

# The East Texas Volkswagen Club

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## January News

### Monthly Meeting

Date: January 8<sup>th</sup>
Time: **6:30 PM**Location: Wendy's
Gilmer Rd. near Walmart

- Plan a special event at Longview Preschool and Childcare Center
- Plan events for the new year.

## Jan/Feb Birthdays

Clarke Watts Sr. 1-3 Brian Anthony 1-6 Jennifer Russell 1-17 La Nette Hamby 1-26 Zach Warren 1-28 Obie Starr 2-8

Submit your birthday to be listed.



## Club Dues

It is that time of year again for the majority of the club to submit their \$5 per household dues. If you are not sure when your dues are up then contact us by phone or e-mail.



### Christmas Dinner

It was a full house the night of the Christmas Dinner. We had a great time with a lot of wonderful food for everyone.







Jackie wanted to pass on a thank you for the gift she received from the club at the dinner. It was a beautiful decorative box with butterflies. She loves it, and said it meant a lot to her.

## Membership

We are a group that has been brought together by our common love for all things Volkswagen. Whether you drive an old VW, a new one, or just love them you are welcome to join us.

We have a membership form online at:

www.etvwclub.com/join.html

Dues are \$5 per year, per household. Contact us for more information.



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#### **Longview Preschool and Childcare**



This year the proceeds from our car show and the 50/50 drawing at the show was enough to present the preschool with a check for \$500. This was our 5<sup>th</sup> year to donate proceeds from the show to them. The relationship between our club and the Preschool has continued to grow. The past two years the management of the Preschool has also been our Food Vendor at our show. This has helped us immensely when it comes to planning the show. Our donation helps them in the everyday supplies they need to run the preschool and take care of the kids.

#### **Austin Watts**



Austin was chosen as our second \$500 recipient of our car show this year due to a special eye surgery he had to have to correct one of his eyes. He went in on December 21<sup>st</sup> to have the procedure performed. Although the Watts have been able to receive help from organizations for the cost of the actual procedure, we knew they would probably benefit from help in other areas. The Watts said that any of the money they did not need would be donated to Austin's Daycare for their Playground Equipment Fund. We are hoping that the procedure went well, and that Austin is doing good.











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