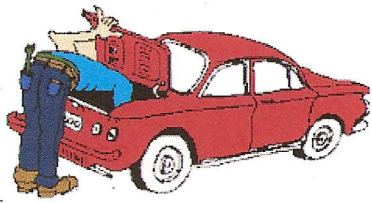


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THE MONTHLY NEWSLETTER OF MID MARYLAND CORVAIR CLUB CORSA CHAPTER 217

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FEBRUARY 2018

NOTES FROM THE JANUARY MEETING:

President Tom Rahochik called the meeting to order at 7:00 pm at the Dealership with 14 members present on this cold, dark winter night. But it's always sunny when the topic is Corvairs and we are all counting down the days until we can hit the salt free streets and highways. There was a correction on last month's newsletter - it was Kandi Rahochik's Birthday on January 22 not Rikki Putman's. So Happy Belated Birthday to Kandi - don't know if it was my dyslexia or my astigmatism that put me on the wrong line of my spreadsheet!

TREASURER'S REPORT:

Bob Millard reports a balance from the last meeting of \$1,486.38 plus a dues check of \$15.00 deposited for a new total of \$1,501.38

OLD BUSINESS:

President Tom inquired if our Annual Report to CORSA was filed. Your secretary will research and report back.

NEW BUSINESS

We talked about our Club's participation in the Rohrersville Fire Station's Car Show again this year. Dick Kaetzel will be contacting them to see if we can join them again this year and what our involvement would be. That show is scheduled for the first Saturday in August. Your secretary then opened a discussion on designing a new logo for our club. Ellen Frazier, a fellow member of the FSK Car Club had revised her original rendering of their logo and I asked her if she could help us with devising one for us and if so what would she charge to do it. She said she would be glad to work on it and there would not be any charge as she loves to do this kind of thing. We tossed around some ideas about what features we would like to see in the new logo and among them were the outline of the State of Maryland in the colors of the flag, a Chevy Bowtie, and something other than the round turbo emblem that many other clubs use. I will be bringing in some clip art to show for examples. Members present were enthusiastic about going forward with this project. Donnie Putman also said he would check into pricing for a club banner to be used for the International Convention and our local shows.

NEW MEMBERS

We were pleased to welcome Bob and Cyndi McNamara from Tuscarora, MD into the club. They have recently purchased a 64 Corvair for each of them and both cars are being restored. Bob's is a Daytona Blue Spyder Coupe and Cyndi's is a Green Dragon Metallic (late model Camaro color) Convertible with Powerglide. They attended the January meeting and joined on the spot and say they enjoy doing car shows and cruise ins and have other vintage vehicles. Be sure to greet them at our next meeting.

We then went around the room to hear about everyone's latest projects and exploits. The meeting was adjourned just before closing time at the dealership.



2018 CAR SHOW/EVENT CALENDAR:

Here are several shows and events for us to discuss as we look forward to warmer weather.

March 10 **Chesapeake Region AACA Parts/Swap Meet** – Howard Co Fairgrounds, 7 a.m. – 3 p.m.

March 23 – 24 **Sugarloaf Mountain Region AACA Parts Meet**, Carroll Co Agriculture Center, Westminster, open 8 a.m. both days, inside or outside spaces available, pre-register by Feb 21. Call 301-674-5431, e-mail smraaca@aol.com.

April 18-22, **Spring Carlisle**

May 18-20 **Virginia Vair Fair**, Winchester, VA Each year in the spring, the three Corvair clubs in Virginia hold a weekend event called the "Vair Fair". A number of activities are held over the weekend including a Corvair show, rally and parts sales. 2018 Vair Fair will be held May 18-20 in Winchester, VA. The link to the hotel (Hampton Inn) is below and if you reserve a room before April 20, you will get the cheaper rate of \$96/night. After April 20, the price goes up to over a \$100/night. for more details visit [-sites.google.com/site/centralvirginiacorvairclub/home](http://sites.google.com/site/centralvirginiacorvairclub/home) or call Jeff Roadcap 540-908-0010. Event registration \$20/\$25 Car Show \$15/18 Rally \$10/12

May 20 **Corvair Ranch Open House** Car Show and Lunch

June 2, 2018 (Saturday): **28th Orphan Car Tour**, through Harford & Baltimore counties in Md. An afternoon jaunt on scenic country roads for owners of "orphan" (discontinued-make) antiques, starting in Jarrettsville and ending at Friendly Farms Restaurant in Upperco, with stops at several points of interest along the way. Further information to come; updates posted at www.orphancartour.org/ . More info: Jon Battle, (540) 364-1770, tourdiretor@orphancartour.org .

August 18 (Rain date 19) – **FSK Rose Hill Manor 33rd Annual Benefit Show**. FSK is extending an invitation to local car clubs to join in a "show within a show" for this year's event. If a club submits a minimum of 10 pre-paid registrations by July 1, FSK will provide a First and Second in Class Trophy. Each club will have its own display section and there will be participant judging. Their suggested donation for pre-registration is \$10.00. Proceeds of this show are distributed to Hospice of Frederick County, Alzheimers Association and the Children's Museum at Rose Hill Manor Heritage Center. Let's make an effort to showcase our Corvairs at this event. Feel free to complete the registration form attached and join Dave Maynard and me as pre-registered Corvairs. All we need is 8 more and I am sure we can easily meet the requirement for a Corvair only class. I'll be glad to collect your entry and turn it in to FSK.

2018 CORSA INTERNATIONAL CONVENTION - PITTSBURGH, PA

President Tom is making the pitch for Club members to attend the International Convention July 23-28, in Pittsburgh, PA. This Convention is about 4 hours away from Frederick and we are looking for members to join up and caravan out for the event. So far we have 6-8 members who have expressed interest in attending. A Convention Schedule of Events can be found at www.corvairpittsburgh.com

CORSA MEMBERSHIP While our club does not require members to join CORSA International, we strongly recommend joining. 12 month full membership is \$45.00 and includes access to members-only area of the CORSA website, online and mailed versions of the *CORSA Communique*, and the right to attend the International Convention. A Virtual Membership costs \$37.00 and deletes the print copies of the magazine. The *CORSA Communique* is filled with helpful Tech Tips along with informative articles on Corvair history and stories about members Corvairs. If you are not already a member, please use the attached Membership Application to join in.



NEWS FROM CORSA INTERNATIONAL After 30 years of Administering the business of CORSA, Harry Jensen and Mike McGowan are retiring. Operation of the National Club will now be handled by new Executive Secretary Paul and Ramona Bergstrom with CORSA Communique production in the hands of Don Keefe and Anne Haines. The new address for the CORSA Executive Office is P.O.Box 68, Maple Plain, Minnesota 55359. In another move, the Corvair Museum will now be located at the Chevrolet Hall of Fame Museum , 3635 E US Route 36, Decatur, Illinois, 62521

CORVAIRS FOR SALE

1962 Spyder Coupe, complete car, motor runs, needs restoration. Good Maryland title, \$1,800.00
Dick Kaetzel, 240-625-4360 richardkaetzel@aol.com,

1964 Spyder Convertible 30 years with same owner, Very good condition, tan exterior/brown interior/tan top wire wheel covers, \$16,000.00 Jerry 717-860-3524

1965 Monza Convertible, 110, PG, new white top, new tires, new brakes, new gas tank, new ignition, parts, rebuilt carbs, red w/red Interior. Runs great thanks to Dick and Dale A. Needs body work. 60k miles
\$2,000.00 obo Julia Glendenning 410-848-2715

1966 Corsa Convertible, turbo, white and blue, telescoping column, \$14,000.00 "Wild Man" 137 Clay St.
Mountville, PA 717-451-3347

BIRTHDAYS AND ANNIVERSARIES

Feb. 4 - Jeannette Ostroff, Feb. 13 - Debbie Maynard, Feb. 27 - Robb Jones,

CORVAIR TRIVIA

This Month's trivia question is (heralding trumpet fanfare please) How many Corvairs were built for the model years 1967-68-69 combined? A. 136,421 B. 48,682 C. 29,727

We missed talking about the January Trivia Question which was
In 1960, the Big 3 American Automakers introduced a trio of compact cars to meet the challenge of smaller cars being imported from overseas. Can you rank where the Corvair, Falcon and Valiant finished year in production volume 1-2-3???. Bonus question - were these 3 the first **compact** cars offered by American Automobile Manufacturers???

NEXT MEETING:

We will find out if your Corvair Club members are your Valentine or if your Valentine loves you enough to let you come to the Fitzgerald Auto Mall at 7:00pm on February 14. Remember that if Frederick County Schools are closed for afternoon and evening activities, there will be no meeting. Will we see you there?

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2 DAYS
FRIDAY & SATURDAY

SUGARLOAF MOUNTAIN REGION AACCA



48th ANNUAL

INDOOR/OUTDOOR

ANTIQUÉ AUTO * TRUCK * MOTORCYCLE

PARTS / SWAP MEET

MARCH 23 & 24, 2018

CARROLL COUNTY AGRICULTURE CENTER

706 AGRICULTURE CENTER DRIVE

WESTMINSTER, MD 21157

info@carrollcountyagcenter.com

Call (301) 674-5431 for details

DOORS OPEN: 8:00am FRIDAY & SATURDAY

52,500 SQ FT ALL HEATED BUILDING

HUNDREDS OF VENDOR SPACES

INDOOR

OUTDOOR

CAR CORRAL



ABUNDANT PARKING

CONTACT: JACK GALLAGHER (301)674-5431, EMAIL smraaca@aol.com

BUY - SELL - SWAP - LEARN

**ADDITIONAL SPACE
RESERVED AS NEEDED**

SEE REVERSE SIDE FOR REGISTRATION FORM

CAR CORRAL * 50-50 DRAWINGS * MEMBERSHIP AVAILABILITY



FRANCIS SCOTT KEY ANTIQUÉ CAR CLUB, INC



Chapter of Sugarloaf Mountain Region of AACA

33rd Annual Vehicle Show Benefits

Fred Co Hospice, Alzheimer's Assoc., & Rose Hill Manor Children's Museum

SATURDAY, AUGUST 18TH (RAIN DATE SUNDAY, AUGUST 19TH)

Rose Hill Manor Children's Museum & Historic Park
1611 N. Market Street, Frederick, MD

Scheduled flea market, Food, music, Rose Hill Manor tours (fee), WW II re-enactment

Registration: 8:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m. **Awards:** Approx. 2:30 p.m.

AWARDS for registered attending participants

Dash plaques for first 150 registered

25 Top participant's choice awards

Youngest and Oldest driver registered

Longest distance registered vehicle driven

Boy Scouts choice

FSKACC Best of Show choice

Pre-registration Form (Please Print)

Name _____

Address _____

E-mail address (for future show notification) _____ @ _____

VEHICLE INFO		FIRE EXTINGUISHERS SUGGESTED IN VEHICLES	
Year	Make	Model	

Flea Market or car For Sale Space 10' x 15' (Your Tax number)
Brief description of merchandise: _____

SUGGESTED DONATIONS (Tax exempt 501 (c) (4))

\$10 pre-registration before Aug 11th or \$15 day of show per vehicle or space.

Make checks payable to: FSK Antique Car Club, Inc., benefit (sorry, no refunds)

Mail check with this form to: Bob Faylor, 101 Fairfield Dr., – Frederick, Maryland 21702

Info: Ed – ezclassics@comcast.net 301 514-2207 or Skip – demason113@comcast.net 240 422-0368

Visit us on Facebook at: Francis Scott Key Antique Car Club, Inc.

Fred Co Parks & Recreation Depart & FSK Antique Car Club, Inc. is neither responsible nor liable for any vehicle damage, theft or personal injury. All info is subject to change

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39th ANNUAL VIRGINIA VAIR FAIR

May 18-20, 2018

Hampton Inn North

1204 Berryville Ave, Winchester, VA 22601

(540) 678-4000



REGISTRATION FORM

(Please print)

Name:		CORSA ID #:	
Address:		CORSA Chapter:	
City, State, Zip			
Email:		Phone:	
# Name Tags Needed:	Names:		

	Pre-Reg.	On-Site	Qty.	Amount
Family Registration (includes name tags, dash plaque, People's Choice ballot, free Friday pizza party and (1) door prize ticket)	\$20.00	\$25.00		
Friday Evening Pizza Party	Free	Free		\$0.00
Valve Cover Race (per race car) (Friday night)	\$10.00	\$12.00		
People's Choice Car Display (Saturday morning)	\$15.00	\$18.00		
Model Car Concours (Saturday morning) Stock, Modified, Diorama, Promotional/Collectibles and Scratch Built Categories	\$5.00	\$7.00		
Rally (per car) (Saturday afternoon)	\$10.00	\$12.00		

Corvair Games	\$10.00	\$12.00		
T-Shirts: Indicate size (S, M, L, XL, XXL) here:	\$15.00	NA		
Swap Meet/Vendor Space Per two outdoor parking spaces	\$15.00	\$20.00		
TOTAL REMITTANCE – MAKE CHECK PAYABLE TO: “CENTRAL VIRGINIA CORVAIR CLUB”	NA	NA	NA	

Please indicate expected classification(s) and number of entries for People's Choice Display below:

Class	Qty	Class	Qty	Class	Qty	Class	Qty
Early Closed		Early Station Wagon		Late Closed		Modified/ Specialty	
Early Open		Beater		Late Open		Forward Control	
1968		Note: The 1968 class can be entered along with other late model classes					

PRE-REGISTRATION: Pre-registration forms must be postmarked before May 11. All registrations postmarked after this date will be considered as on-site registrations and on-site costs will apply.

Registration is required for participation in any VAIR FAIR ACTIVITY. NAME TAGS MUST BE WORN AT ALL TIMES.

Mark Ellis Memorial Award for Excellence will be presented to the person earning the most points in the People's Choice, Rally, Valve Cover and Corvair Games.

Room reservations may be made by calling the Hampton Inn at 540-678-4000. Please mention the Corvair Vair Fair when calling for the group room rate of \$96.00 plus tax.

Room rate cut-off is May 5, 2018.

For event registration, send your registration & check or money order made payable to **CENTRAL VIRGINIA CORVAIR CLUB** c/o Alan White, 194 Twin Hills Ln, Fishersville, VA 22939. (540)-294-2374 or email at dralwhite@yahoo.com

