



COYOTE TALES



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All Greater Houston
Airstream Club
Activities and Rallies have
been Canceled Until Further
Notice

Loveland 2020
International Rally
has been Canceled.

Region 9 Rally has
been Canceled.



I hope everyone is well and has been able to avoid contracting the Chinese Coronavirus. We did have a small rally at Conroe KOA with six rigs and a guest appearance by Fred Walschburger on Saturday night. We may have had a small number of rigs, but we had a lot of fun. Read Bruce's article for more information.



As everyone is probably aware, the Region 9 Rally and International have been cancelled. Just to be cautious, we have canceled the April Rally and the May rally in Ingram. Hopefully we will be back on track by Labor Day so the rally in Rockport is still on at this time. Anyone interested in hosting or co-hosting let me know.

Some of us are still planning on going to Jamaica Beach, April 23-26, not as an official rally but just to get away. We plan to follow all recommended precautions. Of course, this depends on the current state of affairs at that time. If you want to come down, you will need to make new reservations with the park.

We received an email from Rae Gilbert with a link for a product that could possibly help protect our four-legged babies when we are away from our trailer. If interested, you can



find out more about RV Whisper online at <https://www.fmca.com/rv-whisper>. Thank you, Rae.

Our annual business will be held at our next rally, whenever that may be. That's all for now. Stay safe. Clark

St. Patrick's Day Rally

Lake Conroe KOA

Six intrepid Airstreams rolled into the Lake Conroe KOA in Montgomery, TX over a mid-March weekend. It marked the first GHAC rally at this park since 2015. Jim and Mary Miller were the first to arrive on Wednesday. They came with their brand-new Airstream and brand-new granddaughter Audrey Claire. Apparently, it is never too early to introduce someone to the riveted life. Hosts and co-hosts Bruce Lee, Rick and Tracy Elkins and Jerry and Carol Goodwin arrived Thursday and welcomed Clark and Debbie Gardner and Ken and Lia Laney.



After everyone got setup, we kicked off with a dinner at the Pizza Shack which is located just across Highway 105 from the KOA. Due to a lower than expected attendance at this rally, it was decided to

relinquish the rally room and push through utilizing the skills acquired during last summer's unit caravan to Alaska. We just gathered around a table at various rigs. We also adapted to not having a kitchen to prepare group-size meals. Despite the threat of rain and actually experiencing a few sprinkles, the weather did not make this change a difficult task.

Friday began with a continental breakfast outside Clark and Debbie's trailer. After breakfast everyone was free to pursue whatever activities they wanted. Each trailer provided their own dinner that evening. In lieu of any formal after-dinner entertainment, we just conversed among ourselves during dinner.

Saturday began with another continental breakfast just outside Jerry and Carol's trailer. After breakfast we bid goodbye to Jim, Mary and granddaughter as well as Ken and Lia. This brought our group attendance down to four rigs. Carol led a craft project making a St. Patrick's Day inspired candle holders just the right size to hold a small battery candle. Fred Walschburger joined us that afternoon bringing his appetizers for Happy Hour. Saturday night's dinner was another eating out opportunity. Most of us went to Vernon's Kountry Katfish and enjoyed perfectly prepared catfish dinners.

Sunday began with a continental breakfast. Bruce led the devotional on the life and times of St. Patrick. Then, as quick as it began, four Airstream trailers left the Lake Conroe KOA, destined to return in December. I must say, this had to be one of the more unusual rallies I have attended. But the important part was that all who came had a good time. Until the next rally... Bruce

Happy Birthday!!

4/3	Bob Hutson
4/3	Jeff O'Neal
4/9	Jerry Calvert
4/12	Grady Ferry
4/13	Richard Sambrano
4/14	Alan Hubbard
4/15	Ron Gilbert
4/17	Fred Walschburger
4/22	Bob Jones
4/23	Suzan Bernucho
4/23	Ileen Hubbard
4/26	Jerry Thomas
4/27	Bill Kindle
4/27	James Feine

Happy Anniversary!!

4/7/66	Dale & Kathy Spillman
4/15/67	Jerry & Irene Lyddon
4/17/70	Jim & Barbara Mercer
4/16/71	Gene & Kathy Blanchard
4/1/06	Scott & Sally Mercer
4/2/11	Joey & Crystal Mathis

The Sunshine Corner

2020 starts a new year for the Greater Houston Airstream Club and a new job for me as the Sunshine Lady....and, oops I forgot to submit a report for January and February.

It is with great sadness that I report that our 2018 Club President, Hub Miller, passed away in December. He, along with his wife, Sherry, were well-loved and appreciated by our club. His funeral was held in Dallas at their church, Church of the Holy Communion, and was well-attended by GHAC members. Hub's ashes were interred at DFW National Cemetery with full military honors. Our prayers are with Sherry and her family during this time.

Bill Miller's brother, Tom, passed away unexpectedly in Oregon, in February. Please keep Bill and his family in your thoughts and prayers.

Finally, Don Teegarden, recently had day surgery. The results were a success. We wish him a speedy recovery and look forward to seeing him and Helen at future rallies.

Our club cares for our members and will often ask about how someone is doing. Please feel free to call/text me at 713-598-1063. Or, email me at cgoodwin7@comcast.net. You can share as much or as little as you want.

2020 Rally Schedule

RALLY	DATE	LOCATION
New years	12/29-1/1	Coushatta
Annual Luncheon	18-Jan	Carrabas on Kirby
Mid-winter	Feb 12-16	Summer Breeze Cut n Shoot
March Rally	Mar 12-15	Conroe KOA
Region 9 Rally	Canceled	Mineola
April Rally	Canceled	Jamaica Beach
Memorial Day	Canceled	Johnson Creek Ingram
International Rally	Canceled	Loveland CO
Labor Day	Sept 3-7	Blue Lagoons RV, Rockport
October Rally	Oct 1-4	Brazos Bend
November Rally	Nov 5-8	Summer Breeze Katy
Christmas and Installation Rally	Dec 3-6	Conroe KOA
New Year	Dec 31-Jan 3	Coushatta

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 Engine
 Excellent Condition
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 Many Extras
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A Message from Bob Jones RV

Hello to all our Greater Houston Airstream Club members from the gang at BOB JONES RV!

We would like to express our excitement about an advanced service we are providing. BOB JONES RV has invested in a SEAL TECH machine that will pressurize the interior cabin of any coach, allowing us to detect leaks by soaping the complete exterior. It will identify efficiently any breaches in the exterior seal that will cause water leaks ultimately causing damage.

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Bob Jones**RV REPAIRS****& SERVICE****GOT A PROBLEM?****WE CAN FIX IT****We also install Blue Ox tow-bars****Call Bob or Chris at****713-910-2949**

Get out there and enjoy your
Airstream adventures!