



# The River City Caver

Newsletter of the *River City  
Grotto* – Jacksonville, FL  
An [NSS](#) Affiliated Grotto

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Updates from the latest Grotto Meeting and Events –  
**NEXT Meet-Up: October 10th, Location is TBD**

## UPCOMING EVENTS

**TAG Fall Cave-In:** This year's fall cave-in will take place October 3rd-6th and it's at a brand new location! If you need more information and want to register, you can go [here](#).

## PAST TRIPS AND EVENTS

**Warren's Cave:** We took a trip to Warren's Cave on August 24th. Some of us visited the Sandroom (which now has a lovely sign thanks to Scott Thompson), while the rest explored side passages. It was a great trip!



**Bat Cave:** We didn't get enough time underground at Warren's, so two weeks later, we decided to visit Bat Cave. A fair amount of the cave was summiped out, but we were still able to do plenty of exploring.



## MEMBER SECTION

**Membership Dues:** It's time to pay membership dues. Membership dues are \$15.00 (plus \$5.00 for each additional family member) per year. You can pay [here](#) or send a check to Phil, our grotto treasurer.

## FINANCIAL UPDATE

**Financial State:** We are solid financially.

## CAVING IN THE NEWS

**Caver Rescued in Eight-Hour Operation After Fall:** Two cavers were exploring the 'Jackpot' cave near Castleton, a town about an hour and a half from Liverpool, on September 13th. They ran into difficulty after one of them suffered a fall deep within the system. Emergency services and more than 35 volunteers assisted with the rescue. Both cavers made it out safely. [\(article\)](#)