

COVID PRECAUTIONS: As the world continues to battle this Virus, please be aware of and actively practice social distancing and consider wearing a mask, particularly if you are high risk. There are a mix of indoor and outdoor activities. Meals will be served by volunteers. If you bring food to share, please include tongs or other serving utensils.

### FIRST THINGS FIRST: BEFORE YOU COME - RESERVATIONS & REGISTRATIONS

- 1. Make your campground reservations direct with KOA Call for Rally rate of \$55+ tax/night in Surfside - 5 waterfront pull thru motorhome sites and 24 premium back-in/water view sites available for Rally. Patio Sites are \$65+ tax
- 2. Register for this rally at https://airstreamclub.org/ghac-2021-november-rally Rally Fees of \$15 per person due to GHAC.
- 3. \*Please let us know if you'll be coming to the Thursday Happy Hour and Dinner we must provide a headcount!\*
- ▶ For questions contact Rick Elkins (call/text 713.859.5939 or rick112851@gmail.com)
- ▶ Bring your can tabs and cash for the Red, White & Blue Raffle always great prizes!

Rally Hosts: Rick & Tracy Elkins – BRN 9713 and Dan & Maria McAnulty – BRN 2162

# THURSDAY NOVEMBER 4<sup>th</sup>

1 pm	Check-in / After 5 pm - Late Arrival Board outside Office
	Find the Hosts Site for Rally Bag

4:30 pm \*Happy Hour - Bring drink - Light hor d'oeuvres provided Bob & Lisa Hansen's Lake Home\* 600 Resort Drive, Livingston, TX 77351

14 miles - about a 20 minute drive

6:30 pm \*David Beard's Catfish King -1100 US59 Loop N,, Livingston. \*









## FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 5<sup>th</sup>

8:30 am Breakfast @ Rally Room - Bring your setups for Coffee, Milk & OJ, Homemade Cinnamon Rolls and Fruit Explore on your own: enjoy the beautiful Piney Woods or hike along the shores of Lake Livingston, the 2<sup>nd</sup> largest lake in all of Texas Keep an eye out for Eddie, the local Bald Eagle, soaring overhead. Fish for catfish or bass from pier of the campground. TBD Escapees RV Club Presentation in Rally Room 5:30 pm Taco Friday Happy Hour & Dinner at the Rally Room Bring your Setup drink and snack to share, if you like. Taco Bar / Chips & Queso, Sopapilla Cheesecake Campfire Sing-a-Long at the Pavilion. Gather round the campfire for 7:00 pm an ol' time sign-a-long!

## SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 6<sup>th</sup>

8:30 am	Breakfast at Rally Room -Bring your setups for Buttermilk Pancakes & Sausage with Fruits, Coffee & Milk
	Explore on your Own - See some nearby attractions below.
10:00 am	Executive Board Meeting in the Rally Room - GHAC Officers, members are welcome to observe
2:00 pm	Crafter Corner in the Rally Room - We'll create a Fall Themed Craft that you'll want to have for your camper décor!
3:00 pm	Tech Talk in the Rally Room -Travel Planning Applications
5:30 pm	Happy Hour & Dinner at the Rally Room Bring your Setup drink and snack to share, if you like. Chicken Spaghetti, Salad, Bread, Dessert
7:00 pm	Campfire at the Pavilion - Veteran Recognition Interest Level in a Caravan to 2022 International Rally in Fryeburg, ME.

# SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 8th

8:30 am Coffee & Pastries in the Rally Room with a Devotional
11:00 am Checkout/Return Home - Safe Travels Friends



#### MUSEUMS

## Stop by Sam Houston Memorial Museum for interesting facts

Other than Huntsville being known for piney woods and rolling hills of East Texas, this little city is also famous because of General Sam Houston. Known for living in Huntsville on many occasions, the best place to learn about General Sam Houston – considered one of the greatest Texans who have ever lived – is at Sam Houston Memorial Museum in Huntsville. The museum is filled with artifacts and lessons on every chapter of his life. At the back of the museum, you'll find Woodland home that was built by Houston where his family lived, and a Steamboat House where he was found dead. For exciting things to do around Huntsville, check this place out!

## See prison artifacts at Texas Prison Museum

Do you want to know what went about behind the scenes or how Texas prison system worked? Now, you can learn all about it at the Texas Prison Museum. The museum features exhibits that include the Texas Prison Rodeo, also known as Wildest Show Behind Bars and the infamous American criminals, Bonnie and Clyde. While walking around the prison, you will get to understand or feel how the inmates lived behind the fenced walls of the prison. It is a feeling unlike any other you may imagine. Texas Prison Museum should most definitely be on your must-see list.

#### Gibbs Powell Home Museum

The Gibbs-Powell Home, also known as the Walker County Historical Museum, was built in 1862 by Thomas Gibbs, an early Huntsville businessman. It is built in the Greek Revival style popular in Huntsville and in the South at that time. The Gibbs family was often visited at the home by personal friend Sam Houston. The house has been the home to several generations of Gibbs and Powell families. Female boarders attending Sam Houston Normal Institute in the Nineteenth Century roomed upstairs.

Through the interest of Judge and Mrs. Ben H. Powell III, this home has remained unchanged, and the interior as well as the furniture and furnishings were preserved to be used as a museum.

The house is both a Texas Archaeological Landmark and a recorded Texas Historical Landmark and is operated by the Walker County Historical Commission as a county museum. Furniture, furnishings, books, newspapers, and documents have also been donated by other local families to help accentuate the atmosphere of a gracious family home.

## Big Sam Statue Visitor Center

A visit to the world's tallest statue of an American hero offers a great perspective of Huntsville. A tribute to courage, the Sam Houston Statue was designed and constructed by artist David Adickes. He dedicated the statue to the City of Huntsville on October 22,1994. It is the worlds tallest statue of an American Hero at 67 feet tall on a 10-foot sunset granite base.

Sam Houston State Football at 12-noon vs Dixie State

Football watch in clubhouse - Times still TBD (Auburn vs TAMU) / (Texas vs Iowa St)