

The Four Wheel Independent

2018



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VP Ramblings

Submitted by
John Johnson



Another month of summer is gone. I would not be completely honest if I said I was sad. On the contrary, I am a little glad to see it go. Fall has to be better than this past summer has been. As I was preparing the '65 Corvair for Corvair Day last week, I realized that this had been only the second time the car had been moved this season. The '64 didn't fare a whole lot better. I probably was out cruising only 2 or 3 times since Ron Hash got it running this Spring. The rain did not want to stop. One week we got 10 inches of rain at my house, yes I said **ONE WEEK**. So I again say, good-bye summer, **Welcome Fall**.

I must say that each of the 4 or so times I went to the station to get gas (ethanol free) I made new friends. I am amazed that so many people have great memories of this car. I am always getting "thumbs-up" from passing drivers and cannot help but to notice the very large smiles on their faces. By the way, I just mentioned ethanol free gas. I get it at

the local Royal Farm Store. It is 90 octane and is more expensive than 93 octane, but I am sold on it for my Corvairs and lawn mowers. I haven't had to use any fuel stabilizer since I began using the ethanol free and my carbs thank me.

Switching gears a little, I want to share some thoughts on Corvair Day. I spent several hours on the day before, cleaning and preparing the car for the show and she looked great. Would you believe it, I left that morning in the rain. I had either showers or wet roads until I reached the outskirts of Hershey. Needless to say, I spent my first hour re-cleaning the car before the show began. Other than that, the weather cooperated that day. It was a little cool and cloudy, but **RAIN FREE!** I got home about 7:00 PM that evening, still dry, but Sunday morning it was raining again. Hurry Fall!

What a great day at Hershey. I talked to several owners, sharing stories and swapping information. What a nice

gathering of people. There were 24 cars representing early and late coupes, sedans, convertibles and vans. The only models missing were early sedans and trucks. I had a nice conversation with a lady who worked at the AACA Museum. She loved my '65 Evening Orchid. Her father had one exactly like it right down to black interior, 4-speed and 140 engine. She was practically in tears as she talked about her father and his Evening Orchid '65. The sight of the car brought back a flood of memories of her childhood. It made her day.

Before I finish, I want to congratulate Bruce Culp for winning the Dick Peris Trophy. Bruce personifies what makes our hobby what it is. He comes to monthly meetings, participates in cruises, car shows, and Corvair special events. He is always upbeat and can always be counted on by the Club. He does all this, lives the farthest away, and drives his Corvair to everything. Thank you Bruce you deserve this award! *End-*

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The Corvair Society
of America
(CORSA)

“Founded in 1969 by and for those who still appreciate the Corvair automobile”

Central Pennsylvania Corvair Club strongly encourages all members to become members of the Corvair Society of America (CORSA). Anyone with a fondness of the Corvair automobile will benefit from CORSA membership. In addition, we will all benefit by maintaining a strong national presence to lobby our interests and organize our collective purposes.

PLEASE do not overlook the potential value of a CORSA membership. Try it out. Your first year will cost only \$45. If you share our enthusiasm for these superbly engineered and styled cars, why not join our Society today? Domestic dues are only \$45 for 1 year/ \$90 for 26 months (two months free!) We are sure you will find it a worthy and rewarding investment!

Visit: <https://www.corvair.org/index.php/documents> to register online.

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Do we have your
birthday and
wedding
anniversary dates?
We'd love to share
your special day(s)
with other club
members.

Send information to
Carol at lcl@pa.net.



- Jim & Karen Butt
- Al & Joan Roesner
- Dave & Ellen Smith
- Larry & Donna Yoder



October 6 -7 & 13-14 Annual Apple Harvest, Arendtsville, PA (see page 6 for additional information.)

October 10-13 Antique Automobile Club of America Eastern Regional Fall Meet at Hershey Park and the Giant Center in Dauphin County, 550 W. Hershey Park Drive, Hershey. More than 9,000 flea market spaces, 1,000 corral spaces and approximately 1,500 show cars. Car corral and flea market open each day at 7am. Info: www.hersheyaca.org.

October 13 Motor Menders 2018 Cruise Nights at The Bobcat Creamery, 117 S. Main St., Manchester, PA 4-8pm. All vehicles welcome. Dash Plaques, 3 trophies, 50/50 drawing, Oldies Music. Rain date is the following Saturday. Visit motormendersrodandcustom.com.

October 15 The Dillsburg Farmers Fair (see information below on this page.)

October 26 Motor Members Rod & Custom 2018 Cruise Nights at the Markets At Shrewsbury Susquehanna Trail. 4-8pm.

November 3 Motor Members Rod & Custom 2018 Cruise Nights at the Markets At Shrewsbury, Susquehanna Trail. 4-8pm. Toys for the Keddies, \$10 or a new \$10 toy, benefits local Charity.

The Dillsburg Community Fair Association presents...

**THE 103RD ANNUAL
DILLSBURG FARMERS FAIR
OCTOBER 15-20, 2018**



Where we celebrate the rural heritage that is still alive and strong in our area. Many activities are held during the week. Go to the website below for additional details on the weeks events.

The Antique Car Show portion will be held on the Saturday, October 20th, from 8:00 a.m. to 2:30 p.m. at which time a drawing for door prizes will be held.



Cars will be paraded down Baltimore Street.

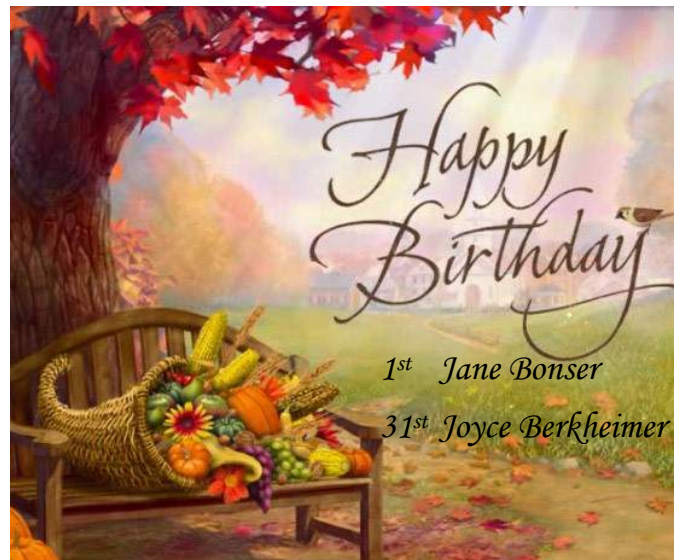
All cars should enter the show via Golf Course Road. Take US Rt. 15 to Golf Course Road (at Sunoco gas station) - northbound turn right, southbound turn left. Go to the stop sign and turn left onto Baltimore Street and proceed to the registration table. Traffic coming north on Rt. 194 and Rt. 74 continue straight onto Baltimore Street. For more information visit:

<http://www.dillsburgfarmersfair.org>



A very special Thank You to all who donated to the Corvair Day Bake Sale. It was a great success. This wouldn't have happened without you!

*Sincerely,
Carol Trimper*



1st Jane Bonser

31st Joyce Berkheimer

Do you know why October 2nd is so special to Corvair owners?

October 2nd was the official launch day and will be National Drive Your Corvair to Work Day this fall.

DEADLINE

Newsletter Articles Are Due 20th of Each Month

Secretary Minutes for September 2018

Submitted by Earl Holmes



- The meeting was called to order by our President, JOHN Berkheimer.
 - ◆ Corvair topics discussed:
 - ◇ JOHN stated the Jim and Linda Enfield would not be at the meeting due to some medical issues, however, they will be at Corvair Day,
 - ◇ Most of the meeting was the finalization of items for Corvair Day,
 - ◇ Jim and Linda Enfield will be taking care of the registration,
 - ◇ We will be awarding five trophies for show class and three trophies for the driver class,
 - ◇ The Scavenger Hunt will be from 11:00 A.M. - 2:00 P.M., and
 - ◇ The menu for the banquet has been set. our meal choice is cordon bleu or roast beef. Mashed potatoes, green beans, and salad also comes with the meal. Dessert choices will be ice cream or rice pudding. Coffee and soda are included with the meal.
 - ◆ JOHN took the opportunity to introduce a possible new member, Randy March, who was attending his first meeting.
 - ◆ There was a discussion regarding the overnight trip that is scheduled for October. Additional details will be provided later.
 - ◆ The winner of this months 50/50 drawing was Dave Steigauf. Dave donated his winning back to the club's treasury. Thank you Dave.

• **Announcements**

- ◆ The next meeting will be held October 9th at the Hoss's Restaurant in York.

• **Attendees**

John and Sandy Johnson	Rich and Cindy Heister	Duane and Jacquie Aldrich
Ron and Betty Hash	Dave and Sally Fullerton	Bruce Culp
Steve Sabaka	John Berkheimer	Lou Trimper
Keith Kahwajy	Dave Steigauf	Randy March
Earl Holmes		

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HAPPY ANNIVERSARY

Tom & Becky Zinn
 October 9th



October 6-7 & 13-14,
2018

South Mountain
Fairgrounds
On Route 234
Arendtsville, PA

Admission

All admission tickets include parking in one of several parking fields and shuttle bus or wagon service to the festival grounds. Also included in admission price is all live entertainment, attractions, exhibits and orchard bus tours.

- General (12+) - \$10
- Seniors (60+) - \$9
- Military w/ ID - \$9 (at gate)
- Two-Day Flex Admission (12+) - \$17
- Kids under 12 - FREE

Admission may be purchased online or at the gate. Payment methods accepted online: All major credit cards. Payment methods accepted at the gate: cash or all major credit cards. | Two-Day Flex Admission is valid once per day, on two separate days of the festival in 2018.

As the festival is held outdoors (rain or shine), there are no refunds available. At times, traffic can get a bit congested. We thank you for your patience as you travel to enjoy our festival and the beauty of apple country.



Location

The National Apple Harvest Festival is located in scenic Adams County, in South Central Pennsylvania at the South Mountain Fairgrounds in Arendtsville, which is located just 10 miles northwest of Gettysburg.

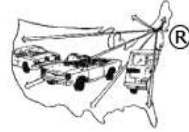


Festival - Hours

The festival is held the first two full weekends in October. The festival is open from **8 am to 6 pm daily**, rain or shine!

For additional information visit: <http://www.appleharvest.com/festival-information.html>

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Capitol City Cruisers

ANNUAL SPRING
CAR, TRUCK & MOTORCYCLE SHOW
SATURDAY, APRIL 27th, 2019



CROSSPOINT CHURCH
430 COLONIAL ROAD
HARRISBURG PA 17109



1st LIGHT PAST BOSCOV'S, TURN LEFT

9:00 am - 12:00 noon
12:00 noon - 12:30 pm
1:00 pm

CAR REGISTRATION
PARTICIPANT JUDGING
AWARDS



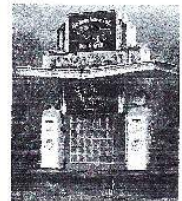
\$12 PRE-REGISTRATION by APRIL 13th / \$15 DAY OF THE SHOW
Participants are asked to bring a food donation
Dash Plaques for FIRST 75 Vehicles
Participants Judging for TOP 20 Cars, Trucks & Motorcycles including
BEST OF SHOW, PASTOR'S CHOICE, CLUB PRESIDENT'S CHOICE
(Capitol City Cruisers members ONLY are NOT judged for awards.)

50/50 RAFFLE, DOOR PRIZES, & \$100.00 DRAWING FOR PRE-REGISTERED VEHICLES

and
our **1st** SATURDAY
at the

Roadhouse

Continues in 2019 starting April 6th
4-7pm - 2nd Saturday is the rain date



Corvair Day

and

the

winners

are...

The Four-Wheel Independent



Jacquie Aldrich 50/50 Winner



Rick Sanford



Joyce Berkheimer



Dave Smith



Mary Anne Stamm



Jim Enfield



William Garrison



Joe Bradley



Bruce Culp wins
Dick Peris Trophy



Jim Butt



Dave Steigauf



Dave Marsh



John Johnson



Ron Hash



Lou Trimper



Paul Passini



(L to R):
Robert Spor
Marlene Passini: Scavenger Hunt
Bill Bickle was our sound person
for the day.

More photos

from Corvair

Day



What a
Great
Day!



Corvair Day Answers Are...

Many that participated in the Corvair Day Scavenger Hunt was interested in finding out the answers. Here you go...

QUESTION:

1. What captured Motor Trend's car of the year award in its debut season?
2. What was done to every Coca Cola bottle?
3. What is the winner of the most AACA awards?
4. Who donated the 1930's scene?
5. What was the sale at the gas station?
6. How many years between the oldest and the newest Mustangs on display in the museum?
7. What was the brand of the deep fryer at the drive-in?
8. How many pilot "pony" cars were built?
9. What Mustang color was discontinued after 1964 and re-introduced in 2010?
10. How long is the "Mother Road?"
11. Who are Vince and Larry?
12. Who awarded the Mustang the Award of Excellence for beauty and design?
13. What was the purpose of the Pedal Car?
14. "Don't go to war with bad ___."
15. What change happened at the American gas pumps during World War II?
16. Besides animals and cigarettes, what else was a camel?
17. What has the slogan "no tools required?"
18. What was the early form of navigation?
19. Who was the mural artist for the AACA Museum?
20. Why were reproduction Tuckers made?
21. What are the true Tucker colors?
22. How many real Tucker cars are on display in the museum?
23. How many license plates make up the Harley Davidson License plate on display?
24. Who named AACA Museum one of the 12 Best Automotive Museums in the U.S.?
25. What is a Red Bug?
26. How many cars on display are on the National Vehicle Register?
27. When was "National Mustang Day" this year?
28. When was the 50th Anniversary of the Mustang?
29. What two cars had the same price?
30. What does the number 3JK9 represent?
31. How many seats does the Scranton to Wilkes-Barre bus have?
32. What was the longest running bus builder in PA and how long?
33. What were HPO's and when and where was the final run?

ANSWER:

- The Square Bird
 Sterilized
 1924 Model T Ford
 Calvin and Janet High
 \$2.58
 1964-2012 = 48 years
 Starmaster
 15
 Grabber Blue
 2448
 Crash test dummies
 Tiffany & Co.
 To provide a child with enjoyment
 Tires
 There were women
 Rubber Repair Kit
 The Monkey Link
 A Map
 Victoria Goodhart
 For the film—Tucker: The Man and his Dream
 Red, White, Black, and Gold
 2
 15
 Road & Truck
 2-Passenger Electric Car
 2
 April 17, 2018
 2014
 1963 Avanti and Ford Thunderbird
 GMTDH-5101
 School bus license plate
 38 w/driver
 Mack - 55 years
 Highway Post Office



Share Your Memories about Sandy!

Do you have some fond memories or personal experience you would like to share about Sandy? We would love to hear from you. We are gathering special memories from everyone to share in a "Tribute to Sandy" memorial newsletter. Send to Carol at lcl@pa.net by October 31, 2018.

SCAVANGER HUNT *(continued from page 8)*

QUESTION:

35. What is the TA Conductor number?
36. What bus line had "Safety for 17 years?"
37. What unconventional auto got its 1st Junior in 1990?
38. When did MCI celebrate 75 years?
39. What is the bus that was restored and became the mascot for Trailways?
40. What is the combined fare for the "Wilkes-Barre and S.P. Depot?"
41. What is forbidden by law on buses?
42. What bus has wicker seating and where were the seats made?
43. What are the permit numbers for Flolnn Café?
44. What meaning does the #582 have to the Flolnn Café?
45. What uniform has an orange on it?
46. What company merged with Harley-Davidson in 1960 and what did they produce?
47. What does UJM stand for?
48. Who was successful in making the first Jeep?
49. What vehicle has "Brembo Brakes?"
50. What vehicle has 30 miles on it?
51. What vehicle has a trunk and only 3 miles on the odometer?
52. The clutchless transmission freed up the left hand of the rider...allowing what *and* What bike was used?
53. Work, play, home or away... Which is the way to go?
54. What is below the museum parking lot?

ANSWER:

- Cleveland & Cincinnati 6/30/74
81949
Greyhound
1965 Chev. Corvair Monza Coupe
June 2008
1924 White "Little Red"
30
Unnecessary Conversation with operator
1927 Fageol "Spokane" Lancaster Co by
an Amish Craftsman
3320 and 82
Safe Unit Number
Florida Highway Patrol
Aermacchi, M-50
Universal Japanese Motorcycle
Bantam
2007 Moto Guzzi
1962 Honda "Baby Dream"
1953 Horex w/sidecar
Mail Delivery
1973 Honda "The Postie"
The new Lambretta
Geothermal heat pump system

End-

Quick Message from the President

Submitted by
JOHN Berkheimer



Corvair Day 2018:

- We had 24 cars registered with 12 People's Choice awards given out. Fifty percent of cars received trophies.
- Seven people signed up for the Scavenger Hunt with four returning with their best guesses on answers.
 - ◆ We gave three awards with the top winner answering 37 correct out of 53 questions.
- There were 14 that attended the banquet.
- The Bake Sale went very well and the baked goods were very good.
- Dave Steingauf did great job selling the 50/50 tickets.
- We could have sold more chances on the VISA card.
- I am not sure of final figures. We may have broken even, lost a little or made a little. All I know for sure right now is we all had a great time.

Thanks to everyone that attended and helped make the day a success.



Did You Know...

Almost 2 million Corvairs were made during their 1960-69 run, including 2- & 4-door models, convertibles, station wagons, pickups, and passenger vans.

Sunday October 21, 2018



Witches & Goblins Car Cruise

Sponsored by the Hershey Region

Education Committee

Sunday October 21, 2018

1:00 - 4:00

Rain or Shine

FREE REGISTRATION

We'll be Awarding Prizes for Halloween Costumes

So be sure to arrive in Your Best Costume

Prizes will be awarded for

Scariest - Best Witch - Most Original

Car with the Most People in Costume

Costumes are Optional

All Collector Cars Welcome

Free Admission

All Years

All Makes - Models - Trucks - Motorcycles

Antique - Classic - Street Rod - Custom - Super Cars - Tuners

Hershey Region Chuck Wagon Lodge

131 Museum Dr.

Hershey, PA. 17033

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Between the Spring Hill Suites and the AACA Museum
Just Show Up!

CENTRAL PENNSYLVANIA CORVAIR CLUB, INC. (C.P.C.C.)

C.P.C.C. is a chapter of "CORSA" (Corvair Society of America). CORSA is a rapidly growing international organization now is boosting over 4000 members and 120 local chapters worldwide.

The C.P.C.C. Chapter has monthly social/family meetings at various locations within the region. Each month you will receive a newsletter announcing the meeting location. The newsletter also contains information about our club members, technical tips, other club activities, auto events, and classified ads.

The club is for the preservation and interest of the Corvair automobile.

We sponsor Corvair shows, rallies, mini conventions, caravans, parties, and dinners. All of our events are for the member's immediate family.

Dues are payable to: Central Pennsylvania Corvair Club (C.P.C.C.)
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403 Dart Drive
Hanover, PA 17331

_____ New Membership is \$ 16.00 per year OR \$ 30.00 for two years.

_____ Renewal of membership is \$ 16.00 OR \$ 30.00 for two years.

_____ Interested in joining CORSA.

Member Name: _____ Spouse Name: _____
First Middle Last First Middle Last

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip Code: _____

Home Phone: _____ Cell Phone: _____ E-Mail: _____

Number of Corvairs owned (if any)

Year: _____ Model: _____ Body Style: _____ Serial Number: _____

Year: _____ Model: _____ Body Style: _____ Serial Number: _____

Member's Birthdate: _____ Spouse's Birthdate: _____
Month Day Month Day

Wedding Anniversary Date: _____
Month Day Year

Child's Name: _____ Birth Date: _____

Child's Name: _____ Birth Date: _____

Recommended By: _____

Any applicant whom is under the age of (18) eighteen, a parent or legal guardian must sign the application.

Applicant: _____ Date: _____
Signature

Parent or Guardian: _____ Date: _____
Signature

Parent or Guardian: _____
Print full name

The Central Pennsylvania Corvair Club (C.P.C.C.) is a non-profit organization dedicated to the preservation of the Corvair and Corvair powered vehicles. We provide knowledge about the Corvair to our members and other car enthusiasts, as well as hold monthly meetings, events, and social gatherings for the enjoyment of our members.

C.P.C.C. is Chapter #170 of the Corvair Society of America (CORSA). Dues for C.P.C.C. are \$16.00 per year or two years for \$30.00, which must be sent in the form of a check or money order payable to "C.P.C.C." and mailed to C.P.C.C. Treasurer, c/o John Berkheimer, 403 Dart Drive, Hanover, PA 17331. It is suggested that C.P.C.C. members also become members of CORSA, the national organization. CORSA dues are \$45.00 per year. Dues may be sent to CORSA, P.O. Box 607, Lemont, IL 60439-0607 or online at <http://members.corvair.org>.

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