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The East Texas Volkswagen Club

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February News

Monthly Meeting

Date: February 12th

Time: **6:30 PM**

Location: **Wendy's**
Gilmer Rd. near Walmart

- Plan events for the new year.
- Club trip to Tyler Zoo.
- Saturday in the Park
- Club trip to Gladewater.

Feb/March Birthdays

Ryan Perry 2-5

Obie Starr 2-8

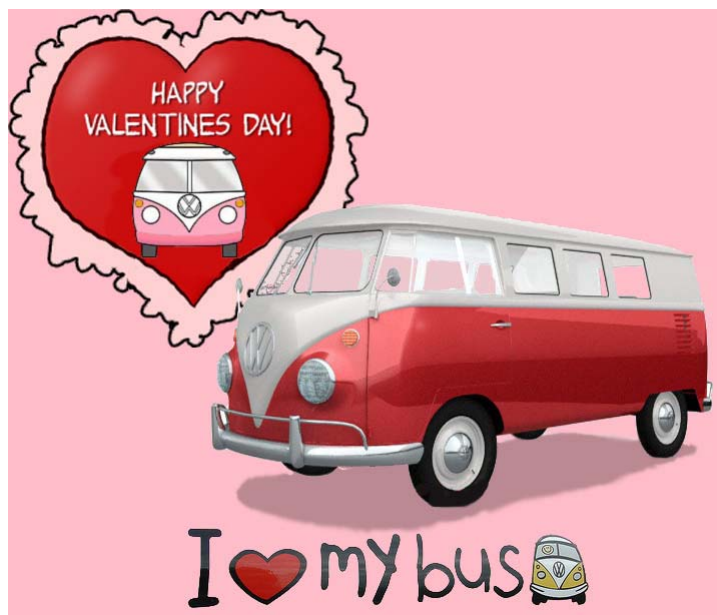
Jackie Russell 3-23

Submit your birthday to be listed.



Club Dues

We still have several members who have not yet submitted their \$5 dues. These dues help to cover the operating expenses of the club throughout the year, such as printing, postage, and part of the cost of the website. If you are not sure when your dues are up then contact us by phone or e-mail.



Club Events in 2008

Last month we discussed some events that would be fun for the club this year. These are events that are designed just for having fun and socializing as a group. The first event we are planning is a trip to the Caldwell Zoo in Tyler. This would involve a cruise from Longview to Gladewater and then on up 271 to Tyler. Club members can join us along the way there or at the Zoo. Part of the idea of this trip is to also get to meet some of our members in the Tyler area who aren't able to make it to Longview for regular club meetings. The date we have set for the event is April 26th. We will discuss the details at our next meeting.

If you have any ideas for an event that the club can participate in then either e-mail them to me or share them at our next meeting. We are looking for ideas that everyone can enjoy and would not be too far of a drive to get to.

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.



Chinese Artists Take a VW Down the Hershey Highway for V-Day



The Valentine's Day madness has apparently spread around the world, as evidenced by this chocolate-covered Volkswagen Beetle parked in front of a supermarket in China. After first wrapping the vehicle in plastic, seven enterprising car company employees slathered on 440 pounds of chocolate, resulting in the day's biggest internal-combustion chocolate truffle.

— CHARLIE WHITE

<http://gizmodo.com>

2008 Upcoming Events

March 11th ETVW Club March Meeting 6:30 pm
Wendy's on Gilmer Rd. in Longview

March 29th Das Bluhend Gute Schau IV 8-2pm
200 South Fredonia St Nacogdoches, TX

April 8th ETVW Club March Meeting 6:30 pm
Wendy's on Gilmer Rd. in Longview

April 18-20th Texas VW Classic
Fredricksburg, TX www.texasvwclassic.com

April 26th ETVW Club Trip to the Zoo
Caldwell Zoo in Tyler, TX

May 13th ETVW Club March Meeting 6:30 pm
Wendy's on Gilmer Rd. in Longview

May 24-25th Buggy Blast VI Dune Buggies & Hot VWs
Salado, Texas www.texasmanxclub.com

May ?? Texas Volks Blast Temple Raceway
Temple, Texas. www.texasvolksblast.com

June 10th ETVW Club March Meeting 6:30 pm
Wendy's on Gilmer Rd. in Longview

June 28th ETVW Club Saturday in the Park 10-2 pm
McWhorter Park in Longview www.etvwclub.com/park.html



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