



...from the TGCUCU President



Our beautiful fall weather has finally made it to Deep East Texas. Trees are starting to turn gorgeous shades of autumn colors. November is my favorite month, kinda partial since it's my birth month and wedding anniversary. But aside from that, it's the calm before the hustle bustle of the Christmas Holidays. Thanksgiving is a wonderful way to cherish memories with your family and or friends.

Our Thanksgiving and Turkey Shoot Rally is right around the corner Nov. 13-16 at TAHI. Our Rally hosts Nancy Fitzgerald and Randy Robinson along with their host team have a wonderful time planned for everyone. See the rally schedule for more details and make your reservations so we have enough food for everyone. Hope you can make it.

The TGCUCU Executive Board Election was unanimously passed at the Oct. member meeting. I'd like to congratulate our new incoming 2026 Board, Kelly Hargraves President, Gina Hargraves 1st VP, Steve Shadd 2nd VP and Dee Smith Recording Secretary. Kay Krisko and Linda Williams will be serving another term. Installation will be December 13, at our Christmas Celebration Rally.

Don't forget our annual fundraiser for the Zavalla Food Bank will be a Silent Auction during our Dec. Rally. The proceeds will go to local families needing help to buy their Christmas dinners. Start thinking about your donation now for the silent auction. Gift Baskets, gift cards, wine, beer, men's gifts, ladies gifts, weekend getaway, handmade items. Be Creative!

Hoping you are getting outdoors enjoying traveling, happy hours, a nature walk, a propane campfire (burn ban) or a lovely golf cart ride. Enjoy this beautiful weather!

Happy Thanksgiving to all and of course,
Safe Travels!

Selina



Selina Shadd
58th President
TGCUCU #103
Texas Gulf Coast Unit
Airstream Club International,
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2025 TGCU OFFICERS

Selina Shadd- President

Kelly Hargraves - 1st Vice President

Gina Hargraves - 2nd Vice President/Newsletter Editor

Linda Williams - Corresponding Secretary/Scholarship Chair

Jolinda Lauderdale - Recording Secretary

Kay Krisko - Treasurer

Nancy Fitzgerald -Trustee

Rick Nelson - Webmaster/Membership

Marilyn Murphy - Hospitality

**Our Christmas Celebration Rally is NEXT MONTH!!!
December 11-14!
Join The Fun & Festivities!**

Celebrate the New Officer Installation

Start gathering your items for our Silent Auction

White Elephant gift exchange & lots of goodies!

TGCU Rally Host Duty Reminders

- Coordinate plans together with rally host team. First names listed are head hosts.
- If you are unable to host, it's your responsibility to find someone to trade months with and communicate this to the head hosts at least two weeks prior to the rally.
- Plan activities & meals for Thursday through Sunday morning.
- Send rally schedule to Gina to post in newsletter by the 25th of the prior month (i.e. January 25th for the February rally)
- Shop for food & decorations needed, keeping receipts (reimbursable during the rally)– check boxes in storage room for available decoration before purchasing new items. Decorate accordingly.
- Post daily activities on clubhouse white board.
- Make coffee each morning, prepare and serve meals, and remember to plan in advance to have propane turned on if oven is to be used.
- Before each rally, make sure restrooms are supplied and clean.
- Set up tables and chairs for meals, TGCU and TAHI meetings, and Sunday devotional.
- Ask someone to lead in prayer before each meal.
- Make announcements & remind everyone of Sunday service, informing them that our collections always go to the Zavalla Food Pantry.
- Clean up after each meal, paying close attention that the kitchen is cleaned and all trash is taken to the dumpster.
- Turn off lights after each event or arrange for those remaining later to do so.

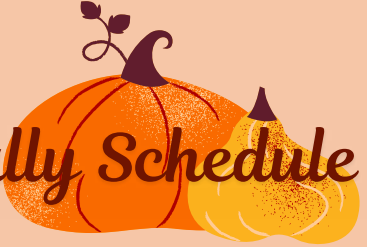


UPCOMING RALLIES AT TAHI



NOVEMBER 13-16:
HAPPY THANKSGIVING
HEAD HOSTS: NANCY
FITZGERALD & RANDY
ROBINSON

DECEMBER 11-14:
**CHRISTMAS
CELEBRATION**
HEAD HOSTS: SELINA &
STEVE SHADD



2025 Rally Schedule & Hosts

November 13-16 Happy Thanksgiving Turkey Shoot, Laser Tag & Maze. Head Hosts Nancy Fitzgerald & Randy Robinson. Becky & Bob Kalton, Mallory Smith & Mike Mullinex, Jennifer & Aaron Richardson, Jon & LaVerne Villanti

December 4-7 Christmas in Natchitoches, LA Caravan from TAHL. Hosts Selina & Steve Shadd

December 11-14 Christmas Celebration Officer Installation, Silent Auction, White Elephant gift exchange. Christmas party. Head Hosts Selina & Steve Shadd. Celine & Alain Defoy, Robert & Susan Warner, Pam & Bill Pearson, Mary Watermann, Dee Smith



2026 Rally Schedule & Hosts



January 15-18 Happy New Year & Billiards Olympics. Hosts: TGPU Officers- Kelly & Gina Hargraves, Steve & Selina Shadd, Dee Smith, Linda Williams, Kay & Kevin Krisko, Nancy Fitzgerald & Randy Robinson

February 12-15 Valentine's Party & Balloon Race Olympics. Head Hosts: Susan & Robert Warner. Chris & Barb Schlierf, Bob & Jolinda Lauderdale, Bill & Judy Wilson, Jon & LaVerne Villanti

March 12-15 Kiss The Blarney Stone & Shuffleboard Olympics. Head Host: Dee Smith. Keith & Terry DeCuir, Mike & Marilyn Murphy, Nan Leverett, Pat Mueller, Jack Stewart, Jack & Sue Gordon

April 9-12 Spring Is In The Air & Golf Cart Olympics. Head Hosts: Kay Krisko & Gina Hargraves. Roy & Brenda Moore, Rich & Sarah Wallace, Dave & Tina Brisbin

April 23-26 Avery Island Caravan Rally in New Iberia, LA. Head Hosts: Kelly & Gina Hargraves

May 14-17 13th Annual Doc Cain Fishing Tournament & Senior Volleyball Olympics. Head Hosts: Fred & RutheAnn Richardson. John House, Tim & Cheryl Smith, Linda Williams, Pam Smith, Tad & Debra LeBlanc

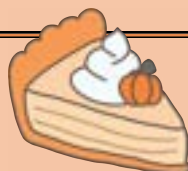
October 15-18 Halloween Costume Party & Ping Pong Olympics/TGPU Annual Meeting. Head Hosts: Kelly & Gina Hargraves. Aaron & Jennifer Richardson, Jim & Selena Hodges, Gil & Shanna Moll

November 12-15 Happy Thanksgiving with Laser Tag & Turkey Shoot Olympics. Head Hosts: Randy Robinson & Nancy Fitzgerald. Jimmy & Tammie Clegg, Bob & Becky Kalton, Mike Mullinex & Mallory Smith, Doug & Norma Engelmann

December 3-6 Christmas At The Silos Caravan Rally in Waco, TX. Head Hosts: Kelly & Gina Hargraves

December 10-13 Christmas Celebration-Officer Installation. Head Hosts: Steve & Selina Shadd. Bill & Nancy Pearson, Mike & Mary Moosemiller, Mary Watermann, Alain Defoy & Celine Martel

All Rallies will be held at Texas Airstream Harbor in Zavalla, TX unless otherwise noted above.



FRIENDSGIVING with Texas Gulf Coast Unit

An Annual Thanksgiving Celebration

November 13-16, 2025

Texas Airstream Harbor Park

Thursday, November 13 – Gathering Our Community

5:00 pm Happy Hour and hors d'oeuvres at the Clubhouse. Bring a beverage.

6:30 pm Bingo Time!

Friday, November 14 – Being Thankful

9:00 am Morning Coffee & Sweetbreads at Clubhouse

10:00 am TAHI Board Meeting

5:00 pm Happy Hour at Clubhouse. Bring a beverage

6:00 pm Taco Soup and all the potluck fixins. Bring a snack, salad, condiment, or dessert

7:00 pm Fellowship & Campfires & Games

Saturday, November 15 – Sharing Thanksgiving Blessings

8:30 am Breakfast

1:00 pm Laser Tag/Maze Adventure

2:00 pm Annual Turkey Shoot

6:00 pm Roast Turkey, Trimmings, & Pie

7:00 pm Fellowship & Campfires & Games

Sunday, November 16 – Honoring the Season

8:30 am Coffee & Pastries in Clubhouse

9:00 am Devotional

9:30 am Clubhouse Clean-Up

Thanksgiving

RSVP to Nancy at 281-739-5701 by Monday, November 10

*TAHI Parking Fee - \$20 per night, full hookups 30 amp (Pay at door)

*Rally Fee - \$20 per person (Pay at door)

6th Annual TGPU Thanksgiving Turkey Shoot

Choose How You Want to Participate

All Proceeds go to Zavalla Food Bank



Individual Turkey Target Shots

2 -3:30 pm

\$5 per shot

Bring shotgun or use available shotguns on site

7 Rounds - 7 Prizes

Shot closest to target bullseye wins

No alcohol allowed



Team Laser Tag

1 – 5 pm

\$5 per person to participate

Tag teams hunt and tag opponents inside a mobile maze

Prizes to winning team members

No alcohol allowed



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OCTOBER RALLY "OKTOBERFEST"

Steinholding Competition Winners



1st John House

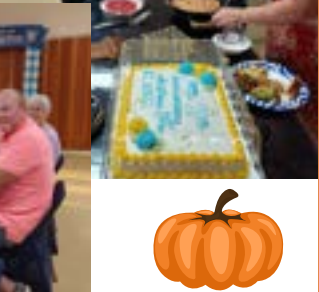
1st Nancy Fitzgerald

2nd Doug Engelmann

2nd Mary Watermann

3rd Steve Shadd

3rd Pam Smith



OCTOBER RALLY "OKTOBERFEST"

Airstream Club
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Celebrating
70 years



Chunky Blanket Class



Member Spotlight!

I was honored to give our TGCU member Wayne Sullins a special certificate for his active longevity in TGCU & WBCCI. He is the oldest active member in Region 9. Wayne & his wife Betty moved to TAHI from Beaumont, TX. after his retirement in 1989. They spent many years traveling the country in their airstream trailers & Motorhomes, attending numerous International rallies and caravans. Wayne celebrated his 96th birthday in June. He still gets out and travels in his Airstream Motorhome to local events, campsites. He joined TGCU 36 years ago and his wife Betty was the TGCU President in 1995. I did not have the pleasure of meeting Betty; she passed away in 2020. Wayne still does his own maintenance on his rig, stays active, works out everyday on his treadmill, lifts weights, and rides his bicycle. He is such an inspiration to all of us. Airstreamers do stay young and live longer! Cheers to Wayne!

Selina Shadd





REGION 9 2026 RALLY

MARCH 25-29, 2026

CAMP MARGARITAVILLE RESORT
CRYSTAL BEACH, TX



Event Contact: Tracy Elkins 281-725-1672



REGISTRATION IS NOW OPEN! Spots are filling up FAST!!!
<https://airstreamclub.org/region-9-2026-rally>

Please consider helping us fill our volunteer needs for Rally Planning Committee Chairs and Members. Here's what we need:

- ****Registration**** (Members Only - Chair: Roseann Young)
- ****Programs****
- ****Rally Bulletin & Signage****
- ****Tours & Activities**** (Members Only - Chair: Selina Shadd)
- ****Sponsors & Vendors****
- ****Door Prizes & Hospitality****
- ****Rally Bags, Ribbons & Plaques****
- ****Logistics & Parking**** (Members Only - Chair: David Brandon)
- ****Food & Beverage**** (catered by the resort except for Coffee)
- ****Blood Drive**** (Members Only - Chair: Scott Graham)



AVERY ISLAND CARAVAN RALLY

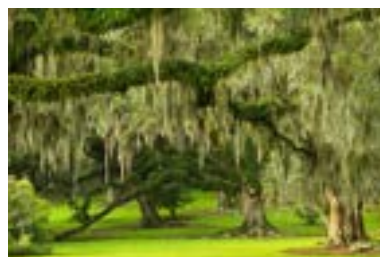
"HOME OF TABASCO SAUCE"

APRIL 23-26, 2026

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Reservations due now, Nov 1st or ASAP!
If you haven't already done so, call and secure your reservation!
***No payment required until check in.**

Let them know you're with TQCU Airstream Club and that they are putting us in the limestone spots. Don't forget to ask for your senior or military discount.



Lots of fun things planned!

Tour of the Tabasco Factory and Jungle Gardens, visiting the Tabasco Country Store, the Restaurant there, and much more!

Please TEXT me when you're registered. 409-719-6701

Celebrations & Fun

NOVEMBER BIRTHDAYS

10- Selina Shadd
19- Jody Herrera
21- Ruthe Burton
21- Marilyn Murphy
22- Bill Wilson
27- RutheAnn Richardson

NOVEMBER ANNIVERSARIES

11- Rick & Lonna Nelson
12- Steve & Selina Shadd
17- Bob & Becky Kalton



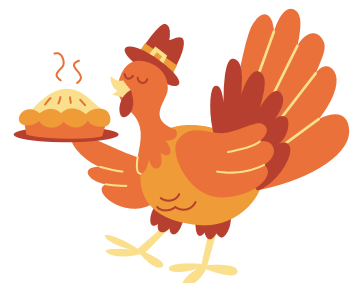
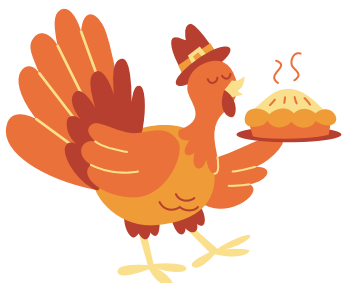
Congratulations to Our 2026 Upcoming TGCU Officers

Kelly Hargraves - President
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Steve Shadd - 2nd Vice President
Linda Williams - Corresponding Secretary
Dee Smith - Recording Secretary
Kay Krisko - Treasurer
Nancy Fitzgerald - Trustee
Selina Shadd - Past President/Webmaster
Norma Engelmann - Membership
Marilyn Murphy - Hospitality

SUBMIT YOUR **GREEN** TGCU WRISTBAND
PHOTOS TO GINA AT 409-719-6701.
MOST UNIQUE LOCATION AWARD
GIVEN IN DECEMBER!



Pam Smith
International Chili Cook Off In Terlingua





2026 INTERNATIONAL RALLY

NORTH DAKOTA STATE FAIRGROUND
MINOT, NORTH DAKOTA

AUGUST 22-27, 2026

Event Contact:
rally@airstreamclub.org
937-596-5211



The Peddler

BUY, SELL & TRADE
CABANAS & LOTS

For Sale: 151 Elm

A two room cabana AS IS with a 10x10 storage building. Offered at \$27,000. TAHI Annual Fee is paid. Contact Dee Smith at 832--330-8941

For Sale: 160 Holly

A simple 1 room cabana about 12x14 with a porch, and a shed about 10x10, \$30,000. Barb 585-944-1232. Chris 585-330-5357

For Sale: 191 Elm

A one bedroom cabana 750 sq. ft. residence. Fully furnished cabana with additional Murphy Bed. Trailer parking for up to 30 foot trailer or motorhome. Contains Washer and Dryer both purchased within the last two years, and Central AC replaced last year. Generac Generator added less than a year ago. \$130,000. Contact Dee Smith at 832-330-8941

For Sale: 148 Holly

This 900- square foot tiny home features one bedroom, one bathroom and a study, and an inviting outdoor living area. Completely remodeled in 2022, it boasts a sleek, modern design. The beautiful interior and outdoor space make it a perfect retreat for Airstream enthusiasts. Gated community, open concept, modern kitchen, covered outdoor living and covered parking. Offered at \$225,000. Contact Shanna Moll at 512-945-8555

For Sale: 106 Elm

Nice shaded lot with new asphalt driveway. \$8,000. Contact Ken Daniels at 979-559-0755

For Sale: 183 and 181 Magnolia

#183 has 568sq' living space plus 9' x 12' covered porch and large enclosed garage. With slight modification, garage will contain a 30' trailer with ease. Beautiful lake views from front porch and bedroom window. Completely remodelled with new drywall, electrical, plumbing, on demand propane hot water heater, spray foam insulation throughout, porcelain tile floors, espresso shaker cabinets, custom wood/resin countertop with a hand hammered copper sink and a one piece fibreglass shower. Main area has vaulted ceilings while bedroom boasts intricate double vaults.

All new matching GE Profile stainless appliances including steam clean slide in gas range, 25 cubic foot refrigerator/freezer with ice and water, over the range microwave, dishwasher and full size stainless LG wash tower. Double Pioneer mini splits keep this cabana very comfortable and extremely energy efficient. All set up for generator hook up and will run everything but electric dryer from a 3000 watt inverter in case of emergency. New seamless gutters and epoxy coated concrete drive round out the maintenance free exterior. Adjoining lot #181 has a 10'x12' shed with electricity and roll up door. Large concrete patio and paved drive. Lots of room for parking additional trailer or treat your guests to full hook up while they visit. Plenty of room to add additional cabana, garage or RV port etc.

Total package priced at \$134,900. Furnishings not included but may be negotiable.

For more information, please contact John at 409-382-2519

For Sale: Cabana. 171 Holly

Perfect location in Texas Airstream Harbor. Easy walk to Clubhouse and lake. Kitchen, living room/bedroom & bathroom with shower, large TV with dresser, mini split AC & heating unit, washer and dryer room & tool shop room, Jasper Newton Electric, well maintained concrete drive. \$65,000. Text Linda at 903-539-5274

For Sale: 115 Magnolia

Nice paved lot and patio with 10 x 10 storage shed. 30Amp park electric service. \$5,000. Gas Grill and small electric lawnmower included. Bob Kalton 218-820-5341.

For Sale: 151 and 159 Oak

Two lots with cabana, trailer port, full RV hookups, patio and storage!

See the detailed listing for this beautiful and modern cabana on our website. \$260,000. Rick & Lonna Nelson at 941-800-8556

For Sale: TAHI Lots 5, 7, 9 & 11 Magnolia

Asphalted with 30 amp electrical service & sewer. \$4,500 each.

Contact number is 903-731-2036

For Sale: 131 Elm

A beautiful cabana lot located within walking distance to the beautiful Lake Sam Rayburn and the park clubhouse. Cabana was built in 2022. Design is based on an open floor plan, has a storm shelter, granite countertops, custom made kitchen and bathroom cabinets. Weatherized with closed cell insulation foam & solar screens. Has two split AC/Heat units, ceiling fans & seamless gutters. All appliances including stove, refrig., washer & dryer. Electric service by Jasper-Newton Electric Co-op. Includes airstream port with hookups 30/50amps. Buyer is responsible for paying membership transfer fees. \$145,000. For more information call owner Hector Correa at 703-631-2015

The Peddler

BUY, SELL & TRADE

CABANAS & LOTS

For Sale: 173 Magnolia

Gorgeous cabana completely renovated and RV cover and concrete patio at 14 Oak. Cabana has beautiful cabinets with granite countertops. Large deck. Air-conditioned storage building/man cave. Central air/heat. Two patio areas. Lake view from front patio. Washer/Dryer and refrigerator included. RV port is galvanized steel and high enough to accommodate motor home. \$105,00 for both or \$85,000 for cabana only. Contact Nancy Fitzgerald at 281-739-5701

For Sale: 110 & 120 Oak

Flat corner and adjacent lots at high point of park. Two mature trees for shade, Martin house brings songs all day long. Coastal and lake breeze with lake views. Easy Airstream backing. 110 has a cement pad for patio space while 120 has a pad to build a shed. Sold together \$8K. Great slate to customize. Call owner Michael Justice at 678-591-0217

AIRSTREAMS

For Sale: 2010 30' Airstream Flying Cloud

In excellent condition. Has Hensley hitch, second air conditioner, and Maxxis tires. The couch has been removed and 2 Lazyboy rockers/recliners have replaced it. They have removable custom camo covers. The trailer is located near Del Rio, Texas. The asking price is \$70,000.00. Also available as the tow vehicle, is a 2005 Eddie Bauer Excursion Diesel with approximately 156K miles. Banks exhaust and airbags installed. The asking price is \$45,000.00. Combo Price \$105,000.00. Please call Dave Williams at 713-560-1298

For Sale: 2019 Airstream Flying Cloud 25FB Twin

Excellent Airstream, rarely used. Tires have 2,000 miles on them. Popular twin bed model featuring two air conditioners (both air conditioners have soft starts installed in June 2023). Factory twin platforms have been replaced with thicker 1 5/8" boards, and the bed width has been extended to match the width of the mattresses, all without losing floor space in 2023.

Awnings are in excellent condition. The trailer includes all hookups, chocks, leveling blocks, stabilizers, and a large Pelican box that contains accessories and small replacement parts for traveling emergencies. Price: \$64,000.

Contact: Bruce or Debra Green. 936-676-3819, debrabgreen@gmail.com

For Sale: 2019 Airstream 27' Front Bed Flying Cloud

2-12 Volt, Battle Born LiFePO4 Batteries, Victron Connect Smart Shunt Battery Monitor, 2- Mopeka Propane Tank Sensors, New Goodyear Endurance Tires, TST Tire Pressure and Temperature Monitor System, Equalizer Weight Distribution Hitch, Lambright 27" Lazy Relax-R Swivel Wall Hugger Recliner, Surge Guard Voltage Protector.

All necessary accessories. Contact Dan Kersten at 713-724-5670

For Sale: 2021 Airstream Bambi 22FB

Has less than 3,000 miles. Comes with Equalizer hitch, Electric tongue jack, Rear view camera, Tankless water heater, Rear bath with large shower, Cook top never used, New TV, Clean and well maintained, \$44K, FIRM! CALL Don Patterson or Emma Wilson at 936-632-6116 Please no TEXT!

For Sale: Airstream 2015 25' Flying Cloud

twin bed, 50 amp, double air conditioners. Smart plug 50 amp with 30' cord. Has conventional stove and oven along with the microwave/convection oven. Has a modification of dinette. Smaller walnut table with drawer under, custom made, I still have original table in storage. Removed it to allow room for Lambright recliner with the best leather they offer. Took in the longer side of couch, cushions altered by upholsterer, and added 3 drawers with additional matching counter top for more storage space and work space. Also had larger drawer, with divider, in bedroom on nite stand, made by same cabinet maker. Unit does not have a lot of pulling miles and has always been kept under cover. Hensley hitch comes with it. New bearings and seals and parts ordered from Hensley. Great Airstream. \$48,000. Dana Kelley 936-524-2851

The Peddler is posted with photos on TAHI's website www.TexasAirstreamHarbor.com
Send updates to johnson.gina.2@gmail.com

In order to purchase a cabana or lot, and TAHI membership, all prospective members must be members of WBCCI & TQCU,
and owners of a road worthy Airstream per our TAHI bylaws.

For RV Site Reservations contact:
November Park Host
Brenda Moore
281-326-6025



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