

# BLUE RIDGE LEDGER

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## COMMENTS FROM THE VICE-PRESIDENT



The Fall Rally in Orange Beach, Al. was wonderful and enjoyed by all. If you did not attend you missed a magnificent time. The rally was held at Pandion

Ridge RV Resort and was hosted by the Pinkerton's (both families) and the Blaher's. Everyone had an enjoyable tour of the Naval Air Museum at Pensacola, FL only to be topped off by a sea food shopping extravaganza at Joe Patti's Seafood. There was plenty of time to relax and do nothing or to go out and see the area.

Upon completion of the rally eight coaches caravanned for three days to attend the DOAI National Rally in Shawnee, OK. The travel days, lead by our chief Recon leader were relaxing and quite enjoyable as we saw an area of the country many of us had never seen and probably never will see again.

National was a time to meet new friends and old acquaintances. For Katy and I, the highlights were the tour of Oklahoma City (including the bombing site and museum) and the

.If you have not registered for the Spring Rally, note the registration form and agenda on Pages [22 & 23](#)

evening entertainment. One night we had Lee Marvin Adams, a comedian, and the next night we had Gary Owen, ventriloquist, better known as Daris Lynne Farmer's (America's Got Talent Winner 2017) instructor and mentor. Both were fantastic.

Our next rally is in Savannah, GA, April 17-22, 2018 at Creekfire RV Motor Ranch. A good time is planned with tours available, Gospel boat cruise (for early arrivers), and lots to do and things to see. See the Rally Agenda and Sign-up Sheet included in the newsletter.

Hope to see you'll at the SE DOAI Rally at Lazyday's in January and in Savannah.

We wish everyone safe and happy travels and a great holiday season.

*Tom Leydic*

**Tom Leydic**

Vice-President

Blue Ridge Discoverys

### SPECIAL POINTS OF INTEREST

*FMA-DOAI*

*Seffner, FL (Lazy Days)  
22 Jan 2018-2 Feb 2018*

*Blue Ridge Spring Rally  
Creekfire RV Motor Ranch  
Savannah GA  
17-22 Apr 2018*

*DOAI National Rally  
Elkhart IN  
10-16 Sep 2018*

*Blue Ridge Fall Rally  
Bowling Green, KY  
17-23 Sep 2018*

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GLENDA ANGUS

**MEMBERSHIP**

JIM PINKERTON

# Secretary Report

**BLUE RIDGE DISCOVERY FALL RALLY BUSINESS MEETING**

**October 5, 2017**

**PANDION RIDGE RV RESORT, ORANCE BEACH, ALABAMA**

President Richard Money called the meeting to order at 4:15. He led the group in the recitation of the Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag. Pres. Money thanked the hosts, Jim and Kathy Pinkerton, Kerry and Carolyn Pinkerton, Rick and Diana Blaher, and Rick Delaune and Malise Prieto for their efforts in providing the club with a wonderful rally.

Pres. Money thanked the officers for their service to the club. He especially thanked Tom Leydic for his assistance in filling in for him during this time of need. Pres. Money also thanked Kerry Pinkerton for his work as the South East Vice President.

Secretary's Report: Secretary Linda G. Terrill read the minutes from the April 2017 Rally at the Outer Banks. Bob Angus moved the minutes be accepted. Mike Hopkins seconded the motion. The motion carried.

Treasurer's Report: Treasurer Mike Hopkins reported a balance of \$7,273.20 on hand. He reported the expenses from the Orange Beach, Alabama rally were not included in the balance on hand. He did report the club had \$3,000.00 in a savings account which was included in the total balance on hand. He will provide an accurate accounting when all the expenses incurred with the Orange Beach rally are presented. Bob Angus moved to accept the treasurer's report. Bill Humphrey seconded the motion and the motion carried.

Pres. Money reported the by-laws require an annual audit of the club's treasury books. The books were audited and there were no problems with the accounting. The books are in good standing.

Rally Master Report: Bob Angus reported the 2018 Fall Rally is still not confirmed. He has approached a KOA in Bowling Green, KY and is waiting to make final plans. He said further information will be coming.

He discussed the Rolling Rally from Orange Beach, Alabama to the National Rally in Shawnee, Oklahoma. He turned the plans over to Frank Cason. Frank obtained a show of hands of coaches participating in the rolling rally. He passed out a schedule for those participating. He reminded those coach drivers it would take 3 days to reach Shawnee. Mike Hopkins interjected the matters of the 1st stop's campground layout. He discussed what difficulties the drivers might encounter concerning the power, water and sewer. All the rolling rally participants were alerted to these issues. The plans are for the rolling rally to depart from Pandion Ridge RV Resort at 9:00 on 10/05/2017.

Spring 2018 Rally: Tom and Katy Leydic reported the Spring 2018 rally is scheduled for Creek Fire RV Resort in Savannah, Georgia. Early check in begins on 04/15/2018. The rally officially begins on April 17, 2018. The first night meal of the rally is a potato bar and salad bar. A catered meal is scheduled later in the week as a "Low Country Boil". Katie asked those people who are allergic to shrimp to please contact her so she can arrange an alternative meal.

Tom reported there are a lot of activities we can partake in during the week. Members will be pretty much on their own for activities, but he provided the members with several informal activities. There will be a golfing day for those who desire to play. There is a trolley system available for use from the campground to town and back. Rick Blaher gave some pointers on utilizing the trolley system.

Tom said at this time the campground is still not completed but he is staying in close contact with the campground in order to finalize the plans for the Spring 2018 rally. Further information will be available to the club in January. Tom and Katy will try to provide more information to Glenda Angus for the December 2017 Newsletter.

Pres. Money discussed the possibility of Blue Ridge Discovery hosting either the National or South East Rally in 2019. Frank Cason discussed Blue Ridge Discovery hosting the National Rally possibly in Sevierville, TN. Frank has a history with River Plantation RV Resort in Sevierville, TN. He emphasized the importance of planning the rally now and involving all the members for the function. He said the National Rally is an undertaking and can be very time consuming if all the members are not involved. The decision as to which rally Blue Ridge Discovery's will host will be decided in Shawnee.

Old Business: NONE

New Business:

Mike Hopkins discussed the Facebook Group which is a closed group. Several old members no longer own coaches but are still in the group and participating in discussions. Mike wanted the club to determine whether or not those individuals should continue to be members of the Facebook Group. Bill Johnson (GA) moved to allow previous owners to continue to participate. Bill Humphreys seconded the motion and the motion carried.

Pres. Money announced next fall is when election of new officers takes place. Jim Pinkerton has agreed to head the nominating committee. Pres. Money encouraged the membership to participate in the selection process.

Dick Delaune thanked Blue Ridge Discovery on behalf of Malise and himself for welcoming them to the club. He announced they were leaving after dinner in an attempt to prepare their home for the impending hurricane heading for Louisiana.

Pres. Money announced there was no further business to discuss. Frank Cason moved the meeting be adjourned. Bob Angus seconded the motion. The motion carried and the meeting was adjourned at 4:45 p.m.

*Linda G. Terrill*

Respectfully submitted,  
Linda G. Terrill, Secretary



# Secretary Report

**BLUE RIDGE DISCOVERYS  
National Rally, Shawnee, OK  
14 October 2017**

The meeting was called to order by the Vice President Tom Leydic at 4:30 p.m., 14 October 2017. The group recited the Pledge of Allegiance. New members, Beverly Kaiser, Angel and Teresa Rodriguez Don and Chris Muskopf, and Bill & Ruth Johnson were introduced to the members. It was noted that Ruth and Bill are not really “new” anymore and we have met Angel and Theresa at several of our rallies and they are now “official.”

Secretary Report: None

Treasurer’s Report: Treasurer Mike Hopkins reported that he now has an accurate accounting for expenses and income since our rally at Pandion Beach. He has received \$37.50 for new members. Our expenses were \$1322.07 for the rally and we had an income of \$1750.00, giving us a profit of \$427.93. Our current balance for Blue Ridge is \$6727.94. There were no corrections to the report.

Old business: There was no old business

New Business: Kerry Pinkerton indicated that he had volunteered Blue Ridge to host the 2020 National Southeast Rally at River Plantation in Sevierville, Tennessee. It was determined that this rally would not be in the Southeast in 2019 as previously discussed at Orange Beach. It was made clear that we will be exempt from the Southeast Rally the year after. Dick Tracy said that Mason-Dixon or Florida would step up and that there would not be a problem in changing the rotation in Seffner. Frank Cason was in charge of the last National Rally held in Sevierville and he stated that he would assist in detailing the budget and jobs necessary to be a host. It is a lot of work but there is a number of activities around the area and we had a good turnout at the rally he hosted. Bob Angus was previously appointed the Rally Master by our President, Richard Money, and Frank will assist him. Frank will get with management at River Plantation and see what we can work out. Discussion ensued by members.

Rally Master Report: Bob Angus stated that he is still looking at having our fall rally in Kentucky and will keep the members posted when he has more details. Mike Weiher is checking in to some campgrounds. Bob asked Tom and Katy Leydic to give us an update on our Spring Rally in Savannah. They are looking in to a River Cruise on Monday Night which includes a black gospel group and dinner. The cost is tentatively \$59 per person. Tom and Katy hope to have details worked out before our next newsletter is published around Christmas.

There being no further business to discuss, Frank Cason made a motion to adjourn the meeting and it was seconded by Angel Rodriques. The motion carried and the meeting was adjourned at 4:55 p.m.

Respectfully submitted  
Glenda M. Angus  
For  
Linda Terrell  
Secretary

# Dues Notice!

It is time once again to renew your Blue Ridge Discoverys membership.

Dues are \$15 per year and collected every two years in the amount of \$30. Collecting dues every other year reduces record keeping and eliminates the need for members to write checks yearly.

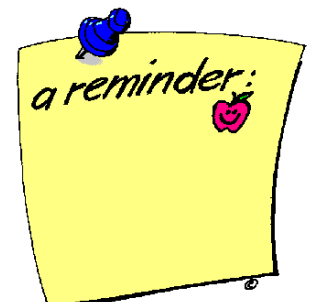
Payment for all members are due at this time.

Please mail your \$30 check in time to be received no later than January 31, 2016 in order to maintain your BRD membership. Your check should be made payable to BLUE RIDGE DISCOVERYS and mailed to:

Mike Hopkins  
5753 Hwy 85 N #4444  
Crestview, FL 32536

If you will be attending the DOAI rally in Seffner, you may turn in your dues check to Mike there.

(Mike Hopkins)





# What Refrigerator?

My original GE refrigerator lasted 7 years and worked flawlessly. Then at a Blue Ridge rally in Alabama, it quit. Frank had made a platform to roll it out of its cubby hole and he gave it to me to make removal easy. I contacted GE and had a service man come to diagnose the problem. He said that the evaporator coil had leaked out all the Freon and needed to be replaced. I indicated that taking the fridge in and out was a chore, and we should just order all new parts to make it brand new again. He did so, and took a \$50.00 deposit to get the parts shipped. When they came in another GE tech came to install the parts. He was a novice and screwed up the soldering. Plus he used compression fittings on the evaporator coil which resides in the freezer and that was a no-no. He should have soldered the new evaporator coil in like the old one was. He also did not purge the system to remove any blockage. When he was done he could not get it to take a Freon charge. He was under a time constraint and left telling me he would be back next week. My coach resides in a garage, so it was no big deal to wait. He came back and botched it again and this time told me it was un-repairable. I was furious and let GE know how disappointed I

was. They said no big deal we will give you a break on a new refrigerator. Removing the fridge was a chore. First you have to take all the screws out of the driver's side window. Then carefully cut the caulk and with a helper, John Barry, push the window out! Next find as many volunteers as you can to lift the old fridge out the window. Oh and use a forklift to catch the thing. It will only fit through with the doors removed, and I took all the other stuff out to make it lighter. Then reverse the procedure with the new refrigerator. Take

note that the steering wheel is in the way, so it is a tricky situation to maneuver the fridge so

that it clears the wheel and doesn't hit the ceiling. Then take the volunteers to lunch! Next we had to wait 24-48 hours to let the compressor oil flow back to where it needs to be in order for the refrigerator to work. Hook up the water and plug it in and then run a bunch of water through the dispenser so that the water you get is ok to drink. The new whirlpool fridge fits perfectly and gives me the same 22.4 cubic feet of storage. It got to zero on the freezer side in about an hour. The refrigerator side got to 30 degrees in the same time and I have adjusted the fridge side to maintain a little less than 40 degrees. Thanks to my helpers and Frank for the use of his platform.









Richard and Jean Money's 10 year old granddaughter Paige broke her leg playing soccer. No one wants to miss Halloween. The family found a clever way for her to manage trick or treating.

(Richard & Jean Money)





# Do you need more help?

How many Blue Ridgers does it take to fix an RV??



Courtesy of Katy Leydic

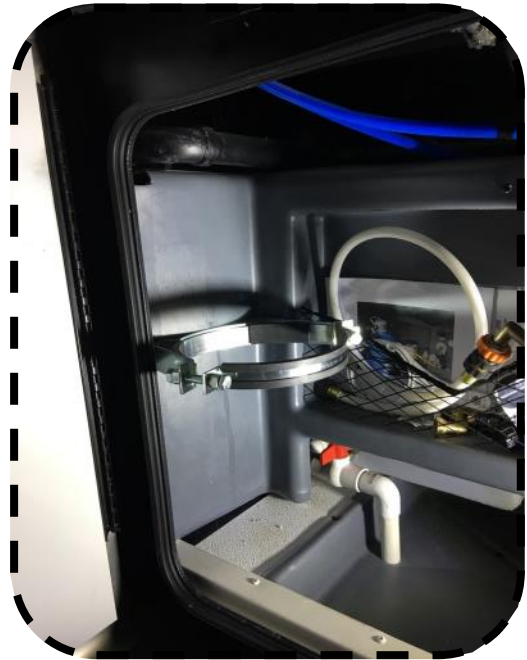
Jim Pinkerton, Kerry Pinkerton, Tom Leydic –and are those sets of feet Frank Cason and Henry Terrill?

# Design Pro!

As you may know, several of our members purchased new RVs. Looks like they are already making modifications —Of course that would be Frank Cason and Bob Angus! Who needs a water softener? Jim Pinkerton—your next for modifications. Based on a design by Frank, Bob got his installed.



Bay after paper towel rack is removed



Clamp Installed

Water Softener is installed



# Water Source

The Discovery 44H has electric retractable water hose reels, so modifications had to be made to the system in order to get water from this reel to the water softener and then back to the filter system on the coach. Since Frank got to Florida early he has figured out the design and has completed the project on his coach. I look forward to his help and to completing mine after we arrive there on the 28<sup>th</sup> of December. As always Franks does great work in researching and designing these modifications. Many of us wouldn't know what to do without his expertise! (Bob Angus)







Bill Johnson—is that Number 1 or 2??

Jim & Kerry Pinkerton our hosts—cooking out



Rick & Malise Delaune



Kathy Rogers





Henry Terrill—the other cook



The three Rockettes?



Ruth Johnson



Kathy & Tom Rogers

# Lots of Smiles



Bill & Laura Johnson



Tom & Katy Leydic



Retha & Mike Hopkins



# Museum Tour

A number of our Blue Ridge members and two unknown spectators took a tour of the Cash Barber Museum on 3 October 2017.



## Blue Ridge Discoverys

Courtesy Katy Leydic

# From Orange Beach



**Row 1 (Left to Right):**

Elaine Harvell, Kathy Pinkerton, Glenda Angus, Laura Johnson, Katy Leydic, Retha Hopkins, Susan Gutierrez, Sue Pryor, Linda Terrill, Ruth Johnson

**Row 2:**

Charlie Harvell, Bob Angus, Jim Pinkerton, Richard Money, Tom Leydic, Bill Johnson, Mike Weiher, Bill Humphrey, Frank Cason, Mike Hopkins, Ray Guitierrez, Dick Pryor, Malise Delaune, Rick Delaune, Bill Johnson

**Row 3:**

Henry Terrill, Diana Blaher, Rick Blaher, Carolyn Pinkerton, Kerry Pinkerton



# To Shawnee, Oklahoma



Kathy Pinkerton takes a twirl around the floor in Shawnee



Welcome Beverly Kaiser



Chris and Don Muskopf



New members & old friends -Angel & Teresa Rodriquez

# National Rally



**Row 1 (Left to Right):**

Pat Tracy, Kathy Pinkerton, Ruth Johnson, Katy Leydic, Diana Blaher, Teresa Rodriguez, Beverly Kaiser, Jim Pinkerton, Chris Muskopf, Don Muskopf, Dick Tracy, Bob Angus

**Row 2:**

Jack Walters, Bill Johnson, Angel Rodriguez, Frank Cason, Rick Blaher, Glenda Angus, Carolyn Pinkerton, Retha Hopkins, Kerry Pinkerton, Mike Hopkins, Tom Leydic

# Notes from our Members

The Money's Richard and I are getting ready for the holidays - with a few changes from our usual doings. Richard had surgery (man thing) last Wednesday and what was suppose to be an easy procedure has proven to be a real challenge. He still is unable to sit and when he must walk, he uses a walker. The doctor has changed anticipated recovery from 6-8 weeks to 12 weeks! The fracture in my C3 vertebrae is causing quite a bit of discomfort and I am headed back to Duke today (6 Dec) for shots to ease the pain. My oldest granddaughter, Syd, has been with us for a week to help and we couldn't have made it without her. My oncologist, truly wonderful, has once again instructed me to stop driving. I mean, really, it's Christmas I have so much to do! BUT, 'tis the season to be jolly and we have put on our big folks pants, actually we just got bigger sizes, and are moving ahead." Hope everyone has a very merry Christmas and a happy New Year!  
(Jean Money)

Please wish all members of Blue Ridge a Merry Christmas and a Happy Healthy New Year. We are looking forward to seeing everyone in January at the Southeast rally at Lazydays in Seffner. We will be celebrating the start of DOAI'S 20th anniversary year .  
(Mary Ann Weinberg)

James and Brenda Fairfax are looking for someone near them who are traveling to Lazy Days for the DOAI/FMA Rally. They would like to join you on the trip. Jim and Brenda live in Winterville, NC. If you are heading their way and would like company, please send Brenda an email at: [bjfairfax@embarqmail.com](mailto:bjfairfax@embarqmail.com)

I see lots of activity on Blue Ridge Facebook page. How about sharing some of that news quarterly for our newsletter. Thanks Glenda

Bill & Laura Johnson sends the following:

As always we pray this letter finds you all doing well. This has been a very busy year, and it is hard to believe another year has passed us by. First off, we want to wish you all a MERRY CHRISTMAS and HAPPY NEW YEAR! May God Bless you all with a wonderful holiday season and keep anyone who is traveling safe!

As we close out 2017, it will be long remembered for some wonderful times and some tough times for several of our friends. Two of our good friends from Alabama lost their spouses in the last 6 months. We have had both these couples in our prayers for months. We ask that you keep Marsha and Bob in your prayers as well. Both lost their spouse to cancer.

We started the year off with a trip to Florida for the Fleetwood Motorhome Association rally, followed by the Discovery Owners rally. It was a great time linking up with many fellow Discovery Motorhome owners. While there, we were able to attend the Tampa RV show. It was quite an event, they bill it as the largest RV show, a title the Hershey RV Show likes to debate, but having been to both, all I can say is they are both gigantic. If ever interested in buying an RV, either of these two shows is the place to do it. Discounts reign! Well that said, we were bit by the bug and traded in our coach on a new Fleetwood Discovery 39F. The coach was due to start production in several weeks, so we were able to modify several features to get it the way we wanted.

We left the Discovery rally and headed to Lakeland for the Southeast Area (SEA) FMCA rally and then on to Titusville to see my God Mother, Pauline Smith. We spent a wonderful time with her and then headed to the Stephen Foster State park in Fargo, GA for a week. A very quiet week since there is no cellular coverage. Leaving there, we went north to Hampton, GA where we spent the week at Atlanta Motor Speedway for the 2<sup>nd</sup> Nascar race of the season. Finally, the first week of March we arrived home.

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Later that month Laura flew to Rhode Island to celebrate her aunt's 90<sup>th</sup> birthday. As she was preparing to leave we received word that our new coach was in transit to the dealer in Florida. When Laura arrived back at Atlanta Airport, I picked her up in the coach and we headed to Florida to get our new coach. After a few extra days at the dealer to solve a couple issues, we headed straight to the Outer Banks to meet up with our Blue Ridge Discovery Group. We spent a wonderful week exploring the Outer Banks, and a number of Lighthouses. Here it was the middle of April and we had been home for about 3 weeks of the year. Since we planned to leave on Memorial Day for a long trip, we headed home from the OB and spent six weeks at home, catching up on things around the house, and finding the "right place" to put everything in the new coach.

We also spent time planning our summer adventure, and what a trip it was. We traveled through 28 states, some more than once, between May 26<sup>th</sup> and our arrival home October 30<sup>th</sup>. In the order we traveled: Alabama, Mississippi, Arkansas, Louisiana, Texas, Oklahoma, Texas, New Mexico, Colorado, Utah, Arizona, Nevada, California, Oregon, Washington, Idaho, Montana, Wyoming, South Dakota, Nebraska, South Dakota, North Dakota, Minnesota, Iowa, Wisconsin, Michigan, Indiana, Kentucky, Alabama, Georgia, Florida, and back home to Georgia.

Traveling along with us were our friends John and Ann towing their travel trailer. Unfortunately, toward the end of the trip, Ann had to head back to work so we parted ways in Michigan and they headed home. We stopped for a week in Decatur, Indiana to have the warranty punch list fulfilled by Fleetwood while they headed home. Over 10,000 miles traveled together.

Along the way, we met up with friends and families, explored dozens of National Parks, and were able to see the fabulous sights this great country of ours has to offer. We found little gems in unexpected places, followed recommendations from locals for places to eat, and overall we were able to experience all the good this country has to offer. On one occasion, John and Ann's slide would not retract; six other campers banded together and helped them to close the slide manually. Little acts of generosity like this were everywhere. Too often, the news presents us with all the wrong in the world, well after our trip we can testify to all the good in this vast country.

The sites in the Southwest were breathtaking. The four of us constantly saw the beauty God has created. The song "How Great Thou Art" came to mind regularly. We have pictures that will last a lifetime. The only down side was we were there at the wrong time of the year, so we "enjoyed" temperatures in excess of 120 on a regular basis. We would suggest the Southwest is best visited in March or October.

The tour across the northern states was much cooler, and the sights were just as beautiful. We continued to meet up with family and friends. We camped along Lake Superior, traveled through the Upper Peninsula visited the marvel that is Soo Locks and met new friends along the way.

After leaving the Fleetwood factory, we worked our way south to a Blue Ridge Discovery rally in Orange Beach, Alabama, and then we made a 2 day stop in Huntsville to visit with Brian, Kim and Mark before we headed off on our yearly trip to Talladega for the NASCAR race. After the race, we headed to Tybee Island for a week, then down to Florida for our nieces wedding. Finally, late October, we headed home to see if the house was still there.

The three children have stabilized their situations over the past several years. Kim has been delivering newspapers for the past couple years, which has allowed her the opportunity to earn a living while still having Mark at hand. Brian is still working for an Alarm company in Alabama and has advanced to handle both installation and service.

Louis and Rachel have had an interesting year, with him starting his Law Office, and her very busy vet business they have little free time, but somehow they manage to ferry the boys to scouts, trumpet lessons, swim lessons, and a variety of school activities. Vincent graduates this coming May and is going through all the college application processes. He is still in the band, and for the second year, the Rome High School football team is in the state finals to be played at the new Mercedes Benz Stadium on December 15<sup>th</sup>. It was due to be played on the 8<sup>th</sup> but 4 inches of snow delayed the event.

Philip continues to play the trumpet. He is also showing a strong interest in swimming. He attended his first swim meet in early December and placed 6<sup>th</sup> in one event. He is looking at joining the swim team next year when he enters High School, how quick they grow!



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Nicholas still shows interest in the school plays, both in working the electronic sound system and acting. The next year will bring some other options, so stay tuned.

As we mentioned last year, we suffered a large loss due to a flood, and therefore our annual Christmas light display is dramatically reduced. Our first New Year's Day party in Rome was a wonderful time, and we hope this year will be the same. As always, we start at 1pm and end when the last couple leaves, usually about 6-7 pm.

Know that you are all in our thoughts and prayers this Christmas Season, and all throughout the year.

Bill and Laura Johnson



## FOR THE COOK

### NO BAKE RUM BALLS

#### INGREDIENTS

2 cups vanilla wafers, crushed  
 1 cup powdered sugar  
 1 cup walnuts, chopped fine  
 2 tablespoons baking cocoa  
 2 tablespoons honey  
 1/4 cup rum  
 powdered sugar

#### DIRECTIONS

In a large bowl, combine dry ingredients. In a separate bowl, combine liquid ingredients and add to dry ingredients. Mix well.

Make small round balls and roll them in powdered sugar.

Refrigerate.



**Blue Ridge Discoverys 2018 Spring Rally Registration Form**

**Spring into Savannah**

April 15 thru April 22, 2018

Registration Form

Name(s) \_\_\_\_\_

Arrival Date \_\_\_\_\_ Departure \_\_\_\_\_

Call CreekFire Motor Ranch at 912-897-2855 or use the special web address shown below. Our rally rate is \$45 per night plus applicable taxes for both pull thru and back-ins on gravel sites. Please make your reservations with CreekFire no later than April 1, 2018. Please go to website for more information on the park. Use the following link for on-line park sign up:

<https://irm1.net/irmnet/login.aspx?path=\\674653-db2\rdpnt3624\rdp\&resort=38>

**User name is Blue**  
**Password is Discovery**

**Rally Fees**

|               |                        |   |        |       |
|---------------|------------------------|---|--------|-------|
| Rally fee     | Number attending _____ | X | \$45pp | _____ |
| Trolley Tour  | Number attending _____ | X | \$27pp | _____ |
| Dinner Cruise | Number attending _____ | X | \$60pp | _____ |
|               |                        |   | Total  | _____ |

Mail check and reservation form to: Mike Hopkins  
 5753 Highway 85 North #4444  
 Crestview, FL 32536

Rally questions: call Katy Leydic 843-696-8336  
 Tom Leydic 843-696-4274

FINAL RESERVATION NUMBERS FOR THE TROLLEY TOUR and THE SAVANNAH RIVERBOAT DINNER CRUISE MUST BE MADE AND PAID FOR BY **MARCH 1, 2018**.

The dinner cruise is a Monday night option for those checking in early.  
 The entertainment is a local Gospel group.

## Blue Ridge Discoverys 2018 Spring Rally

## Agenda

Spring into Savannah  
April 17 until April 22, 2018

Welcome to join the Blue Ridge Discovery's Spring 2018 rally in Savannah, GA. Dates are April 17, 2018 until April 22, 2018. Early check-in at rally rates begin Sunday, April 15<sup>th</sup> and late check-out is Monday, April 23<sup>rd</sup>.

The Rally is being held at the [CreekFire Motor Ranch](#), located off I-95 at exit 94. You will be responsible for making your own reservations at the motor ranch. You may make reservations by calling them at 912-897-2855 or by computer. Computer instructions follow at the end.

### RALLY SCHEDULE

|           |          |   |   |
|-----------|----------|---|---|
| Sunday    | April 15 |   | Early arrival   |
| Monday    | April 16 |   | For early arrivals we have planned as an OPTIONAL Trip a Savannah Riverboat Dinner Cruise. Cost is \$60. It features a local Gospel Choir as the Entertainment. Meal is Southern Style with Dukes.  |
| Tuesday   | April 17 | 12:00-5:00 pm<br>5:00-6:00 pm<br>6:00pm | Check-in<br>Happy hour/meet and greet-BYOB and sharing Snacks<br>Welcome dinner. Loaded baked potato and Salad Bar<br>Happy hour and dinner to be held at the Club House  |
| Wednesday | April 18 | 12:15 pm<br><br>6:00pm                  | 1 1/4 hour trolley tour of Savannah. Pickup at park and returned to park at 6:00pm. Will have approximately 4 hours on own to tour the city. Cost is \$27pp. Trolley will pick us up at the Visitor Center at 6. After the trolley tour, you may get on and off the Trolley at any Trolley Stop<br>On own. Cocktail hours are always appreciated. |
| Thursday  | April 19 | 9:00am<br><br>5:00-6:00pm<br>6:30 pm    | Golf outing at Henderson Golf Course. \$25pp. Pay at course.<br>Non golfers on own<br>Happy hour. Bring snacks to share.<br>Dinner on own.  |
| Friday    | April 20 | 5:00-6:00 pm                            | Free day. Tour on own.<br>Happy hour. Bring snacks to share.<br>Dinner on own.  |
| Saturday  | April 21 | 5:00-6:00pm<br>6:00pm                   | Tour on own.<br>Happy hour at Club House. Bring snacks to share.<br>Low-Country Boil dinner (shrimp, sausage, corn).<br>Business meeting to follow.<br><b>Please let us know if you have a food allergy.</b>  |
| Sunday    | April 22 |   | Farewells, goodbyes, check out and safe travels.  |

Welcoming dinner and the Low Country Boil will be catered by the resort.

There are many interesting places to see and things to do in and around Savannah. Brochures and information will be available.

There are a couple of cabins for rent at \$120 per night at the park.

There are several motels available within 2 miles at Exit 94 at I-95 at lower prices.



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Blue Ridge Discoverys Banner \$25.00 Each (18"X36") Number Ordered \_\_\_\_\_

Blue Ridge Discoverys Caps \$13.00 Each Number Ordered \_\_\_\_\_

Blue Ridge Speciality Caps \$18.00 Each Number Ordered \_\_\_\_\_

Short Sleeve Blue T-Shirts (Enter Quantity Below)

(\$8.00 Each) (\$10.00 Each) Small \_\_\_\_\_ Med \_\_\_\_\_ LG \_\_\_\_\_ XLG \_\_\_\_\_

(\$9.00 Each) (\$11.00 Each) XXLG \_\_\_\_\_ XXXLG \_\_\_\_\_

Long Sleeve Blue T-Shirts (Enter Quantity Below)

(\$13.00 Each) (\$15.00 Each) Small \_\_\_\_\_ Med \_\_\_\_\_ LG \_\_\_\_\_ XLG \_\_\_\_\_ XXLG \_\_\_\_\_ XXXLG \_\_\_\_\_

Short Sleeve Yellow T-Shirts (Enter Quantity Below)

(\$8.00 Each) (\$10.00 Each) Small \_\_\_\_\_ Med \_\_\_\_\_ LG \_\_\_\_\_ XLG \_\_\_\_\_

(\$9.00 Each) (\$11.00 Each) XXLG \_\_\_\_\_ XXXLG \_\_\_\_\_

Short Sleeve Maroon T-Shirts (Enter Quantity Below)

(\$8.00 Each) (\$10.00 Each) Small \_\_\_\_\_ Med \_\_\_\_\_ LG \_\_\_\_\_ XLG \_\_\_\_\_

(\$9.00 Each) (\$11.00 Each) XXLG \_\_\_\_\_ XXXLG \_\_\_\_\_

Long Sleeve Maroon T-Shirts (Enter Quantity Below)

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Short Sleeve Dk Green T-Shirts (Enter Quantity Below)

(\$8.00 Each) (\$10.00 Each) Small \_\_\_\_\_ Med \_\_\_\_\_ LG \_\_\_\_\_ XLG \_\_\_\_\_

(\$9.00 Each) (\$11.00 Each) XXLG \_\_\_\_\_ XXXLG \_\_\_\_\_

Long Sleeve Dk Green T-Shirts (Enter Quantity Below)

(\$13.00 Each) (\$15.00 Each) Small \_\_\_\_\_ Med \_\_\_\_\_ LG \_\_\_\_\_ XLG \_\_\_\_\_ XXLG \_\_\_\_\_ XXXLG \_\_\_\_\_

Blue Golf Shirts \$28.00 Each (Enter Quantities Below)

Ladies: Small \_\_\_\_\_ Med \_\_\_\_\_ LG \_\_\_\_\_ XLG \_\_\_\_\_ XXLG \_\_\_\_\_

Mens: Small \_\_\_\_\_ Med \_\_\_\_\_ LG \_\_\_\_\_ XLG \_\_\_\_\_ XXLG \_\_\_\_\_

Yellow Golf Shirts \$28.00 Each (Enter Quantities Below)

Ladies: Small \_\_\_\_\_ Med \_\_\_\_\_ LG \_\_\_\_\_ XLG \_\_\_\_\_ XXLG \_\_\_\_\_

Mens: Small \_\_\_\_\_ Med \_\_\_\_\_ LG \_\_\_\_\_ XLG \_\_\_\_\_ XXLG \_\_\_\_\_

Maroon Golf Shirts \$28.00 Each (Enter Quantities Below)

Ladies: Small \_\_\_\_\_ Med \_\_\_\_\_ LG \_\_\_\_\_ XLG \_\_\_\_\_ XXLG \_\_\_\_\_

Mens: Small \_\_\_\_\_ Med \_\_\_\_\_ LG \_\_\_\_\_ XLG \_\_\_\_\_ XXLG \_\_\_\_\_

OTHER ITEMS (Jackets, etc.) AVAILABLE UPON REQUEST

TOTAL COST OF ORDER \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Make check payable to Signs Now and mail it to above address or fill out the information below for credit card sale. You should receive your order within 3 weeks.

Payment by Credit Card: \_\_\_\_\_ Master Card \_\_\_\_\_ Visa \_\_\_\_\_ Discover \_\_\_\_\_

Account# \_\_\_\_\_ CCV#(on back panel) \_\_\_\_\_

Name on Card \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

# Blue Ridge Discoverys Order Form



## PROMOTIONAL ITEMS

1537 Ft.Campbell Blvd., Clarksville, Tn 37042  
 Phone:(931) 503-3030 Fax:(931) 503-3035  
 Cell:(931) 320-1202 E-Mail: signsnow@charter.net

White/Blue badge with pin.  
 A magnetic "pinless option is an additional \$2.50 ( Not recommended if you have a pacemaker)

Phone \_\_\_\_\_  
 Email \_\_\_\_\_  
 Name \_\_\_\_\_  
 Address \_\_\_\_\_



\_\_\_\_\_  
 Name as you want it on badge

\_\_\_\_\_  
 Name as you want it on badge

|   |          |
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| _____ Name Badges @ \$7.75 each                     | \$ _____ |
| _____ Magnetic Pinless Option (Additional \$2.50)   | \$ _____ |
| _____ Blue Ridge License Plate (6x12) @\$22.95 each | \$ _____ |
| _____ Tag-up bracket for LP hanging @ \$6.00 each   | \$ _____ |
| _____ Ceramic Coffee Mugs @ \$6.00 each             | \$ _____ |
| _____ Mouse Pads @ \$3.00 each                      | \$ _____ |
| _____ Shipping and Handling Additional              | \$ _____ |
| _____ <b>TOTAL</b>                                  | \$ _____ |

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 Account# \_\_\_\_\_ CCV#(on back panel) \_\_\_\_\_  
 Name on Card \_\_\_\_\_  
 Address \_\_\_\_\_  
 City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

## ORDER FORM FOR BLUERIDGE MERCHANDISE

NAME: \_\_\_\_\_

ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_

PHONE/EMAIL: \_\_\_\_\_

**Blue Ridge Discoverys Banner \$25.00 Each**      Number Ordered \_\_\_\_\_

**Blue Ridge Discoverys Caps \$13.00 Each**      Number Ordered \_\_\_\_\_

**Short Sleeve Blue T-Shirts (Enter Quantity below)**

(\$8.00 Each)      Small \_\_\_\_\_ Med \_\_\_\_\_ LG \_\_\_\_\_ XLG \_\_\_\_\_

(\$9.00 Each)      XXLG \_\_\_\_\_ XXXLG \_\_\_\_\_

**Long Sleeve Blue T-shirts (Enter Quantity Below)**

(\$13.00 Each)      Small \_\_\_\_\_ Med \_\_\_\_\_ LG \_\_\_\_\_ XLG \_\_\_\_\_ XXLG \_\_\_\_\_ XXXLG \_\_\_\_\_

**Short Sleeve Yellow T-Shirts (Enter Quantity Below)**

(\$8.00 Each)      Small \_\_\_\_\_ Med \_\_\_\_\_ LG \_\_\_\_\_ XLG \_\_\_\_\_

(\$9.00 Each)      XXLG \_\_\_\_\_ XXXLG \_\_\_\_\_

**Short Sleeve Maroon T-Shirts (Enter Quantity Below)**

\$8.00 Each)      Small \_\_\_\_\_ Med \_\_\_\_\_ LG \_\_\_\_\_ XLG \_\_\_\_\_

(\$9.00 Each)      XXLG \_\_\_\_\_ XXXLG \_\_\_\_\_

**Long Sleeve Maroon T-Shirts (Enter Quantity Below)**

(\$13.00 Each)      Small \_\_\_\_\_ Med \_\_\_\_\_ LG \_\_\_\_\_ XLG \_\_\_\_\_ XXLG \_\_\_\_\_ XXXLG \_\_\_\_\_

**Blue Golf Shirts \$30.00 Each (Enter Quantity Below)**

**Ladies:**      Small \_\_\_\_\_ Med \_\_\_\_\_ LG \_\_\_\_\_ XLG \_\_\_\_\_ XXLG \_\_\_\_\_

**Mens:**      Small \_\_\_\_\_ Med \_\_\_\_\_ LG \_\_\_\_\_ XLG \_\_\_\_\_ XXLG \_\_\_\_\_

**Yellow Golf Shirts \$30.00 Each (Enter Quantity Below)**

**Ladies:**      Small \_\_\_\_\_ Med \_\_\_\_\_ LG \_\_\_\_\_ XLG \_\_\_\_\_ XXLG \_\_\_\_\_

**Mens:**      Small \_\_\_\_\_ Med \_\_\_\_\_ LG \_\_\_\_\_ XLG \_\_\_\_\_ XXLG \_\_\_\_\_

**OTHER ITEMS (Jackets, etc.) AVAILABLE UPON REQUEST**

TOTAL COST OF ORDER \$ \_\_\_\_\_

(Make Check payable to Proforma AdMark)

**Mail Order Form and check to:**

**Proforma Business Impact**

1 Marcus Drive, Suite 104

Greenville, SC 29615

(864) 239-0050 (Fax) (864) 239-6611 or (cell) (864) 979-0107

nancy.quinn@proforma.com



**BLUE RIDGE DISCOVERYS BADGE ORDER**

**MR. KEN BADGES 'N SIGNS**

2505 Clintonville Road - Harrisville, PA 16038

Email: [mrkenbadges@aol.com](mailto:mrkenbadges@aol.com)

(800) 398-8307



White/Blue badge with pin.

A magnetic "pinless" option is an additional \$2. (Not recommended if you have a pacemaker)

Bolo tie and slide are available for an extra \$2.50

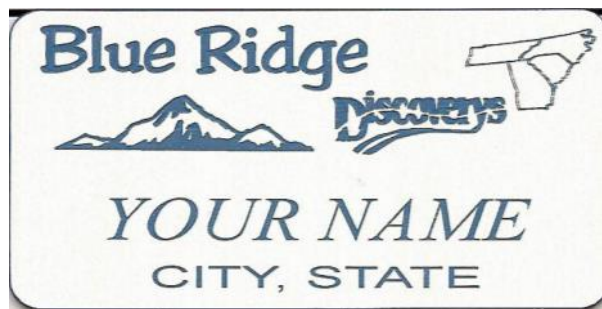
NOTE: The pinless option and bolo option may both be used on the same badge

Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Email \_\_\_\_\_

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_  
 \_\_\_\_\_



Name as you want it engraved

Name as you want it engraved

\_\_\_\_\_ Name Badges @\$7.75 \$ \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ Bolos (Blue) (White) @ \$2.50 ea \$ \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ Magnetic Pinless Option @ \$2.00 \$ \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ Blue Ridge License Plate (6x12) @ \$22.95 \$ \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ Tag-up bracket for LP hanging @ \$6 \$ \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ Shipping & Handling \$1.25 per badge:  
\$4 for LP & tag-up \$ \_\_\_\_\_

**TOTAL** \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Make check payable to "Mr. Ken" and mail to above address or fill out the information below for credit card sale. You should receive your order within 3 weeks.

Payment by Credit Card:: \_\_\_\_\_ MasterCard \_\_\_\_\_ Visa \_\_\_\_\_ Discover

Account# \_\_\_\_\_ CCV# (# on back panel) \_\_\_\_\_

Name on Card \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

**BLUE RIDGE DISCOVERYS**

**A Chapter of Discovery Owners Association, Inc. (DOAI)**

**Membership Application**

Membership is open to all members of DOAI. Dues are \$15 per year and collected in two-year increments of \$30. Collecting dues every other year reduces recordkeeping and eliminates the need for members to write small checks yearly. Initial dues are prorated at \$1.25 per month in order to synchronize with this schedule. If you cancel your membership, there is no refund for the current year. However, the next year will be refunded if already paid.

| If your membership is mailed in: | In ODD number years, your initial dues will be: | In EVEN number years, your initial dues will be: |
|----------------------------------|---|--|
| January                          | \$15.00   | \$30.00  |
| February                         | \$13.75   | \$28.75  |
| March                            | \$12.50   | \$27.50  |
| April                            | \$11.25   | \$26.25  |
| May                              | \$10.00   | \$25.00  |
| June                             | \$8.75  | \$23.75  |
| July                             | \$7.50  | \$22.50  |
| August                           | \$6.25  | \$21.25  |
| September                        | \$5.00  | \$20.00  |
| October                          | \$33.75 (2 yrs + 3 mon)                         | \$18.75 (1 yr + 3 mon)                           |
| November                         | \$32.50 (2 yrs + 2mon)                          | \$17.50 (1 yr + 2 mon)                           |
| December                         | \$31.25 (2 yrs + 1 mon)                         | \$16.25 (1 yr + 1 mon)                           |

Mail this application and your check in proper amount to our treasurer:

Mike Hopkins  
 5753 Highway 85 North #4444  
 Crestview, FL 32536

Phone: (770) 363-2888  
 Email: [chindog@chin.org](mailto:chindog@chin.org)

Date: \_\_\_\_\_ DOAI Member Number<sup>1</sup> \_\_\_\_\_

Pilot's Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Co Pilot's Name: \_\_\_\_\_

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

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Home Phone: ( ) \_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_\_ Pilot's Cell: ( ) \_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_\_ Co-Pilot's Cell \_\_\_\_\_

Pilot's Email: \_\_\_\_\_ Co-Pilot's Email \_\_\_\_\_

Discovery Year: \_\_\_\_\_ Length: \_\_\_\_\_ Model: \_\_\_\_\_

**Optional:**

Pilot's Birthday: \_\_\_\_\_ Co Pilot's Birthday: \_\_\_\_\_ Anniversary \_\_\_\_\_  
 (mm/dd) (mm/dd) (mm/dd)

<sup>1</sup> You must be a member of DOAI to join. If your application has been submitted but you have not yet received your member number, please contact Mike Hopkins and he will coordinate with the DOAI Membership Chairman.  
 (Revised 1/07/2017)