

**Greater Houston Airstream Club**  
**Alligators and Scarecrows Rally at Huntsville State Park**  
**“This year is the Texas State Parks 100<sup>th</sup> Anniversary”**  
**October 20<sup>th</sup> - 22<sup>nd</sup> ,2023**  
**565 Park Rd. 40 W, Huntsville, TX**

Hosts: Ron and Janice Lange, Cohosts: Don & Helen Teegarden, and Wayne & Liza Wilkerson

1. GHAC made the reservations and paid for two nights (Friday 10/20 and Saturday 10/21) at a rate of \$25 per night which is part of your rally cost. Rally Fee for meals is \$12.00 per person. Once you sign up in JOT and pay the Rally Fee please call Dan or Maria McAnulty so we can assign you a site. We will provide a list of attendees to the Park Office to help you get checked in. When you arrive at the Park, you will have to pay your own entry fee for the car and passengers unless you have a State Park Pass.
2. If you **plan to come in a day early or stay a day after Saturday**, you will need to contact Dan McAnulty **ASAP!** at (832)392-7033, to find out which campsite has been assigned to you. Then you must call the Group Reservation Office at **512-389-8920** and pay for any additional nights you want to book in that site

**\*\*\*The deadline for signing up is October 10th!\*\*\***

**Let us know if this is your first Rally so we can recognize you!**

We will have a scarecrow contest Saturday after dinner so be thinking how you can dress a scarecrow and bring materials etc. to do that (i.e., old pants, shirts, hats, gloves, etc.)

**See things to do in Huntsville on page 2**

## **Rally Schedule**

### **Thursday, October 19**

Dinner on your own. Those that arrive Thursday, the hosts are planning to meet at McKenzie's BBQ in Huntsville for dinner at 6:30 p.m. You are welcome to join us or eat out on your own.

### **Friday, October 20**

Breakfast and lunch are on your own.

**1:30 pm: The carpool leaves from the park** to the Sam Houston Memorial Museum (parking is limited)

**2:00 to 4:30 PM** Tour **Sam Houston Memorial Museum** \$4 per senior (Free for Veterans)

Come join us for a step back in history with a guided tour. Please be there by 2:00.\*

**5:15 PM Happy Hour** Located at the Group Shelter, bring your own beverage. Odd **“site numbers”** bring appetizers. Icebreaker Activity: A fun game.

**6:15 PM Taco Dinner** and dessert provided by Hosts. After dinner, Hosts will provide everything needed for s'mores to be cooked on an open fire. **PLEASE BRING TABLE SERVICE AND YOUR FAVORITE BEVERAGE.**

## **Saturday, October 21**

**7:30 AM** Early rise folks, Coffee at the Group Shelter

**8:00 AM** "Breakfast with a Ranger", pancakes, and fruit **PLEASE BRING TABLE SERVICE AND YOUR FAVORITE BEVERAGE.**

Lunch on your own.

**1:00 PM** Texas Prison Museum (\$4 group rate), next door is the Hearts Museum (Military Museum with a replica to scale of the Vietnam wall)

**5:00 PM** Happy Hour Located at the Group Shelter, bring your own beverage. Even "**site numbers**" bring appetizers.

**6:00 PM** Pot Luck Dinner. Bring something to share with those in attendance. Co-Hosts will provide dessert. **PLEASE BRING TABLE SERVICE AND YOUR FAVORITE BEVERAGE.**

Before dinner, a drawing will be held to form teams to compete in a scarecrow dressing contest. Please bring items to dress scarecrows, i.e. old pants, shirts, hats, gloves, funny stuff, etc.

**7:00 PM** After Dinner we will have the scarecrow dressing contest.

## **Sunday October 22:**

**7:30 AM** Early rise folks, Coffee at the Group Shelter

**8:00 AM** Continental Breakfast **PLEASE BRING TABLE SERVICE AND YOUR FAVORITE BEVERAGE.**

### **Activities to do during the day at the State Park:**

Fishing

Many trails to take a hike in the State Park

Mountain bike on the trails, or road bike on streets

Rent Canoes or bring your own paddle boats.

### **In the city of Huntsville: (All can be found using Google Maps)**

Antiquing in the Huntsville downtown square

Richard Haas downtown murals

Sam Houston's grave site (Oakwood Cemetery)

Sam Houston's statue and Visitor Center

Sam Houston State University

Wynne Home Arts and Visitor Center

Gibbs Powell Home Museum

Café Texan Restaurant (open 6AM to 2PM)/Museum (open 8AM to 2PM, free)