# THE AIRCOOLER



## **DETROIT AREA CORVAIR CLUB** ESTABLISHED 1974

# Monthly Meeting JUNE 4, 2018

Pontiac / Waterford Elks Club 6: pm eat — 7: pm meet

# 46th Sloan Auto Fair Sat. June 23 and Sunday June 24 9: am - 3: pm

Registration forms/flyers will be available at the May meeting to register for this event, you can also register online at sloanautofair.com however there is a \$2.00 extra fee. This year with the move to Crossroads Village we will see a lot of different things like the old buildings in the village, and be able to take a ride (at extra cost) on the steam train, merry go round and the Genesee Belle Riverboat. Plus the swap meet and a Robotics exhibition. The feature cars this year are Station Wagons in addition there will be a Police Car display, tractors and a CORVAIR DISPLAY this is where WE need to help out. Marvin, Brian and I have stuck our heads out on this and told the committee that WE WILL HAVE 20 or more CORVAIRS of all different styles onsite for everyone to enjoy. So please put this event on your calendar and plan on being there one or both days. For the past few years Saturday has been the "bigger day" with the most attendance but Sunday is just as much fun. Due to park rules we will not be able to cook hot dogs as we have done in the past but we can still have a pass a dish picnic of snack type goodies and drinks. There will be several food trucks and onsite eating places in the Village that we can support and not go hungry. Registration fee is \$15.00/car for non-judged, \$20.00 for judged up to June 15th. After that and day of show will be \$20.00 and \$25.00 Walk in at the gate \$7.00 adults Kids 11 & under **PETE CIMBALA** free.

# HOMECOMING 2018 Register for your hotel NOW August 23 through 26, 2018

DO NOT assume there will be any rooms available after the block ends.

Call Comfort Inn **DIRECT ONLY DO NOT TAKE NO FOR AN ANSWER** 

(734) 455-8100

## PRESIDENTIAL WISDOM

I was going to tinker with one of the cars this afternoon. However, I just finished mowing the lawn and now I don't feel like doing anything. Maybe I will look at the Clark's catalog....

Well, enough of that. Last night was our monthly meeting and there were a lot of people in attendance. We still had a limited menu but the food was good...at least Paula's and mine was.

One thing I forgot to mention during the meeting was the auction at Home Coming. I want to have a big pile of stuff to auction off, so clean out all the unwanted things in the basement, check the attic, do you really need that wedding album...you get the idea.

**MARVIN GRANGER** 

GOOD FRIEND LOST
I just learned that Walt Kostelnic passed away in
January of this year.
Information from Ken Hand
248 613 8586 www.corvairmechanic.com

# CASS CITY FREEDOM FESTIVAL PARADE

**JULY 7th, 2018** 

Line up time is 10:am

Please enter Cass City from the west on M-81. You will be directed to the staging area by parade workers. From the Detroit Area travel north on I-75 to M-24 north to Caro then follow M-81 east to Cass City.

# STRAWBERRY FESTIVAL PARADE — LEONARD MI—

Sat Jul 14, 2018 Line up at 11: AM

The town of Leonard is located north of Detroit and is a long but very scenic drive north along M-150 Rochester Rd that is between east of I-75 and west of Utica, MI. Go north, following the curves to the lake then turn right and follow the road to Leonard; officials will direct you to the staging area.

Featured along with the parade are town wide flea market, crafts & strawberry ice cream.

The DACC won First Place gifts in past years!

## **CRAIG'S LIST CURE**

#### **CONTINUED FROM May**

In less than a minute my number is called. I guess all of the folks in front of me either gave up and went home or possibly died of old age and boredom. Anyway I am happy to hand my packet of titles over to the clerk. But wait! This one particular title's VIN doesn't match the proof of insurance that I brought along so I could put an antique plate on the old HuffMobile. A closer inspection reveals that when the smart guys over in Lansing processed the title for the Huffs' back in 1994 they left out one digit in the serial number. The body style "27" for a 2-door coupe was mis-typed as a "2" without the "7". The local clerk here can't help me. I have to have the car inspected by a police office to make sure that I am not trying pull a fast one on the Eagle-eyed SOS folks. Sorry kid, you gotta leave and come back with the proper documents if you want to complete this transaction. The did give me a special pass to come to the head of the line when I return. Thankful for that.

So I head on over to the Farmington Hills Cop Shop and they are nothing but helpful. In less than ten minutes an officer arrives at the Caveman Garage and completes the form and compliments me on the car itself. Thanks, Gerry! So I head back to the SOS Branch with even more paperwork in hand. I get in the "return" line and stand there for about 30 more minutes before being called. This time all goes well and they take my \$\$\$ and give me a temporary paper plate for the little red '64 coupe and promise to mail a proper metal one some time in the future. The paper plate is good for 60 days. Do you think they can handle this kind of time constraint?

So that is my story. If it takes 5 1/2 hours just to pay my taxes and get a plate for a new purchase perhaps I won't be so anxious to peruse Craigslist as I have in the past. I don't know. What do you think?

PETE KOEHLER

# **MAY Meeting**

It was a nice spring evening with a nice showing of cars and great company of friends.

We currently have 136 paid members and 9 who owe dues.

Ken P let us know he would like to see more articles and/or pictures for the Aircooler.

Treasury report we have \$7554.42 in our account.

Activities ~ May 18th- 20th Grand Opening Corvair Museum in Decatur, Il, June 2nd the Plunkett Estate in London, Canada car show, June 16th the Aircooled show at Gilmore, June 17th Eyes on Design, June 23 & 24th Sloan at Crossroad Village and June 24th Wings n Wheels at Yankee Air Museum.

Swap 'n' sell Clark showed us these really cool glass coffee and beer mugs that were etched with a Corvair on them. A friend of Joann's has them for sale. Pete C has DACC plates for \$5. John has calendars \$5.

Currently there are 274 people registered for Back to Bricks June 8th to 13th. This is up from the previous year. It sounds like it is going to be a great trip.

Our 50/50 winner of \$87 goes to Robert and Attendance went to Ruth.

Now off to go get ice cream!!

Lori Komora ~~ Secretary

# **Board Meeting Minutes**

Marvin, Bill, Casey, John O, Ken, Bob, John A and Lori in attendance.

We have been doing research on getting some DACC signage to place out for display at car shows. Bill is going to get back with us the cost.

For homecoming it was recommended if we do get someone to do the Road Rally that we move up the time to get everyone back earlier for the auction. If we do this we have to have the voting time to end earlier before they leave for the road rally. If we can't get someone to do the Rally it was suggested we come up with a nice cruise drive somewhere. Also we are going to have at the meetings Homecoming fliers and T-Shirt order forms.

Woodward Dream Cruise we agree to buy 5 spots again and sell them to the group.

We will be ordering business cards with our web site and facebook info on them.

We are having better luck with the Aircooler online version. John indicated that he heard back from 15 people indicating they did not receive it. But most ended up finding it in their spam box.

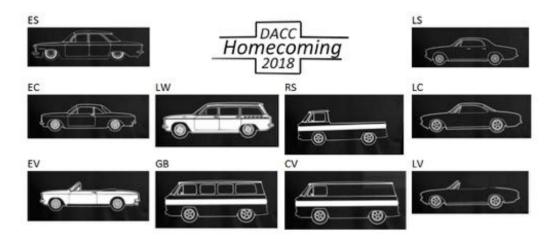
During the meetings Bill is going to go around during the meetings talking with all to help recruit new board members for next year.

Lori Komora ~~ Secretary



MY SHORT CAR IS SHORTER THAN YOUR SHORT CAR owner unknown

# DACC Homecoming T-Shirts Only \$20



ES	Car C	LS	
Early Sedan			Late Sedan
EC	LW	RS	LC
Early Coupe	Lakewood/Wagon	Loadside/Rampside	Late Coupe
EV	GB	CV	LV
Early Convertible	Greenbrier	Corvan	Late Convertible

Order Your DACC Homecoming Shirts! Pick up at Homecoming Check-In - \$20 each.

# Payment in full Required by Aug 1

Make checks payable to DACC. Mail to Bob Wittmann 2830 Treyburn Ln., West Bloomfield, MI 48234

Name	Phone
E-mail	

Quantity	Car Choice See 2-Letter Codes Above!	Style Women's V- Neck Men's Crew Neck	Size SMLXL 2X3X	Color White Shirt w/ Black Print Black Shirt w/ White Print	Total \$20 each

Total:





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39th DACC Homecoming Featuring

GM Heritage Center August 23 -26, 2018

THURSDAY Registration 2 - 6

> Ken Pepke's World Class Hospitality Room 2-6 Corvair Museum, Firehouse Museum and Cruise

Swap Meet set up & Car Care Clinic

FRIDAY Registration 8 am - 6 pm

Ken Pepke's World Class Hospitality Room

Women's Activities as posted: GM Heritage Center (\$10 extra)

Valve Cover Races

Swap Meet // Car Care Clinic // Tech Session

Cook Out / Pionic

Drive In Movie (Circumstances Permitting)

SATURDAY

Ken Pepke's World Class Hospitality Room

People's Choice Car Show, Model & Toy Show

Swap Meet // Car Care Clinic // Tech Session

Women's Activities as posted

Registration 9 am - 2 pm

Live Auction // '50 - 70's' Vintage dress up

Pizza Party

Winner announced for FREE room this weekend

Calendar Winners 'Drive Thru' Show

Total Enclosed \$

Wine & Cheese Event (\$10 extra) Hotel guests only

SUNDAY Leftovers, Farewell

Cruisin Hines Dr. - Classics Only

For additional information contact PETE CIMBALA

810-621-9866 or 810-241-8593 Email: hcinfo@detroitcorvairs.com

REGISTER ON LINE Detroitcorvairs com-

Stay informed go to our Facebook page Detroit Area Corvair Club

Hotel location for most activities: COMFORT INN of PLYMOUTH 40455 Ann Arbor Rd. Plymouth, MI 48170 Phone: 734-455-8100

The Board of Directors for the DACC reserve the right to reject applications at their discretion

When making your reservations, be sure to mention "CORVAIR EVENT" to receive the special room rate of \$89 plus tax, per night. The \$89 special rate also includes Thursday night.

Fill in the form below and mail with check payable to DACC: DACC: one Bob Wiltenann 2530 Treyburn Ln., West Bloomfield, MI 45254 SANS CUT HERES

#### DACC HOMECOMING REGISTRATION NAME (for name tag) Additional Names Address E-mail Phone (\_\_\_\_) Car Year (x) and Model (s) 2 or 4 Door \_\_\_ Did you drive your Corveir here? Yes / No — if yes how many miles \_\_\_\_\_ REGISTRATION COST. SINGLE \$35.00 FAMILY \$50.00 (family consists of 2 adults and children under 21). \$ How many will be attending? Adults \_\_\_\_\_ Under 21\_\_\_\_\_ One Registration Pack per Individual or Family GM Heritage Tour Yes Cost is \$10 per person No How many tickets needed \_\_\_\_\_ \$\_\_\_\_\_ Additional cars \$5 each (1" car is included) How many cars \_\_\_\_\_ \$ Swap space Yes \$10 for each space No How many spaces needed 5 Wine & Cheese Event Yes Cost is \$10 per person No How many tickets needed \$ Calendar \$10 (1<sup>st</sup> calendar is included) How many extra calendars \$ T-Shirts See attached sheet for cost and options MUST by paid by Aug T" Take a chance to get your room at Comfort Inn this weekend for free \$5 each ticket. How many tickets wanted \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ \$\_\_\_\_ If payment is received by August 7th subtract \$5.00 from total for early registration discount

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## DACC MEMBERSHIP REPORT

MAY 15, 2018 by John Allesee

**New members:** Mike Anstine.

Thanks for keeping membership up to date: Duve.

Euesden, Grahovac, Hartzel, Monk, O'Leary, Reisig,

Roerink, Rollins.

Due in Mar.: Sheffer.

**Due in Apr.:** Blhum, Kay Graham, Kurt Graham, Shultz,

**Due in May:** Ambrozy, Beaver, Joachim, Lehman, Menzing,

Poskie.

**Due in June:** Chapman

Due in July: Debbrecht, Dehring, Kinsman, Pepke, Piche,

Thomas, Vellner, Williams.

**Due in August:** Dailey, Eichstaedt, Greer, Guy, Hairsine, Chris Hand, Komora, Lagasse, Morenski, Newton, Norwalk, Owens, Rollo, Shepherd, Lewis Smith, Urbain, Vadovich.

We have 130 paid members and 12 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,

John Allesee – DACC P. O. Box 549 Saline, MI 48176-0549

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 membership@detroitcorvairs.com phone (734) 216-3332

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.

#### AIRCOOLER SUBMISSION DEADLINE

**17**th

## MAY TREASURY REPORT

Casey Schesky, Treasurer

# SELL & SWAP

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

Wanted: - For 1965 Corsa - rear cove, lower, horizontal moulding in good condition. Don Eichstaedt, 248-552-8030/email: done28@comcast.net (JUNE)

**FOR SALE:** Little Blue Baby '60, first one delivered to Canada (Christmas Eve 1959) recent work done on the engine, gas tank, heater and wiring to the heat vent and blower controls, brakes + more. New brake lines, gas tank and gaskets, battery, five tires and more — http://www.heirloomartstudio.com/ 1960corvair800sédanforsale.html —\$2,000.00. Yes, I am negotiable....within ridiculous limits.

Time is of the essence.

FOR SALE: I am a new member from the SOO. 65 CORSA conv. view on CL under Northern Michigan.

Jeff Wise (May)

FOR SALE: 64 Monza Burgundy/Blk. 2 dr. PG. A/C Florida, no rust. old repaint & orig. int. tint glass. Brake & fuel system work + many new parts. \$7000 Mike DePetla 1-248-652-7199 Rochester, MI -- Incls (April) big box parts

**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 OBO ALSO: 61 Monza 4 dr pg – eng apart – gold & gold int \$500 OBO 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

**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)

## 2018 DACC CALENDARS

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

### The AIRCOOLER

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**FIRST CLASS** 



Activity	Location	Dates
Helen Spring Fest	Helen GA	Apr 27-18
Corvair Museum	Decatur, IL	May 18-20
Ft. Wayne	Ft. Wayne, IN	June 2-3
Fleetwood Country Cruize-In	London, ON, CA	June 2-3
Back to the Bricks Promo Tour	Various	June 8-13
Gilmore Air Cooled Gathering	Hickory Corners, MI	June 16
Eyes on Design	Grosse Pointe Shorse, MI	June 17
Sloan Auto Fair	Flint Crossroads Village	June 23-24
Ann Arbor Rolling Sculpture	Ann Arbor	July 13
Corsa National	Pittsburgh, PA	July 23-28
Concourse d'Lemons	Plymouth, MI	July 28
Gilmore Red Barn Spectacular	Hickory Corners, MI	Aug 4
Berkley Cruise Fest (reg by 29Jun)	Berkley, MI	Aug 17
Back to the Bricks Main Event	Flint, MI	Aug 17-18
Woodward Dream Cruise	Woodward!	Aug 18
DACC Homecoming	Plymouth, MI	Aug 23-26
Hines Drive Cruse	Hines Drive	Aug 26
Orphan Car Show	Ypsilanti, MI	Sept 16
Michigan Antique Festival	Davisburg, MI	Oct 6-7

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Thanks, John Allesee

#### MECHANICAL REPAIRS / BODY WORK:

#### PARTS AND SERVICES

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Mike McKeel - Mechanical Repairs / Parts & Tech Advice (734) 485-2729 vaircare67@gmail.com Clark's Corvair parts 400 Mohawk Trail, Shelburne Falls, MA. 01370 (413) 625-9776

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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