



Volks Folks News

January 2013

Cruise-In at Pin Strikes

For our [January Cruise-In](#), please join us at [Pin Strikes](#) on Lee Highway at 153 (next to Sportsman's Warehouse) on Friday, January 4 at 7:00 PM. You don't even have to drive a VW since we will be hanging out indoors. Usually there is a \$5 cover fee to get in, however you will receive a \$5 coupon you can spend on food or games inside.



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Next Meeting

7:00 PM Monday, January 21st at [Wally's in East Ridge](#)

Upcoming Events

1/4 [January Cruise-In](#)
Only 110 days until [Bug-a-Palüza 15!](#)



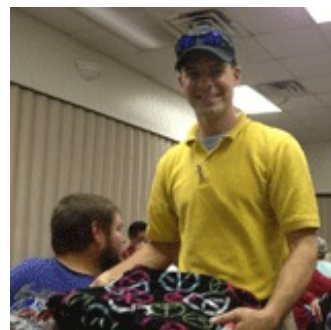
Ringgold Parade

Our cars were a big hit in the Ringgold Down Home Christmas Parade this year. [Check out our photos.](#)



Starlight Parade

We had a really large turnout in the [Holiday Starlight Parade](#) in downtown Chattanooga. 11 VWs in total!



Christmas Party

We exchanged gifts "[Chinese Auction](#)" style and *most* everybody got something good to take home.

Meet the Volks: Rick Klemm's 1964 Rat Bug

Rick's 1964 beetle has been apart for over ten years until he decided to build a rat bug. He narrowed the beam 6" and began doing major fab work in order to achieve a very low stance. The look is completed with a roof rack and a rusty old Schlitz beer can hanging from the rear view mirror.

The initial teardown of this bug was done in 1998 by another club member, Rick Swafford. That should remind you that no unfinished project has to die, even if it does "hibernate" for a number of years! Follow Rick's progress on his rat bug by reading [his thread in our forums about it](#) and be sure to [check out the photos](#).



2013 Calendars Now Available!

The Volks Folks 2013 Wall Calendar is here and you can pick one up at our next meeting or cruise-in for only \$10. It's full of photos from the past year of club member cars and events. Pick one up soon before they are all gone!

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