



We meet
 Each Thursday at Noon
 Heritage Room of
 1st United Methodist
 400 N. Fredonia St.
 Longview, Texas

Home of the AmTryke

LONGVIEW AMBUCS

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Prayer: Paul Herring
Pledge: Al Bingham

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**ROLL CALL**

**Members: 36**  
**Guests: 2**

**Scott Carver - guest of Seth Pyle**  
**Junior - guest of Al Bingham**

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Drawings: \$41 Mike Bishop
Attendance: \$73 Lutz K not here
Upcoming Speakers:
6/25 Partners in Prevention

Club News:

John Durst read the Board Meeting minutes from last night, explaining that Chad Hinton and Dan Herrington were not in attendance. He read the amount of funds that had been spent. Mr. Lizza reviewed the club laws on the books and noted that the membership logbook is in need of updating. Allen also made the motion to give Windridge \$1K, and it passed. An appropriation of \$2K to ramps and \$5K to AmTrykes was approved.

Next Week Location

Next week we will meet upstairs.

July 4th

There will be a July 4th get together at 7pm. Bring lawn chairs for yourself and your families/guests. No cost for hot dogs, hamburgers, chips and soft drinks. If you want something other than water or soft drinks, then bring your own beverages.

Ramps

Pulling out at 7am from HQ to Elysian Fields with a 7 box build. No breakfast beforehand. There are several more ramps on the books for this year. We did 31 last year. 50 is our goal.

Mobility Bash

Tickets and brochures are being printed now. Dan has a DJ Signed up. September 26th is the date.

Tail Twister

Steve Warner - Cody Boyd and Jeff Bishop were accused of pocketing tip money when selling beer at the TBone Walker Blues Festival. Cody said he reinvested it in more beer sales! Jeff was not there to defend himself.

Maintenance

Allen Lizza – we need a

committee for grounds operation & maintenance. See Billy Hagenbucher if interested. A big thanks to Mr. Dempsy for some recent cleanup of the various signs at HQ and to Charlie for some recent mowing.

AmTrykes

Steve Rogers – on the 2nd of July, we are giving away an AmTryke to a family driving up from Livingston, Texas. 6 or 7 more will be given to those on the wish list, with 2 being in Houston. There will be 2 in Texarkana and 2 in Temple. 3 are to be given away at John Dimond's Honda dealership.



Ambuc of the Day - Cody Boyd.

Cody owns a log home restoration business that he took over from his Dad. He is picking up an engagement ring today for his true love! He is proposing next week on a beach trip to Mexico.

Mr. Boyd was born & raised in Longview, and lived in Oklahoma for a while. He got back here as fast as he could!

Bubba Banana

Bubba update - missing, but sent Betty in his place. Steve Warner gave Betty Banana to Cody Bailey for safe keeping.

National Convention

Billy Hagenbucher, the District Governor, said that at the 1st weekend in October, Longview is always honored at the National Convention, so please consider going. It is in Biloxi, Mississippi, and we will demonstrate how to build a ramp. The Longview Club is highly respected at the convention because we are so active in ramp building and we are also famous for creating the AmTryke. The AmTryke program was adopted nationwide.

