



# Bear Briefs

The Newsletter of the Heart Of Texas Bears

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## From The President's Desk

Happy New Year! I must congratulate Ed and Marcus for throwing a truly terrific Christmas party; and Glenn and Jamie for hosting a memorable, well-attended New Year's Eve bash. Camaraderie among Club members was very evident and heartwarming. Isn't that what puts the "heart" in Heart of Texas Bears!?

Also, a big thank you for

the many stuffed bears that were dropped in the box at the Christmas party. We were able to bring BIG smiles to many kids in the Austin area.

Now, on to some interesting events for January. Gary and Denny are going to host a VERY different kind of party on Saturday, January 25 at their home in San Marcos—it's called a *Bad Boy Birthday 'Under' Bear Party!* Yes, they

expect—and I'm sure we are willing—to be "bad boys" in all the sense of the word. And they request that we show our array of colorful, and hopefully, plentiful packed, underwear. Well, this party "is not for the Puritanical among us," Gary states and I'm sure he's right. More details in the Member's Calendar and below.

## Quarterly Membership Meeting — at the Chain Drive

**When:** Sunday, January 12<sup>th</sup>, 3pm  
**Where:** Chain Drive 504 Willow Street

A change of venue for our Quarterly Membership Meeting will perhaps bring out more members just before our regularly scheduled Bear Beer Bust that follows from 4:00pm — 8:00pm.

We'll discuss upcoming events including the Fifth Annual Anniversary Dinner which will be catered at a member's house this year and other items of mutual concern to the Club.

## Gary & Denny's Bad Boy Birthday 'Under' Bear Party

**When:** Saturday, January 25<sup>th</sup>, 7pm – ?  
**Where:** Gary & Denny's House. See the calendar page for directions.

Gary and Denny will be preparing wieners and fixing's and they request you bring a potluck dish and a beverage of your choice if you don't want draft beer. Be prepared for a "clothes check" at the door

and show off your favorite underwear! I just hope the heat is turned up, so to speak!

**Members and their guests *only!***

## Upcoming Events — Mark Your Calendar Now!

**March 27 — 30, 2003**  
The Dallas Bears host their annual Texas Bear Round-Up. Always a fun weekend. Make your reservations now. Visit [www.tbbru.org](http://www.tbbru.org) for more information.

**April 24, 2003 at 7pm**  
Our Fifth Annual Anniversary Dinner. This year it will be held at Steve Rison's house. It will be catered and will cost \$15 per person. **RSVPs are required.** RSVP to Scott Coleman, Secretary. It

will be limited to the first 50 responding. More in upcoming Bear Briefs.



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<i>Sun</i>	<i>Mon</i>	<i>Tue</i>	<i>Wed</i>	<i>Thu</i>	<i>Fri</i>	<i>Sat</i>
<b>Sunday, January 12<sup>th</sup> at 3pm</b> Quarterly Membership Meeting at the Chain Drive. Followed by Bear Beer Bust at 4pm!			<b>1</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>4</b> 10a: Bears Day Out Breakfast (Austin Diner, 5408 Burnet Rd)
<b>5</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>11</b>
<b>12</b> 3p: Quarterly Membership Meeting 4-8p: Bear Bust (Chain Drive, 504 Willow Street)	<b>13</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>16</b> 7p: Cowbear Steak Night (Rainbow Cattle Company, 5th and Lavaca)	<b>17</b>	<b>18</b>
<b>19</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>22</b>	<b>23</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>25</b> 7p: Gary & Denny's 'Under' Bear Party
<b>26</b>	<b>27</b>	<b>28</b>	<b>29</b>	<b>30</b> 7p: Bears Night Out at Frank & Angie's (508 West Avenue)	<b>31</b>	

Frank and Angie's Pizzeria: 508 West Avenue. Just off 6<sup>th</sup> Street at West Avenue. It's located behind Hut's Hamburgers.

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