



# National United Methodist Campers, Inc.

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NATIONAL RALLY 2022

SEPTEMBER 28-OCTOBER 2

BUSHMAN'S RV PARK—BULLARD, TX

## 1st Vice President

Hello NUMC,

Planning for the national rally to be held the end of September is in full swing. Below I have attached a picture of the design to be on the front of the shirts and a copy of the registration form. Here is some information you may or may not know about the rally.

**When:** official dates are September 28, leaving on October 2.

**Where:** Bullard, TX (south of Tyler), Bushman's RV 903-894-8221

**How much:** Registration fee-\$25, T-shirts-\$23, Polo-\$28, catered meal-\$16, and site (arrange with park) \$35.70/night.

**Mission:** With the executive board hosting we have selected a local Bullard Mission. Bullard Mission House and Mission Clinic was started in 2004 by Hazel Mason as a mission project of First United Methodist Church in Bullard. They fully rely on God to meet all their needs. They have four volunteer doctors and four or more volunteer nurses that provide care

through the clinic. Over the years they have grown to occupy a five thousand square foot building to meet their needs. They have a food pantry, clothes closet and meet seasonal needs - school supplies and Christmas. We will be collecting an offering when Hazel Mason comes to speak to us. If you feel led to donate clothing any size infant to adult, or canned goods, feel free to do so. All donations are very much appreciated.

We are trying to make it simple, so we will not be having special entertainment. This is the weekend (Friday recommended) for Canton's "First Monday" and we are close to Tyler and Jackson. Most of all we want to just get together with near and far friends-talk, roam around, and play games. We will have a few contests.

You still have time to register, but the park will be releasing some of our sites as we get closer to the date.

Dixie

1<sup>st</sup> VP





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# MEMBERSHIP SECRETARY

The current membership is 108 member numbers. We have added 3 new members since the first of the year, hope more join before the national rally so we can have an even bigger crowd. Has everybody received their registration forms and made their reservations? If not, you can contact Dixie & Terry Hines or me to get the information. It's HOT in Texas now but the first part of October should be great. Hope to see everybody at the Rally.

Harold Darling





Brothers and Sisters in Christ (and in camping)

The last couple of years have been difficult. Hard on our lives, our camping and our pocketbooks. But we have a God and a Christ and a Spirit that strengthens us and comforts us, and that brought us through all we have experienced.

In the months ahead we have been given the opportunity to be together with friends again since so many of the past restrictions on our lives have been lifted. We are once again able to share our lives in the wonder of God's world.

Until we see you again may your lives receive the blessing of God's love and the blessing of safe travel as we come together to enjoy God's beautiful creation.

Happy Trails,

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# National Treasurer

NUMC  
NATIONAL TREASURER'S REPORT

2-28-22	\$16,809.70
Dues Collected	\$ 200.00
No Expenses	
5-31-22	\$17,009.70



## Publicity Secretary

At the end of December of 2022 I will be resigning both of my positions on the Executive board: Publicity Secretary and Historian.

Please consider taking on one of these positions.

NEXT DEADLINE FOR THE NEWSLETTER IS: **September 15, 2022**

Crystal Jackson

## CHAPTER 1 - CONNECTICUT

Our chapter is struggling with attendance at our monthly camping weekends, due to a reduction in active camping families, some illnesses and work conflicts. Our May campout was held at Nelson's Family Campground in East Hampton, CT and attended by 3 families and one visitor family. One of the attending families has a seasonal site at this campground. Our June campout was held at Partridge Hollow Family Campground in Monson, MA with only one family in attendance. We only had two families who can commit to a July campout, so we elected to cancel that upcoming outing. We have reservations for an August gathering at Nelson's Family Campground again and expect 4 families in attendance. Our early September campout has two confirmed families and one visitor family for Oak Haven Family Campground in Wales, MA at this time. Our late September/early October campout will be a topic of discussion in August, due to expected low attendance as well.

We are looking forward to our August outing with four families! Our chapter has some members who are experiencing health issues, and we pray for healing and wellness for them all.

Below is our remaining monthly camping schedule for 2022:

August 12-14, 2022– Nelson's Family Campground, East Hampton, CT

September 9-11, 2022 – Oak Haven Family Campground, Wales, MA (Brimfield Antique Fair weekend)

September 30-October 2, 2022 – Charlie Brown Campground, Eastford, CT

Daphne Adams

3" Letters and Numbers (Black).....	\$1.50 each
Bumper stickers+++++	\$2.50
NUMC Cloth Patches.....	\$2.00 each
NUMC 4" decals+++++	\$3.00 each
NUMC 8" decals.....	\$3.50 each
NUMC Cap (Royal w/embroidered logo)	\$10.00
NUMC Cap (Lt. blue w/mesh top).....	\$10.00

Visors (Lt. blue w/stamped logo)+++++	\$9.00
Visors (Royal w/embroidered logo).....	\$10.00
Chapter flag 3' X 5'+++++	\$45.00



Carolyn Carter—National Storekeeper

Have any questions or need anything  
please contact her at:

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## CHAPTER 13 - KYMETH KAMPERS - KENTUCKY

### 2022 CAMPING SCHEDULE

July 22-24 ————— Spring Mills, IN

August 26-28 ————— The Narrows, Barron River

September 23-25 ————— Taylorsville Lake

October 21-23 ————— Kendall Campground, Cumberland Lake



## CHAPTER 21 - TRINITY TRAVELERS

Six families of the Trinity Travelers got together in May at Miller's Creek RV near Johnson City and enjoyed the company of each other. The campers welcomed two of our non-campers and one past member.

In June we gathered in Lexington at Sonny's RV park. This is where we welcomed our newest member family - Robert and Valera Gaertner into our chapter. We are struggling with the Texas summer heat, but have not stopped camping.

While gathering at Oakwood RV in Fredericksburg with Chapter 19.

## CHAPTER 18 - NEW YORK

### 2022 Camping Schedule

**JULY 11 – 14, 2022 - Bowman Lake State Park, 745 Bliven Sherman Rd, Oxford, NY**

**AUGUST 5 – 7, 2022 - Al Rood's, 1879 Pierce Creek, Binghamton, NY**

**AUGUST 22 – 27, 2022 - Rock Mt. Bible Camp, 1156 Rock Mountain Drive, Susquehanna, PA**

**SEPTEMBER 19 - 24, 2022 - Albany, NY - More information to follow**

**OCTOBER 3 – 6, 2022 - Pine Valley Campground, 600 Boswell Hill Rd, Endicott, NY**

**NOVEMBER 4, 2022 - Jane's Diner, 591 Conklin Road, Binghamton, NY**

**DECEMBER - No meeting**

### 2022 Chapter 18 officers

President – David Houghtalen

Vice President – Clair Jones

Secretary – Betty Jones

Treasurer – Debbie Williams

Chaplain – David Snitchler

Chaplain Emeritus - Leland Moses

Wagon Master – Betty Jones





## Chapter 19– Hill Country Roadrunners

Chapter 19 continues to be a strong group. We camped at Camp of The Hills in Marble Falls in May and presented the staff with 130 completed totes and draw-string bags for the campers coming this summer. They told us they have four groups coming this summer and they average 75-90 kids at each session. That means we have our work cut out for us next year to provide even more bags for the kids. We also volunteered during our stay by organizing their craft room, cleaning windows, making ready several cabins and repairing guttering. They give us lots of “jobs” while we’re there and it is such a joy to help out these wonderful folks.

We are camping next at Oakwood RV Park in Fredericksburg, TX on July 13-16. This is one of the joint campouts with other Texas Chapters joining us as they are able. We look forward to seeing friends and getting back to making our bracelets that we sell (profits going to Camp of The Hills).

September 7-10 we are camping at Freedom Lives RV Resort on Lake Buchanan. We’ve been there before and are looking forward to returning.

We have gained two new members this year which gives us hope for our future as a Chapter and truly are a family, loving each other and offering support in each individual’s times of need. We are blessed and grateful to God.

Trish Rowe

Newsletter Editor





## CHAPTER 22 - NORTH FLORIDA

Chapter 22 started our 2022 camping schedule traveling to Cedar Key, Florida in March. We had four member rigs attend, and another member couple stayed at a motel in town. We had 2 visitors who joined us for our group meal. We enjoyed the island breezes, the gulf water view from our campsites, and the company of wonderful friends.

Our April-May campouts were combined and back-to-back. Our first stop was at Gulf State Park in Gulf Shores, AL. We had 5 member rigs attend and a member couple stayed close by in a local motel. It was a fun filled trip, we ate local seafood, played cards, and laughed a lot. We then traveled 35 miles northeast and stayed at a Five Flags RV Park in Pensacola, FL. Again, we ate local seafood, played cards, and laughed till we hurt. Our group meals at both campgrounds were thoroughly enjoyable. The weather was perfect, breezy, and comfortable. We planned a group trip to Fort Pickens, Gulf Islands National Seashore, an historic American Revolution military fort. We got a wonderful surprise, we saw the Blue Angels practicing, what a performance we were able to see! It was a highlight to our trip and a great ending to a 10-day camping trip!