# ALMOST MONTHLY The Bluebonnet



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## Message from our President

Happy July 4<sup>th</sup> to all.



Congratulations to our new International Board of Trustees and new Region 9 officers. Their dedication to our Airstream club during this pandemic is inspiring.

Save the date of April 13-18, 2021 for our Region 9 Rally. It will be in Mineola, Texas.

We welcome Andy & Lori Frerman and Edward & Yvonne Michek as new members to our unit. We look forward to meeting them in person.

The pandemic of COVID-19 is something we did not anticipate and is something we have never experienced. With over 2,500 deaths in Texas we must still exercise an abundance of caution. The fact that testing in our state is around six percent is alarming.

Our September rally is still on hold at this time. Our scheduled hosts Carol Wallace, Charlie Williams and Doug and Sheryl Wylie are excited and hopeful we will be able to rally in Fredericksburg.

The question many of you have asked is whether we can safely gather for a rally in September. We have been exploring ways to do so while maintaining social distancing. Should we limit the number of rigs attending? Should we limit tours or not do tours at all? Would you attend? What is your opinion? Text me your respondence and we will have the results in our next newsletter.

Thank you to Ally for her dedication to producing your newsletter. I know she would appreciate news of your activities during the summer. Pictures are welcome. Sharing is the way we stay connected when we cannot socially gather.

Now is the time to consider officers for 2021. I hope you will consider being an officer for our unit. Our unit exists for you because of you. Together we can make 2021 our most successful year ever.

As we practice humanity for others may you stay safe and we will see you down the road.

Joane

Thinking about renovating? Here's a renovating idea that you want to do to your rig from our members Charlie & Carol.

When Charlie and Carol purchased their 2013Classic Airstream in 2019 they had a queen bed which was built diagonally in the bedroom. There was no room to get in and out of the bed easily and comfortably, so they changed the design to have two twin beds where both can more easily get in and out of the bed.

The renovation included getting out the old bed and pulling the old carpet where a leak was discovered. Thank goodness it was found! After the rotten plywood was replaced and the leak fixed, in went new carpet and twin bed frames. Amazon had the new mattresses which was cut to fit and a nightstand which seemed to have been built just for this job.

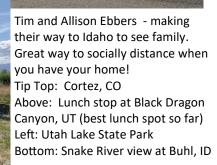
Cozy!!

If you would like to find out more about this renovation, let me know (ally.ebbers@gmail.com) and I will hook you up with Charlie or Carol. Happy summer to remember pictures from our members—while being safe and socially distancing.



Dan and Zephyr Marek camping at Lake Limestone with the kids and grandkids.

Lois Muir is making masks for anyone interested. There different sizes and styles (three on the right are child size). If you are interested, let contact Lois at lois.muir@gmail.com. She is charging \$10 to cover postage.









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- 17 Kyle Johnson
- 21 Karen Mock
- 24 Louis Hendricks
- 25 Phil Lanasa
- 30 Charissa Wyatt



### To:

- 02 Fred & Melanie Levin
- 16 Louise & Michael Mann
- 20 Kyle & Cindy Johnson

## Welcome new members:

Andy & Lori Frerman and Edward & Yvonne Michek

\* hope to see you at the next rally

#### **Announcements:**

We have a new THCU website. This includes all the old newsletters, Region 9, current rallies, and all kinds of Wally Byam news. Each unit member will have a profile and in the future, you can pay for your annual dues. The old site will be decommissioned once all units have been moved to the new site. Take a test drive and provide your feedback to timberintx@gmail.com.

Please go to: <u>https://airstreamclub.org/</u> to get signed up. Our site is <u>https://airstreamclub.org/TexasHillCountry</u>

FYI—The old website will be taken down soon so sign up and check out our new site....





NEW website: https://airstreamclub.org/ TexasHillCountry

THCU President: joanermis@hotmail.com Facebook Page: Texas Hill Country Unit



Region9.airstreamclub.net

#### THCU Rally Schedule 2020

A mostly tentative 2020 Rally Schedule is presented for your review. Your comments as club members are requested. There are seven rallies on the list and we hope to see you at as many rallies as you can attend. We would like to have two (2) rigs sign up as Wagon Masters for each rally. Having two (2) Wagon Masters makes everything flow smoothly should one have to cancel close to the rally date. One wonderful fact is that our members all pitch in thus ensuring the rally is a huge success.

The Wagon Masters decide on the activities and choose a theme, if they so desire.

Thank you for taking time to review the schedule. Please text Joan Ermis at 830-263-8378 to reserve your choice city for hosting a rally. Don't delay---schedule today.

#### 2020 RALLY SCHEDULE

REVISED

Dates	Location	Hosts .
Jan. 20 24	IBT Las Vegas	
<del>Feb. 20-23</del>	San Marcos	Joan Ermis
	Pecan Park RV Park	
	50 Squirrel Run	
	<u>512-396-0070</u>	
March 19-22	Roadrunner RV Park 501 US Hwy 281 South Johnson City, TX	CANCELLED
	830-868-7449	
April 14-19	Mineola Region 9 Rally	CANCELLED
May 14-17	Mason (Buddy Rally)	CANCELLED
June 20-27	International Rally Loveland, CO	CANCELLED
ALL FALL ACTIVITI	ES ARE ON HOLD. Please check the	website or future newsletters. Stay safe and happy.
August	Luncheon	To be determined
Sept. 10-13	Fredricksburg, TX RV Park to be determined (Business meeting)	Carol Wallace and Charlie Williams
Oct. 1-4	Gonzales	Tim & Allison Ebbers
Nov. 12-15	New Braunfels or Galveston	
Dec 12		

Dec. 12 TBA—Luncheon or Rally



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