

# LARC NEWSLETTER

Jan.-Feb., 2024



## PRESIDENTIAL NOTES

Howdy LARC Club Members. Happy New Year everyone. I hope everybody is happy and healthy.

There is not too much to talk about so I will be short. It seems like the only event going on is eating. Breakfast on Wed. Guy's Grub and Ladies' Lunch. I have our new Sponsor posters and Car Show entry forms to hand out at the next Car Show, which I believe is the Stephanie Nichols Show at the Airport. If any of you know of a potential Car Show Sponsor PLEASE LET ME KNOW. 830 798 3962.

Since I am writing this for the Newsletter, I would like to say a great big ol Thank You to Frank C. for doing such a great job on the Newsletter. There will be a little extra in your next paycheck Frank. That's about it y'all. Much love.

Mark

*Ed. Note: Great!! Now I can get that C8. Thanks, O' Generous Benefactor. (multiple kow tows follow)*

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## OFFICERS

PRESIDENT	Mark Kidd
VICE PRESIDENT	Cheryl Hutson
SECRETARY	Judy Caramanica
TREASURER	Barbara Weber
ACTIVITY DIRECTORS	West Pearson & Don Weber

# Lake Area Rods and Classics MINUTES

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**Date:** January 9, 2024 7:00 PM

**Meeting location:** Marble Falls Public Library

**Meeting Called By**

Mark Kidd  
President

Signed In Attendees = 48

Active Members = 161

Directory Paid Memberships = 89

New Members = 10

**Type of Meeting**

Monthly Meeting

**Note Taker**

Patsy Craven for Judy Caramanica,  
Secretary

*Below are the links to our Clubs' Webpage and Facebook page:*

[Home - Lake Area Rods and Classics](#)

<https://www.facebook.com/groups/lakearearodsandclassics/>

*You are also able to read past Newsletters from the website at:*

[Newsletters - Lake Area Rods and Classics](#)

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**Welcoming our Guests**

**Mark Kidd**

Member Terrell Hough – first time attending a meeting. Welcome!

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**Club Reports**

**Wellness**

**Marie Misfeldt**

Several get well cards were sent in December to Ron Adwers & Ron Brethauer

**NOTE:** *If you know of someone who is ill or not doing well please contact Marie Misfeldt . We want to take care of our members and show that we care!!!*

**Secretary's Report**

**Patsy Craven**

The November minutes were sent out to the members at large. Motion was made to accept as written made, and seconded.

**ACTION:** Passed by the membership.

## **Treasurer's Report**

**Barb Weber**

Report for December and January was presented by Barbara Weber

**ACTION:** No action made on the treasurer's report. There was a brief discussion of the difference between Club money and Car show money.

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## **Past/Future Activities**

**West Pearson**

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See West's Activity Report as published in the Newsletter.

Ladies dining out will be on January 16 at Bear King, 11:30 and Guys Grub at Reverend Jims at 12:00 (note: ladies rescheduled to 1/23 due to weather)

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## **Old Business**

**Mark Kidd**

Mark discussed the LARC Christmas party at Double Horn. We all agreed food could have been better & hotter. He stated they are so willing to work with us and fix issues that we should give them another try... We saved approximately \$2000.

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## **New Business**

**Mark Kidd**

Our Bluebonnet Car show will be held 4/13/24 at Hamilton Park. Don would like someone else to take over Tee Shirts. Please start getting door prizes and goodie bag items.

Lynn Smith discussed the expected impact on our area for the Lunar Eclipse on April 8<sup>th</sup>. The hill country is expected to have 100,000+ visitors that week. This will put stress on merchants, road, Wi-Fi, restaurants and emergency services. Try to be stocked with food, gas, meds etc and stay home!

A pecan pie made by Marie Misfeldt was sold for \$50, donated back and re-sold for \$40.

Mark had seven 2023 car show posters he auctioned off for \$30 each. Please see Barb if you would like to make a dessert to be auctioned.

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## **Information Item**

Thank you to Toni Kunkel and Cheryl Murray for the goodies tonight.

For LARC merchandise, contact: [patsy.craven68@gmail.com](mailto:patsy.craven68@gmail.com)

**Meeting adjourned @ 7:50 PM**

**Action: Mark Kidd**

Motion to adjourn made, seconded and passed by the membership.

## NOTES FROM THE CIGAR GUY



### What We Did

Texas winter got here, and like the meme going around on Facebook, Texas be throwing out numbers like PowerBall: 52 17 60 37 28 46 and the PowerBall - HAIL!

**Wed, Jan 3rd** – LARC Weekly Breakfast at El Jimador Restaurant in Marble Falls. Was another great meeting of friends!

**Wed, Jan 10th** – LARC Weekly Breakfast at El Jimador Restaurant in Marble Falls. Had good friends and tall tales!

**Fri, Jan 12th** – Members of LARC and AACC made a tour of the HammerFab custom shop in Bertram. All reports were that it is a great shop! Keep it in mind for your “Dream Build”.

**Tues, Jan 16th** – LARC Guys Grub was held at Reverend Jim’s on Hwy 29 in Buchanan. We had 10 Guys show up and we had a great time!

**Wed, Jan 17th** – LARC Weekly Breakfast at El Jimador Restaurant in Marble Falls is always a good way to start your day!

**Tues, Jan 23rd** – LARC Ladies Dining Out at Bear King Brewery. They had 15 ladies come out! Hope I didn’t mess this up, Patsy wanted me to send out a late reminder, and I wasn’t near my computer and didn’t. My apologies to the Ladies!

### COMING UP

### **LARC SATURDAY NIGHT CRUISE IN AT O’REILY’S IS SUSPENDED UNTIL EVENING SUN COMES BACK**

**Wed, Jan 24th**– LARC Weekly Breakfast at El Jimador Restaurant in Marble Falls. 7AM - ? Come join the crowd and have breakfast with friends!

**Thur, Jan 25th** – LARC GUYS GRUB at Double Horn Brewery, 12 noon. Let’s lie, I mean tell what great racers we were way back when!

**Wed, Jan 31st**– LARC Weekly Breakfast at El Jimador Restaurant in Marble Falls. 7AM - ?Come join the crowd and have breakfast with friends!

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**Wed, Feb 7th**– LARC Weekly Breakfast at El Jimador Restaurant in Marble Falls. 7AM - ? Come join the crowd and start your day with friends!

**Thur, Feb 8th**– Guy's Grub at Reverend Jims on Hwy 29 in Buchanan. 12:00 noon. Join us in our favorite "rustic" setting!

**Tues, Feb 13<sup>th</sup>**- LARC Monthly Meeting at Marble Falls Library, 7PM – 8PM. As usual, many of us will meet first for dinner at Jardine Corona in Marble Falls at 5PM.

**Wed, Feb 14th** – LARC Weekly Breakfast at El Jimador Restaurant in Marble Falls. 7AM - ? Come join the crowd and put a bright start on your day! **And Valentines Day!**

**Thur, Feb 20th** – Guy's Grub at Double Horn Brewery in Marble Falls. 12:00 noon. Join us in the big city for lunch and beer (or your favorite beverage!).

**Wed, Feb 21st** – LARC Weekly Breakfast at El Jimador Restaurant in Marble Falls. 7AM - ? Come join the crowd and put a bright start on your day!

**Sat, Feb 24<sup>th</sup>** – Stephanie Nichols Annual Vintage Aircraft and Car Show. Georgetown Airport, ~8AM-3PM. Times and caravan info to be confirmed.

**Wed, Feb 28th** – LARC Weekly Breakfast at El Jimador Restaurant in Marble Falls. 7AM - ? Come join the crowd and put a bright start on your day!

**Thur, Feb 29<sup>th</sup>** – LEAP YEAR! And! LARC Monthly Dinner at River City Grille, Marble Falls, 5PM.

### LOOKING AHEAD

**Every Wednesday** – LARC Weekly Breakfast at El Jimador Restaurant in Marble Falls. 7:30AM - ?

**LARC Saturday Night Cruise In at O'Reily's Auto Parts in Burnet** is suspended until the evening sun comes back.

**2<sup>nd</sup> Tues** – LARC Monthly Meeting, Marble Falls Library, 7PM – 8PM

**Sat, Mar 2<sup>nd</sup>** – Rock 'N Rides Car Show, Cedar Park. 8:30AM – 1PM, Gupton Stadium, 200 Gupton Way, Cedar Park.

**Sun, Mar 17<sup>th</sup>** – Llano Station Automotive Center (Llano) Customer Appreciation Car Show, Car Smash, Food and Music Fundraiser for Llano Youth Baseball. 12PM – 7PM (as you wish!).

**Sat, Apr 13<sup>th</sup>** – LARC Bluebonnet Car Show, Hamilton Creek Park, Burnet, TX.

**Sat, Apr 20<sup>th</sup>** - Cruise In at Wakepoint, Kingsland, 1PM – 3PM

**LARC Annual BBQ** at Weber's ranch. Date to be confirmed.

**LADIES LUNCH AT BEAR KING BREWERY**



DINNER AT DAHLIAS



## JANUARY BIRTHDAYS

Shirley Anderson	Jan. 7
Lynn Brethauer	Jan. 26
Marc Honey	Jan. 10
Don Horrocks	Jan. 5
Jan Richter	Jan. 5
Archie Smith	Jan. 31

## FEBRUARY 2024 BIRTHDAYS

Susan Andrews	Feb. 16
John Garrett	Feb. 13
Eddie Greer	Feb. 24
Karen Hamilton	Feb. 15
Gary Henry	Feb. 15
Ken McGary	Feb. 25
Karl Petter	Feb. 9
Vicki Petterson	Feb. 7

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## JANUARY ANNIVERSARIES

Don & Cleora Craw	Jan. 23
Trach Schmeitz & Melissa Eddy	Jan. 17

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## FEBRUARY ANNIVERSARIES

Don & Cindy Horrocks	Feb. 25
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**Lake Area Rods & Classics**—*An eating club with an obsession over interesting and unique cars*

We gather for fellowship and a shared passion, with no place for needless debate and rancor.



With freedom comes responsibility and commitment

# January, 2024

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
	1 <i>New Year's Day</i>	2	3 <i>Bkfst @ Jimador</i>	4	5	6
7	8	9 <i>Monthly Meeting</i>	10 <i>Bkfst @ Jimador</i>	11	12	13
14	15	16	17 <i>Bkfst @ Jimador</i>	18	19	20
21	22	23	24 <i>Bkfst @ Jimador</i>	25	26	27
28	29	30	31			

\* Weather permitting.

# February, 2024

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
				1 <i>Dinner @ Dahlia's</i>	2	3
4	5	6	7 <i>Brkfst @ Jimador</i>	8 <i>Guys Grub</i>	9	10
11	12	13 <i>Monthly Meeting</i>	14 <i>Brkfst @ Jimador</i>	15	16	17
18	19	20	21 <i>Brkfst @ Jimador</i>	22	23	24 <i>Stephanie Meyers' Show</i>
25	26	27	28 <i>Brkfst @ Jimador</i>	29 <i>Leap Day</i>		

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# March, 2024

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
					1	2 <i>Rock'in Rides</i>
3	4	5	6 <i>Brkfst @ Jimador</i>	7	8	9
10	11	12 <i>Monthly Meeting</i>	13 <i>Brkfst @ Jimador</i>	14	15	16
17 <i>Llano Car Smash</i>	18	19	20 <i>Brkfst @ Jimador</i>	21	22	23
24	25	26	27 <i>Brkfst @ Jimador</i>	28	29	30
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# April, 2024

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
	1 <i>April Fool!!</i>	2	3 <i>Brkfst @ Jimador</i>	4	5	6
7 <i>Eclipse Chaos??</i>	8 <i>Solar Eclipse</i>	9 <i>Eclipse Chaos??</i>	10 <i>Brkfst @ Jimador</i>	11	12	13 <i>Bluebonnet Car Show</i>
14	15	16	17 <i>Brkfst @ Jimador</i>	18	19	20 <i>Wakepoint</i>
21	22	23	24 <i>Brkfst @ Jimador</i>	25	26	27
28	29	30				
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