THE AIRCOOLER



DETROIT AREA CORVAIR CLUB ESTABLISHED 1974

Monthly Meeting NOVEMBER 6, 2017

Pontiac / Waterford Elks Club

October 2 Meeting Minutes

Well we had another great turn out of Corvairs for the meeting night. We had 14 Corvairs attend. This was also the date the 1st Corvair rolled off the assembly line in 1959.

Clark reported that we currently have 123 paid members and quite a few who owe dues.

Casey reported we have \$11,011.99 in out account as of the 1st of the month. But, we still had receipts coming in from Homecoming yet.

We donated \$400 to Haven House from the auction at Homecoming. Haven House is our charity of choice to help out.

Bob gave us a recap of our previous outings and our upcoming outings. We went to My Mechanics Place we had a tour of the facility and of course we ate pizza for dinner. Next year we are going to set up a 2nd Saturday and have a build fest and work on valve cover racers at My Mechanics Place. We also went to Willow Run Plant had a tour and were able to drive our Corvairs into the plant. At the Orphan Car show John Allesee Lakeside won "Best Corvair" award at the event.

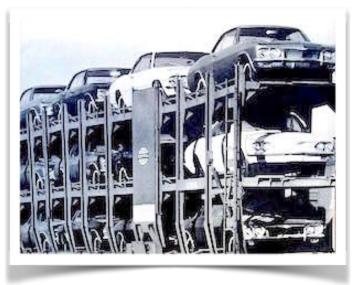
Upcoming events are Oct 7 Huron Twp Parade (Davisburg Antique show), Oct. 7 Frankenmuth Fall Color Tour. Oct. 15 DACC West Tech Session. Saturday November 11 Stahl Museum (tribute to all Veterans) Chesterfield 26 Mile and Gratiot.

Swap n Sell Tim has brought some odds & ends parts he's trying to sell. Pete C. has DACC plates and Clarks Parts Catalogs.

There was a discussion of what is happening to the online Aircoolers for September and October.

Jeff Shreve won \$75 in the 50/50 and Merrill won the \$10 attendance drawing.

Lori Komora - Secretary



A few words from the Prez

Well ... what started out as a fall color tour to Frankenmuth ... turned out to be a heck of a lot more thrilling than I expected. It started tamely enough. The morning looked like we might get wet but as a few of us met at Pete's Coney to strap on a feedbag. The clouds blew away and all was right with the world. By the time we hooked up with Jeff Shreve, we were a half dozen Corvairs and 2 water pumpers strong ... heading up to F-Muth.

We pulled in with plans of eating lunch in the basement of Zehnders, followed by the majority of the group going on a barn tour to Robert Wesleys new barn. Pete Koehler and I were to go in a different direction to check out another barn find Corvair on the way home for possible purchase. We ate our chicken and went our separate ways ... Pete and I had to stop by the popcorn and fudge factory for which Frankenmuth is famous.

I ALWAYS bring home chocolate fudge for my oldest daughter Katlyn who, at that very minute was going into labor with my second granddaughter (A week early) back in Wayne, Michigan ... over an hour and 20.minutes away!!!! She called me and said "The babies on her way NOW!!!!!"

I told her where I was and that i was on my way and would be right there ... Right. Pete came out of the popcorn shop with his goodies and I told him that we had to go! My mind was spinning with thoughts of my daughter getting to the hospital and me getting there on time.

My little black 95 horse 64 Coupe was sailing at 85 mph all the way to St. Joes in Ypsi ... even through Michigan/Michigan State pregame football traffic ... all in just about an hour or so ... I got up to the room and my daughter was holding my new beautiful granddaughter, Brinley Nicole Hubbard ... after a 10 minute labor... yep ... 10 minutes. I am a happy grandpa and very proud of my daughter ... who got her fudge! Thanks go out to Pete Koehler for just sitting quietly while I drove like a wildman all the way home.

IAN SMITH

LONG AGO AND FAR AWAY















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DACC MEMBERSHIP REPORT

OCTOBER 17, 2017 by Clark Hartzel

<u>Welcome new members</u>: Tommi-Jean Mason of Westland, 1965 500

<u>Thanks for keeping membership up to date:</u> Bramble, Cutter, Jean, Komora, O'Guinn, Mann, Schmidt, I.Smith, H.Smith, Yoscovits.

Exp. in August: Balow, Burt, Cockerill, Dood, Hartford, Hossain, Koehler, Lagasse, Newton, Owens, Sitterly, Spiess. Will be dropped soon.

<u>Due in Sept.:</u> Boulan, Christ, Davis, Gillespie, Kelava,

Kellogg, Ropp, Schlaud, Spaulding.

Due in Oct.: Dubia, Hamil, Light, McGuire, Shires

<u>Due in Nov.:</u> Grumblatt, Hatala, Heberling, Bill Johnson,

Kidd, Munaco, M.Smith, Tucker, Ullery.

<u>Due in Dec.:</u> Avery, Bowen, Cavataio, Dangel,

Dixon, Hensley, Jacobs, Jennings, Wittmann.

We have 124 paid members and 26 who owe dues.

We are mailing 10 complementary newsletters to other clubs and the Ypsilanti museum Please don't pay in cash. I can forget who gives it to me! Get those checks in folks!!!

If you can't make it to the meeting, send a \$20.00 check dues, payable to: Detroit Area Corvair Club, 16911 Anita Ave., Fraser, MI 48026-2275

If you wish to receive only an on-line newsletter let me know by email so I can verify your email address.

Questions about membership or change address or e-mail chartzel@comcast.net or phone 586-293-1587

We have an **email blast list** to notify members of quickie tours or last minute changes. Please send me your email address so I can keep the list up to date.

OCTOBER TREASURY REPORT

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from **Casey Schesky, Treasurer**

SELL & SWAP

ADS ARE FREE TO ALL - SEND TO kenpepke@yahoo.com

FOR SALE: Eastwood Body Cart - next best to rotisserie for restoring vehicle. Width & Length adjustable; 4 4 inch casters, (2 lockable). apart for transport. \$375.00 (OBO) done28@comcast.net Don Eichstaedt, 248-552-8030 Southfield MI (Nov)

FOR SALE: 66 500 2dr – 110hp 4spd? white, red int - not run, possible resto \$500 0B0 ALSO: 61 Monza 4 dr pg – eng apart – gold & gold int \$500 0B0 Dennis O'Neal 231 3474759 2778 River Rd. Petosky, MI 490770 ALSO: 2 '78 Chevy PU & 84 Lincoln MK VII turbo diesel – open to offers (Nov)

FOR SALE: 1968 Monza coupe. 110 HP Pg. Engine by Ken Hand. Red carpet trunk w/ wiper motor & master cyl cover - Blk bucket int. Wire wheel covers. 4 rear brake lights. Chrome rack on deck lid. Trailer hitch & wiring plug. Pin striping & rub rail - Bumper guards front & rear. \$5500 Dave Guindon Warren, MI 586-758-6915 **Also for sale:** small utility trailer enclosed with clam shell lid. Painted red to match car. \$600. (Oct)

FOR SALE: 4 - 7" wide x 13" dia Steel Wheels, 4 bolt for 1962/1964 Corvair - slightly used with rain tires - specially made by Bill Wadill in Flint \$275.00 (obo) (Southfiled) - Don Eichstaedt, done28@comcast.net, 248-552-8030 (Sept)

FOR SALE: (4) 13" hubcaps with spoke going out from the center. have nuts on them - Chevy emblem in the middle. look good. Mike Simms 313-386-1754 (Sept)

FOR SALE: 64 Conv. Red, black int & top. P.G. power top. Georgia Car, orig documents, Tach. & gages \$8500. Jerry 586-883-1301 no texts. (REV JULY)

DACC CALENDARS

order at <u>www.allesee.com/calendar</u>. Thanks, John Allesee

The Detroit Area Corvair Club is a charter chapter of CORSA, Inc. Monthly meetings are held on the First Monday of each month, 7PM, at the **WATERFORD ELKS Club**, on Scott Lake Rd, Waterford, MI 4/10 mi south of Dixie Hwy. Meetings are open to DACC Members, friends, and all interested in the Corvair. Come early; join us for dinner in the ELKS dining room. Choose entries from their menu.

MEETING MONDAY, NOVEMBER 6

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FIRST CLASS

Stahl's Auto & Antique Music Collection November 11, 2017

Join the DACC at Stahl's Auto Museum on November 11, 2017 for a special tribute to honor those that have served. With limited accessibility, this event is a great opportunity to enjoy this fine collection of automobiles and antique music making machines as we pay tribute to all those that have served in the military. Let's plan breakfast at 9:00 AM at **Ram's Horn** (31917 Utica Rd, Fraser, MI) located on the Southwest corner of Utica Rd and Masonic in Fraser and on to Stahl's.

Stahl's Auto Collection

(56516 North Bay Drive, Chesterfield, MI). For more information on Stahls check their website at stahlsauto.com.

- John O'Leary Activities Director
- Bob Wittmann "Communication"

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Thanks, John Allesee

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CONSIGNMENT SALES:

North American Classic Cars – 27222 Plymouth Rd. Redford, MI 48239 <u>www.northamericanclassics.com</u>
On line ads provide our members with a quick reference guide to satisfy their Corvair needs
DACC members wishing to be included on this list should submit their information to Editor Ken Pepke