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Campout and Meeting Announcements

July 7-13, 2019 - Campvention Early Day July 5, Noon Kansas State Fairground, Hutchinson, KS July 31-August 4, 2019 - Great Lakes Regional

Aug 9-11, 2019 - Field Staff Get Together Campout, Lighthouse County Park, Port Hope,

Sept 3-7, 2019 - Michigan Retiree Rally, Church of God Campground, St Louis, MI Sept 20-22 - MSA Fall Campout, Gladwin Fairgrounds, Gladwin, Mi

Sept 27-29, 2019 - Blue Water District Mixer, Imlay City Fairgrounds, Imlay City, MI Early arrivals Sept 25.

2019 - Indiana Campout information on page 8 2020 Campvention - Canada, looking for grounds

Please support the many activities scheduled.

(Also see registration forms on pages 9-18 – mailed copy only has pages 9-12 for the other pages go to http://mifcrv.org/Michigander/default.htm and click on the JULY link)

Editor's Note: Please submit campout registrations (Word preferred) to me by email:

Michigander@mifcrv.org Be sure to include DOCUMENTATION for any pictures or clipart.

Michigander **DEADLINE DATES**

DEADLINES for submitting articles to the Michigander:

> **December 10** for the January issue March 10 for the April issue Friday after State Spring for the July issue Friday after State Fall for the October issue

You can start **TODAY** by sending articles to: michigander@mifcrv.org.

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News from the MSA President

Hello everyone,

Now that the camping season is in full swing, I hope everyone has a fun and safe season.

I would like to thank Chrystal Pallas from the tip of the Mitt chapter for taking on the fall campout which will be at the Gladwin County Fairgrounds. I am sure she would appreciate any help you want to give her.

The Delegates meeting at the spring campout covered a lot of things and made some important changes. The last few years the MSA campouts have been losing money due to low attendance. The board recommended that we streamline our spending at the campouts and made the following suggestions, that we change the way the pageant is done, by eliminating the tea and adopt a system that pretty much all of the other states are doing, which is anyone interested in running for the Teen and Youth Royalty will submit a resume/application to the Pageant coordinator.

If there is more than one applicant per position, the Pageant coordinator will get three judges from outside FCRV to choose a winner. We will eliminate the pageant, but the Royalty will be awarded a sash and crown at the Fall evening program and have time to perform a talent at all evening programs if they so choose. The delegates approved this, and it will go in effect next year. Please understand that we still will have our Teen King, Queen, Prince, Princess, Teenie King and Teenie Queen and ask that you support them as you always have and invite them to campouts. The pageant coordinator will assist the teen King and Queen to help prepare them for representing us at Campvention.

In another cost saving measure, we are downsizing the inventory in the MSA trailer with the goal to eliminate the need for it.

The campout budgets have been revised and will now be in effect. Please consider hosting a Spring or Fall Campout in 2020.

Respectfully Submitted

MSA President Paul R Jones president@mifcrv.org

Awards

Remember to send in your nominations for the Family of the Year and the Jonsey Award. Nominations are due by June 1st.

To nominate someone for Family of the Year, send a letter listing the family name, chapter name, involvement in FCRV, community involvement and anything else you may think is relevant.

To nominate a teen for the Jonsey Award, send a letter including the teen name, chapter name, involvement in FCRV, school involvement, community involvement, and anything else you feel is relevant.

Please mail your nominations to:

502 Andres St. Chesaning, MI 48616

Or e-mail them to: awards@mifcrv.org

Thank you, Jamie and Kaylene VanWagner

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STATE DIRECTOR'S NEWS

We hope you enjoyed your "relaxing" weekend at this year's spring campout! Thank you to all the volunteers who helped the MSA Board host the campout. The grounds at St. Louis are now exceptionally maintained and we are thankful for the current managers for all their hard work.

In your spring campout goodie bags, what did you think of the "Let's Grow" marketing idea? Congratulations to this year's award winners:

Chapter Anniversary Awards:

- -Showboat Wheelers—50 years
- -Rollin' Vikings—50 years
- -Green Thumb-ers—50 years
- -Nature's Nuts-40 years
- -Polish Pine Campers—40 years

50-year Member Awards 2019:

- Clarence and Jo VanWagner, 8/1969
- -Marion and Betty Sutliff, 3/1969
- *50-year Member Awards 2014:
- -Joan Allison, 11/1964
- -Irene Milam, 7/1964

State Director Award:

-Al & Shirley Fitzgerald Al and Shirley work tirelessly behind the scenes and always have a friendly smile and welcoming disposition.

Congratulations to all of this year's winners!

Congratulations to this year's high school graduate Peter Kurburski. We know you will do well at Ferris!

We are looking for a new appointment of Michigan State Teen Directors. Please let us know if you are interested and please do so quickly. We need this position filled before the fall campout teen pageant. We hope you will consider this opportunity. Let us know if you have questions.

We understand the young generation uses Instagram for social media. We are looking for help setting this up for our association. Please let us know if you are interested.

The Field Director's Campout will be held at Lighthouse Park in Port Hope and everyone is welcome and encouraged to attend. The dates are August 9-11, 2019. Reservations are made online at: https://huroncountyparks.com/lighthouse-park-reservations This weekend is the thumb area garage sale so our gathering will take place Saturday evening to allow time for shopping and sightseeing. We will be discussing districts, marketing opportunities, making plans to host an RV show, provide a Campvention Executive Board Update, are just a few of the agenda topics. Meat will be purchased from the field staff fund for supper. Please bring your favorite potluck dish. We may plan an impromptu potluck breakfast if there is interest so plan accordingly. Please let us know if you plan to attend.

Campvention 2019 in Kansas is just around the corner. Have you made plans to attend this year? Currently we plan to arrive in Virginia Friday for two extra days to attend the executive board meeting. Remember parking is straight hobo so if you want to park together, you must arrive together. Our Michigan Teen Queen Grace Carey and Teen King Andrew Huhn are anxious to get to Kansas and compete in the national pageant. Please check the Michigan Bulletin Board at Campvention for up-to-the-minute news! We hope to see you there!

This year's Regional Campout will be held July 31-August 4 at the Iroquois County Fairgrounds in Watseka, IL. It is a western theme, and this is one regional you won't want to miss! There are many planned fun activities and Michigan is also hosting a hospitality with Wisconsin. We are looking for ideas, suggestions, and help. What are your thoughts? We hope you plan to attend.

Do you have our MSA State Fall Campout on your camping calendar this year? It will be held at the Gladwin Fairgrounds September 20-22, 2019. Your hosts are the Tip of the Mitt Chapter with Crystal Pallas as Chair. Registration information will be available soon.

Please refer to our website for information and campout registration forms: www.mifcrv.org

As we announced at the spring campout, we will be stepping down in September 2020 as State Directors. We hope you will consider stepping into this position. If you have any questions about the responsibilities, please let us know. This position is an appointment by the regional director; we would be happy to put in a good word for you!

John & Linda English, Michigan State Directors, statedirectors@mifcrv.org

See you in St. Louis!

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NOTE: MSA History is now on the website and can be viewed by this link: http://mifcrv.org/forms/MSA%20History.xlsx

Just in: We have appointed a new DASAT Director for Michigan.

Tom Lewis

We are looking forward to getting this program active again.

Please post/update. Let us know if you have questions. Thanks, John & Linda



Scholarship News

Congratulations to all the graduates out there. Soon you will start a new phase of your life; heading off to college or straight into the working world. Whatever your direction, a positive attitude will take you a long way and lots of what my mother would call, stick-to-it-tiveness! Good Luck and have a great year!!!

By the time you receive this edition of *The Michigander*, the 2018-19 scholarship application deadline will have passed. I'd like to remind you to be eligible for a scholarship <u>next year</u>, one of the requirements is the applicant **or** applicant's parents must attend at least one (1) Michigan FCRV campout this year and camped/stayed overnight one night. The qualifying campouts are: MSA State Spring, MSA State Fall campout and a District campout. So, get out there and camp with your FCRV family and enjoy our wonderful organization. Have a great summer!!

<u>IMPORTANT REMINDER</u>: Teens living at home planning to attend college or a trade school, upon turning 20 years of age, will need to request a 20-year old honorary membership from the Michigan State Director to apply for a free membership. To be eligible for a National or Michigan FCRV scholarship, you must be a <u>member in good standing</u>. (See policy below)

Michigan Scholarship applications are available on the MSA website, www.mifcrv.org. Be sure to apply for a National Scholarship by contacting the National Scholarship Director at fcrvscholarship2014@gmail.com. Be sure to enter FCRV Scholarship in the subject line.

For questions contact:

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Jane Thornton, Scholarship Director



POLICY - TWENTY YEAR OLD HONORARY MEMBERSHIP

- 1. Any single child of an FCRV member in good standing, may at the age of 20, request of the State/Provincial Director that his/her name be placed on the 20-year-old honorary membership list. The name, address, and birth date of the 20-year-old will be provided to the national office through the State/Provincial Directors.
- 2. FCRV will extend the membership of a single child through the age of 24 if that individual is in the military or a student in college or technical school. **This extension ceases upon leaving college, release from the military, marriage, or lack of application to the State/Provincial Director EACH year for a membership extension.** At the end of the extension period the member must pay for a renewal at the going rate.

RETIREE NEWS!!!

I hope you all had a wonderful winter and that you will have a GREAT SUMMER! Do not forget to attend the campouts this summer. The registrations are available online at: http://www.mifcrv.org/calendar/default.htm or in this issue of the Michigander: http://www.mifcrv.org/Michigander/default.htm.

My new phone number is (616) 706-2543

Note: We are still looking for the missing Retiree Banner and any games that belong to FCRV. If you know where they are please call Mary Lou at: (616) 706-2543

Thank you,

Mary Lou Heft, MI State Retiree Director

RV Tips

I saw an idea in a magazine about using Tupperware to protect your connections from rain and came up with the toolbox idea because it also allows me to store all my adapters in one neat container. I used wood to reinforce the thin sides of the box. If anyone wants to make one and has questions, feel free to contact me. Paul Jones



Hello RVers,

Something to think about...

We always used to wear our vests to campouts. These have pretty much gone away as patches are so expensive. We had a lady come in to one of the shows we do and had us print the logos for many shows and places she had been on a Denim Shirt. This could be done on T-shirts, vests, or many other light-colored garments too. It really looks nice and would catch a person's eye. Maybe we should start doing something like this for MIFCRV?

The above is the sole opinion of the editor, Ron O'Dell

MIFCRV TEEN ROYALTY

Dear Fellow Campers:

It was so nice to see so many of you at the State Spring campout held in St. Louis, MI. Thank you to the MSA Board and all of the volunteers for making the weekend so fun and full of activities.

I spent Memorial Day weekend camping in Gladwin, MI with the Timber Town Travelers Chapter and was honored to be a part of the local Memorial Day Parade. To all of our military personnel, thank you for your service.

As my freshman year of high school comes to a close, I am looking forward to representing Michigan in the national pageant in Kansas in July. I hope to see many familiar faces in the crowd! As always, thank you for all of the support and love.

With sincere gratitude, Grace Carey 2018-2019 Michigan Teen Queen





Hello,

I am Andrew Huhn 2018-2019 Michigan Teen King. I am currently in 8th grade at St John's Middle School in St. John's Michigan.

I am signed up to start track this spring and looking forward to participating. I enjoy doing the 70- and 100-yard dashes and plan to try the long jump this year. Also, spring break is almost here, and I am going with my family to Normandy, France for a week of fun and history. Looking forward to the National Campvention this summer.

Andrew Huhn Michigan Teen King 2018-2019

Miss FCRV 2018

Fellow Campers,



Thank you for everyone who showed up to the spring campout, it was a blast. I had such a great time talking with each of you as well as playing the family games and trying to tell funny jokes. It is always a pleasure to attend that state campouts.

I am so excited for nationals this year! It is coming so quickly and there are so many things to do beforehand. I am so proud of our King and Queen for how far they have come. They are going to make Michigan proud. Good luck Grace and Andrew!

I want to thank everyone for this unforgettable year. I have felt so much love and support from each one of you.

Forever Grateful, Katie Kurburski

Teen Association Electing New Board!

The Michigan State Teen Association will be electing new officers to fulfill the positions of President, Treasurer, and Secretary. We will be voting in these positions at the 2019 Fall Campout. If you would like to fill any of these positions, please attend the Teen meeting. If you have any questions in regards for what any of the officer tasks are, please feel free to contact me at kkurburski@gmail.com.

Katie Kurburski

Angie Shaneyfelt sent the following campout announcements:

2019 Indiana Summer Campout

Cornerstone Campground N75 W CR 500 S New Castle, IN 47362 Hosted by Skeeter Beaters August 16-18, 2019

2019 Fall Invitational

Bill Monroe's Campground 5163 State Road 135 Morgantown, Indiana Hosted by Indiana FCRV Trustees October 4-6, 2019



Just some verses to think about:

Psalm 91:1-4 King James Version (KJV)

- ¹ He that dwelleth in the secret place of the most High shall abide under the shadow of the Almighty.
- ² I will say of the LORD, He is my refuge and my fortress: my God; in him will I trust.
- ³ Surely he shall deliver thee from the snare of the fowler, and from the noisome pestilence.
- ⁴He shall cover thee with his feathers, and under his wings shalt thou trust: his truth shall be thy shield and buckler.

Ron O'Dell, Chaplain

Note: Obituaries are no longer included in the Michigander unless it is requested by the family of the deceased. Thank you for understanding.



Northern District Mixer

Held June 7,8,9 at the Gladwin Fairgrounds

What a wonderful and beautiful weekend we had enjoying the many activities. We want to thank the many attending our campout. Our Royalty National FCRV Teen Queen Katie Kurburski, National first runner up Teen King Luke Kurburski, we also had our State youth directors Foster and Ann Kurburski, State directors John and Linda English, State Retiree director Mary Lou Heft, Legislature spoke person Pete Pallas and our State Chaplin Ron O'Dell.

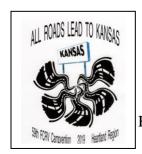
We had a group go to the Red Corner ice cream store on M18 and boy do you get your money's worth! Glad I only got a single dip because it turned out to look like a BIG DOUBLE DIP!

We decided to have a throw together potluck on Friday night and boy it was so good I could hardly wait to see what Saturday's potluck was going to bring. Then, at 7:00 we had BINGO and had a lot of fun. Most all we enjoyed a nice campfire to end the evening.

Saturday, we took pleasure in Auntie Janie games which were so cute and harder than they looked to play, thanks to all who helped Janie with the games. We had our dime auction which Jim and Susie Gilbert so graciously put together with the help of Dawn Webb one of our campers. Pete and I went home with a lot of treasures that we won. Our potluck was so outstanding and even taking a teaspoon of everything your plate was **not big enough**. Everyone brought such different dishes from bean soup to lazy man's cabbage rolls. After our evening program we enjoyed root beer floats and another great campfire.

Thank you, Ron and Ida O'Dell, for church service on Sunday morning; which was followed by a pancake breakfast cooked by the Kurburski family.

See you camping down the road, Pete and SamieJo



59th INTERNATIONAL CAMPVENTION **FAMILY CAMPERS & Rver's**

Hosted by the Heartland Region # 2

"ALL ROADS LEAD TO KANSAS"



Campvention Days: July 8 - 12, 2019 fees covers July 7 - 12 (6 nights)

Early Bird Days: July 5 & 6, 2019 @ \$25 / night (pay @ registration – cash/check)

Registrations are needed by: June 1, 2019

There will be room for you if you decide to come at the last minute. Just bring this registration with you. We want everyone to come see us!!!

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Below is a copy of the email from Linda English

Lighthouse County Park
Port Hope, MI
On the shores of Lake Huron

This is the on-line reservation link:

https://huroncountyparks.com/lighthouse-park-reservations#1530211939446-e5d3fb9e-9863

As of this email, there are 10 electric sites available (sites 112-122) and 17 various full hook up sites available in the campground. There is a map on the reservation site to show the location of open sites.

Camping fee is \$27/night for an electric site and \$32/night for full hook up sites.

For electric only sites, water is available.

Camping fees are non-refundable; however, if you cancel and someone else reserves your site, you will receive a refund minus \$15. There is a waiting list if the park fills.

They do not have a building, but the campsites are nice size and many of us have canopies.

More information will follow regarding plans for the weekend. Let me know if you have questions.

Thank you, Linda Form from the Michigander

2019 Great Lakes Regional Campout Iroquois County Fairgrounds Watseka, IL July 31st - August 4th



Activities for all, Self-Guided Tours, Pet Parade, Family Feud, Poker Walk, Pet CPR & First Aid, and more.

Saturday Night Kid-Friendly Murder Mystery Dinner

While sippin' on some award-winning root beer, there will

be one dastardly dude (or diva) at work to try to spoil

your time, so you best be ready to solve a mystery and catch

a bandit! Silver Springs is counting on you!

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City: State	e: Zip:
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Make Check payable to: ISA (Illinois State a Send pre-registration to: George Helmich 2507 Lippizan Ln. Grayslake, IL 600	association)
Questions? Contact Connie Black at ILFCRV	/@yahoo.cor



Bring your Prom dress and Suit for Saturday Nights' Prom Pasta dinner will be provided Saturday night.

Bring a dish to pass, deserts, salads, vegetables

Margaret 231-203-3850

UNDER THE STARS

BACK TO THE PROM

50'S to the Present

2019 MSA FALL CAMPOUT

401 S. State Street, Gladwin, MI 48624

GLADWIN FAIRGROUNDS

SEPTEMBER 20-22, 2019

Hosted by: Tip of the Mitt #77

Name:			
Address:	Phone: .		
City	State/Province:	Zip: .	
FCRV Membership Number:	Chapter # .		
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Pete/Margaret Pallas c/o 2019 MSA	Fall Campout		
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Questions: Contact Peter 231-838-8767 petepallas@yahoo.com or			

margpallas@gmail,com

A BLAST FROM THE PAST

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Early arrivals begin Wednesday September 19, 2019	Chapter #:				
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12, 2019					
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Blue Water Mini-Mixer



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SE District - by Julie Polak



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SE District - Linda English

















STATE SPRING CAMPOUT by Linda English





We Can Make a Difference

This article is from the 2019 June issue of the Indiana FCRV Newsletter *Hoosier Chatter* https://fcrv.org/wp-content/uploads/2019/06/2019.06-Chatter.pdf

I have copied the text, so it is easier to read. Paul Jones sent me the photo. If you wish to know more contact Paul at: president@mifcrv.org

Plastic Cap Project

For some time, we have been collecting plastic caps that are then donated to a charity for the purpose of recycling into park benches. We have a special focus this year, to

provide a memorial bench in honor

of our camping buddy Mike Simmons, who passed away last year.

It takes little effort to make your contribution to this cause. Keep a bag near your recycling bin or trash can and simply collect the caps of items as you dispose of them, then bring them to the next campout, where they will be stored and eventually given to the appropriate collection center for this purpose.

Here are examples of acceptable caps/lids:

- Medicine Bottle Caps
- Drink Bottle Caps
- Milk Jug Caps

Milk Jug Caps

nnaise Jar Lids

- Flip-top caps (ex. ketchup and mustard tops)
- Detergent Caps
- Spout Caps (ex. mustard)
- Hair Spray Caps
- Spray Paint Caps
- Toothpaste Tube Caps
- Ointment Tube Caps
- Deodorant Caps:

Not Acceptable:

- Metal of any kind
- Soap Pumps

- Cottage Cheese Container Lids
- Cool Whip Container Lids
 - Mayonnaise Jar Lids
- Coffee Can Lids
- Yogurt Lids
- Cream Cheese Container
- Peanut Butter Container Lids
- Butter Container Lids
- Ice Cream Bucket Lids
- Trigger Sprayers
- Lotion Pumps

WHAT DIFFERENCE CAN YOU MAKE???

Editor's Note: Maybe MIIFCRV should help with this project and maybe some others?

This is copy of a registration for the 1975 12th ANNUAL FALL CAMPOUT for N.C.H.A. Thank you, Paul Jones, for submitting this!



ADVANCE REGISTRATION

12TH ANNUAL FALL CAMPOUT

N.C.II.A.

MICHIGAN STATE ASSOCIATION

SEPTEMBER 19 - 20 - 21, 1975

HOST CHAPTER'S

#22 Road Runners #96 Static Chasers #137 Happy Wheelers #138 Apollo's #203 Tecpee Dwellers #213 Get-away Gang #248 McMullen Camp-A-Longs

PLACE: Groveland Oaks County Park - Holly, Mi.

FEE: \$2.00 Advance Registration

\$4.00 Camping Fee

(We would appreciate the full \$6.00)

Non-Registered Visitors will be charged upon

entering campground

FACILITIES: Water & Sanitation on grounds
(No Electricity)

CLOSING DATE: August 9, 1975 (Registration limited to 2,000 units)

PLEASE MAKE CHECKS FAYABLE TO: N.C.H.A. Fall Campout 1975

Jim & Linda Sayers 428 E. Parker

Madison Heights, Mi. 48071

· Plance Drint Or Tune Chapter Name & Number # Member at Large N.C.H.A. Member? Chapter Name & Number Do you wish to camp in the handicapped area? Religious Affiliation-Catholic Protestant Other Amount Enclosed Name Address State Campout Patches? How Many Patches reserved until 4:00 PM Children 1-6 7-12 Tecns Number in family___ Please list below The Name, Chapter, Number and ages of all Children 1-12 Attach additional sheet if necessary Please list below the name & Chapter Number of all Teeus Attach additional sheet 11 necessary

Note: Teens must have I. D. to participate in the Teen Activities Planned