

# **TRANSFER CASE**

## **LONE STAR MVPA**

Hi Busy Members

Members of the Lone Star MVPA, I would like to say I think we are doing OK as a club! We have twenty to twenty five members at each of our club meetings, which I think is good for a club our size, and good considering that some of our members live more than an hour away from Austin! I would like to thank all of our members who attend the meetings when they can, the members are what guide the Club and make it work.

I guess I will beat the same old dog again: getting new and younger members into the hobby and into the club! I ran into Mark C at the Mullins event, Mark is very active in our club and he attends many of our meetings even though he lives in the San Antonio area. Mark is also President of the local San Antonio MVPA chapter (Alamo MVPA), and their most active member. The Alamo Chapter has been in a bit of a slump lately, possibly because many of their members are retired Military and don't want to get out of their easy chairs?! The North and East Texas Chapters are going gamgbusters, participating in many events and always on the lookout for more! I am trying to get us together for a few events, but I understand that current fuel prices are an issue at this time.

I hope the guest speakers at some of the meetings have been enjoyable, we will try to keep them coming!

It is now our busy time, so let's get out there and have some FUN! I am looking forward to our "big three" events: Muster day, Burnet, and Temple. Hopefully the bugs on the windshield won't be TOO big and all the usual kinks at these events will be easily worked out, and hopefully the Scribner Museum's funding will be in place so G Co. can participate too!

As always, feel free to e-mail me any suggestions or comments!

Salute...

Madison Hughes

2nd term President

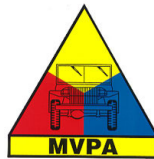
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# PAST EVENTS

## CEDAR CREEK GIRL SCOUTS

26 February 2011

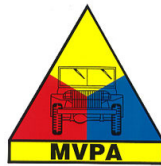
The Cedar Creek Girl Scout Show was 2-6 PM on Saturday 26 February. In attendance was Madison H., Rick H., Danny K., Fred H., and Fred W. We had a total of four vehicles show for the event. The event was well attended by the Scouts and there were a lot of games on hand to entertain everyone, Also at the event was a 1917 International pickup. Madison brought BBQ and the scouts furnished BBQ chicken so there was a lot to eat. Madison showed up with his layout which constantly drew a crowd. The weather was overcast and rainy so we packed up and departed about 4:30. Overall a good event.



# CARS-N-COFFEE

## MONTHLY

Every month, on the last Sunday of the month, a “Cars-N-Coffee” car show is held in several cities across the US. The Austin event is held in downtown Leander. Every month a WIDE variety of vehicles are put on display, everything from high end exotics to rusty Army trucks (that is our part). Lonestar MVPA, providing vehicles you CAN touch!

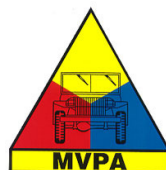




# TEXAS INDEPENDANCE PARADE

5 MARCH 2011

Even though it was a cold, wet and miserable morning we managed to muster a total of nine vehicles for the parade and twelve members, including those forced to be riders by mech issues. After the rains stopped the parade went on as scheduled, public turnout was light due to the weather but those that attended were very much in the spirit! Afterwards we fell back to Threadgill's for feed and fellowship, it was a good day:)





# BRENT MULLINS' OPEN HOUSE

18-20 MARCH 2011

This year the open house at The Museum of the American GI/Brent Mullins Jeep Parts was dry and hot. There were many vehicles in attendance and the swap meet area was doing a brisk business (as were the water girls in the Gator), the WWII battle re-enactment was full of armor and the field did not catch fire! Our only member to make the long trip in an MV did not come back with his Deuce... however he was fairly compensated:) We are going to miss the old gal...





# PURPLE SAGE ELEMENTRY

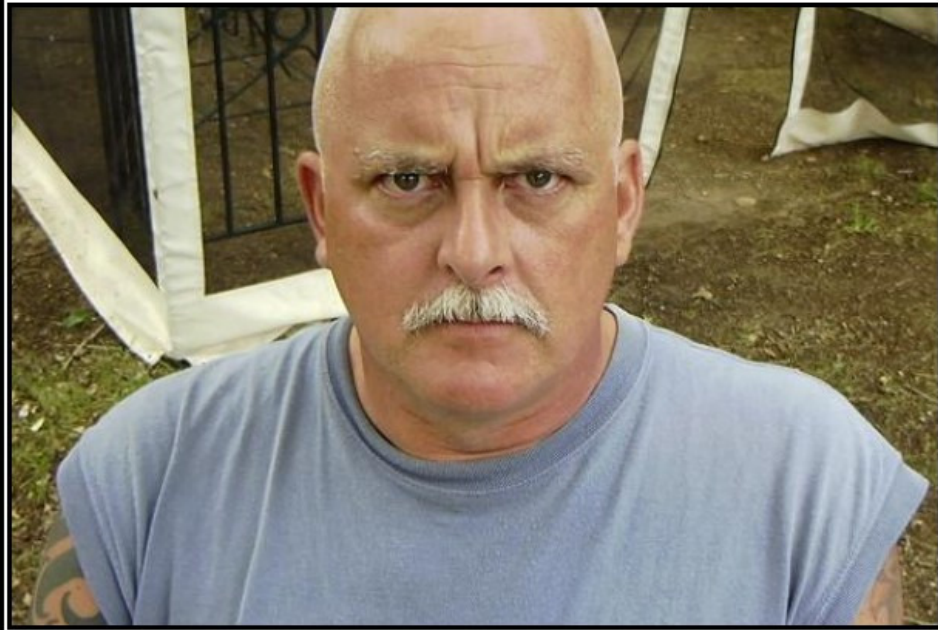
26 MARCH 2011

We fielded six vehicles, big and small, for the Purple sage Elementry open house and Spring fest, the kids loved the vehicles, and we all made it home before we got caught in a thunderstorm!





## **PARTING SHOT**



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