



## **FLORIDA ROADRUNNERS CHAPTER NEWSLETTER DECEMBER, 2021**

From the President's Rig:

Hello to all you Roadrunners out there. I hope all is well with everyone. If not, please let Sarah, our Cares and Concerns person, know so she can spread the news and put you in our prayers.

We had a great muster at Flint River RV Park in Bainbridge, GA in November. Jackie and David Weis did a great job hosting, and David Brantley, the RV Park owner, put on an outstanding fish fry for us with flathead catfish freshly caught out of the Flint River. Those that weren't there missed a good one!

The newsletter that Sarah has so graciously taken over may not be as fancy as our previous ones but will still be informative. The registration form for coming musters will not be in the newsletter. You will have to sign up on the National Website. I will be updating the National Website as new musters are planned. After you sign up on the website, the information will automatically be sent to the host to tell them that you will attend the muster. Then you must send your check directly to the host who will be looking for your hard-earned money to make your reservation complete.

Please sign up for upcoming musters, ESPECIALLY the 2022 Southeast Regional in April! We are the hosts for the event and need your support. Our busy Muster Master, Tony Korvas, has secured places for all of our 2022 musters.

Hope to see you in Folkston in January. Have a wonderful holiday season.  
Steve Colt

## Muster Information

### **January 19-23,2022**

Jenny Ridge RV Park  
2790 2nd Street South  
Folkston, GA 31537  
phone: (912)496-1172

Located on US 1-301  
No arrivals allowed before 1 P.M. or after  
5:30 P.M.  
Hosts: Jack and Catherine Webb

### **March 9-13, 2022**

Southern Retreat RV Park  
7445 Blythe Island HWY  
Brunswick, GA 31523  
phone: (912) 261-1025 ask for Bonnie

Hosts: Tony and Cathy Korvas

### **April 11-16, 2022**

Southeast Regional Muster  
Southern Palms RV Resort  
1 Avocado Lane  
Eustis, FL  
phone: (352) 357-8882

Hosts: the Florida Roadrunners  
Registration on line **only**. Fees and  
parking for April 11-16 must be paid  
when you register. Any other days must  
be arranged and paid for directly to the  
RV park.

### **May 11-15, 2022**

Cedar Key RV Resort  
11980 SW Shiloh Road  
Cedar Key, FL 32625  
phone: (352) 543-5097

Host: Tom Slattery  
Co-hosts: John Meyers and Barbara Martin

### **September 22-26, 2022**

SMART National Muster  
Gillette, Wyoming

### **November 11-15, 2022**

(Tentative) Blueberry Hill RV Park  
Bushnell, FL

**Host needed.** Contact  
TonyKorvas (321) 750-4992

FLORIDA ROADRUNNERS CHAPTER MINUTES  
NOVEMBER 13 2021  
FLINT RIVER RV PARK, BAINBRIDGE, GA

The meeting was called to order at 9:55 a.m. by the President, Steve Colt

The invocation was given by David Weis.

The Pledge of Allegiance was said by all members and guests.

The President welcomed our guests Randy and Michelle Girven. He also noted then welcomed new members John and Jeanne Bradford, past national president, David Weis, and southeast regional chairman Leroy Armacost.

Roll call by Sarah Colt in the absence of the Secretary

Those present were: Leroy and Shelene Armacost, Jerry Barson, John and Jeanne Bradford, Steve and Sarah Colt, Don and Sandy Henry, Tony and Cathy Korvas, Frank and Elizabeth Petsch, Tom Slattery, Evelyn Stewart, William and Ria Thaw, Jack and Catherine Webb, and David and Jackie Weis.

Leroy Armacost made a motion to accept the previous meeting's minutes as posted. Motion carried

The Treasurer, Evelyn Stewart announced that the Treasurer's Report was posted on the bulletin board.

Vice President: Jim Gorman has submitted his resignation as Vice President and Jerry Barson has been appointed by the President to complete his term.

Secretary: In the absence of the secretary, Becky Pinette, the minutes were recorded by Sarah Colt.

Cares and Concerns Committee: Sarah Colt read a text from Donna Springer thanking everyone for their thoughts and prayers. Frank Pinette is having some health issues.

Muster Master, Tony Korvas reported that the job is getting more difficult as campgrounds are difficult to reserve in the winter and prices are going up.

However, all musters for 2022 have been lined up as follows:

January 19-23, 2022- Jenny Ridge RV Park in Folkston, GA. \$35.00 per night.

March 9-13, 2022-Southern Retreat in Brunswick, GA. #37.00 per night.

Ask for Bonnie when making reservations. Tony and Cathy Korvas will host.

Southeast Regional Muster April 11-16, 2022 Southern Palms RV Resort, Eustis, FL

May 11-15, 2022- Cedar Key RV Resort, Cedar Key, FL

July 2022 NO MUSTER

September 22-26 -Gillette, Wyoming

November 11-15 – Bluberry Hill RV Park, Bushnell, FL

Tony announced that we have no hosts yet for any of these musters.

Jack and Catherine Webb volunteered to host in January

Tony and Cathy Korvas volunteered to host in March

Tom Slattery volunteered to host in May and John Meyers/Barbara Martin volunteered as co-hosts.

Hosts are still needed for the November muster.

Tom Slattery gave a report on the Standing Rules Committee comprised of Tom Slattery, Jack Webb, and Leroy Armacost.

Rule #8- the muster fee is raised from \$10.00 per person to \$15.00 per person.

Rule#14 – two \$50.00 door prizes will be donated annually to the Southeast Regional Muster and the same amount will be donated annually to the National Muster.

Rule#15 A- A bell will be rung and names announced for our deceased members at the November muster each year.

Jack Webb made a motion to accept the changes to the Standing Rules. The motion carried.

#### OLD BUSINESS:

Traditionally the chapter donates \$100.00 to the surviving spouse when a chapter member dies. In the case of the Annarummas there being no surviving spouse, a plant costing \$50.00 was purchased and taken to the services for the chapter by John Meyers.

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Steve Colt still has 2 gift cards that were for the 202 Oklahoma National Muster which was cancelled. These will be donated to the 2022 National Muster in Wyoming. Steve also suggests that we give cash instead of cards to the Regional Muster.

Steve Colt addressed the problem of getting members to volunteer as hosts for a muster.

It was suggested that we form a committee to make recommendations on this issue.

David Weis suggested having a one-day muster at a restaurant.

Catherine Webb says she enjoys hosting if the campground has a good kitchen.

Tony Korvas noted that hosts can either cook, send out, or have pot luck dinners.

David Weis asked why people don't host. Shelene Armacost suggested that the reason is that people in the chapter are all getting older and many have health problems.

**NEW BUSINESS:**

David Weis, Muster Master for the Southeast Regional, hosted by our chapter, wants to have a meeting after this one. He will ask for volunteers. A registration form will be on-line shortly. He requests members to please register quickly.

**GOOD OF THE CHAPTER:** The 2023 National Muster will be in Amana, Iowa. The 50/50 prize was won by Catherine Webb  
The Benediction given by David Weis  
Jackie Weis made a motion to adjourn. The motion passed. Meeting adjourned at 10:33 a.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Sarah Colt for Secretary Becky Pinette

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## **December 2021/January 2022 Birthdays**

December

John Blanchard  
Jim Gorman  
Barbara Olsson  
Frank Pinette  
Jack Webb

January

John Olsson  
Larry Shields  
Evelyn Stewart  
Sandy Henry



## How to Register for a Muster Online Step by Step Instructions

1. On your computer go to [smartrving.org](http://smartrving.org).
2. Click on members only.
3. Put in your SMART number
4. Put in your password (or create one and click “Sign In”)
5. Click on FL Roadrunners
6. Scroll down to “FL Roadrunners Muster Schedule”.
7. Click on the event you want to register for—example, Jan. 19-23, Folkston, GA
8. Click on the word “Register”. You will see information about the Muster.
9. Check your “Member Profile” and make corrections if needed. Scroll down to “Registration” and fill in the blanks with your information.
10. Click the “Accept” box beneath the Liability Release.
11. Click “Submit”. You will see your receipt. Check it for accuracy.
12. Print your receipt and mail it with your check to the host whose name and address are given.
13. You are done! Congratulations. You should now be able to register online for Southeast Regional and National Musters too!

Apologies to those who already know how to do this. I hope it is helpful to those who are registering on-line for the first time.

