



# Classics

# UP COMING RALLIES



# Summer Rally

July 20 - 23, 2017 Onalaska KOA 15152 Hwy 190 West Onalaska, TX 77360 936-646-3824 Hosts: Judy and Burt Doucette

# Fall Rally

Oct. 19 - 22, 2017 Rusk KOA Rusk, Texas 800-562-4143 NEED HOSTS!

# Letter From Our President



Sharon Jacob

I hope everyone is staying cool. The rally at Antler Oaks Lodge and RV Park in Bandera was very small but we still had a great time! We were all happy to spend some time with **Corky** and **Virgie McHaney**, who live about 10 miles down the road.

We had several guests. Craig Bennett brought his two sons, Adam and Matt. Patsy Monk's brother & sister in law, Mike & Amy Love, also joined us. We enjoyed getting to know them and I think they had a good time.

Thank you to the hosts Bob and Patsy Monk, Carroll and Gayla Shelly, and Jerry and Francis Reeves.

We received some sad news. Ann Brieger went to be with her Lord last month. She had served as a GMC Classics President in the past. We will all miss her!

Hope to see you all at the next rally at the Onalaska KOA in Onalaska, Texas. This is on Lake Livingston and should be a lot of fun. Get your reservations in now.

Everyone have safe travels and stay in good health!

Sharen



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The Classics Chatter is published quarterly for the membership of the GMC Classics. The club is a chapter of the Family Motor Coach Association and primarily draws its membership from Texas, Oklahoma, Louisiana and Arkansas. Its purpose is to promote the preservation of the GMC Motorhome and to bring its owners together for their exclusive enjoyment and common interests.



## **WASHERS**

1st Adam Bennett/Mike Love 2nd Bob Monk/Matt Bennett 3rd Jerry Reeves/Scott Nutter

### **CHICKENFOOT**

1st Mike Kelly
2nd Judy Doucette
3rd Craig Bennett
Boobie Bud DeGroot

#### LCR

\$116 **Sydney Robinson** wow– again? Congrats!



# **Stanley**

Stanley does not have a report for this Chatter. He is on vacation in Florida. He got into a little trouble while at the beach and this is what he is doing at this time.





We have a GMC Classics Club Facebook page. Open Facebook and search for GMC Classics Club or go to the link below:

https://www.facebook.com/groups/gmcclassicsclub/

This is a closed, private group that is only for members of GMC Classics.



# Tech Session Bandera, Texas

The Tech Session was an open discussion. Attendees participated by sharing ideas about what they had done and asking lots of questions. Sometimes multiple conversations going on at once.



There were lots of good ideas floating



around the room. The guys really enjoy this type of Tech Session!

#### **NEW MEMBERS:**

**Wayne** and **Delaine Brady** of Dale, TX have joined us with their 1978 Birchaven. Glad you joined our GMC



Let's take a look at the history of the GMC Classics Club.

I have compiled a list of our Presidents back to 1998. It brings back fond memories of people and rallies.

Thanks to the folks that have been our leaders and brought us all together as a GMC family!



1998	Vic Ayers
1999	Richard Roucloux
2000	Larry Turner
2001	Sue Arthur
2002	Bob McKnight
2003	Wayne Alumbaugh
2004	Ann Brieger
2005	Lorren White
2006	Mattie Driskell
2007	Bob Musgrove
2008	Bill Wortham
2009	Ed Johnson
2010	Willard Murdock
2011	Wayne Alumbaugh
2012	Fred Hudspeth
2013	Fred Hudspeth
2014	Fred Hudspeth
2015	Billy Massey
2016	Reggie Phillips

Sharon Jacob

2017

### Home Brewed Solutions for Rodents

If you find the commercial mouse deterrents a little on the pricey side here are a few common household products people have had success with.

**Fabric Softener Sheets** – Spread dryer sheets all over the RV when it's in storage to keep mice away. Then when you take it out put the sheets in a plastic bag and use them for laundry.

**Irish Spring Soap** – Same idea as the dry sheets. Supposedly mice hate the smell.

**Moth Balls** – Some folks use these at the entry points to dissuade mice. Keep in mind though they are toxic and may harm a child or pet. Also it is hard to get rid of the smell.

Please take the time to share with me any articles of interest and/or things regarding your experience with your GMC so I can add them to the newsletter. I know there are lots of interesting/ funny/ exciting things that have happened, at some time or another. People would enjoy reading about your experiences in our Chatter. It does not have to be just about your GMC. It could be about your travels, a neat place to go, things you saw, fun, camping, shopping, etc. Give it to me at a rally or email it to: debbie@bdub.net

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