



REAR ENGINE REVIEW AUGUST 2018

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There was a Corvair at the North Idaho Classics Open Car Show in Post falls!

The **Rear Engine Review** is a monthly publication of the **INLAND NORTHWEST CORVAIR CLUB**, chapter 990 of the CORVAIR SOCIETY OF AMERICA (CORSA). Letters, articles, experiences, technical information, humor, and recipes are welcome. Please submit your material to:

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# http://www.corvairclub.com

All material must be submitted by the twenty-fifth of the current month for inclusion in next month's issue.

The INLAND NORTHWEST CORVAIR CLUB welcomes past, present, and future CORVAIR owners, as well as those who are simply curious about these unique vehicles. We welcome CORVAIRS of every degree of restoration or modification, including other vehicles utilizing CORVAIR components. **CORVAIR ownership is not required!** Club events, dates, times, and locations are published as soon as practical in the **Rear Engine Review**, or on the **club web-site**.

Dues:

CORSA Members	\$13.00/yr.
Non-CORSA Members	\$15.00/yr.
Corsa Membership	\$45.00/yr.

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Club Member (renew after two months)	FREE
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We also welcome commercial advertisements from those supportive of this club, Corvairs, and the automotive hobby. Corvair and other automotive products and services will be given the highest priority, followed by those of a more varied and general nature.

# THE EDITOR'S DESK

By Dave McChesney



Yes, this is really the editor's desk!

I was quite surprised that no current Inland Northwest Corvair Club members participated in the North Idaho Classics Open Car Show in Post Falls this month. This event was scheduled to replace one we used to attend but disliked how it was now being run. I drove over to visit and support members showing cars and get a few pictures for the newsletter but was disappointed to see none there. Due to a former INCC member and passionate Corvair person, one of Chevrolet's rear-engined air-cooled wonder cars was on display. Thanks, Cody.

Remember, if you have news of an event, or have a Corvair story you'd like to share, send it along, and I'll get it in the next REAR ENGINE REVIEW. Pictures of events or of your Corvair are welcome too. Jpeg format is best, but I can work with anything. (Articles or columns from club officers are especially welcome... hint! hint!)

If you have a business, consider an ad in the **Rear Engine Review** for only \$20 a year. While Corvair and automotive related businesses have priority, ads are not limited to these categories



# IT'S NEVER TOO LATE!

If you have pictures or other information about Corvair or automotive events from the past, feel free to forward to the editor. He will do his utmost to include them, regardless of how long ago the activity occurred.

# **CLUB BUSINESS CARDS**

Contact INLAND NORTHWEST CORVAIR CLUB Web-master Dave Fender for business cards with the new club logo on them. They have a place where you can add your contact information. I think the small return address labels are small enough to fit in the area provided.



The front of the card looks like this.

# **TREASURER's REPORT**



Submitted by Dave McChesney

Since our last report, a statement from the credit union revealed a difference of  $1\phi$  in the estimated and actual amount of dividends paid. Thus are current balances are, Checking, \$93.65, Savings \$1168.06 (was shown as \$1168.07), and a total worth of \$1261.71(was shown to be \$1261.72). INCC membership is \$15.00 per year. CORSA members pay \$13.00 for INCC membership.

Payment of one year's dues extends membership one year from your current date of expiration or one year from the date payment is received. We will waive payment of back dues, unless you wish to pay them. We simply want those on the roster to be current in their dues.

If you are dropped and want to continue as a member, please contact a club officer and forward your dues. We'd love to have you back with us!

Please send check or money order

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or bring payment to a future club event.

If you no longer wish to be a part of the Inland Northwest Corvair Club, please contact a Club Officer and let him/her know.

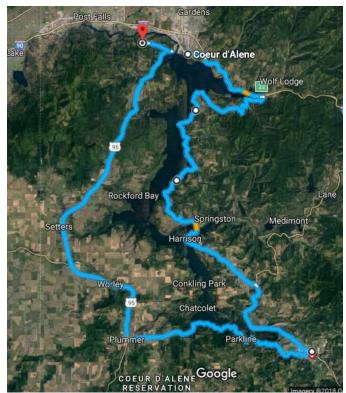
The club's Post Office Box is checked weekly and funds received are deposited during the following week.

# UP NEXT!! A Cruise/Drive Around Lake Coeur d'Alene

On Sunday August 5<sup>th</sup>, we'll meet at Craig's and depart at 10:00 am to drive down the east side of the lake with a stop at the new lodge at Carlin Bay. After lunch in St. Maries we'll return by way of the lake's west side. Let's plan on a wonderful day with lots of sunshine and plenty of stops.

Directions to Craig's:

From I 90, take Hwy 95 south, cross the Spokane River bridge, and take the second right at Upriver Drive, Go 2.5 miles (no turns; road changes name to Highland Dr.) to 5615 and the Lighted Moose on the right side.



A map showing our planned trip around the lake



The Lodge at Carlin Bay

# POST FALLS CAR SHOW

On Saturday July 21<sup>st</sup> North Idaho Classics put on an open car show in Post Falls Idaho. The event took place near the old Greyhound Park, in the parking lot of the Factory Outlet Mall and Tedder Industries. The site was easily reached from Interstate 90 and allowed for easy parking of those coming to view but not participate in the event.

While there had been several events the evening before, your reporter was on scene

during the middle of the day. As noted above, he discovered that getting to the show and finding a place to park was very easy. By the early afternoon there was a good crowd on hand wandering among a variety of vehicles. Some were rare, immaculately restored mechanical creations, and some appeared to be in the show due to owner pride.

Food and drink were available at booths at the west end of the parking lot.



Perhaps the most unusual and imaginative vehicle was this self-propelled manure spreader. It is the creation of an area machine shop.



A view down one row of the cars on display



Late model Corvair belonging to Cody Hurley. This was the only Corvair there.



This 1915 Dodge (if remembered correctly) was described as a "Barn Find!"

#### **REAR ENGINE REVIEW**



STOCK TRUCK complete with dents and dings.

#### **MEMORIAL SERVICE**

The family of late Inland Northwest Corvair Club member Jim Hoffman is planning a Memorial/Celebration of Life for him on Saturday the 11<sup>th</sup> of August at the Quality Inn, Oakwood, 7919 N. Division St., Spokane, Washington, from 1 to 4 pm.



Jim's convertible at Craig's for the fall 2016 Tech-n-Tune

## **CRUISE NIGHTS**

This has been updated in accordance with the 2018 Calendar of Events from the Inland Northwest Car Club Council.

If you go, contact fellow INCC members and invite them along. Please send pictures and/or written descriptions for our newsletter.

#### Monday

Paul Bunyan 8625 N. Government Way, Hayden, ID

#### Tuesday

Cinderella Nights (June-Aug) Red Lion Templins, Post Falls, ID

Tall Pine Drive In 203 N Division St., Pinehurst, ID

Zip's Drive Inn 12218 N market St., Mead, WA

#### Wednesday

Clayton Drive In Hwy 395 & Railroad Ave., Clayton, WA

Paul Bunyan 13735 Hwy 53, Rathdrum, ID

Paul Bunyan 30340 Hwy 200, Ponderay, ID

Steer Inn 7920 N Division St., Spokane, WA

Thursday Prime Tyme Bar & Grill Hwy 2 & Westwood, Chattaroy, WA

Ron's Drive Inn 12502 E. Sprague Ave., Spokane Valley, WA

#### Friday

Monitor Hot Rod Cafe 2960 Easy St., Wenatchee, WA

Zip's Drive Inn 1005 S. Main St., Deer Park, WA

#### 2018/2019 EVENT SCHEDULE

This is it, folks! As always, we will be fine tuning as time goes along.

**AUGUST** Sunday 5<sup>th</sup> Cruise/Drive around Lake Coeur d'Alene

Saturday 11<sup>th</sup> Memorial/Celebration of Life for Jim Hoffman

#### SEPTEMBER

Saturday 15<sup>th</sup> Palouse Days Car Show, Palouse, WA

**OCTOBER** Saturday (TBA) Cider Fest hosted by the Connolleys

NOVEMBER

Open

DECEMBER

INCC Christmas/Holiday Party at Prohibition Gastro-Pub.

2019 (Looking ahead)

**JANUARY** Begin planning future events?

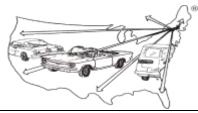
### FEBRUARY

Inland Northwest Car Club Council's "Show no Shine" event Continue planning future events?

## MARCH

Continue planning?

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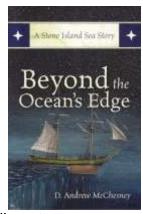


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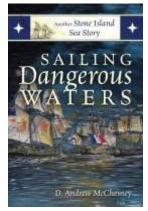
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# **CORVAIR FOR SALE**



1962 Corvair Convertible Completely rebuilt! Everything new. (Has some paint problems) Asking \$11,000 Located in Spokane area

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