

TRANSFER CASE

LONE STAR MVPA

Presidents Message

Members of the Lone Star MVPA I would like to thank you guys for a good year! We always have a good turnout at our meetings and I especially want to thank our members who travel from out of town: Mark C from San Antonio, Tim B from Giddings and Ralph M also lives some distance from us!

I hope we are all looking forward to a good year of events! Let's thank Danny K for doing all the hard work on digging up the information and dealing with the "personalities" associated with our events. It's good Danny is a people person and gets the job done! We also need to give Toby a pat on his back for his work with the National MVPA, as a director he spent lots of time and money fighting for our place in the sun!

I hope we all can support Brent Mullins at his event this year. I always spend some money and see lots of neat vehicles and military stuff. Remember he is a true friend of the MVPA and their clubs.

We also need a call for guest speaker for some of the meetings. I have not done very well at locating speakers and I hope our members will keep a look out for guest speakers and bring them to the meetings!

This is our busy time so let's get out and have some fun! I look forward to the Scout parade, Burnet air show, Muster and Temple all which are our big events. Just remember to smile, because you can always make plans and always expect the events to change at the last moment..my question is how many times will we move our tow rigs at Burnet this year!

On a sad note Mr. Priddy our WW2 guest rider at the Lockhart Parade passed away last week. It was a honor to have him rive in my M37 during the Lockhart parade this year! So many parade attendees came up to the truck to shake his hand and thank him for his service. I want to thank our John C for setting up his ride with us, we need to work on finding more guest veterans to ride with us!

"Keep the Jeep off the deer lease"

Always feel free to E-Mail me suggestions!

Madison Hughes

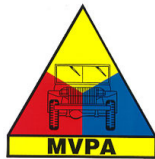
President Lone Star MVPA

PAST EVENTS

GONZALES COME N TAKE IT! PARADE

1 OCTOBER 2011

We had six vehicles (including trailers) and seven members along with family make the drive in this year, as always it was a great crowd and a great parade!

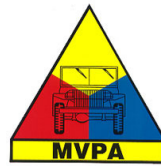


CARS-N-COFFEE

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!

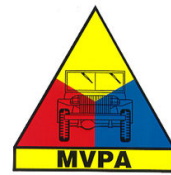
We made the October show but skipped November for Veteran’s Day prep and December was called for bad weather by the promoters!



SMITHVILLE PHOTO SHOOT

9 OCTOBER 2011

Every year a gathering of photographers and models converge on the Smithville Texas town square for a mass photo shoot. Models of all types are invited and Lonestar MVPA provided some “green stuff”!



ROSANKY CAR SHOW

15 OCTOBER 2011

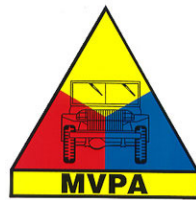
Members Madison H, JD H and Dan C made the trek to Rosanky for the annual car show and local Youth Program benefit. It was a long hot day but shade was plentiful and at the end Madison's M37 took the award for Best of Class in the "Specialty" division!



VARIOUS

22/23 OCTOBER 2011

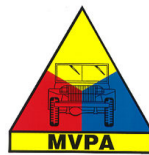
Lonestar MVPA members occasionally attend events as “onesies”, in the month of October Don L attended an event at the former POW Camp at Camp Hearne and Herb T attended the Rolling Sculpture car show at Bee Caves.



FT. HOOD MOUNTED WARFARE RALLY

21-23 OCTOBER 2011

The third Historic Mounted Warfare Vehicle Rally was held on Ft. Hood 21-23 October and was attended by Sam R (M1009), Clint D (M1009) and Louis B (rider). As usual it was a fascinating event traveling over 100 miles through the training areas on Ft. Hood over tank roads and secondary trails. There were MANY break-downs, mostly among the sixty year old gasoline powered vehicles in attendance, but we left nobody behind!



HUTTO ISD DISPLAY

This year's Hutto ISD Veterans Display was attended by Rory C (M1009/M416, M185A3, V-100), Scott P (M35A2), Madison H (M37 and "museum"), Sam R (M1028/M101A2, display only), Mitch C (uniform display) and Barry F (Vietnam soldier impression), with an assist from Amanda, Patrick C, John and Jeff R. The drought decided to take a day off so it rained! Over 500 kids saw the displays and the CAF did a flyover, it was a good show!



VETERAN'S DAY PARADE

11 NOVEMBER 2011

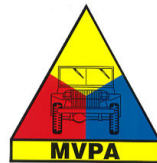
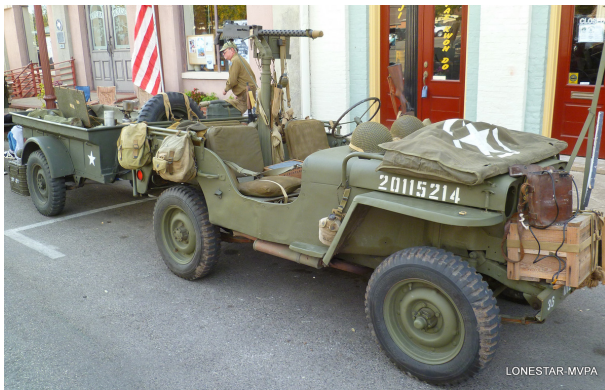
LSMVPA mustered 22 vehicles this year! Including: 2x M37, M35A2, M35A2 gun truck, V100 Commando, 2x M1009, M1028, HMMWV, several trailers and assorted Jeeps, even a M915 OTR tractor with trailer!



BASTROP VETERAN'S DAY CAR SHOW

12 NOVEMBER 2011

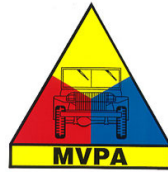
The annual Bastrop Veteran's Day Car show was held in the old downtown district and was heavily attended by vehicles and spectators alike! LSMVPA mustered Madison H (with TWO M37, Dan and Scott C co driving), JD H (w/nephews and his MB/BT combo and museum) and Sam R (M1028/M101A2), Robert R (Vietnam display)



HOT ROD REVOLUTION

10 DECEMBER 2011

Every year The Rodder's Journal magazine holds a Hot Rod show in Austin at a historic and "scenic" location, this year Camp Mabry was selected, and due to the Military theme LSMVPA was asked to attend for "ambiance". The day was quite cold and windy but we managed nine vehicles! Even though our vehicles did not fit the parameters of the show, the crowd was still mostly made up of gear heads so we still were a hit.



BEST OF SHOW

Hand built in the early 1950's on a farm in Nebraska with NO electricity! Brought to the show from Nebraska by the builder, now 85 years old.



FINAL THOUGHTS

TO THOSE WHO ARE SERVING...



LSMVPA member David C with his primary duty ride: MKR-16 with M870 trailer

1st Combat Engineers, 1st MAR DIV
USMC

Currently stationed at Camp Pendelton Ca.

AND WHO HAVE SERVED...

THANK YOU!



Mr. Jim Priddy

US Army, WWII

REST IN PEACE SIR!