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## Utah State Director's Message

Thank You for supporting us at the Fall Tag. Thanks to all you wonderful chapters that helped make our Fall Tag so successful. We were so pleased with the turn out. A big thank you to our Great State Staff for supporting us and helping us make this such a fun Fall Tag. Jay Deuel and Allen Austin and crew did an excellent job in parking us and getting power to those who needed it. And again Phyllis Deuel worked her magic and we were able to give so many awesome gifts away. Arlene Hales, Cathy Anderson, and Shirley Summers made our tasting table and recipe sharing so much fun and it was so successful because of their attention to details and hard work. Marv Lee led us in the games and made it fun and had a lot of participation. The State Staff cooked the delicious breakfast and were excited to serve our members as we appreciate all you do for Utah Good Sams. Our Fall Tag was so much FUN!! Happy Hobos set the tone by treating us to "Let's Make A Deal." What a fantastic job they did. We could tell they put a lot of work into this by their stage props, costumes, and gifts. We all benefited from it. The entertainment on Friday Night was beyond words what a GREAT BAND! It was so awesome to see all of the couples that were dancing to the entertaining music. Dancing with the stars has nothing over the great dancers we enjoyed watching. We have never seen so many Samers dancing before....It was touching....

As we complete our assignment of Utah Good Sam State Directors, Brent and I consider ourselves as part of a box of crayons. We did a lot of scribbling, broke a few crayons, went outside the box, darkened lines, added glitter and brightened things up. We might not be your favorite color but we hope we have completed our picture this past two years so that one day you will see the depth and colors we added to Utah Good Sams. It has been fun, hard work, and we have really loved getting to know everyone and were honored to have served you. Our State Staff are the best! We couldn't have fulfilled our assignment without their talents and dedication. They really helped create a full box of crayons with their colorful personalities and endless contributions. The Presidents that we served with are such great examples and have each member's success in mind. They add to our box of crayons with their diversities and sharpness. Their colors help complete our picture and make Utah Good Sams the best it can be. And to finish off our box of crayons with depth and dimension are our Regional Directors, Harold and Rosalie Jacklin. They helped with crossing our t's and dotting our i's with great advice and encouragement along the way. They added new colors and brightened our picture with suggestions and directions that were so helpful. Their attention to detail is critical to the completion of our picture. Their passion along with ours brought a deeper understanding for Utah Good Sams. It is our hope that you never stop dreaming of moonbeams and fairy dust, shiny stars and the wonder of the heavens, a happier life and a successful Utah Good Sams....

We are so proud of Utah Good Sams and the tremendous job you do in serving others. Your charitable work shows in your community and throughout the State of Utah. We are so thrilled to be amongst all of you. Never doubt that a small group of thoughtful, committed citizens can change the world....Indeed, it is the only thing that ever has. ---Margaret Mead

Our parting advice to you is to treat the world better than it found you... Support your new directors; Stan and Jeri Griffin, be active, and don't go where the path may lead, go instead where there is no path and leave a trail. Many want to join Utah Good Sams so please go out and find them. Growth is vital to the success of Utah Good Sams.

When life gives you lemons trade them in for CHOCOLATE!!!

Sincerely,  
Brent & Jean North  
Utah Good Sams State Directors

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***“ In Memoriam ”***

Thankful that we had None Reported



***Anniversaries***

Wayne & Deyon Spendlove... No. Ut. Golden Spikers...64 yrs  
Jim & Janet Smith.... No. Ut. Golden Spikers....58 yrs.  
Deloss & Alene Peay....Deer Sams...65 yrs  
Harold & Rosalie Jacklin...Deer Sams...57 yrs  
Rulon & Venice Gammon...Deer Sams ... 51 yrs  
Mike & Marcia Jarrett....Deer Sams ...50 yrs  
Lavar & Sharon Burton...Sundowner Sams...56 yrs  
Jay & Dorothy Hanson...Timp Moonshiners...53 yrs.  
Bob & Barbara Little...Timp Moonshiners....64 yrs.  
Nick & Sally Maestea...Trail Blazers...57 yrs  
Dick & Delores Manning....Trail Blazers...60 yrs.  
Darlene & Richard Baer...Ute Salt Shakers..54 yrs  
Delores & Kent Whitakers...Ute Salt Shakers...65 yrs.  
Stephen & Barbara Rowland...Ute Salt Shakers...54 yrs.

**No. Utah Golden Spikers are looking for Good Sammers (living or dead) that are veterans in order to honor them during our Samboree. Please send them names to [NUGS.DECO@gmail.com](mailto:NUGS.DECO@gmail.com) or Leslie Lansford, 4426 S. 2300 W. Roy, UT 84067.**



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***New Members***

Dennis & Betty Burchell.....Sundowner Sams

Judy & Roy Kenney....Ute Salt Shakers

# CHAPTER NEWS

## BEEHIVE ROAMERS

~ Salt Lake /Davis Counties

**No Report**

## Color Country Ramblers

~Washington County

**No Report**

## Deer Sams

~Utah County

### AUGUST

We met at the Gary Mecham property in Midway, Utah. We enjoyed Swiss Days and other activities. We delivered items to the Children's Justice Center in Heber. To help the chapter out financially, we held our annual live auction. Thanks to Allen for scones for breakfast. He always fixes the best scone in the world. Our hosts were Brent and Jean North and Deloss and Alene Peay. They fixed a baggie breakfast omelet and fantastic dinner. Our August Sparker was by Carolyn Gillman. All received Dammit Dolls.

### SEPTEMBER

We enjoyed a great Tag-a-Long at Delta. Our hosts were Brent and Jean North and Rulon and Venice Gammon. We again participated in the pull the train at Heber. Thanks to everyone who helped to clean and arrange the quilts and other items and helped to put them on shelves. Thanks to the State Staff for all their hard work to make the Tag enjoyable and fun. It is always nice to relax a little. Our Sparker was given by Carolyn Gillman, who reminded us to "Keep our words sweet, because we may have to eat them."

### OCTOBER

We held our meeting at Joe Vera's in Provo. Our hosts were George and Karen Storey and Gary and DyAnn Houston. We enjoyed a great meal and fun and fellowship with the chapter members. Jean reminded us that we needed to pay our annual dues. On Halloween we helped RISE at their Halloween party by providing and serving Hot Dogs. Jean handed the roster around for all to update their material. The Sparker was given by Ron Todhunter who reminded us to Live, Love, Laugh and gave everyone a magnet to remind us.

~ Carolyn Gillman

## Golden Spikers

~Northern Utah

### AUGUST

Our August campout at Crystal Springs in Honeyville was dampened by rain, hail, and wind. We only had about 4 rigs camp, but several members came up Saturday afternoon for a hot dog, hamburger picnic. The weather was so bad, the meeting was cancelled but we did have clearing weather long enough to eat. The next day, we decided it wasn't that bad so we planned our September campout at Crystal Springs. Right after we decided the trip wasn't so bad, Ron and Julie Thomas got locked out of their motor home by their dog, Libby. Fortunately Kevin Burlison was able to pry a window open and get in. Libby was in big trouble. It did bring some good humor to a pretty miserable day.

### SEPTEMBER

Our September campout was held at Crystal Springs and once again we got soaked.

Fortunately we were able to schedule our dinner and meeting in the lodge. We were treated to Hawaiian chicken cooked by our favorite chef, JoLyn McMullin. All other members provided excellent dishes to go along. We had several honored guests. Discussion was had about ideas for the decorating at the Samboree and a meeting was sched-

uled to go over any ideas.

**OCTOBER**

Our October meeting had a full agenda. We met at the Jade Buffet in Ogden. New officers were elected. JoLyn McMullin will remain our Wagonmaster. Julie Thomas will replace Cindy Burlison as treasurer. Jan Hyde will replace Leslie Lansford as secretary, Jack Toll will replace Kevin Burlison as Vice President, and Cindy Burlison will replace Robert Lansford as president.

We heard suggestions for which organization will receive our charity money. A final vote will decide this item at our November meeting.

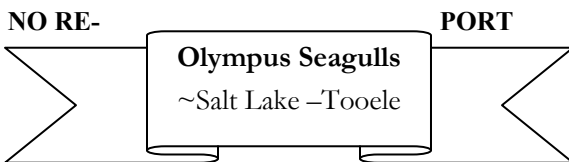
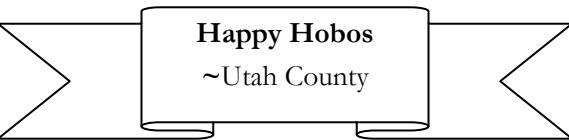
At a Samboree decoration meeting held recently we decided to honor all veterans as part of the "Boot Camp" theme. We hope to receive help from each chapter collecting the data to honor these individuals.

Our chapter would like the Salty Sam to remain in print so those without computers have access. We also decided to agree with the majority vote on the charity booth and 50-25-25 suggestions for the next Samboree.

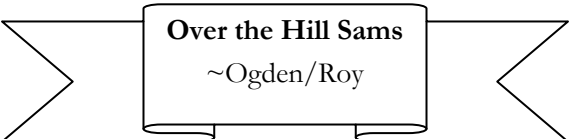
We dearly missed the absence of our "snowbirds" that have left us for warmer climates; however we were happy to have several guests join us for dinner.

It is with some regret that most of us have "winterized" our trailers. Camping is out for awhile and also nice weather. Time to burrow in for the winter!

~Leslie Lansford



**NO REPORT**



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**Peach City Sams**

~Brigham City

**AUGUST**

Warren and Carol Roundy hosted our August meeting at a park in Brigham City with 15 members present and 2 prospective members. A nice potluck dinner was enjoyed along with some beautiful summer weather. Everyone was reminded about getting their registration sent in for the Fall Tag.

We are happy to welcome our newest members, Bud & Julie Fryer. We're glad to have them with us.

We lost one of our original chapter members this month. Diane Drewes a very faithful member passed away and she will be missed.

We had a raffle on a quilt at the Samboree and were able to raise \$150.00 which we donated to the American Cancer Society of Box Elder County. We thank everyone that bought tickets on the quilt and helped us raise this money, we were also able to make a nice donation to the Food Pantry in Brigham City.

**SEPTEMBER**

This month we met at the home of Fredrick & Paula Kluss. Fred & Jeanne hosted with a potluck dinner which was delicious as always.

We received our new chapter shirts. You will now see the Peach City Good Sams in Royal Blue shirts.

We talked about new chapter officers and Doris Giles was given the assignment of heading up the nomination committee.

We had three couples attend the Fall Tag and we would like to compliment everyone on such a fun successful time. It was really great, even if yours truly (Arlene) ended up with a "toilet" in the Let's Make A Deal" game. We are happy to welcome Stan & Jeri as our new State Directors, we know they will do a great job and will support them in any way we can.

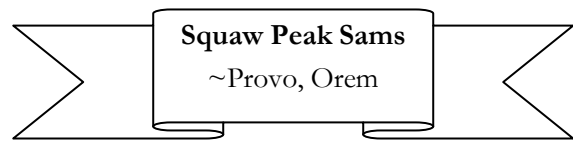
Paul & Arlene were very fortunate to accompany Harold & Rosalie, Brent & Jean, Alan & Louise Austin to the Colorado Samboree in Pueblo, CO. We had a really good trip going down despite getting stopped in the canyon for 2 1/2 hrs. due to a bad accident. The weather was beautiful and the Samboree was a lot of fun. We met a lot of new people and made some new friends and met up with some old ones. They put on a really good Samboree and encourage you to attend next year if you can, it was well worth the trip.

**OCTOBER**

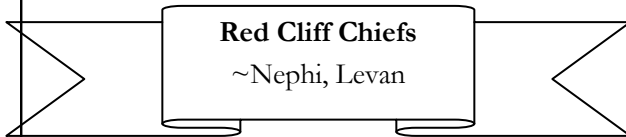
We had no formal meeting this month but did have a really fun Halloween party. We were happy to have guests Harold & Rosalie Jacklin and Brent & Jean North join us as well as Kelsee and Haylee Stokes, granddaughters of Paul & Arlene.. We had a nice meal of barbeque chicken and everything else that goes with it. Everyone was invited to decorate their t-shirt

with duct tape and we had some really fun, unique designs to say the least. We enjoyed a fun evening of games and prizes and found out just how good a golfer Harold is.

Nominations and voting for new chapter officers was held and we would like you to meet the new Peach City Good Sams staff for 2015/16. President – Bob Anderson, Vice President – Boyd Giles, Secretary – Shirley Summers, Treasurer – Walt Summers, Wagonmaster – Fredrick Kluss, and Historian – Arlene Hales. We would like to extend a welcome to our new staff and know they will do a great job.



#### NO REPORT



#### SEPTEMBER

Meeting was held at Mickelsons Restaurant in Nephi. 24 members were present. Guests were Gary and Eudene Anderson and they are thinking about joining our Chapter. The meeting was hosted by Dick and Marilyn Draper and Gary and Janice Taylor. Under Business it was noted that the Red Cliff Chiefs were Chartered in August of 1986 making our Chapter 28 years old. Yearly dues will be due in October. Our Good Sam membership dates were updated and everyone is current. We are looking for new ideas for donations and need everyone to turn in their donated times to Dody Carter. The Salty Sam newsletter was discussed and will be reviewed at the next meeting. All business was concluded and the meeting closed at 7:30 PM

#### OCTOBER

Our October meeting was held at Dody and Merrill Carters home on Oct.22 and was hosted by Dody and Merrill Carter and Gary and Connie Lofgran. It was a Pizza Party dinner with added desserts and salad and had a Halloween décor. The yearly dues were collected. Discussed the future of the Salty Sam newsletter. Selected the next years hosts for each month. The Thanksgiving and Christmas plans were discussed and preliminary plans were made. The meeting Closed at 7:10 pm and some members stayed later to play cards.

~Phyllis Dinsdale

#### AUGUST

For August we went to the Mountain Valley RV resort in Heber. Tim Noyce and Al Heitman were our hosts. We had 12 rigs show up. Also we had a new couple to the area join with us, and will possibly join our ranks. For activities we rode the Heber Creeper, played games and of course ate a lot. We recognized birthdays and had no Anniversaries.

On the 22 of August we celebrated our Chapters anniversary of 31 years. We did the celebrating at Jims Restaurant in Riverton. We are redoing our shirts and changing the colors, which are quite attractive. Keep an eye out for us.

#### SEPTEMBER

The Tag-A-long in Delta was a lot of fun, We just about ran out of room to park everyone. But thanks to the wagon master It was handled well. For our chapter Darlene Congrove was our Host. We had 7 rigs attend this outing. Birthdays were recognized with no anniversaries again. The fair grounds installed new Dump stations, what a good deal, they work real well. After the Tag we had a few take off and go to the New Mexico Balloon festival. They had a good time while there.

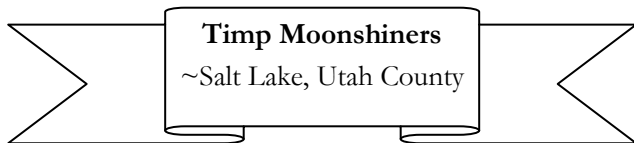
I want to thank the two Ladies who stepped up @ the tag and helped me run the games, Bean Bag Baseball and the Crazy golf. If it weren't for them helping me, I was just lost and very BEHIND, getting organized, never been on this side of the fence before. Thanks Ladies!!

#### OCTOBER

Nick and Patty Gilbert were the hosts for this month. It was held on Saturday and the activity was to build a HOT DOG ROASTER, out of a pop can and coat hanger. We had 5 couples attend this outing. The meal was pot-luck.

Happy Birthday was sung and those with anniversaries were recognized, and sung to. That was LaVar and Sharon Burton of 56 years. congratulations.

New members to the Sundowners chapter are Dennis and Betty Burchell.



**AUGUST**

This Month we went to Chuck A-Rama in Draper. Everyone enjoyed eating, visiting, eating and catching up on everyones travels. Meeting was conducted by Pres. Jay Hanson. Talked about upcoming Fall tag in Delta for Sept. and Sandy mentioned the Oct. outing was going to be in Mesquite, Nev. It was good to see everyone that could make it and hope to see everyone in Sept. Birthdays to Boyd Christensen, Lois Fread, Lily Gull, Dorothy Hanson, Sandy Hicks & Missy Rhodes. Happy Anniversary to Walt and Lois Fread (40yrs) and Jay and Dorothy Hanson 53 yrs.

**SEPTEMBER**

This months outing was held in conjunction with State Fall tag at Delta. We had 8 rigs in attendance and everyone seemed to have a good time. We choose new officers for next year. There were very few changes. Officers for 2015 will be: Pres. Jay Hanson, Vice President Allan Hancock, Secretary Sandy Hicks, Treasurer Becky Thurgood, Assistant Treasurer La Dean Hancock, Wagon Master Jim Bean, Historian Gary Hancock and Publicity Carol Jean Carroll. We discussed the possibility of changing the name of our Chapter as many get the wrong image. We have new prospective people for our chapter and welcome them to join with us. They are Dave and Sherrie Reich. Octobers outing will be at Mesquite Nevada. An email is there for everyone to read and make reservations. For more information check with Lynn and Sandy Hicks. Sounds like fun. Nov. Dinner will be at the Red Lobster in Murray. Birthdays for Sept. Jim Bean, Carol Jean Carroll, and Gary Hancock. Happy Anniversary to Dave and Sherrie Reich (29 yrs.) and Jim and Cathy Bean (45 yrs).

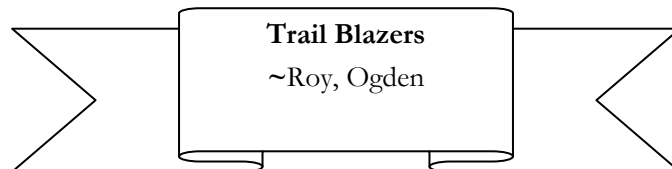
**OCTOBER**

This outing was held at Desert Sky's R.V. Park in Mesquite Nev. Some went site seeing to Valley Of Fire and some enjoyed riding their Jeeps and Razors on the trails. A pot luck Dinner was enjoyed and Honorary member Lafe and Agnes Brown were able to join us. Sorry more were not able to join us. Birthdays for Oct. were Marva Williams and Rick Rhodes. Happy Anniversary to Bob and Barbara Little (64 yrs) way to go . Remember Nov outing to be at Red Lobster in Murray and Dec. Meeting will be at Dorothy and Jays and will be catered by Utah Food Services. As this is going to be the last issues of the Salty Sam I want to thank everyone for all the hard work they put into making this publication enjoyable for all to read. Maybe we will still be able to see it on line. Until me meet again Happy trails to all Good Sam wonderers. Thanks

~Carol Jean Carroll



**NO REPORT**



**AUGUST**

We met at Wingers in Clearfield on August 18, 2014. We had 11 members. We had new members Ken and Sharlene Anacker from Syracuse. Hopefully we can have more new members. We have enjoyed working at the Salt Palace with Utah Food Service. We can usually get a crowd. Tom Ellery made a new album of Nick & pictures from 2011 to 2014. Dick Manning and Sally Maestes both had birthdays in August.

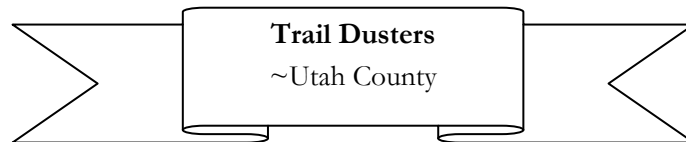
**SEPTEMBER**

: We did not have a meeting this month. Dick Manning arranged a picnic at a Roy park and quite a few people came. Hamburgers and good conversation was had by all. Lee Tyler and Sherrie had birthdays in September.

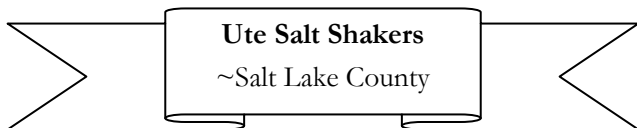
**OCTOBER**

Our Chapter is sorry to report that we could not find anyone to be President next year. We have more members without rigs, and also illness and physical problems has given us few members. So we are going to turn in our Charter. We hope to stay together as a social or dinner group. We are having a meeting in November to discuss the further ending of our Good Sam affiliation

~Jean Ellery



**NO REPORT**



**AUGUST**

This trip took us to Indian Hot Springs located west of Pocatello, Idaho. There were 28 members and 5 guests in attendance. Jerry and Leona Killen and George and Bonnie Grip-pen were our hosts. We had lots of delicious food, games and visiting. The swimming pool water was wonderful-a very pleasant temperature. Thanks for a great campout.

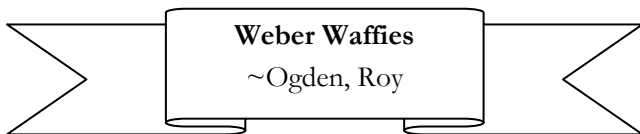
**SEPTEMBER**

We attended the Tag-a-long. It was very fun this year. We had 24 members and 4 guests in attendance. We all participated in all the activities and had a great time. We also had the usual delicious food. Later in the month we went to St. George where we attended all three Tuacahn shows= Little Mermaid, Wizard of Oz and Joseph and the Amazing Technicolor Dream Coat. They were all very enjoyable and the weather cooperated beautifully. New officers were sworn in as follows: Bob Richardson, President, Charleen Burk, Vice President, Judy Richardson, Secretary, George Parker, Wagonmaster, Curt Haviland, Assistant Wagonmaster, VonaMae Dunn, Publicity. We thanked Leona Killen for serving as President for the last four years and presented her with a thank you gift. Thanks for a wonderful job. We welcome our new officers.

**OCTOBER**

We had our luncheon and meeting at Golden Corral in West Jordan. Pam and Mike Wims and Richard and Darlene Baer were our hosts. Will Marda was sworn in as Legislative Representative. 36 members and 2 guests were in attendance. Judy and Roy Kenney were welcomed in as new members. We are very happy to have you join us. We received a letter from Jean and Brent North thanking us for our friendship and service.

~VonaMae Dunn



**AUGUST**

Five rigs left the Brigham City rest stop and headed for the Village Of The Trees in Idaho. The hosts were Al Watson and John Rhoades. Al Watson cooked breakfast for us every morning. Thanks Al. We played some fun games and did a lot of visiting. We had our meeting and lots of good food. We called Judy Daughtery on the phone to wish her a happy birthday as they were unable to attend. We enjoyed a good meal at Per-

kins for Cooks Night Out.

**SEPTEMBER**

This was our second trip to Black Smith Fork. The weather was great, cool nights and warm days. The bugs, not so nice. We had a weenie roast, played games and did a lot of visiting.

Al Watson and Richard Ballingham cooked breakfast for us. Thanks guys. We had Cooks Night Out at the Golden Corral, on the way, we did some shopping and of course the Cheese Factory. We held our meeting and pot luck. The hosts were Boyd and Jan Ressler. Don Deis had surgery on his hand. We wish him a speedy recovery.

**OCTOBER**

Our Installation Meeting was held at the Golden Corral in Layton. President Jan Ressler welcomed everyone and asked us to try to find some new members to join our group. We enjoyed visiting with the honorary members who came. Happy Birthday to Delores Dies and Richard Ballingham. We want to thank Phil and Sharon Wheeler for coming and installing our officers. Pres. Jan Ressler, Vice Pres. Emmett Daughtery Treasurer, Janet Ballingham, Secretary Gay Wilson, Wagonmaster, Al Watson, Historian, Delores Dies, Reporter, Leg. Rep. Vivian Jensen.

~Vivian Jensen

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**The Rally Returns!**

**March 19-22, 2015 – Phoenix, AZ**

Back by popular demand and bigger than ever before; the Camping World/Good Sam Rally will return to the Phoenix International Raceway, March 19 through the 22, 2015.

The 2015 Camping World/Good Sam Rally location was determined based on the terrific response received from both members and exhibitors and overall success of the event at the previous rally held in Phoenix, AZ in 2012. The 2015 Rally will have even more to offer rally-goers with the latest in RV models and outdoor products, new and improved RV and camping seminars and activities, and world-class entertainment.

“It is our pleasure to facilitate an event that brings together thousands of RV enthusiasts from all over the country to celebrate the RV lifestyle, enjoy fun activities, great food, prizes and quality time with family and friends. We are excited to announce the return of America’s largest RV Rally to the RV community,” said Lemonis. Continue to check the Rally website to stay up to date on attractions and daily scheduled activities as plans fall into place over the next several months!  
[www.TheRally.com](http://www.TheRally.com)