

SOUTH CENTRAL CHAPTER MOTORCADE CLUB

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This fall was a busy and enjoyable time for members of the Foretravel South Central Motorcade as we gathered for two outstanding events in Tennessee.

Our South Central Fall Rally was held at the Nashville KOA and hosted by Steve and Kathy Enfinger. They put together an excellent schedule of activities that allowed us to experience the best of Nashville while enjoying the fellowship that makes our club so special.

Highlights included a visit to the historic Marathon Motor Museum, where we learned about an important chapter in automotive history. We also enjoyed a very informative bus tour through downtown Nashville, giving us a closer look at the city's landmarks and rich musical heritage. A relaxing cruise on the Cumberland River provided a unique perspective of Nashville from the water, and many members agreed that the Grand Ole Opry performance was a memorable way to cap off our visit. With temperatures reaching into the 90s, air conditioning was a welcome companion throughout our adventures. Steve and Kathy's planning and attention to detail made the rally enjoyable for everyone.

From Nashville, many of us motored east on I-40 to Sevierville, Tennessee, where the Ridge Resort hosted this year's GrandVention. Once again, there was no shortage of activities and opportunities to learn. One of the highlights was hearing from Foretravel owner Lyle Reed, who shared an update on the recent sale of Foretravel and discussed some of the possibilities being considered by the new ownership group. Members also attended valuable technical sessions hosted by Aqua-Hot and Foretravel representatives, who shared tips for maximizing the performance and enjoyment of our coaches.

Additional educational presentations were provided by representatives from Spartan and Freightliner chassis, who answered questions and helped expand our understanding of the systems that keep our coaches safely on the road. The nightly entertainment was excellent, the food was outstanding, and the hospitality was first class throughout the event.

A special thank you goes to Sue Bell, Motorcade Club Manager, who was present throughout the GrandVention and served as a gracious hostess each day.

Most importantly, both events provided opportunities to reconnect with longtime friends and welcome new ones into the Foretravel family. The friendships and shared experiences continue to be the heart of our Motorcade Club.

I look forward to seeing everyone at the South Central Spring Rally hosted by Steve and Carol Crook. For details, be sure to check your MotorCader Magazine.

Safe travels, and we'll see you down the road!

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