

## NRV Central States News July 17, 2007

### Membership Dues

Please send your **\$10 check**, payable to **Central States RV**, for the June 2007-May 2008 club dues to:

**Bill Maher, Treasurer, 12541 McGee St., Kansas City, MO 64145**  
(telephone: 816-943-6488)

**Be sure to notify us of any changes in e-mail or phone numbers!!**

### Voting

In response to the **change in By-Laws** which would allow previous members to become Alumni members, there have been **32** yes votes and **0** no votes. If we receive no dissenting views within the next two weeks, this will be passed and previous members will be invited to come back to the club.

### Upcoming Rallies

The **Fall Rally** will be held at the Missouri State Fairgrounds in Sedalia, MO on **Sept. 22-25**. This will be prior to the Six-State Rally which is Sept. 25-28. When you register with FMCA for the South Central Area Six-State Rally, tell them you are a member of the National RV Central States Chapter. The club with the most coaches there will get preferred seating for the evening entertainment.

We have reservations made for full hookups at \$15/day, or \$45 for the three days of our pre-rally, which you will pay as you enter the fairgrounds. Shirley & Harry Griffiths and Robbie & Matt Fricke will be hosting our rally. More information will be sent as it is available.

Some of you may be going to the National RV Owner's Club rally in Pendleton, OR on August 6-9. That precedes the FMCA Convention in Redmond, OR on August 13-16. Betty & Gene Dunn are planning to go to both. Gene is our National Director to FMCA. Are any other club members planning to attend?

Our next **Spring Rally** and election of officers will be held at the Cedar Oaks RV Resort in Grove, OK on **May 19-22, 2008**. Nancy Ling, one of our charter members, volunteered to host this rally and has reservations made and planning almost completed. Bronwen Soukup volunteered to assist. It sounds like a great rally and one that you won't want to miss. Be sure to put it on your calendar and schedule other things around it.

**Correction:**

There was an error on the Social Regions map for the Northeast Region which was e-mailed to you at the end of June. Bud & Sally Cooper's home phone # should be: **636**-327-5663.

**Website:**

Bill Gent reports that those members who sent in their votes on the website format gave him a good idea of what the club wants. He is ready to begin adding content so it will soon be ready.

**Lifetime Membership**

At our May rally in Branson, it was proposed to present Howard Marr, our founder and previous president, with a lifetime membership in our club. Bill Maher, Treasurer, presented the plaque to Howard at his home in Independence, MO. This is Howard's reply:

*Thank you again for the beautiful plaque. It is so exceptional to feel so appreciated for the years that Rosie and I spent serving as club officers. Every time I look at the wall I feel blessed to have been so actively involved in this group of great people. Rosie and I made so many close friends who continue to call and keep in touch as we have been going through our recent medical concerns.*

*Tell everyone thanks!! We hope to be able to again meet with the group soon. In our absence please tell everyone hello.*

*God Bless!  
Howard Marr*