



# CELEBRATION NEWS!

hosted by GMC Motorhomes International

Friday, March 24 to Thursday, March 30, 2017

Heart of Oklahoma Exposition Center | Shawnee, Oklahoma

## welcome to the Celebration!

We are so glad that you have decided to attend the **Vintage Motorhomes Celebration** hosted by GMC Motorhomes International (GMCI).

This newsletter will outline some up-to-date information and the tentative schedule.

### **ARRIVING AT THE CELEBRATION**

**Signage** will be placed with arrows indicating where to go for registration. Note the signage will have GMCI on the signs, your host.



**Early arrival?** If your travels are running ahead of time, not a problem. Even if you have not registered for early arrival, simply come on in.

**Caravans**, please contact Kim at 612-501-4600 about 30-45 minutes before expected arrival. We want to be ready to welcome you!

### **TOUR/MEETING REMINDERS**

#### **Oklahoma City National Memorial Bus Tour**

Leaves the grounds at **8:00 am** on **Thursday, March 23** (day before Celebration starts). We have limited space available if you wish to go. Please contact Kim.

#### **The Round House Overalls Tour**

Leaves the grounds at **9:00 am** on **Friday, March 24**. We have limited space available if you wish to go. Please contact Kim.

#### **First timers Orientation Meeting**

Everyone is welcome to attend, but we would especially like to invite attendees attending a GMCI event for the first time. The meeting is scheduled for **3:15 pm** on **Friday, March 24**.

### **NOTES OF INTEREST**

#### **FMCA President, Charlie Adcock Will be Attending**

We are pleased to announce that Mr. Adcock and his wife, Gloria, will be attending the first "Vintage Motorhomes Celebration"! He will be presenting exciting news on the future of FMCA.

#### **Parts Exchange, Craft & Flea Market**

Clean out the garage, shed, craft room and bring them.

#### **Pineblock Derby**

Don't forget to bring your racers. The race is on...who will be the big winners this time?!?!? (Extra racers will be available for those who may wish to race.)

#### **Items for Sale delivered to Shawnee**

Good Royale LP water heater tank for sale (\$25). Cloth headliner. Bought it from Winnebago Industries. It was what they put in their custom built high end motorhomes. Enough to do a GMC with no seams. And all the upper cabinets. Great for reducing road noise. (\$135). Contact Bob Dunahugh at 319-393-8440.

#### **Fantastic Entertainment Scheduled**

In honor of the first "Vintage Motorhomes Celebration" we have arranged for an evening of outstanding entertainment.

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## **TECHNICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS**

### **Slowing Down Your ELECTRIC Winshield Wiper**

Ken Henderson will be presenting a simple, effective, way to reduce the excessive sweep rate of electric windshield wipers. The parts are minimal but Ken would like to know if you need the kit. Please email him at [hend4800@bellsouth.net](mailto:hend4800@bellsouth.net).

## **NON-TECHNICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS**

### **Geocaching | Pokemon**

Do you have GPS on your SMARTPHONE, or own a handheld GPS device? Come to the GEOCACHING workshop. We will get you started looking for hidden treasure as you travel. AND if you would like to impress the grandkids, we can get you started with POKEMON GO. This will be of special interest to the kiddos. Go to [GEOCACHING.COM](http://GEOCACHING.COM), sign up for free account, and get a headstart. See you there!

### **"She Shed"**

Don't forget to bring your craft projects (to make or show). The blankets are easy to do. You don't even have to sew! Just bring one yard of plain fleece and one yard of printed fleece and your scissors. The blankets are donated to local charities. If any of you ladies have a special craft you would like to share, please let Kim know.

### **"MAXINE" Ladies Luncheon**

The Ladies of the Tulsa Lunch Bunch is hosting a Ladies Luncheon in honor of "Maxine" and would like to invite all the ladies to join them.



Wouldn't it be fun to see attendees dressed as Maxine? Or even maybe Floyd, the dog! It is not necessary to dress up, but if you wish, please do. Most importantly join us for a grumpy funtime!

### **"Ladies, Get Behind the Wheel"**

Back by popular demand, Kara Koiser has agreed to hold her informational classroom class. PLUS, the next day she will be conducting an obstacle course to acquaint the ladies with driving your vintage vehicle!

### **Cooking and Stowing in a Vintage Vehicle!**

We are conducting a session on easy cooking and how to stow all of those precious items we need on the road. Bring your favorite crockpot, microwave, etc. recipe and don't forget those ideas for stowing. Recipes will be added to the GMCMI Community Cookbook at [gmcmi.com/community-cookbook/](http://gmcmi.com/community-cookbook/).



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