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**Note: Membership dues are due July 1<sup>st</sup> 2019 for the 2019-2020 membership year please send to the club address c/o Gary**



**Four and a half Corvairs made the trip to the Geneseo Air Show, had a great parking spot for the event. The air show has everything, plenty of military vehicles, the stunts, parachuters, food, a museum and a lot going on in general. Lots of vintage planes, and other classic cars on hand as well. Thanks go to John Dawley for coming up with this and leading the way to the show.**



## MEMBERSHIP DUES

**Club Membership - \$10.00 per year for e-mail newsletter. \$15 per year for postal newsletter. Dues may be paid at monthly meeting or by mailing to:**

Dick Dahmer 53 Melberry Trail, Orchard Park, NY 14127 Membership year runs from July 1 to June 30.

-----Membership APPLICATION-----

### NIAGARA FRONTIER CORVAIR CLUB

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Niagara Frontier Corvaire Club  
C/O Gary Swiatowy  
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#### A Chartered Chapter of the Corvaire Society of America

President	Pat Murphy	(716) 861-8749
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#### NFCC Events and more!

### NFCC MEETING SCHEDULE

**August 12** Lockport Cruise, Ida Fritz Park, Main at Transit, Lockport

**August 15** Polish Falcon Cruise, 445 Columbia Ave, Depew

**September 10** Pautlers Drive In Cruise, 6343 Transit Rd, East Amherst

**September 18** Church Meeting

For the latest up to date listing of car shows and cruises, go here:

<http://www.showandcruisenews.com/>

Also some selected events:

Aug 7 - ELDERWOOD @ AMHERST CRUISE NIGHT - Elderwood Skilled Nursing @ Amherst, 4459 Bailey Ave, Amherst, NY. 6-8pm. Food & beverage avail, entertainment, dash plaques for first 25 cars, people & residents choice award.

Aug 11 - BUFFALO HISTORY MUSEUM CAR SHOW - 1 Museum Ct. (corner of Nottingham & Elmwood, near Buff State), Buffalo, NY. 9am-3pm. Music, trophies, 50/50, free museum tours, door prizes. INFO: Jim [716-818-8143](tel:716-818-8143)

Aug 14 - ELDERWOOD @ LOCKPORT CRUISE NIGHT - Elderwood Skilled Nursing @ Lockport, 104 Old Niagara Rd, Lockport, NY. 6-8pm. Food & beverage avail, entertainment, dash plaques for first 25 cars, people & residents choice award.

Aug 17 - 21st ANNUAL UAW/GM LOCKPORT BUY AMERICAN CAR SHOW - 200 Upper Mountain Rd. (GM Lockport Operations), Lockport, NY. 9am-4pm. All domestic makes and models welcome. Sponsored by GM Lockport Operations,

Aug 19 - ADRIAN'S CUSTARD & BEEF MONTHLY CRUISE NIGHT - 2352 Grand Island Blvd, Grand Island, NY

Aug 21 - ELDERWOOD @ HAMBURG CRUISE NIGHT - Elderwood Skilled Nursing @ Hamburg, 5775 Maelou Dr, Hamburg, NY. 6-8pm. Food & beverage avail, entertainment, dash plaques for first 25 cars, people & residents choice award.

Aug 24 - 8th ANNUAL MOUNT ST. MARY ACADEMY SUPER CRUISE - Mount St. Mary Academy, 3756 Delaware Ave., Kenmore, NY. Gates open & Reg. 11am. Awards 3:30pm.

Dash plaque, goodie bag, T-shirt to 1st 100 cars. Free coffee & breakfast for driver & pass. Pizza taste off. Chiavettas chicken BBQ. Sponsored by Mount St. Mary Academy. INFO: Joe 716-240-1471\_

Aug 25 - HARTLAND VOL. FIRE CO. CAR SHOW & CHICKEN BBQ - Hartland Fire Hall, 8945 Ridge Rd, (Rt. 104), Gasport, NY. 9am-3:30pm. Awards, dash plaques, burnout comp, food, music. INFO: Carolyn [716-425-3318](tel:716-425-3318),

Aug 25 - TOY TOWN CAR SHOW (on Main St) - Main St. (Rt. 20 A), East Aurora, NY. Reg 9am to noon at Moose Lodge – 905 Main St. Awards 4pm. Show judging by AACA judges. INFO: Chuck [716-254-3926](tel:716-254-3926).

Aug 29 - END OF SUMMER HOT DOG ROAST & CRUISE - McAuley Residence (behind Kenmore Mercy Hospital), 1503 Military Rd, Kenmore, NY. 5-7pm. Dash plaques (1st 25 cars), residents choice award, hot dog-chips-beverage for cruisers. Rain date Sept. 5. Sponsored by Catholic Health System.

Sept 1 - 36th ANNUAL AUTUMN SPORTS CLASSIC CAR SHOW- Como Lake Park Casino, 2220 Como Park Blvd., Lancaster, NY. 9am-4pm. Open to all cars. hosted by the Buffalo Octagon Assoc. Lots of classes, judging by popular vote and starts at noon. Dash plaques to the first 125 entrants, trophies awarded by 4pm. Free to the public, fee for those entering a car. Food & beverages available, games ,door prizes, 50/50 split raffle, Chinese auction. Larry [716-632-9001](tel:716-632-9001), [www.buffalomg.com](http://www.buffalomg.com).

SENECA – West Seneca Town Hall, 1250 Union Rd, West Seneca, NY. 9am-4pm. Sponsored by West Seneca Police Benevolent Association, West Seneca, NY. Sponsored by Chamber of Commerce. INFO: Jim [716-675-5395](tel:716-675-5395)

Sept 4 - ELDERWOOD @ CHEEKTOWAGA CRUISE NIGHT - Elderwood Skilled Nursing @ Cheektowaga, 225 Bennett Rd, Cheektowaga, NY. 6-8pm. Food & beverage available, entertainment, dash plaques for first 25 cars, people & residents choice award.

Sept 7 - BUFFALO LAUNCH CLUB ANTIQUE CAR & BOAT SHOW - Buffalo Launch Club, 503 E. River Rd, Grand Island, NY. 9am-4pm. Sponsored by Niagara Frontier Antique Classic Boat Society. INFO: Jim [716-675-5395](tel:716-675-5395).

Sept 11 - ELDERWOOD @ WILLIAMSVILLE CRUISE NIGHT - Elderwood Skilled Nursing @ Williamsville, 5271 Main St, Williamsville, NY. 6-8pm. Food & beverage available, entertainment. Dash plaques for first 25 cars.

Sept 14 - AKRON 17th ANNUAL SUPER CRUISE CAR & CRAFT SHOW (on Main St.) - Akron, NY. 9am-4pm. Sponsored by Akron Chamber of Commerce. INFO: [www.akronchamber.com](http://www.akronchamber.com)

Sept 15 - 12th ANNUAL “KIWANIS” CAR CRUISE - Pembroke Town Park, Rt. 77 (near Rt. 5), Pembroke, NY. Reg 9am. Show 11am-4pm. Food, music, basket raffle. Sponsored by Pembroke, Corfu, Darien Kiwanis. INFO: John [716-937-9918](tel:716-937-9918).

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## NFCC MEETNG MINUTES

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For our July 15th meeting we met at Adrian's on Gland Island. Good weather and we had a large turn-out. Those in attendance, in addition to myself, were:

Gary Swiatowy  
Pat Murphy  
Joe Grafasi  
Dick Dahmer  
Bill Gworek  
Pat Pilon  
Joe Pendolino  
Angelo Rizzo  
Tom Koprevich

### Treasurers report:

Dick Dahmer advised we have 22 paid members as of July 15th and read-off the Balance on hand.

### Old Business:

No old business was discussed

### New Business:

Planning will take place for a tech session in September after the main cruise season is over.

Details to follow.

I hope everyone had a good July and we will be seeing you in August.

John Dawley

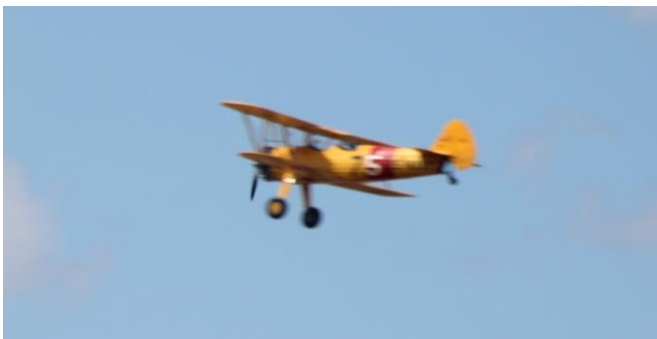
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Last month I posted pictures of Eric Holz's Greenbrier which he had painted. I did point out he had forgotten to paint the roof. Eric says he hates ladders, but worked through it and now it is fully painted. Looks Good!



Many things to see and do at the air show!



More event pictures from the air show can be found here:  
<https://www.flickr.com/photos/89344545@N08/albums/72157709651531522>



**Adrian's Super Cruise and NFCC meeting!**



**Pat Pilon brought his Studebaker President.**





**Adrian's Super Cruise is one of our best attended meetings of the year. It helps that several members live on Grand Island, or nearby. Also helps if the weather is good. But I think the thing that draws everyone is the roast beef!**

**As always, Pat Murphy's Wayne 100 boat was a hit. Picture of Pat's wagon and boat and the Gworek's car made the Grand Island dispatch. Bill sent me a scan which I am going to try and include with the newsletter as a separate PDF.**

**Here it is August already, the Spring was brutally wet, and late. I didn't even get all my cars out of storage until July! I still have 2 I haven't even taken down the road yet! July was extremely hot and humid. August is starting out just right, so get out there with your Corvairs, and send along some pictures!**

**Hopefully many of you will make it to Mount St; Mary's, or some of our cruise meetings. Joe Pendolino has taken over the Cruise Night at Anchor Bar on Maple on Thursday nights, how about a little club show of support! And don't forget the Elderwood Cruises on Wednesday night.**

**I have stopped printing the full car show cruise list in the newsletter and have only printed selected events. There is a link posted where you can find everything, and you were all sent the Calendar of events. I can email another copy of the calendar if anyone requests it.**

**Hope to see you all out Cruising!.....Gary**

