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# STATE DIRECTOR'S CORNER

## Rick & Kathy Boatwright



### Greeting Campers, Happy New Year

Well, we have come to the end of 2023, and the start of 2024. Before you know it, we will be getting the campers out of bed after a long winter's nap and ready for another camping season.

Chapters should have already finished their 2024 camping schedules and forwarded a copy to us. If you have not sent us a copy of your chapter schedule yet, please do so as soon as possible.

Now that the New Year is upon us, it is time to start planning the Colorado's Spring Fling and Fall Campouts.

**General Membership and Planning Meeting:** Is scheduled for Feb 10, 2024, from 9:00 am to 2:00 pm, at the Christ Episcopal Church, 2950 S. University Blvd, Denver. We hope many of you are planning to attend. If you are looking for changes, this meeting is the time to present your ideas.

Colorado still has several positions open that need to be filled to keep Colorado moving forward. Consider volunteering for one of these positions listed on page 5 of this issue. The positions available only require a few hours of your time a couple of times each year.

Field Directors need to look at there chapter membership rosters and remind the members to pay there dues a few months before it's due. National office is dropping them the month it is due. This will help us all keep the membership current and up to date.

Stay safe and stay warm.

Rick and Kathy Boatwright



## 2024 DATES TO REMEMBER

DATE	EVENT	LOCATION
Jan 12, 2024	Colorado Retiree Luncheon	Masters Restaurant, Colorado National Golf Course 2700 Vista Parkway, Erie, CO
Feb 10, 2024	General Membership and Planning Meeting	Christ Episcopal Church, 2950 S. University Blvd, Denver
Mar 18 - 24, 2024	53rd International Retiree Rally	Mineola Civic Center, Mineola, TX
May 16 - 19, 2024	Colorado Spring Fling	Morgan County Fairgrounds, Brush, CO
Jun 3 - 7, 2024	Colorado State Retiree Campout	Riverview RV Park, Loveland, CO
Jun 23 - 29, 2024	75th International Campvention	Herkimer County Fairgrounds, Frankfort, NY
Aug 16-18, 2024	Field Staff Campout	Parrish Ranch, Berthoud, CO
Sep 22 - 25, 2024	Southern Colorado Retiree Campout	Pueblo South KOA, Colorado City
Sep 26 - 29, 2024	Colorado Fall Campout	Pueblo South KOA, Colorado City

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### FIRESIDE EMBERS CUT OFF DATES

<b>Jan - Feb</b>	<b>Dec 15th</b>
<b>Mar - Apr</b>	<b>Feb 15th</b>
<b>May - Jun</b>	<b>Apr 15th</b>
<b>Jul - Aug</b>	<b>Jun 15th</b>
<b>Sep - Oct</b>	<b>Aug 15th</b>
<b>Nov - Dec</b>	<b>Oct 15th</b>

*Recipes are published when space is available.  
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Recipes must be typed.*

Article submission is for chapters, program chairmen and members who have news or interesting articles or classified ads that they would like to share with the membership.

**Editor:**  
**Teresa Walorski**

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BE REMOVED.**

# 2024 FCRV Board of Trustees Election



This year there are three positions on the Board of Trustees that are up for election; International President, Vice President of Programs, and Recording/Corresponding Officer.

The International President, Gerry Pfirsch, is running unopposed. The sitting Vice President of Programs and the sitting Recording/Corresponding Officer are being challenged by Ed Shaneyfelt and Teresa Walorski.

This issue of the Fireside Embers contains the Biographies and Platform for Gerry Pfirsch, Ed Shaneyfelt, and Teresa Walorski. All five candidate Biographies and Platforms will be in the February and March issues of Camping Today.

**An electronic message will be sent by email to all active FCRV members in March 2024 with instructions on how to vote electronically. The message will be sent to the email address that the National Office has on file. If you have changed your email address in the past few years or are not sure that the National Office has your correct email address, contact Shirley at [Farwest1FCRV@gmail.com](mailto:Farwest1FCRV@gmail.com) to verify your information.**

This Trustee election is one of the most important elections to take place in years. This is the first time in a long time that the current incumbents are being challenged. Why? Because it is time for change. It's time to bring new blood and ideas to the forefront, bring in Trustees that will listen to the members wants and needs, and that standby their platforms.

Make sure your voice is heard and VOTE!!!







**Hoping for your support!**

**Recording/Corresponding Officer –**

**Teresa Walorski**

### **BIOGRAPHY**

Teresa and her husband, Rick, have been married since 2002. Together, they have 5 ‘kids’, 5 grandkids and 1 great grandson. After they purchased a pop-up tent trailer in 2003, they were walking around the RV Show and were introduced to the FCRV Organization. They have been camping with OOPS ever since. Currently, enjoying their Class-A Motorhome and road trips. With OOPS, Teresa has served as President and, currently, the Secretary. Rick and Teresa are the OOPS Field Director. For FCRV, Teresa has been the editor for the Fireside Embers since 2020 and has enjoyed volunteering at different Campvention events. Teresa has been with Mercy Housing since 2005, working with HUD paperwork and vouchers and Tax Credits, auditing low-income files, and has worked with HOAs keeping their minutes and financial statements. With Mercy Housing she can work remotely and sometimes works from the motorhome while camping or on road trips.

### **PLATFORM**

Accurate and consistent record keeping are important to the history of any organization and FCRV is no exception. Currently, I see growth in membership to be the main priority. The generation we are trying to connect with will require some out-of-the-box thinking, planning and implementation on our part. It is hard to know exactly what is needed to bring in more people and to keep them happy and renewing, but working together respectfully is a great start. No one person can know everything, it takes us all working toward the same goal of making FCRV more stable and welcoming. Let’s reach out to those chapters thriving and see what they are doing. Taking in suggestions from all would be eye-opening. We must be more visible, and we have to offer attractive activities for all ages. Keeping school schedules in mind and having activities that include our youth/teens. For our current and future senior members having education in advanced technology, healthy cooking, health in general, computer safety, iPads, Medicare, exercising and such may be welcoming. Road trip ideas, group camping theme ideas, vehicle safety and RV driving instruction (so many women will not get behind the wheel of the motorhome or truck) would benefit us all. We need to set the example of working together respectfully for the good of the organization and having all age groups working together, we learn from each other and **thrive together**.

**We are frequently asked, ‘Why stay with FCRV?’ We let them know that we attend and enjoy more campouts as FCRV members because of the comradery and the fact that we plan our future campouts. This is why we are Lifetime Members of FCRV.**

**I sincerely hope I am given the opportunity to help wherever I can and to apply all my talents to furthering the aim of FCRV. Thank you!**

## Vice President of Program -

### Ed Shaneyfelt



#### BIOGRAPHY

Hello, my name is Ed Shaneyfelt. I am running for Vice President of Programs. I have been involved with NCHA/FCRV since my family joined in the fall of 1971. Through my years I participated in the youth and teen program and made a lot of friends along the way. Still today I am still making friends that become like family. In 1987 I married my lovely wife, Angie. We raised two wonderful children who participated in the programs also. Our daughter Paige was an Indiana state queen, and our son Fletcher was the first National Teen King. I have been involved or in charge of teen sports for the last 15 years. At the State level, I have been Northern rep, Vice President, President, Past President, and current President for Indiana over the last 25 years. Also, I have been serving as the National Campvention Director for the past 9 years.

#### PLATFORM

I am excited to embark on this new journey to make sure FCRV survives for future generations. To do this I believe the focus should be to update our existing programs, to ensure that they are best serving the needs of our existing members as well as benefitting new members as we continue to grow and expand. I am looking forward to working with the Program Directors to get this accomplished, whether it is the CAMP, Conservation, DASAT, Adult, Teen, Youth, or Veterans Programs. I will need to fill some open program director positions that are currently vacant. I understand that I would be responsible for those programs until I can find Directors. With the help of the directors and members, I believe we can create a prosperous future for our organization.

I'm here to represent the membership, please let me know your concerns if I'm elected so your voice will be heard.

Your vote would be greatly appreciated.



## **FCRV International President -**

### **Gerry Pfirsch**

#### **BIOGRAPHY**

Joined FCRV in 2005. I been an involved in function of FCRV as Chapter Officer, Field Director, Northern District Director, Assistant State Director, Regional Director, Co-Chair on two Campventions, and Presi-dent of this wonderful Organization. We have seen challenges and successes. It has been an honor to serve as the International President. We have embarked on moving FCRV into the 21st century. This endeavor has presented us with challenges and growing pains that we must navigate through to be successful. Past experiences in service have proven to be a great asset in serving as President in my second term. I also thank the past Presidents for their reliable council in navigating the future. They are a valued asset and a source of experience. It would be an honor to serve another term as President and thank you for the opportunity to do so.

Gerry Pfirsch  
FCRV International Presiden

#### **PLATFORM**

I would like to thank all my FCRV family for their support during this term as President. We have worked diligently to bring FCRV into the 21st Century and will continue this path to see FCRV succeed. I will always place what is best for FCRV over my personal desire in every decision. I believe that we must listen to what you as members tell us in our decisions and trust that the information you give us is honest and true to form our decisions as your leadership. We try to change identified items as needed and will continue to strive to make FCRV better. Knowing that the work we do will change over time requiring us to look at the future needs for the organization. This is the reason that your continued feedback is needed. It is my greatest desire to see FCRV succeed for another 75 Or 100 years and then some. I would like to say Thank you for your support and help in the future success of FCRV.

Gerry Pfirsch  
FCRV International President

## Trivia

1. What modern U.S. President was born Leslie King, Jr. ?
2. Which U.S. President worked as a tailor and made his own suits?
3. Which U.S. State ignored the Prohibition?

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2. Andrew Johnson 1865—1869
3. Maryland

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## General Membership and Planning Meeting

Date: February 10, 2024

Time: 9:00 am to 2:00 pm

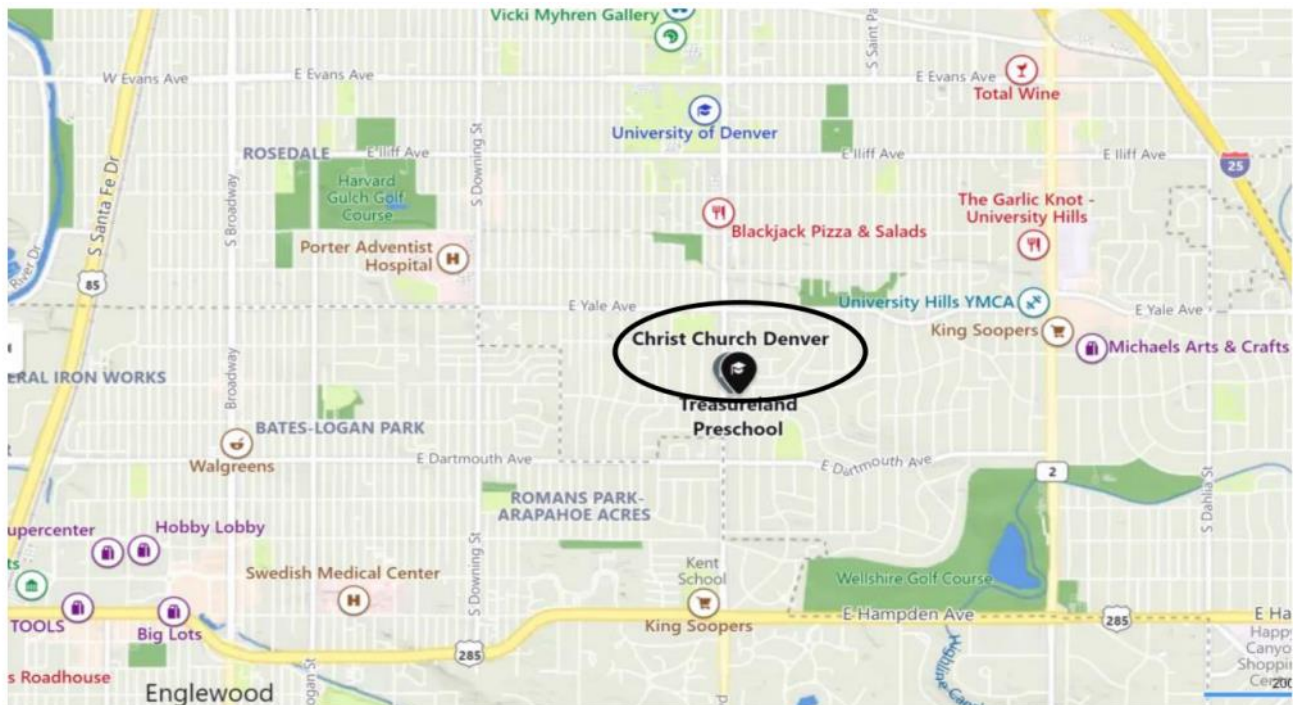
Place: Christ Episcopal Church, 2950 S. University Blvd, Denver

Nearly all of the chapters have completed their elections by this time, so it's time to share those responsibilities with new officers.

- Break out sessions
- Spring Fling Planning
- Fall State Campout Planning
- Colorado Updates
- National Updates

Please come with ideas for a Spring Fling and the Fall State Campout. Also encourage your chapter to volunteer and sign up for some of the activities.

Recommend you bring a sack lunch as we have the room for a limited amount of time and will have a lot of information to cover and discuss. Coffee and ice tea will be furnished.





# *In Remembrance*

It is with a sad heart that I share with you all the news that Elaine Glover passed away on Wednesday, November 29<sup>th</sup> after experiencing a cardiac event. Our family thanks you for your support, prayers, and fellowship as we continue in this journey of grief and learning to move ahead without her.



The Brunner family and OOPS Group lost one of our 'kids'. Jeremy Brunner had been in the OOPS group since he was a youngster with his mom and dad, Ed and Vickie.

He passed away November 9, 2023.

Thoughts and prayers out to Ed.





# CHAPTER NEWS

## Trailblazers

We were very fortunate this year to get reservations at the We RV Champions of La Veta, (formerly Circle the Wagons) for La Veta's yearly Oktoberfest. A BIG Thank You to hosts Jerry and Kathy Ludke and Wayne and Denise Fiedler for a great campout with numerous, fun activities.

Our hosts provided a soup dinner after everyone's Friday arrival, with sides and desserts furnished by the rest of our group. After dinner, member Ron Purvine, accompanied us on his guitar while we sang some of those golden oldies that we know so well! A wonderful end to our evening.

Saturday was Oktoberfest! We had a beautiful fall day to enjoy all the activities in downtown La Veta. There were bands playing and people dancing. They had a German Biergarten, 50+ vendors, food trucks, and more. And lots and lots of



people! We were fortunate to be able to walk over from the RV Park. It was great to see so many people out enjoying the day—all of us included!

Thank you to Paul (co-owner/co-founder of We RV Champions) and his wife, Shana, for providing a pancake breakfast for all of us on Sunday morning. It was much appreciated!



Our hosts outdid themselves again, by providing ham and Swiss sandwiches, along with German potato salad (excellent) for a late lunch/early dinner (AKA LINNER) for all of us. Members provided sides and desserts—we do eat well! LINNER was followed by our monthly meeting and Harvest Bingo. Our hosts went all out on this game and everyone ended up with great prizes!

We all had a wonderful time and a great end to our 2023 camping season. We are in the process of finalizing next year's campouts.

The Trailblazers wish everyone a Happy and Safe 2024, with many new camping adventures ahead.

Submitted by Cathy Vegvary





# CHAPTER NEWS

## Woodland Wookies

The Camping season seems to have flown by! Although a few of The Woodland Wookies are taking advantage of the wonderful weather and have still gone to the great outdoors to camp! October found us at Rainbow Falls, Woodland Park, Surely enjoyed the Fall time season with dressing our dogs up plus put up decorations at camp! When sitting around our campfire a beautiful Fox snuck up! Then for November The Woodland Wookies met at Bourbon Brothers Restaurant & planned our 2024 schedule! Bass Pro in Colorado Springs was conveniently nearby to shop afterwards! Happy Holidays!!





## CHAPTER NEWS

### OOPS

The OOPS Group had our December outing at the Hudson Gardens to see the Christmas Lights. It was cold, but a short walk around, so not too bad. Only two families made it this year, the Walorski's and Christensen's.

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# CHAPTER NEWS

## Weekend Warriors

The Weekend Warriors had a Christmas Potluck and Gift Exchange on December 10th at the home of Rose and Joe Mitchell in Colorado Springs. Great friends coming together to celebrate Christmas. Great food provided by all. The afternoon was topped off with a White Elephant gift exchange. Many thanks to our hosts, Rose and Joe, for opening up their home for this event.



# CHAPTER NEWS

## RV Rascals

Because of diminished membership in their chapters, the RV Rascals and the Rolling Renegades are combining activities in 2024, so our December activity was an opportunity for getting acquainted. In defiance of cold weather ending our camping season, an “indoor picnic” was the theme of the December get together of the two chapters at Bill & Linda Snyder’s house. Following the “picnic” lunch, we “tossed the old ball around” ..... but with this ball, where the catcher’s thumb landed was a *Favorite?* question to be answered; i.e., favorite campground, favorite outdoor sport, favorite childhood toy, favorite leisure activity. A couple more games were played, with winners given night lights (because they were so bright) and losers given car deodorizers (because they stank).



Sixty-five pounds of non-perishable food items and a cash donation brought by our members was later delivered to the Community Food Share food bank.

We hope everyone has a very Merry Christmas and that 2024 will be a GREAT New Year.

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# CHAPTER NEWS

## Rambl'n Recs



November the Rambl'n Recs met up at the Olive Garden where we raised our glasses to good food and great friendship. A BIG thank you to Karen & Ken Fleming for putting this together. New officers were installed. They are President & Secretary – Jim & Kathy Morris; VP – Kathy and Dennis Collins; Treasurer – Brenda & Bob Rivard; Members at Large – Ed & Eva Yekel, and Bobbie DeHaan. A HUGE thank you to exiting President, Rose & Steve Selko, and to exiting Treasurer, Barbara & Joe Ed Newsome.

RR members Red Zyskowski & Mary Ann Ferrie have moved to the Honorary Member List. They're sure going to be missed around the campfire.



December Bob & Brenda Rivard hosted the RR Christmas Potluck in their home. There was a lot of great food to go along with the awesome brisket that the Rivard's provided. The White Elephant gift exchange was a blast! There was a good amount of steals with the gravity salt/pepper shaker winning the prize for most steals. But after all was said and done, I believe everyone went home a happy camper.

Again, thank you Bob and Brenda. We all had a great time!!



*Respectfully submitted by,  
Barbara Newsome*



# Bisquick Pumpkin Bread



## Ingredients

- \* 1/3 cup vegetable oil
- \* 1 cup canned pumpkin
- \* 3 eggs
- \* 2 1/2 cups Bisquick
- \* 1 1/4 cups sugar
- \* 2 teaspoons ground cinnamon
- \* 1/2 cup raisins

## Directions:

- \* Heat oven to 350 degrees
- \* Generously grease bottom of 9x5 loaf pan
- \* Stir all ingredients except raisins in pan with fork until moistened; beat vigorously 1 minute
- \* Stir in raisins
- \* (I also added pecans as I love pecans!)
- \* Bake until toothpick inserted in center comes out clean, 45 to 55 minutes
- \* Cool 5 minutes
- \* Run knife or metal spatula around sides of loaf to loosen; remove from pan
- \* (If loaf sticks to pan, press gently on sides of loaf with knife or metal spatula)



## 52<sup>nd</sup> FAMILY CAMPERS & RVers RETIREE RALLY

**"Horsing Around"**

**March 18-24, 2024**

**Mineola Civic Center**

**1150 North Newsom Street, Mineola, TX 75773**



### REGISTRATION:

Welcome to the 2024 Retiree Rally. Everyone must complete a registration form, including second families staying as a second family in a unit, or off grounds. Submit payment with the completed form. All funds shall be in US currency, including checks and money orders. Please use print when filling out this form.

**\*\*Refund policy:** All but \$35 will be refunded if notice is received before two weeks prior to the rally. After the rally deadline of March 1, 2024, only the camping fee will be refunded. Refunds requested after the rally starts will be made after its conclusion.

Registration deadline: March 1, 2024.

Included in the fee: Full hook-ups, (30/50 amp), ice cream social, 2 dinners, and entertainment.

	<u>Before Deadline</u>	<u>After Deadline</u>	Camp-Pass staying on grounds as second family in a unit.
2 People in Unit	\$330.00	\$365.00	2 People \$200.00
1 Person in Unit	\$300.00	\$335.00	1 Person \$100.00
Camp-Pass staying off grounds			Early Bird Days: March 15-17@ \$40/night.
2 People	\$200.00		Pay upon arrival – cash/check.
1 Person	\$100.00		Will be collected by the treasurer at the registration desk

Last Name: \_\_\_\_\_ First Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Spouse/Other: \_\_\_\_\_

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Is this your first Retiree Rally? Yes ☐ No ☐ Are you a Veteran and what branch? \_\_\_\_\_

Total number of people in Unit: \_\_\_\_\_ We would like to volunteer for: \_\_\_\_\_

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## 2024 Colorado's 37th Spring Fling

May 16 - 19, 2023

Morgan County Fairgrounds - Brush, CO

**Camping Fees: Families \$65 or Singles \$55      At the gate: Families \$70 or Singles \$60**  
After you park, sign-in at the information table in the main building.

Camping fees are for 3 nights and includes a \$25.00 Registration fee

**DAY ONLY: \$5.00 per family.** *When you arrive, please register at the information table in the main building and pay your daily fee.*

This is **DRY Camping**—Water is available, dump station available at the park next to the fairgrounds.

**Two families attending Spring Fling and camping in one unit and/or campsite.**

The 1st family **MUST** submit a registration form & pay the camping fee which includes the \$25.00 registration fee.

The 2nd family **MUST** submit a registration form & pay the registration fee of \$25.00.

**Deadline to pre-register is May 2, 2024**

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	0-5	6-8	9-12	13-15	16-19
Female					
Male					

# of Adults

Anyone plugging into the electrical outlets **MUST** have an electric cord with a size 12 or preferably size 10 wire.

There are limited electric hookups for those with a medical need for electricity.

Handicap spaces will provide a closer location to activities.

**Thursday Social Hour** - Bring a snack to share (ice tea will be furnished)

**Friday Dinner Potluck** - Bring a main dish and a dish to share.

**Camping Fees Enclosed: \$** \_\_\_\_\_

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**Saturday - Enjoy Chapter Potlucks or visit your favorite restaurant in town.**

**Gates will open on Thursday at 10:00 a.m.**

**For Specific Directions to Morgan County Fairgrounds go to the Colorado FCRV Website (Colorado FCRV.com)**  
Go northeast on I-76 out of Denver, take exit 90A and turn right on Colorado. Go south on Colorado to the dead end (two granaries are at the end of the street) and turn right, go one block to the next stop sign, turn left on Clayton St., go left over the railroad tracks, turn right on Ellsworth, go a couple of blocks and turn left into the Fairgrounds.



# Colorado FCRV Retiree Campout

Hosts Carter and Ann Bloomfield

**June 3<sup>rd</sup> -7<sup>th</sup> 2024**  
**Riverview RV Park Loveland CO**

The information as of now.

Sites that are by the river are \$62.00 per day.

Sites not by the river are \$43.55 per day.

**Reservation can be made NOW by phone 970-667-9910 or**  
**You can go online @ [riverviewrv.com](http://riverviewrv.com)**

**Then register with**  
**Carter and Ann Bloomfield at P.O. Box 1564 Sterling CO**  
**80751**

**Registration Fee: Just \$25.00 per person**  
 (used for room rental, etc.)

We will have more info and a schedule later as we get things put together.

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Spouse/Guest \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ ZIP \_\_\_\_\_

Number of persons \_\_\_\_\_

Chapter \_\_\_\_\_ Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Type/length of rig \_\_\_\_\_ Number of slides \_\_\_\_\_

Towing an extra vehicle? \_\_\_\_\_

Total enclosed \_\_\_\_\_

Make check Payable to: Colorado FCRV Retirees



## FAMILY CAMPERS & RVers 2024 CAMPVENTION

**"Celebrating Our Future"**

June 23-29, 2024

Herkimer County Fairgrounds

135 Cemetery Road, Frankfort, NY 13340



### REGISTRATION:

Welcome to Campvention 2024. Everyone must complete a registration form, including second families and camp day passes. Submit payment with the completed form. All funds shall be in US currency, including checks and money orders. There will be room for you if you decide to come at the last minute. Simply bring this registration form with you.

**\*\*Refund policy:** If you are unable to attend, all except \$25 will be refunded AFTER the conclusion of 2024 Campvention.

Registration deadline May 15th - Pay before December 31, 2023, to receive a \$25 discount (\$325.00).

	<u>Registration</u>	<u>At Gate</u>
One Family in the Unit	\$350.00	\$385.00
Extra Family in the Unit (separate pay)	\$180.00	\$200.00
Week Drive-in Day Pass (June 23-29)	\$175.00	\$190.00
Drive-in Day Pass (per day)	\$30.00	\$35.00

Early Bird Days: June 21 and 22 @ \$45/night (pay upon arrival – cash/check) The gates will be open Friday at 12 p.m., Saturday 9 a.m. to 8 p.m., and Sunday 8 a.m. to 12 p.m.

Last Name: \_\_\_\_\_ First Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Spouse/Guest: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State/Province: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip Code \_\_\_\_\_

Phone #: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Is this your first Campvention? Yes ☐ No ☐ Are you a Veteran and what branch? \_\_\_\_\_

Number of people in your unit: Adults: \_\_\_\_\_ Teens: \_\_\_\_\_ Youth: 9 – 12 \_\_\_\_\_ Youth: 5 – 8 \_\_\_\_\_

Total number of people in Unit: \_\_\_\_\_

**\*\*Please list the names and ages of all youth and teens on the back of this form.**

We would like to volunteer for: \_\_\_\_\_

**CAMPVENTION PARKING:** (There will be no special needs sites available at the gate.)

Check if you are requesting a special needs site: \_\_\_\_\_ (Valid Handicap parking proof must be presented upon arrival.)

Please note the LENGTH of camping rig behind type:

Motor Home \_\_\_\_\_ 5<sup>th</sup> Wheel \_\_\_\_\_ Travel Trailer \_\_\_\_\_ Pop-Up \_\_\_\_\_ Number of slide outs \_\_\_\_\_

Electricity: 30 amp \_\_\_\_\_ 50 amp \_\_\_\_\_ (50amp is limited. Handicap first. Then first come, first served.)

**\*\*Bring extension cords. Water available. Bring hoses and Y connectors.**

**MAKE CHECKS PAYABLE TO:** FCRV Campvention

Mail checks and completed forms to:

Susan Fromholzer

137 Crandon Blvd

Cheektowaga, NY 14225

For inquiries please call (716) 359-8949.

Send my confirmation via: Email

Mail

# KIDS KORNER

## Winter Word Search

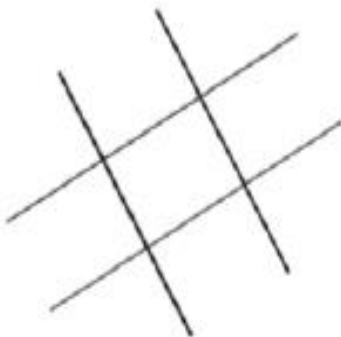


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## **Colorado Retiree Luncheon**

**Masters Restaurant, Colorado National Golf Course  
2700 Vista Parkway, Erie, CO**

**Date: Friday, Jan 12, 2024**

**Time: 11:30 (Please do not go into the clubhouse before 11:25)**

**Cost: \$23.00 per person  
(Covers meal, coffee, tea, or soft drink, tax, & tip)**

**Please RSVP to Carter & Ann at**

**[carterandann@bresnan.net](mailto:carterandann@bresnan.net)**