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## Editor's Note

### In Need of a Change

Sometimes we all need a change. I realized recently that my cooking had become boring and predictable and I wasn't enjoying the planning-shopping-cooking process at all. I wanted to shake things up so I signed up for a meal kit delivery service a couple of times a week. I love cooking again! I'm getting fresh, new recipes and cooking healthy things I would never have thought of before. The whole family loves the change.

This issue, we have a new writer and a new name for our food column. Meet Martin Aller-Stead in the Galley Kitchen! Martin is an RVer and Italian-trained teaching chef whose passions are to help people learn and apply new culinary and life skills. I hope you love the change.

Sometimes though, maybe we simply need to look at things in a different way. Are your weekend trips like my cooking; a little bland? Do you feel like you've done it all and seen it all in terms of what's local and accessible? On p. 34, Michael J. Martin writes that these short, in-your-own-backyard adventures can actually be the most special of all.

All it takes is a shift in perspective and sometimes, yes, a change. Most of all, cherish the memories.



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As long-time members of the Explorer RV Club, Bill and I would like to share a great experience with others that we had in Florida this winter. We have a 2005 Montana fifth wheel and were looking for products to reseal or renew the rubber roof before we had a problem. We checked with a few RV repair places throughout Florida and were shocked at the prices. Fortunately for us, we went to the Fort Myers RV show and got information about Wayne and his team at the Ugly Shield Removal booth. (They do much more than “ugly shield removal”.) After the show, we contacted Wayne and went to chat with him and see some units where the roofs had been recoated. We met with Wayne and Barry, amazed with the workmanship and very reasonable pricing, and we made an appointment to have our fifth wheel roof coated a couple of days later. While we were having the roof coated, we were treated like family and allowed to stay in our unit while the work was being done. We were so happy with the honesty, high quality of workmanship, professionalism and hospitality these guys provided. We can’t thank Wayne, Barry and Kevin enough and highly recommend them.

Bill & Jan Corkum

*Theresa replies:*

*Thank you for sharing! It is always nice to hear about positive customer experiences.*

## Tow Vehicles

Looking for a car or truck to pull behind my motorhome. Any information or recommendations on what’s good?

Gord

*Howard J. Elmer replies:*

*My go-to guide on this is the MotorHome magazine’s Dinghy Guide. The guide can easily be found online at [www.motorhome.com/download-dinghy-guides/](http://www.motorhome.com/download-dinghy-guides/).*

## Canadian RVing

Your magazine is very interesting and informative. I don’t want to miss a single issue!

Bill Banwell

*Theresa replies:*

*Thanks Bill. Always great to hear from our readers.*

## Back Issues

Now that I am receiving digital versions of *Canadian RVing*, I was wondering if you have any plans to put past issues in an electronic format. I prefer to load PDF versions of magazines that I receive into my laptop so that I can bring them on trips rather than having to haul paper copies around and trying to find articles about locations we are visiting. I have created an article reference system so that I can locate past

articles on locations or items that I am interested in and can access them off the PDF copies which makes it much easier and “lighter” to have quick access to these items. I currently have about five years of *Canadian RVing* in hard copy but would like to replace them with PDF copies.

Michael Ricker

*Theresa replies:*

*Over the next year we will be redesigning our website and it is our plan to make the back issues available to those who want them. 🍁*

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