

Hello from the Ottawa Valley. It is once again time to think about our Annual Wintertime Brunch. I must say that as I write this the forecast is predicting 15 degrees (that is plus 15) for the high, so I am not sure if “Wintertime” is an appropriate title. I am sure by February the weather will be “seasonable”.

If you are close to Ottawa and your car will start, the good news is.....we're getting together for our Annual Sunday Brunch.

I have made a reservation for a bunch of rowdy Airstreamers at the **Rideau Carleton Raceway** in Ottawa. Their brunch consists of the usual breakfast stuff, plus roast beef, ham, salads, desserts and **sundaes** (how can you resist?). The cost is \$12.99 each (\$9.99 for ages 6 to 12) plus taxes and gratuity.

Our reservation is for **11:00 A.M. on Sunday, February 21st**. If you can make it, please let us know by calling us at (613) 736-0560 or by e-mail to rdouglas@magma.ca . We have to let the restaurant know the number of people attending on Thursday the 18th. If you can let me know earlier, please do so as it makes planning much easier.

Rideau Carleton is located at 4837 Albion Road, Ottawa, between Leitrim Road in the north and Mitch Owens road in the south. Please note that because the facility also hosts the OLG Slots, everyone using the main entrance must be 19 or older. There is a family entrance located on the south side of the building (right hand side when facing the building). There is more information at www.rcr.net .

We are looking forward to seeing many of you there.

Rob & Lynn Douglas