



A Little Car News!



The Newsletter of the Central Texas Microcar "Micronuts" Chapter

"You don't need a Microcar to join us.....You just need to WANT one!"

THIS YEAR IS GONNA BE A GOOD ONE...JANUARY, 2002!!


The Central Texas Micronuts... WHAT'S IN STORE FOR 2002??

From a Micro Car Enthusiast's standpoint, the upcoming year 2002 might prove to be a gold mine. There are lots of events, locally and internationally, to feed that little car fever. Mark your calendars with the following dates:

- Monthly **CENTRAL TEXAS MICRONUTS** meetings, held the **SECOND THURSDAY OF EVERY MONTH**. We meet at **Threadgills World Headquarters**, 301 W. Riverside, at about 7 pm. Car tales, photos, dreams of another microcar abound. We need to plan the types of events we would like to do this New Year. Drives to Breakfast?? Drives to Lunch?? Spring Fling?? The Antique Automobile group here in Austin goes to LOTS of car events, and we are always invited. Wanna join in?? We have lots to talk about, a few things to decide, a myriad of possibilities. As many things to do as we would like, (or not). So come to the first meeting of the year, and let's talk about what 2002 might have in store for this great bunch of NUTS. More details below!
- Spring will bring the International Gathering of Microcars and Enthusiasts in Story, Germany. The meet is held May 7-12, with little cars from all over Europe converging on the world famous Story AutoMuseum. A few of our members are planning on attending...it's a don't miss if you are a true fanatic, or even a wannabe. The meet includes great inexpensive places to stay, beautiful countryside, incredible cars, wonderful camaraderie.
- Ray Morey is hosting the National Microcar Convention in Duncanville September 27-28th. Rooms are already reserved at the Duncanville Ramada Inn (972-298-8911) at the discount rate of \$51.00 a night. The Central Texas Micronuts have offered to help Ray with t-shirt production, so come and let's pool our ideas together and create an outstanding momento of the event and the LONE STAR STATE!!
- The 3rd Annual Central Texas Micronuts Convention will be held in Nov., first or second weekend, date TBA. Did you like the location in Zilker Park? It's not too early to start reserving that spot, if we want it again.

So, as you can see, being a MICRONUT offers lots of opportunities to spend time with little cars and

great people with big ideas. These events are only the highlights...the world of little cars is as big as we want to make it!

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Join us for our 1st 2002 Meeting!

Baby, it's cold outside, and you should come on in and join us for a steaming bowl of chicken and dumplings...or fried chicken livers! The Second Thursday of every month means that the **CENTRAL TEXAS MICROCAR CLUB** will be gathering at **Threadgills World Headquarters**, Home of the Armadillo and the **2002 HOME of the Monthly Micronuts meeting!** Threadgills is located at 301 W. Riverside Dr. (at the corner of Barton Springs Road and Riverside). The next meeting date will be **Thursday, January 10, 2002 at 7pm.**

With the New Year, we're hoping to bring a new feature or two to the meeting. A few folks have cars under restoration, so let's talk about what they are doing, what progress they are making, anything they might need a little help with. Bring photos so we can all share in the fun(?) of these ongoing projects! There's a rumor that Gerron Hite may be converting his dining room into an extra garage...so Gerron, fess up!! Tell us all about it next meeting...don't be a chicken!!

**Remember, MICRONUTS
meet the second Thursday of
every month all year long!**

TEXAS QUIZ



What is it?
Hint: It is NOT a
MICROCAR.