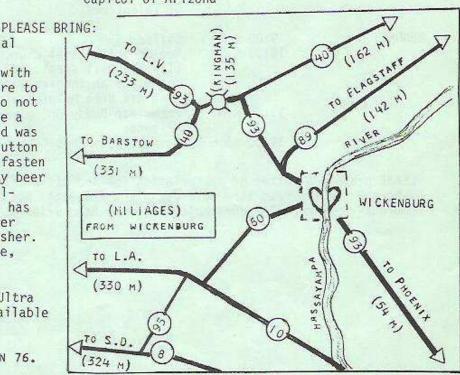
JEROME: PHOENIX: Ghost town, high o Mingus mountain. Capitol of Arizona

Scissors and ½ yard of material

A"USELESS GIFT" gift wrapped, with your story of how sorry you are to have to give up this prize. Do not wrap husbands or wives. Can be a flashlight that when it worked was the real Aurora Borealis. A button that dosen't button, but did fasten the lip of a Ubange. Old empty beer can, now lighter and less filling. Lonesome sock whose mate has gone to sock heaven or wherever they go after entering the washer. A radio that has lost its tune, tube or timer. Whatever.

Valentines for your favorite Ultra friends. Place in mailbox available in club room.

P.S. DUMP STA. @ SITE OR UNION 76.



ULTRA POSTSCRIPTS ****

Executive Director's Report

The information contained herein is intended to be a private communication between ULTRA CLUB and its members. We trust that it proves productive.

FIGHT HIGH PHONE BILLS: It has been discovered that most people make only about 28 calls a month and will save money on a "measured service" basis. This applies even if you exceed that number of calls by a few, and would be billed for any extra calls individually. This type of service is generally adequate for most people. But...the Telephone Company makes better profits on flat rates, so don't ever expect them to promote this valuable information. YOU have to inquire if there isn't a lower cost service available. You will save \$s every year forever after.

THE ULTRA NATIONAL CONVENTION: At Durango, Colorado we had an exceptionally pleasant and interesting rally. I want to personally thank the Lyles (hosts) and the Vandersteegs (co-hosts) for everything, especially the beautiful site and the fine weather they arranged for the five-day affair. Now, in January all of us are invited by hosts, the Suckows, and co-hosts Vandersteegs to historic Wickenburg, at the base of the Vulture Mountains. This one I'm certain will be another humdinger Ultra gathering. Then...Arnold and Edna Steenburg are already working on the April rally scheduled for the huge Fomona Fairgrounds. That's going to be an extra nice one too. The EMUs are also hard at work on several rally projects...check all Flyers.

YOU AND THE LAW: Some Federal, State, and/or local laws resemble Swiss cheese. They are intertwined with and are full of <u>HOLES</u> (loop holes), according to the American Investment Council. Shrewd people (and some not so shrewd) take advantage of these Swiss-cheese-laws for their own profit or advantage.

COMMUNICATIONS: In addition to all the others, we received an especially fine letter of information from George Rakous, good member from the movie capital, Hollywood. He mentioned that courageous "Cooky", member #316, had trouble with her transmission and was now installing the tranny she had acquired as high-bidder at our Isabella Rally. Now isn't she the lucky one? George also mentioned that Ed Martin had been in the hospital for thirteen days (at the time he wrote) and was not at all well. Maybe all of us could say a prayer for Ed for his complete recovery. We all love and respect past-President Ed. Norm and Shirley Johnson had some engine problems and good member Dean Hanson worked overtime to put a suitable engine together for them. Like #342 says, it is interesting to have an association of people who are helpful when folks are in need. Ferhaps problems stage the actual adventure that Ultra owners strive for. If we never experienced anything bad, we could not fully appreciate all the good in our lives.

POPULATION LOSES: Some of our nation's largest cities are losing population while cities especially in the sun-belt, have been gaining. Reasons: Lower living costs, more outdoor life, less crime and corruption. Some <u>losers</u> are: New York City, lost 414,000; Chicago, 270,000; Detroit, 179,000; Philadelphia lost 134,000; Minneapolis, 56,000. Some <u>gainers</u>: San Jose, added 95,000; San Diego, 77,000; Phoenix, 76,000; El Paso, 64,000; Jacksonville, 31,000. If you live in a "loser" area, there is apt to be falling home values.

NO MAN CAN SERVE TWO MASTERS: Never lose perspective - don't get too tied up with schedules. "Be generous to yourself in solitude"; "Fick the right crowd - do some foot-washing". These secrets for success and happiness were heard by the writer in a talk just last week. Something to think about.

OLDER IS BETTER: Exhaustive tests show a higher percentage of senile signs among college students than among a group of people age 52 to 92. Senility actually has nothing to do with age. It's related more to poor health, loneliness, anxiety, and depression. Psychologists have shown that real intelligence actually increases with age. The MIND thrives on use...it does not wear out. You are NOT getting older - you are getting BETTER.

QUESTION? "What do you say when you meet a two-headed chicken?" The answer to this question is, "Hello, Hello,"

ALBUQUERQUE: Our good member from Wolf Point, Montana called about a free rally his group was having at Sims Field in New Mexico. The International Balloon Fiesta, which is the largest hot-air balloon gathering in the world was scheduled for the same weekend. So we wanted to go...but from Durango we were obligated to visit Edna's mother up in Minnesota, so didn't make Al's rally. Sorry....but I understand a few members did make it. Anyway, we want to thank Al and Martha Hoffman for the nice invitation and the Flyers mailed and all the rest, especially the long distance phone call.

THE FALL SEASON OF THE YEAR: Well, we have just passed that season when many children get a little extra EDUCATION at home. Like new WORDS, for example, as Dad puts on the Storm Windows in those areas where it gets chilly.

SALES TAXES: A few of our members will be buying a new car within the next few months I'm sure. Does everyone know that when you trade in your old car toward the purchase of a new one, in most states you should be charged Sales Taxes only on the difference (the cash amount you pay)? Watch this as the Dealer is computing the total cost of your purchase. Generally, the barter-part of your deal is not taxable.

DR. JACK MacARTHUR: Quote - "The ghastly atrocities of war, and those of the Nazi and Kremlin butchers, in our generation, have shaken the faith of many people. We think of the blood bath of World War II, in which thirty million perished, and there is the question, "WHY DIDN'T SOMEONE STOP IT?"

#402: Back a few months ago, Bill and Lola Richards needed a new windshield for their coach. He needed BOTH sides replaced....Bill called about a source. Hope you were lucky to locate a pair, Bill. As I've indicated before, do NOT let anyone try to cut them down to size. Install them whole. Cut the center pane smaller to fit, allowing 1/8" gaps. Fill the gaps with clear Silicone Seal. If you try to cut the curved sections (now tempered glass), the built-in stress will cause a run. I speak from expensive experience.

DIG YOUR GARDEN - Plant some seeds - Hope for FLOWERS - Get some weeds.

FARM LAND IN PRODUCTIVE AREAS: Good farm land has increased in price more than 800% since the 1960s. It has been one of the better inflation hedges over the past two decades. Also, individual Home values, of course, as we all know are WAY UP. So...owning YOUR OWN home has been a wise investment. What about the future? According to most experts, gold and silver bullion or coins will increase tremendously in value over the next 2-5 years. Looking back (hind-sight is always more accurate than foresight), we know that land in the Red River Valley of Minnesota where I was raised, sold for \$200 to \$300 per acre during the 1960s. Right now it goes as high as \$1800 and is predicted to sell at \$2,000 per acre by mid 1982 (next year). That makes anyone who owns as little as 500 acres a millionaire. Many own 1000 acres or more of that rich farm land.

EXPLANATION OF THE LETTERS "IFTBAMOUC": It is really not a word to be pronounced - - Ift-ba-mouc is rather difficult to say. Rather it stands for the front letters of, "It's Fun To Be A Member Of Ultra Club". Ok?

IF YOU FIND MISTAKES in spelling or grammar in Postscripts....please always remember that they were put there for a purpose, we do try to please everyone.

THANK YOU: I'd like to thank everyone who wrote, sent photos, called..... especially Dee and Ruth, Ken and Treva, Gus and Neva, and all the rest. We love you all! Many have already re-newed their MEMBERSHIP for 1982. Those who have not should try to ease the job of our Secretary and club Treasurer by RENEWING NOW before the Holiday rush. Meanwhile....Edna and I extend our very best wishes to EVERYONE for a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year!

Yours, S. Epper Newhouse

ULTRA MOTOR COACH CLUBS. INC.

A NON-PROFIT CORPORATION

Annı	ual Report	for 198	1	h		
*		Cake	Nic.	Durango		2
Receipts;	Lodi .	Isabella	Hood	Colo.		
Membership dues	\$250.00	\$160.00		\$1780.00	\$2190.00	
Rally Registrations	62.00		\$50.00		395.50	
Parking fees	606.00		212.50			
Dinner reservations			230.00		230.00	
Utra name badges	16.00		2.00		18.00	
lackets					14.50	
Fires at rallies	2.00				2.00	
Contests at Rallies	29.50				29.50	
Club Patches	3.00				3.00	
Donations		182.50			182.50	
Miscellaneous		34.00			34.00	
Bus ride to Mt Hood Chalet			711.00		111.00	
Interest on Savings					83.98	
Club Maintenance Manual					50.00	Sanitavasar ang
Bank Credit						\$5007.98
Disbursments;						
Motorhome magazine subscripti	ons\$121.50	339.50	-	475.00	\$985.50	
Parking fees	656.00		212.50	845.50	1714.50	
Coffee supplies & Prizes	42.83			104.07	146.90	
Dinner Reservations	58 557		230.00		230.00	
Ultra Badges	83.12	6.41			89.53	
Bereavement Donations	15.00	5.00		5.00	25.00	
Printing & postage	129.35	573.60	218.00	253.40	1174.35	
State Farm Liability Ins.		126.00			126.00	
Bus ride to Mt Hood Chalet			99.00		99.00	
Maintenance Manual		50.00	120000000000000000000000000000000000000		50.00	
Bank charge		SAMPLE CONTRACTOR			4.10	\$4646.88

The Receipts and Disbursments are shown as they occured in each of the four Rallies in 1981

inclosed is our check to cover dues for the current year

APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT THE OFFICERS AND BOARD CORDIALLY INVITE YOU TO ENJOY THE BENEFITS OF Membership Dues per <u>Ultra Coach family</u> - \$10.00 (Includes annual Registration fee, plus Membership for Calendar Year) -husband -DRESS TY_ MAIL Jur Ultra Coach is Number Membership: NEWO RENEWALL

TTE "GO-TO-PRESS" CHANGE: REVISED ARRIVAL OF TREASURER'S REPORT. / ALSO IN-LIEU-OF; ULTRA POSTSCRIPTS" - THIS 'FLIP-SIDE' (OVERLEAF) IS A "FILLIN" THAT I HAD PLANNED TO RNIE FOR HIS "QUOTABLE QUOTES & TRIVIA" - HE USUALLY SLIPS IN.

/ IT'S THE LAW /

SOME GUY NAMED MURPHY STARTED IT ALL. HE MUST HAVE BEEN ACCIDENT PRONE OR HAD A PESSIMISTIC ATTITUDE TOWARD ESTIMATORS.

AT ANY RATE HE COINED A PHRASE AND NAMED IT "MURPH'S LAW"

"IF ANYTHING CAN GO WRONG - IT WILL" (AND USUALLY DOES)

THIS MOVE PROMPTED 'OTHER PHILOSOPHERS' TO ETCH THEIR CLICHES AND IDIOMS INTO THE SWIM. e.g. (WITHOLDING THE AUTHOR'S NAME, THE FOLLOWING ARE THE SAYINGS.....)

1. NEGATIVE EXPECTATIONS YIELD NEGATIVE RESULTS; POSITIVE EXPECTATIONS YIELD NEGATIVE RESULTS. EVERY MAN HAS A SCHEME THAT WILL NOT WORK. 2. THE CHIEF CAUSE OF PROBLEMS IS SOLUTIONS. 3. INSIDE EVERY PROBLEM THERE IS A PROBLEM TRYING TO GET OUT. INSIDE EVERY LARGE PROBLEM THERE IS A SMALL PROBLEM STRUGGLING TO GET OUT. GIVEN SUFFICIENT TIME, WHAT YOU PUT OFF DOING TODAY WILL EVENTUALLY GET DONE BY IT'S SELF. NEVER DO ANYTHING FOR THE FIRST TIME. 8. IN 'HARD HAT' AREAS; NEVER WORK UNDER A WORKMAN. WORK OVER HIM. ANY TIME THINGS APPEAR TO BE GOING BETTER, YOU HAVE OVERLOOKED SOME-10. THINGS WILL GET WORSE BEFORE THEY STILL GET WORSE. 11. A CRITICAL PART WILL NOT BE FOUND UNTIL IT'S REPLACED.

12. METHODS USED ON OTHER PROJECTS ONLY WORK ON OTHER PROJECTS.

13. YOU CAN'T WIN; YOU CAN'T GET EVEN; YOU CAN'T QUIT.

14. YOU CAN'T FALL OFF THE FLOOR.

15. 90 % OF EVERYTHING CRUDE.

16. THE FIRST 90 % OF A TASK CONSUMES 90 % OF THE TIME ALLOTTED; THE LAST 10 % CONSUMES THE OTHER 90 %. 17. 18. THERE IS NEVER TIME TO DO IT RIGHT BUT ALWAYS TIME TO DO IT OVER. THERE IS NEVER TIME TO DO IT RIGHT BUT ALWAYS TIME TO DO IT OVIT'S CHEAPER TO DO A JOB AT 10 % OVER THAN DO A JOB OVER.

MORE THAN ENOUGH OF ANYTHING WILL BE SUFFICIENT.

IF YOUR CUP RUNNETH OVER; DRINKETH FROM THE SAUCER.

THE GOOD ONES ARE ALREADY TAKEN.

DON'T BITCH; QUIT !

YOU CAN LEAD A WORKER TO THE JOB BUT A PENCIL HAS TO BE LEAD.

ALL WORK AND NO PLAY; MAKES JACK.!

ONE ESTIMATOR KNOWS HOW MUCH A JOB WILL COST. TWO AREN'T SURE.

BEAUTY IS ONLY SKIN DEEP, BUT UGLY GOES CLEAN TO THE BONE.

CONCRETE: - WHEN YOU POUR: IT RAINS 19. 20. 21. 22. 23. 24. 25. 26. CONCRETE: - WHEN YOU POUR; IT RAINS.
JUST BECAUSE A JOB STARTS DOES NOT MEAN IT WILL END. 27. 28.

ANOTHER PROJECT.

30. ASSEMBLY INSTRUCTIONS ARE ALWAYS DISCARDED WITH THE PACKING CRATE.

31. IT ALWAYS COSTS MORE TO DO A JOB; in the field, off the ground, under water, in traffic, as designed, with changes, according to code, quickly, now, later or ever.

A MACHINE WILL NOT BE NEEDED AGAIN UNTIL IT'S BEEN SHIPPED TO

29.

THERE ARE POSSABLEY OVER 100 MORE REASONS, BUT ABOVE ARE 31 OF THEM SHOWING