



# North Texas Roundup

November 2025

*"To place the great wide world at your doorstep for you who yearn to travel with all the comforts of home."*  
Wally Byam Creed

## President's Letter

*"More campfires, more community, more Airstream"*

- Edward Wilson

I'm still on cloud nine as I sit here thinking about the Installation Rally at The Boulders. It was a blessing to see so many familiar faces—and to welcome new ones! I'm honored to serve alongside an amazing group of people, and I know every intention is to make this club even better.

### 2026 NTxAC Leadership Team

Vice-President: **Greg King**

Treasurer: **Bill Steddum**

Secretary: **Nicole Scott**

Past President: **Mike Hooker**

Newsletter: **Ann Clark & David Majkowski**

Webmaster: **Dan Brockway**

Webmaster Assistant: **Bret Bieghler**

Parliamentarian: **Ann Weaver**

Trustees: **Mike Barr, Rita Barr, Christine Wayles, Jo Love**

I am especially thankful for our past president, **Mike Hooker**, who has been a mentor and friend. Working closely with him this year made the transition smooth, and I appreciate his leadership and continued support. We also thank **Allana**

**Patterson** for being the past president and taking on many tasks this year with rally planning and all sorts of intricate things!

Our Installation Rally at The Boulders was a wonderful celebration of community and momentum. Our club continues to grow, not only in membership, but also in our resources, both financially and through the incredible volunteers. As we look ahead, our goal is to continue supporting our rally hosts so they aren't paying out of pocket, as long as expenses fall within the guidelines we've set forth in the rally budget or have prior approval for any additional needs. If you are interested in helping out in any capacity or have any ideas, my door is always open!

New for 2026, we have formed a Special Rally Committee with volunteers **Allana Patterson, Christine Wayles, and Jo Love** to brainstorm fresh ideas and destinations. While 2026 already includes several staple NTxAC rallies, we also have some exciting ACI Region 9 events on the horizon, and of course, the International Rally in Minot, ND! Our camping schedule is shaping up well, and we

are finalizing a few remaining locations. Stay tuned for some great new opportunities. Also, we're thrilled to be launching a new resource soon: a guide that **Dan Brockway** has been putting together titled "A Guide To Hosting A Rally. It's Not As Daunting As It Seems!"

This club is not a club without its members. I appreciate your support and everything each of you contributes. If you ever need to reach me, please feel free to call or text.

**817-825-9247**

Our goal this year is simple: to continue hosting fun events while introducing new ones, and to encourage more members to join us at rallies and mixing in some social gatherings.

Again, I'm beyond thankful for this opportunity, and I can't wait to see what this year brings. See you down the road,



Edward Wilson  
**BRN 30813**

## Editors' Corner

A time of thanks. November gives us time to reflect on the blessings in life, and not just on Thanksgiving, but every day. Personally, I'm thankful for good health and my family and friends. Those friends include so many of you in the North Texas Airstream Club.

Thanks go to **Jeff and Maribeth Pappas, Sam and Bret Bieghler, Tanner and Carrie Terry, and Greg and Jill Fearing** for a rally this month that was awesome! Also, thanks to **David Brandon** for the boat rides on Lake Tyler! The Installation Rally had a good turnout as well, and it was a pleasure to meet some of our newer members!

On this page are the 2026 officers that were sworn in at the Installation Rally. The fun things we do don't just happen by themselves – they're the result of a group working hard to make them happen. Many thanks to **Mike Hooker** for his service as our President last year along with his lovely First Lady **Debbie**.

It's more than one day a month we should give thanks for what we have. We are ALL so fortunate in so many ways.

Happy Thanksgiving!



Ann Clark  
BRN 12279



David  
Majkowski  
BRN 5594

## Your 2026 NTxAC Officers & Committee Chairs

Meet your new 2026 officers and chairs!

These members will plan our rallies, secure sites and rally hosts, handle financial matters, welcome new members, create monthly newsletters, post on social media, send out emails, and a million other duties that keep this club running and creating an atmosphere of "family."

Join us at our 2026 rallies and activities!



Front Row: *Johanna Love, Ann Clark, Edward Wilson, Patrick Scott;*  
Back Row: *Dan Brockway, Christine Wayles, Mike Hooker,*  
*Greg King, Bill Steddum, and Nicole Scott.*

Not pictured: *Mike and Rita Barr, David Majkowski*  
*Ann Weaver, Bret Bieghler*

### **President**

Edward Wilson

### **1st Vice-President**

Greg King

### **Past President**

Mike Hooker

### **Secretary**

Nicole Scott

### **Treasurer**

Bill Steddum

### **Parliamentarian**

Ann Weaver

### **Membership**

Patrick Scott

### **Webmaster**

Dan Brockway

### **Webmaster Asst.**

Bret Bieghler

### **Newsletter**

Ann Clark  
David Majkowski

### **Trustees**

Christine Wayles / Johanna Love  
Mike Barr / Rita Barr



## December Birthdays

Sharon Andrews	12/1	Kathy Carl	12/12	Carol Lowther	12/20
John Razmus	12/1	Elizabeth Therezo	12/12	Daniela Reisinger	12/21
Deanna Hinton	12/4	Greg Walker	12/12	Toni Jenkins	12/22
Travis Gilley	12/5	Amarylis Fain	12/13	Jim Fant	12/23
Robert Brown	12/7	Lynda Humble	12/13	Janet Godbey	12/24
Jack Clyne	12/7	Mike Hooker	12/14	Chris Peters	12/24
Irene Miller	12/7	Ruth Heafner	12/15	Cliff Millican	12/26
Kathy Gustafson	12/8	Angie Kazura	12/17	Tim Milliken	12/31
Dora Palao	12/11	David Fain	12/19	Kathi Mitchell	12/31
Jonathan Penn	12/11	Allana Patterson	12/19		

## December Anniversaries

Lynn and Ann Clark	12/2	Cliff and Maxi Millican	12/16
Ralf and Daniela Reisinger	12/2	Greg and Jill Fearing	12/21
Mitch and Peggy Ott	12/2	Charles and Kathy Gustafson	12/27
Rick and Tracy Elkins	12/8	Todd and Emily Gottel	12/30



**“Go ahead.**

**Send me something past the deadline.”**

In order to maintain our sanity, please send whatever you would like to post in the *North Texas Roundup* by the **20th of each month.**

We welcome all kinds of info for our newsletter! Send us photos and stories of your travels, your grandkids, your camping recipes, or anything Airstream-related that our readers will benefit from.

We appreciate **all** of you honoring this deadline.

*Editors Ann and David*

## Still Thinking of Joining Us at Camp Margaritaville?

We're sorry!

Airstreams in Paradise is sold out, but please sign up for our waitlist. There are always cancellations. Once on the waitlist, you will be contacted when your turn comes if an opening pops up. Let's keep our fingers crossed!

Click this link for the waitlist:

<https://form.jotform.com/252965399837176>



## Hey! Check These Out!

Do you know about Airstream stars?

The star decals represent a member's longevity in the Airstream Club International. For each 5 years of membership, a decal is obtained.

Decals are free and may be ordered directly from the Club

<https://store.airstreamclub.org/collections/trailer-stuff>

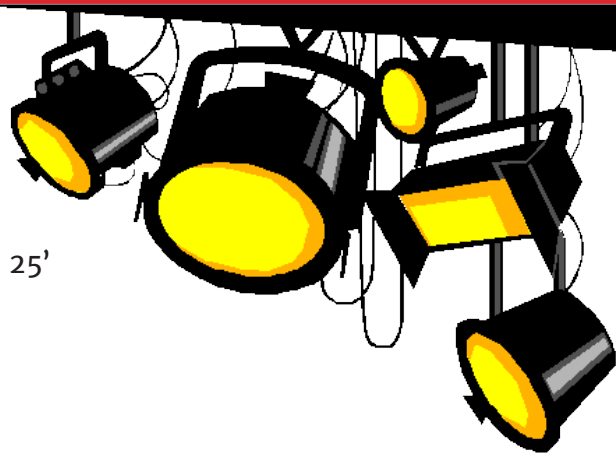
Moonbeam. AirBear. Neptune. What have you named **your** Airstream? Oh, you haven't named it yet? The Official Airstream Registry is your chance to cement your Airstream's status as part of the community.

<https://www.airstream.com/name-your-airstream>

The ACI 70th Anniversary Store is finally open! Drinkware, accessories, and apparel for everyone, including a special 70th Anniversary T-shirt with Wally's Creed on the back!

<https://airstreamclub.checkoutstores.com>

## New Members Spotlight



### New Members

**Liz Smolinski**  
2019 Sport 22'  
Dallas, TX

**Rick and Susan Newell**  
2005 International CCD 25'  
Mountain Springs, TX

**Todd and Sandra Pottorff**  
2022 Globetrotter 27'  
Crowley, TX

**Tim and Keri Lambert**  
2021 Bambi 22'  
Prosper, TX



## Todd and Sandra Pottorff, BRN 05804

We're Todd and Sandra Pottorff. We've been married for 36 years and have two children. We're both engineers - Todd a graduate of the Colorado School of Mines, and Sandra a graduate of Texas A&M. We met at our first job out of college and we both love the outdoors, including walking, hiking, biking, skiing, and kayaking. We have also done our share of tent camping and RV'ing. We've owned a tent trailer, a smaller travel trailer, and a larger travel trailer, using them for trips in Texas, New Mexico, Colorado, Arizona, and South Dakota.

As our retirement is quickly approaching, we began to ask ourselves what type of camper we want that can take us, including our dog Birdie, to the many areas across the country we've not been to. As we searched for this camper, we

really started to consider an Airstream. They always caught our eye (as they do most), and learning from our other travel trailer experiences, we realized we would appreciate the simplicity of a camper without slides. We finally got serious about them and found this 2022 Globetrooter 27FB Twin. We picked it up immediately and had a 3-night stay at Min-

eral Wells State Park where we determined it's going to meet our expectations. The sellers are members of the North Texas Airstream Club, and they told us the great benefits of being a member, so we immediately joined. We hope to participate in as many events that we can fit in and are looking forward to meeting everyone!





## Rick and Susan Newell, BRN 18998

We are Rick and Susan Newell. We have been married for 34 years. Together we have four daughters and one son (yes, he is spoiled). We have the chance to spoil seven grandchildren.

Susan is employed as a landscape designer, with 25 years of experience, and I retired last year as the manager of a lawn and garden distribution company.

We live on the north side of Lake Ray Roberts in the little town of Mountain Springs. We have enjoyed many years of camping, graduating from tents when the kids were young to two other RVs before we decided to take the plunge and experience the Airstream Life. We purchased a 2005 25' International CCD this past year and have been traveling and enjoying the road.

We have numerous pets including seven horses, six dogs, 20+ goats, three cats, two turkeys, two ducks, and a dozen chickens. We are excited about joining the North Texas Airstream Club and are looking forward to meeting everyone.



**Jerry Vanloon**

**RVIA Certified  
Mobile RV Technician**

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*Your business is valued. Labor guaranteed*





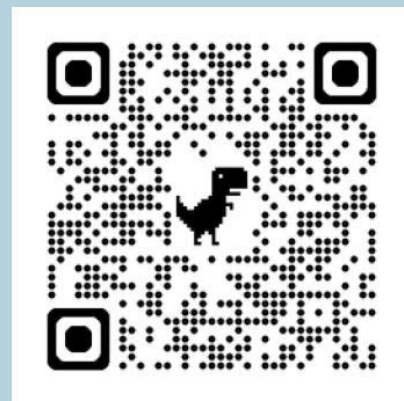
## What you can expect:

- Luxury, ultra all-inclusive cruise on Riverside Ravel by Riverside Cruises.
- An Airstream exclusive river cruise sailing from Lyon to Avignon through the Rhone Valley and Provence region of France.
- Inclusions: Gourmet meals, unlimited premium drinks, choice of shore excursions, all gratuities, and all panoramic balcony-window suites with butler service.
- Great pre-cruise group options include additional 3 nights on Ravel, tours to Normandy or Champagne region. Post cruise is an optional group trip to Paris.

**July 15-22, 2026**

## More Info:

**JASONGRENDAHL@GMAIL.COM**



**<https://airstreamclub.org/silver-river-2026>**

# NTxAC 2025 Rally Schedule

**December 5-7, 2025**

**Holiday Rally, The Vineyards on Lake Grapevine, Grapevine, TX**

1501 N. Dooley Street, Grapevine, TX 76051

[thevineyards@grapevinetexas.gov](mailto:thevineyards@grapevinetexas.gov)

Hosts: Jo Love, Rita Barr, Karen King, and Debbie Hooker

*The best way to spread Christmas cheer is singing loud for all to hear” –Buddy the Elf*

Join us for an Elf-themed Christmas Rally at the Vineyards Campground in Grapevine. Perfect for families!

**The weekend includes:**

**Friday, December 5**

Join us for a “Meat and Greet” and then gather around the campfire for a beverage of your choice and S’mores.

**Saturday, December 6**

Start the day with coffee, hot chocolate, Mimosas, and breakfast. Our grilling elves will be cooking pancakes, sausage, and eggs on the Blackstones.

The rest of the day is “Play Your Way” in Grapevine!

Grapevine, the Christmas Capital of Texas, offers festive events at [www.grapevinetexasusa.com](http://www.grapevinetexasusa.com). Relax at the campground while the kids enjoy the playground, board games, or arts and crafts.

Later, we’ll have a Happy Hour to enjoy while we await pizza. Get ready to channel your inner elf. Prizes will be given for the best Buddy the Elf costume!

After dinner, the kids get a gift exchange and an outdoor showing of ELF! Adult elves will have their own “Silly Santa Exchange.” To cap off the night, we’ll gather by the campfire with our favorite Christmas toddies.

**Sunday, December 7**

We’ll send you off with a convenient breakfast to-go.

More details to follow, but plan on bringing a protein and side to share for Friday’s dinner, drinks for Happy Hour, a wrapped gift for your child/children to open, a gift for the adult exchange, and a batch of your favorite Christmas cookies to share at Saturday’s dinner. We will also ask for contributions for meals.





# **NTxAC 2026 Tentative Rally Schedule**

**January 22-25, 2026**

## **Reason for Freezin' Rally (Joint Rally w/HOTC)**

North Texas Airstream Community, 200 Walnut Hill Avenue, Hillsboro, TX 76645

*Hosts: Becky and Mark Montgomery and Michelle and Mark Wright of HOTC*

Get those colorful shirts out and practice your Hula movements! Join us for a Hawaiian-themed rally at NTAC that includes Saturday evening with a roasted pig! Click the following site for details and to register: [https://airstreamclub.org/2026-reason-freezin?check\\_logged\\_in=1](https://airstreamclub.org/2026-reason-freezin?check_logged_in=1)

**February 6-8, 2026**

## **Streamin' on the Strand Rally, Galveston, TX (Region 9 Rally)**

*Hosts: Tim and Allison Ebbers*

Registration is open! More info at <https://airstreamclub.org/streamin-strand-region-9>

**February 12-15, 2026**

## **Valentine's Rally with East Texas, Lone Oak, TX**

<https://airstreamclub.org/ntxac-etl-valentine-rally>

**March 20-23, 2026**

## **Wally's Workshop, NTAC, Hillsboro, TX (Region 9 Event)**

North Texas Airstream Community, 200 Walnut Hill Avenue, Hillsboro, TX 76645

*Event Contacts: Anna and David Brandon (Queen and King of Airstream Fun) [dbtextilesoffice@icloud.com](mailto:dbtextilesoffice@icloud.com)*

Whether you're headed to the Camp Margaritaville Region 9 Annual Rally or not, this is the perfect opportunity to learn new things and take care of your prized Airstream trailer. Featured guests include:

- Beckyann Hernandez of MASA (travel insurance)
- The Taylors of Kleen-Tank (tank maintenance and cleaning)
- DFW RV Rescue (Washing, Waxing)
- The Loves of Cross Country RV Solutions
- Airstream Tech Jerry Vanloon.

You'll make appointments for the services in which you have interest directly with the service provider and the work is done on site Friday, Saturday, or Sunday (you will receive an estimate of cost in advance). If you decide to take advantage of a service (or services) without an appointment, this will depend upon the tech's availability. There will also be an Airstream Swap Table and Book Exchange so bring anything you aren't using anymore! Following the rally on Monday morning you are invited to join the Camp Margaritaville Caravan to Crystal Beach.

Register here: <https://pci.jotform.com/form/252275237935160>

**March 23-24, 2026**

## **Caravan to Region 9 Rally, Location TBD (Region 9 Caravan)**

Details to follow!

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## ***NTxAC 2026 Tentative Rally Schedule, continued***

**March 25-29, 2026**

**Region 9 Rally at Camp Margaritaville Resort, Crystal Beach, TX**

This rally is sold out, but here's a link to the waitlist: <https://form.jotform.com/252965399837176>

**April 10-12, 2026**

**NTxAC and Oklahoma Club Rally, Lake Murray State Park, Oklahoma**

*Event Contacts: Amy and Chris Hanus*

For information: <https://airstreamclub.org/2nd-annual-buddy-rally-lake-murray>

**May 15-17, 2026**

**Tentative**

**June 12-14, 2026**

**Tentative**

**July, 2026**

**Rigless Rally (Tentative)**

**August 22-27, 2026**

**ACI International Rally, North Dakota State Fairgrounds, Minot, ND**

*Event Contact: [rally@airstreamclub.org](mailto:rally@airstreamclub.org)*

Registration is now open! Register here: <https://airstreamclub.org/rally2026/registration>

**September 18-20, 2026**

**Tentative**

**October 9-11, 2026**

**Tentative**

**November 13-15, 2026**

**NTxAC Installation Rally, The Boulders at Lake Tyler, Whitehouse, TX**

**December 4-6, 2026**

**Holiday Rally at The Vineyards, Grapevine, TX**

## **High Profile:** *Tanya Martchek*



**Current Hometown:** Lewisville, TX

**I Grew Up In:** Crown Point, Indiana

**Fun Fact About Me:** While serving in the Navy in Brooklyn, NY, I was in a joint service commercial that aired worldwide for a few years. Interestingly, I was able to find it on YouTube! I also did a recruiting advertisement.

**Current and/or Former Occupation:** Executive Director of Public Housing

**Airstream Model/Year:** 1972 Overlander

**Your Airstream's Name:** Moonbeam

**Favorite Thing About My Airstream:** Just being in it!

**Hobbies:** hiking, birding, gardening, and crocheting

**I Drive A:** Ram 1500

**Favorite TV Shows:** Brit Box shows

**Favorite Music/Bands:** 1970s, of course!

**My Fantasy Dinner Party Guests (Living or Deceased) Would Be:** my father, whom I didn't know, and his family.

**My Last Meal Would Be:** Beef Wellington, baked potato, asparagus almonline, and Creme Brulee with berries with a glass of a Malbec!

**I'm Known For:** being friendly, I hope!

**Behind My Back They Say:** She talks to everyone.

**Nobody Knows That I:** Not sure - I feel I'm pretty transparent.

**Favorite Airstream Destinations:** anywhere Moonbeam is parked!

**My Dream Destination In My Airstream Would Be:** not a destination, but a continuous trip through all 48 states!

**Best Travel Advice:** Enjoy the ride, there is so much to see!



## Airstream Pet Tails

Many of us travel with our pets, and quite a number of Airstream owners chose to live the Airstream life because it gives them the option to travel with them. If you have a pet or pets and want to share their travel stories with us, send your info and photos to [aec2you@gmail.com](mailto:aec2you@gmail.com)



### Pet Story #4: Meet Quinn O'Donnell



Quinn the Airstream Cat has been traveling with me since May of 2024. She had her first Airstream trip at seven weeks old and has been developing her travel style ever since.

She spends most of the drives asleep in the truck, but once we park and get set up she enjoys a leashed walk about in the campground. Evenings are best for catching moths and other critters. Yum.

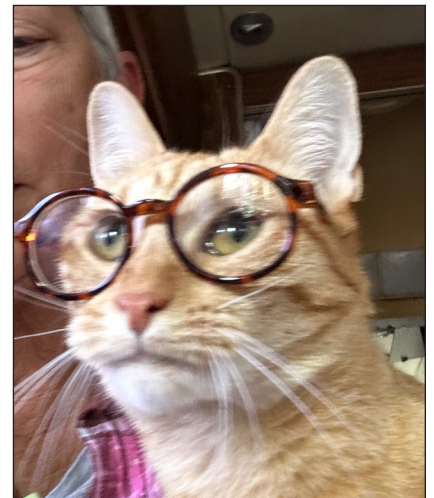
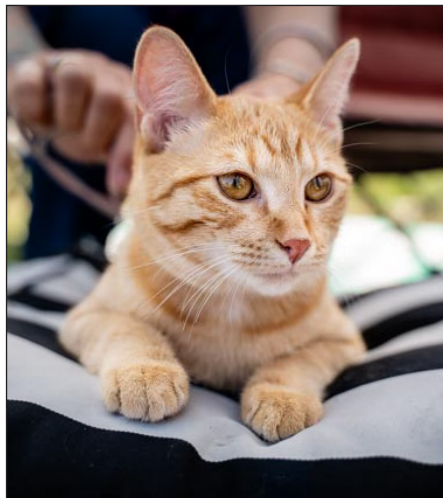


She has attended two international rallies so far and lots of other smaller gatherings. Quinn especially enjoys watching dogs and meeting the ones she finds most interesting. One of her favorites is Jade Dice. She has visited Jackson Center in Ohio and even got to go back into the service bay to see the progress on our Airstream under repair.

She has her own upper cabinet for her bed and even has photos of her littermates framed in her room. She is not spoiled. Much.

Feel free to follow her on her instagram page. She is **QuinntheAirstreamcat** (one word).

See you down the road,  
**Millie O'Donnell**





## NTxAC Installation Rally at The Boulders

Thanks to these photographers for their photos: **Shannon Christian, Ann Clark, Karen King, Kate Mason, Maxi Millican, Lisa Rowell, Nicole Scott, and Edward Wilson.**

### Rally Review by Maribeth Pappas

A fantastic time was had by the 97 members of NTxAC and ETLU in attendance at the 3rd Annual The Boulders at Lake Tyler Rally. On Thursday night, the pre-rally Lakeside Gathering was hosted by Rally Hosts **Samantha and Bret Bieghler** at their water-front site. Members grilled out, enjoyed adult beverages, and watched the beautiful sunset at this informal gathering.



*The Bieghler's gathering on Thursday*

The next morning Rally Hosts **Carrie and Tanner Terry** showed their incredible mixology skills with a Lakeside Cocktail Gathering featuring Mimosas and Bloody Marys. A perfect way to start the day!



*It's a Bloody Mary morning*



*Christine Wayles, Nicole and Patrick Scott*

Free time on Friday afternoon included members going to the highly rated Stanley's BBQ, Kiepersol Vineyard and Winery, and the ETX Brewery. **The Brandons** graciously rented a boat from The Boulders and invited members to join them on the water. That was a real highlight of the day!

Friday night was the official start of the rally with Happy Hour starting on the deck. Delicious Bruno's Pizza, a Tyler favorite since 1976, was served along with wonderful appetizers and desserts from members.

A raucous game of Left Center Right rounded out the night with many members walking away with loads of cash.

Saturday morning in the Event Center started with breakfast and the Officer Installation officiated by **Anna Brandon**, NTxAC member and 1st Vice-

President of Region 9. She thanked the outgoing officers for serving this past year and swore in the new NTxAC officers including **Edward Wilson** as the new NTxAC President.



*Anna Brandon and the new officers*

The ETLU Officer Installation and Annual Meeting was held lakeside by the cozy, outside fireplace and **Tanner Terry** was sworn in as the new ETLU President.

On Saturday afternoon, we hosted the 3rd Annual Streamies at the beautiful Event Center!

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# NTxAC Installation Rally at The Boulders

## Rally Review by Maribeth Pappas, *continued*

Members of NTxAC and ETLU battled it out with energy and enthusiasm in cornhole, pool and shuffleboard bracket competitions. Rally Hosts **Jill Fearing, Tanner Terry, Jeff Pappas** and **Maribeth Pappas** all kept the games running smoothly. ETLU's **Ethan** and **Amanda Langley** provided delicious margaritas in their incredible, homemade cocktail mixer contraption. Their margarita machine must be seen to be believed!

The Championship Games were held Saturday night for all to see. Cornhole Championship Game was NTxAC team **Mike Hooker** and **David Brandon** v. NTxAC team **Jo** and **Tim Love** (husband and wife Winners!). The Shuffleboard Championship Game was NTxAC husband **John Razmus** v. wife **Lisa Razmus** (the Winner!). Lisa had never played shuffleboard before and she won it all!

The Battle of the Clubs was NTxAC **Don Rowell** v. ETLU **Doug Townes** (the Winner!). ETLU takes the trophy again! Thank you to my fellow rally hosts **Samantha** and **Bret Bieghler**, **Jill** and **Greg Fearing**, **Carrie** and **Tanner Terry**, plus my husband, **Jeff Pappas**, for all the hard work! Thank you to everyone who

made the delicious potluck food, and especially the incredible ETLU members that provided and grilled all the fajita meat and chicken. **SAVE THE DATE!** Please mark your calendar for The 4th Annual The Boulders Rally on November 13-15, 2026. I can't wait to see you all again!



*A stunning aerial view of The Boulders and our Airstreams*



*Shuffleboard Champ Lisa Razmus*

The Pool Championship was an exciting match-up for the third year in a row of NTxAC v. ETLU!



*Billiards Champ Doug Townes*



*Cornhole Champs Tim and Jo Love*



## ***NTxAC Installation Rally at The Boulders***



*A beautiful sunrise courtesy of Maxi Millican*



*Thank you, David Brandon,  
for the boat rides!*



*Anna Brandon, Samantha Bieghler,  
Peggy Ott, and Shanna Moll*



*Ann and Lynn Clark*



*Allana Patterson*



*Ethan and Amanda Langley  
and Tim and Jo Love*



*Mike and Debbie Hooker*



*Elizabeth Therezo and friends*



*Friday's Pizza Night was a hit!*



## ***NTxAC Installation Rally at The Boulders***



***Mitch Ott, Tanner Terry,  
and Edward Wilson***



***Left, Center, Right!***



***Rachel and Bryan Ritchie***



***Saturday: Mike Hooker presents Edward Wilson  
with the NTxAC flag***



***2026 Officers: Bill Steddum, Nicole Scott,  
Greg King, and Edward Wilson***



***Our 2026 President and First Lady:  
Edward and Tiffany Wilson***



***A thank you gift for Past President  
Mike Hooker***



***Justin Gannon and Kate Mason***



## ***NTxAC Installation Rally at The Boulders***



***Lunch at Stanley's BBQ***



***Cornhole: Dan Brockway***



***Cornhole: Steve Woodward***



***Cornhole: Sara Warren***



***Shuffleboard: Maxi Millican***



***Shuffleboard: Tom Jensen***



***Pool Tournament: Ron Battles and Lynn Clark***



***Steve Woodward  
and Elizabeth Therezo***



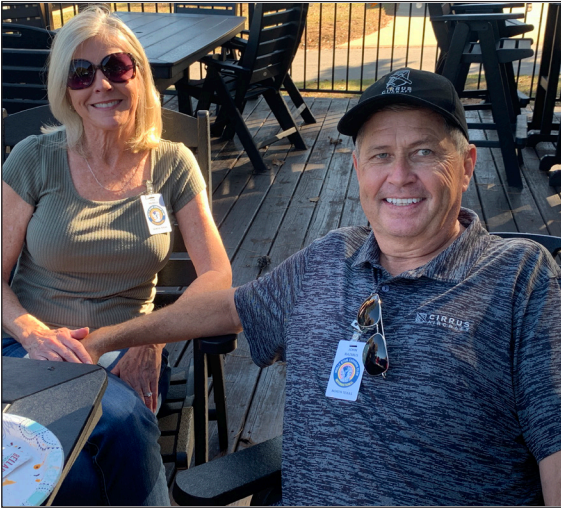
***Take your daughter to work day:  
Tim Love works on an Airstream***



***Happiness is a warm puppy:  
Tiffany Wilson and Daisy***



## *NTxAC Installation Rally at The Boulders*



*Lisa and John Razmus*



*Maribeth Pappas*



*Dana and Steven Blankenship*



*Well, why not?*



*The Boulders Event Center*



*It was OUR way this weekend*



*Fajita Dinner*



*Ooooooh, the desserts!*



*Saturday evening's sunset and weather – perfect*



## ***NTxAC Installation Rally at The Boulders***



*Margaritas on the deck*



*A good game of 42:  
David and Anna Brandon, Lynn Clark,  
and Christine Wayles*



*Christine Wayles*



*Family Portrait: Our NTxAC Airstream Family, November 2025*



## *Co-Editor David's Travelogue*

### **November 2025: Oh, the Things That You See**

When traversing this great land, some people select a destination, hitch up, then hop on the nearest freeway and motor there post-haste. Once they've seen what there is to see and do what there is to do, it's off on the road again to the next waypoint. Nothing wrong with that. It's a good way to maximize your time seeing what there is to see and doing what there is to do in the places you've chosen to go.

When laying out our travel plans, Kim and I, too, set down our notable stops—places where we want to spend a day or two ... or more. But we also indulge our curiosity about what lies between. There's so much to be seen in between. This month's column is about that journey. About some map dots we explored between Idaho's panhandle and Michigan's Upper Peninsula. Dots you may miss at 65 miles per hour amongst raging semi-trucks. Let's take a look, shall we?



*Sasquatch sighting on a mountain bike trail in Pine Street Woods – Sandpoint, ID*



*Scenic Kootenai Falls  
(don't miss the swinging bridge)  
Troy, MT*



*Independence Day in the Asbestos Capital of America  
(stop by the Heritage Museum)  
Libby, MT*



*James J. Hill, The Empire Builder of the Great Northern Railroad  
Havre, MT*



*Chip the Camel on Buffalo Trails Day  
Epping, ND*



*Don't blink on North Dakota's Shortest Highway, ND 91,  
1/4 mile long  
Harvey, ND*

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## *Co-Editor David's Travelogue, continued*

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I'll leave you with some words to travel by, from "On the Road with Charles Kurault."

*Well, time to say goodbye until our next trip together.  
We've heard about a story up the road here, but we kind of hope we never get there.  
With luck, we'll stumble upon something more interesting along the way.  
I can see the road is bending.  
I wonder what's around the bend.*

See you down the road.

David Majkowski,  
BRN 5594



## **YIPPEE, THEY'RE FREE!!**

Hey, new members, you will receive a FREE NTxAC T-shirt when you attend a rally/meeting.

If you would like to buy a T-shirt, order through the link below and pick them up at the next rally you attend.

[airstream099leadership@gmail.com](mailto:airstream099leadership@gmail.com)



**Tim Love**

*Certified RV and Airstream Repair Expert*

[crosscountryrvsolutions.com](http://crosscountryrvsolutions.com)

**817-917-0092**

## New NTxAC Shirts and Hoodies Available!

We now have long-sleeve T-shirts and hoodies available.  
Please email Ed Wilson at [fenderltd@yahoo.com](mailto:fenderltd@yahoo.com) if you want one.  
Include how many and size.

Bella & Canvas Long Sleeve Shirt  
Tear-away label  
Side-seamed  
Ribbed cuffs  
3.8-ounce, 50/25/25 poly/Airlume combed and ring spun cotton/rayon

Sizes:  
Small  
Medium  
Large  
XL  
2X  
3X

\$20.00



Port & Company Fan Favorite Fleece Full-Zip Hooded Sweatsh

Removable tag for comfort  
75/25 ring spun cotton/poly  
Dyed-to-match YKK zipper  
Removable tag for comfort and relabeling  
Dyed-to-match YKK zipper

Sizes:  
Xtra-Small  
Small  
Medium  
Large  
XL  
2X  
3X

\$32.00

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## Useful Links and Contacts

Most pages require a login. Your username is the email that you have on file with the club headquarters. If you are signing in for the first time, enter your email and click "Forgot Password?"

### **NTxAC Membership Assistance Program**

[https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSdMz\\_4uBLDlZrrYVrT8oS1SXpH9mUuqJ1BGQ\\_Jvpl8LBt-8npg/viewform](https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSdMz_4uBLDlZrrYVrT8oS1SXpH9mUuqJ1BGQ_Jvpl8LBt-8npg/viewform)

### **ACI/WBCCI (the Club)**

**Airstream Club International** (ACI, our club)

<https://airstreamclub.org>

**ACI Region 9** (our region within the club)

<https://airstreamclub.org/region9>

**ACI North Texas Airstream Club** (NTxAC, our unit, #099, within the region)

<https://airstreamclub.org/north-texas>

**Big Red Number and Airstream Club - What is it and why you want to Rally!**

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=irfdq5boMD8>

**Blue Beret Archive** (club magazine)

<https://airstreamclub.org/member-only-section/member-only-blue-beret-magazine>

**Blue Beret Blog** (club blog)

<https://blog.airstreamclub.org>

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### **Airstream (the Company)**

**Airstream USA** (the Company)

<https://www.airstream.com>

**Live Riveted** (Airstream's blog)

<https://www.airstream.com/blog>

**Airstream Owners** (resource page for owner information and support)

<https://www.airstream.com/owners>

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