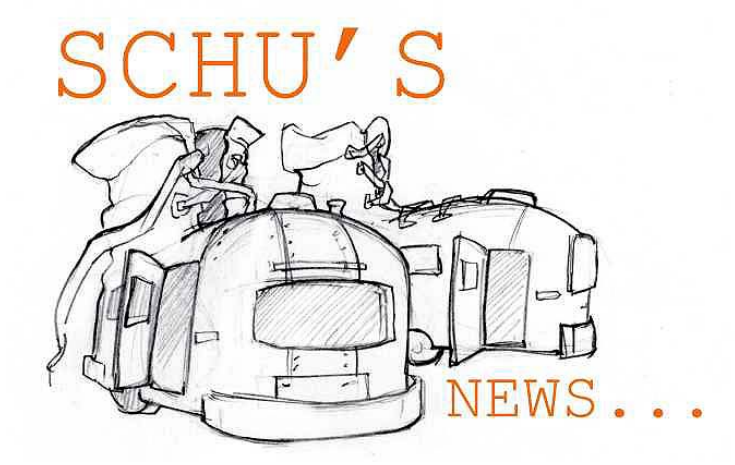

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Well spring is just around the corner and our thoughts turn to traveling and warmer temperatures. To really help you get in the mood, why not visit one of the February RV Shows and check out the new Airstreams?

Here are a few you may want to attend:

February			
3-5	Sagon RV Supercenter	Mall of GA Show	Buford, GA
8-11	Shorewood, MN	Minneapolis RV Show	Minneapolis, MN
8-12	DeMontrond Texan RV	Houston RV Show	Houston Reliance Center
9-12	Weekley RV	Flint RV Show	Flint, MI
10-12	Airstream of Arkansas	Little Rock RV Show	Little Rock Convention Ctr
10-12	Plapps Pro Outdoors	Cincinnati RV Show	Mason, Ohio
10-12	Safford RV	Richmond RV Show	Richmond, VA
10-12	DJ RV	Eastern PA RV Expo	Allentown, PA
15-19	Weekley RV	Rock RV Show	Novi, MI
16-19	Ardell Brown RV	Salt Lake City RV Show	Salt Lake City, UT
16-19	Ewald's Airstream	Milwaukee RV Show	Milwaukee, WI
16-20	DJ RV	Northeast RV	Suffern, NY
17-19	Carolina RV	SC RV Show	SC State Fairgrounds
17-19	Sagon RV Supercenter	GA RV Camping Show	N. Atlanta Trade Center
17-19	Can Am Trailers	London & St. Thomas RV	London, ON
17-26	Twin City A/S of Indiana	Indiana Boat & Travel Show	Indianapolis, IN
17-20	RV Legends	Springfield RV Show	Springfield, MA
22-26	Bates RV	Sarasota Rally	Sarasota, FL
23-26	Randall Noe Airstream	Dallas RV Show	Dallas Expo Center
23-26	Dillon's RV Center	Phoenix Civic Center	Phoenix, AZ

This and That

Airstream is using recessed halogen lights in several of its product lines; CCD'S, Safari SE'S, the Interstate van as well as the A Series motorhomes. With their use comes the question of how do you change the bulb, here are some tips.

Remove lens using a small screwdriver. Place the screwdriver between the lens trim ring and light housing. Gently pry outward being careful not to mar or scratch the finish of the light, the light lens will snap out of socket. Be careful not to drop lens. You now have access to change the halogen light bulb.

Specifications: 20-watt halogen light bulb
Airstream's Part number——511137-100

When changing the Halogen light bulb it is important to use a handkerchief or Kleenex to protect the halogen bulb from the natural oil present on human hands. This oil will shorten the life of the new bulb.

Caution:
Don't get a smashed finger

The halogen light is secured in the ceiling using two retaining springs. One spring located on each side of the light. These springs closely resemble a mousetrap. They are lifted upwards to clear the aluminum inside skin. Once the light is inside the ceiling the tension of the spring holds the light firmly into place.

To remove the complete light assembly, carefully pull downward on the light assembly. Be very careful not to let the spring smack you on your hand, as it will leave a mark.
I personally can tell you it **HURTS!**

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Concerned:
Bill: "Why is Harry pacing the floor?"
Bob: "Well, he's terribly worried about his wife."
Bill: "Really? What does she have?"
Bob: "His new Airstream!"

I hope to see everyone at the Florida State Rally, Airstream representatives will be there with Parts and mechanics for emergency service.

Have a great month and see you on down the road!

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