



Blue Grass Beret E-Newsletter 127 Yard Sale Rally

August 03 - 07, 2011



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Once again David and I will be hosting the 127 Yard Sale Rally at our country estate in Russell Springs, Ky. Whether you are looking for a yard sale treasure, a little time to kick back and relax, or some great food and Kentucky hospitality, you will find it all at

the Bishop estate the first week in August. You will find a detailed itinerary on the last page of this newsletter. Spaces are limited so please call David to make your reservation. Phone:270-866-2831





RECORD TEMPS - SWIMMING POOL - BICYCLES - HOT DOGS - ICE CREAM
WHAT THE HECK IS A SPUD CANNON??

These are just a few of the things that make summer and the Kentucky Unit Grandchildren's rally such a great time. This year we camped out in Elizabethtown, Ky and were busy with activities all week long. We kicked things off Thursday by participating in a guided historic walking tour of E-Town where we got to meet General George Custard, Swedish singer Jenny Lind and former U.S. President James Buchanan.

After breakfast Friday we paid a visit to the Historical Society Museum to follow up on some of the local history. Then everyone was on there own to spend time in the pool, bicycling and a little sun burn before we were off to dinner at Mr. Gatti's Pizza for the pizza, pasta, and salad buffet. Some of the older children spent time launching spuds from Tommy Phipps' potato launcher.



Temperance leader Carrie Nation was walking the street with her Bible and wielding her hatchet at the local barkeep. And one local frontiersmen even threatened to scalp Justin; Lilly helped General John Hunt Morgan lead the crowd in the "Rebel Yell"

There were visits to an antique car museum. And of course time around the campfire complete with a talent show, music and smores.





Thanks to all of our members who attended the Grandchildren's
and made it such a wonderful event.

**What Are You Waiting For?
Join The Fun, Attend A Rally Soon!**



BBQ and Blues in Madison during Aug. 18-21, 2011

Historic Madison will be celebrating ten years of fabulous blues music and barbecue Aug. 19-20 when the Southern Indiana and Kentucky units will be having their joint rally at the Jefferson County Fairgrounds.

Ribberfest has evolved into one of Madison's major attractions and features the Indiana State Championship Barbecue Cook-Off, a kids barbecue competition, a Backyard Barbecue Blast and music by well known blues artists Friday evening and beginning at 11:30 on Saturday.

Ribberfest is just one of many attractions at the Joint Rally.

The Jefferson County Fairgrounds is an excellent facility for a rally with 30 amp electricity and water and a few 50 amp sites. It has a large meeting room with a kitchen.

The Rally will kick off with the Thursday evening dinner that will feature a Baked Potato Bar prepared by the Kentucky Unit. A representative from the Madison Convention and Visitors Bureau will make a presentation at 7 p.m. about what to do in Madison.

Friday will be Madison Day, devoted to exploring this unique and historic community.

Popular attractions in Madison include the Lanier Mansion, the Madison Railroad Station and Heritage Center, the Sullivan House, Dr. Hutchings office, The Costigan House and Schroeder's Saddle Tree Factory.

The morning organized tours will be followed by free time for lunch at a local restaurant and time to explore the Downtown area. Downtown Madison has an abundance of unique and interesting shops. The evening dinner will be a Rally highlight, at the Clifty Falls State Park Inn, which features a bountiful buffet.

Saturday will kick off with a sausage and pancake breakfast prepared by the Kentucky Unit. The rest of the day will be set aside for people to visit Ribberfest or just relaxing around the rally site. Saturday evening will be a pitch-in dinner with the Southern Indiana Unit providing the meat.



INSTALLATION RALLY OCTOBER 06 - 09, 2011

Plans are currently being made for our installation rally to be held at Pride Park in Taylor Mill, Kentucky. This 72 acre park located within minutes to all of the Northern Kentucky/Cincinnati attractions was once a local sheep farm. The park has restrooms, picnic shelters, walking paths and an 18 hole frisbee golf course in addition to very scenic views of the rolling hills of Northern Kentucky.



This will be a back to basics rally with water available to fill your fresh water tanks and very limited electricity. There will be 15amp service for up to four units available to those with medical needs. Additionally we will have a 6500 watt Honda generator to charge batteries when needed.

The hardest part of planning this rally is choosing from all the exciting things to see and do. Possibilities are:

- Newport On The Levee Entertainment District
 - Newport Aquarium
 - B & B Riverboat Lunch Cruise
 - Dinner At Pompilios Italian Restaurant
 - Ice Balls, Home Made Ice Cream Or Chocolates At Schneiders Candy Shop.
 - Cincinnati Museum Center At Union Terminal
 - Visit Cincinnati Findlay Market
 - Have A Beer At The Hofbrauhaus
 - Have You Ever Eaten Goetta For Breakfast?
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RALLY SCHEDULE

All Times Are Central Time Zone

Wednesday 03 August	5:00pm	Happy Hour, Bring Snacks Dinner will be served
Thursday 04 August	7:45am 4:00pm	Breakfast, Shop 127 Leave for dinner in a group
Friday 05 August	7:45am 5:00pm 6:30pm	Breakfast, Shop 127 Happy Hour, Bring Snacks Dinner on the grill. Bring meat and covered dish
Saturday 06 August	8:00am 5:00pm 6:30pm	Breakfast, Shop 127 Happy Hour, Bring Snacks Dinner, Bring covered dish Show & tell. Best buy
Sunday 07 August	8:00am	Breakfast followed by Church service

For each meal, bring silverware, plates, coffee mug or drink.

Water and 30 amp electricity is available. There are fourteen 30 amp plugs available and some will require you to use an extension cord. Please bring all the 30 amp cord you have. Come with empty holding tanks.

DIRECTIONS: Frank Grider Road is located on state road 127 just South of the Cumberland Parkway, exit 127. Look for the salt dome. WBCCI signs will be on the road.

If you have never attended the 127 rally, there are many treasures to be found along with a lot of trash.