## NORTHWESTERN BUS NUTS

May 12, 2019

Wow! Look at that big ball of fire in the sky! Could that be the sun? Spring has sprung! This is probably the best time of the year for me. This was the first time for many years that we have not been able to enjoy vacationing in the Indio, California area for the winter months. It wasn't because we did not head that way, but we only made it as far as Eugene, Oregon when I suffered a pancreatic attack and had to be hospitalized for a total of four days, and another three days recuperating at Dick & Jeanne Wright's. Thanks to Darrell Bowles for driving our bus, with me as co-pilot, home here in Happy Valley. After more tests, it was confirmed that my gall bladder was full of stones and not performing its job. So, the doctor said "Let's remove it". Boy have the medical procedures changed. I arrived at the surgery center at noon for paperwork and to change into my hospital style lingerie, even my own hair net. At 1:20 PM, they rolled me into the operating room; I was sitting on my couch at home watching TV at 4:00 PM. Just about unbelievable. I came away with four- ½ inch scars on my stomach.

Barb and I will miss our first rally of the season. We will miss not seeing our friends, but we will be in Albany, Oregon for the Northwest area "Bridging the Gap" rally on June 6-9, 2019. When you sign up for this rally, tell them you are a part of the Northwest Bus Nuts. If you would like to park with our club, sign up for no electric dry camping. Call to let Dick Wright know so he will be able to coordinate our parking area. (541) 953-4655. Some of us usually arrive a day early to get started on our catching up. We will meet at 1:00 Wednesday to convoy to our designated parking area. When you contact Dick he will fill you in on the particulars.

Your board members are always looking for ideas and most of all, hosts to organize your own rally. Let's try to fill out our 2020 rally schedule. Please help in contributing to a strong active club. Contact your V.P., Al Roeske (541) 954-0676, John Shierman (360) 253-1526, or Gary Chatterton (503) 816-5782.

Fun is in the air, arriving in Albany, Oregon on June 6, 2019. Come and enjoy. Hope to see you there.

Gary Chatterton
President

**Bus Nuts -**

Have you paid this year's dues yet? Please check, and if not:

Send to: Eleanor Roeske, 2641 Crowther Drive, Eugene, OR 97404

**THANK YOU** 

MIDWAY RV PARK 3200 GALVIN ROAD CENTRALIA, WA 360-736-3200

MAY 16, 17, 18,

Hosts: Keith & Nancy Arionus and John & Sharen Shierman

Spring Fling!

Come join us for the first NWBN Rally for 2019.

Enjoy Antique Shopping, Outlet Mall & a Museum.

Thursday - Finger Food Potluck

Friday – Pizza

Saturday - Baked Potatoes with the works (Irish Sundae)

Sunday - Donuts, juice & coffee\*

\*Coffee available every morning

We have reserved 14 spaces with full hook-ups. If you care to come early or stay late, contact the park directly at 360-736-3200 4 let them know you're with the NWBN group.

Credit Card only!!!

\$120.00 for 3 nights (May 16-18) payable to the park office. NO CHECKS-cash or

REGISTRATION:			
NAME		FMCA #	
ADDRESS			
CITY		STATE	ZIP
Coach 4 2 people \$35.00*		CELL #	
Coach & 1 person \$17.50*		REGISTRATION DEADLINE APRIL 15, 2019	
Extra person	\$17.50*	***\$35.00 Charge is for food ONLY***	

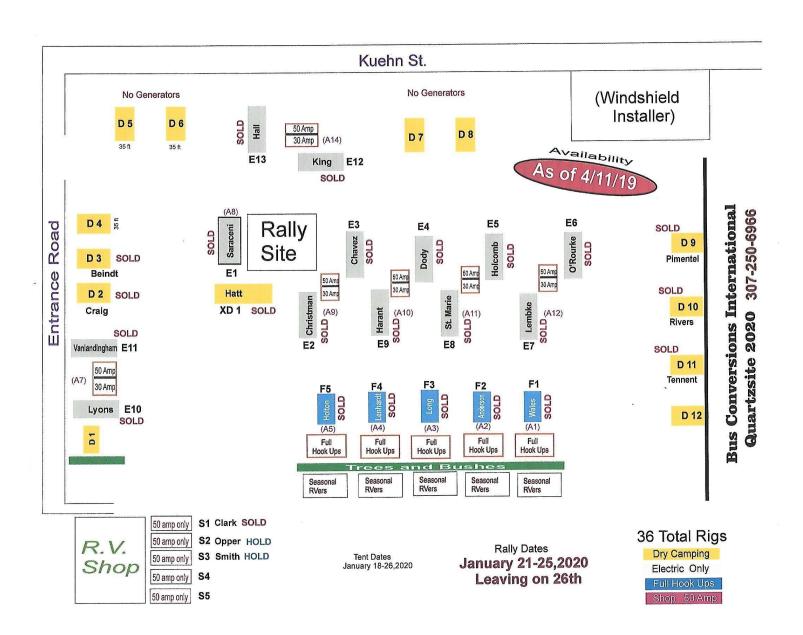
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Please send registration to Nancy Arionus, 19027 68th St. E

Bonney Lake, WA 98391 Cell# 253-569-3237

Greetings, We want to let you know about a bus rally we are having in Quartzsite, AZ ... This coming January21, 25, 2020. We will be at Rice Ranch North, just about ¼ mile east of the Marketplace. We have a choice of camping sites available---electric 50 amp service—dry campinig with generator—dry camping with no generator. If you plan on coming to Quartzsite in this time period, please contact me for more information. Thanks for your time. Hoping to hear from you soon.

Tony Saraceni bcitony@aol.com







Departing on January 26,2020

Prices includes 5 days of fun and **Dinner Meals** 

5 nights of Camping



Coffee and Pastries every morning

☐ Dry Camping\$ 80.0013 spots available Pa	ayment \$	Rec
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☐ Electric Only\$ 152.5018 spots available Pa	ayment \$	Rec
☐ Full Hook Ups\$ 240.005 spots available P		Rec
All Prices are for One Coach	ı - 2 People	
Please call to verify your choice of We will hold your spot for 18	of camping location of camping location of the state of t	on. 307-250-6966
It may sound like it is far away, but it is not year to make your winter plans. This I	t. Don't wait until the end of t Rally should sell out quickly.	he
First Come, First Serve. When v. * R.V. Tent show starts on January 18th	ve are full, we will be and ends on January 26th •	full!
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Phone Numbere-mail_		
Make and Year of Bus	Length	Slides
Other Info		
Send payment and form to:  Tony Saraceni P.O. Box 5601 Pahrump,NV 89041  307-250-6966 bcitony@aol.com	Bus Course State International Country State In	Winter

PLEASE NOTE – The deadline has been changed – there are 3 more spots available with electricity and 4 more for dry camping.

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