

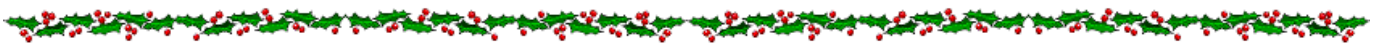
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Formed By And For Those Who Still Appreciate The CORVAIR Automobile



One of our newest members, Larry Scott sent along some pictures of his 1964 Monza Convertible. Larry purchased this from Titus Stewart in New Hampshire. Car appears to be in great shape and I am looking forward to seeing it once things start getting back to normal in 2021.

## 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  
7838 Chestnut Ridge Road,  
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-----ESTABLISHED 1973-----

#### A Chartered Chapter of the Corvaire Society of America

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### NFCC Events and more!

## NFCC MEETING SCHEDULE

Until further notice, all NFCC activities and meetings are on hold due to the Covid-19 Pandemic. Pat Murphy and Joe Pendolino are looking into setting up some Zoom on line meetings going forward. We will let you know how things progress on this. Currently "group" meetings are limited, and we really have no good location available, and not much going on to talk about. Currently, it is more important for everyone to stay safe and maintain social distancing.

I know it is going to be a long winter to get through, but hang in there, better days are coming. We just have to make it to those days.



Larry also had some re-sealing work done underneath his Corvaire to get rid of a few leaks, it looks good and dry now!



12/1/20

Gary—  
 I am most thankful to you for continuing to send me the Cowain newsletters all these years. It meant a lot to her to continue to be included in something that meant so much to her and my dad. Mom was diagnosed with COVID while in rehab at Brothers of Mercy. The news arrived on Thanksgiving and the nurse told me she is nearing the end of her life with her passing unexpected. I can't imagine life without her. You have been so kind and I just needed to reach out to let you know. Sheryl Drenkhahn Neal

I received the above Thank You note from Shirley Drenkhahn's daughter Sheryl. As

many of you know Shirley was an "honorary" member of our club. Her and her husband Richard were very active members prior to his passing. That was well over 30 years ago. Shirley received the club's newsletter and enjoyed it, knowing she was not forgotten. Shirley caught Covid-19 while at Brother's of Mercy. And according to this note, did not have much time left. Many of you may not have known her, but for those of us who did, I thought everyone would like to know and remember her in your thoughts and prayers. Also a reminder, the Covid-19 is real.

*Gary Swiatowy*

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Ben Wild got another one of his project cars up and running. I love his "proving grounds" a great location for pictures.

You can see and hear it here:  
<https://www.facebook.com/100000375891342/videos/pcb.3685290621493431/3685290051493488/>

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Here is a message from John Dawley regarding a "road trip" for 2021. right now just trying to determine interest.....Gary

Hello Gang,

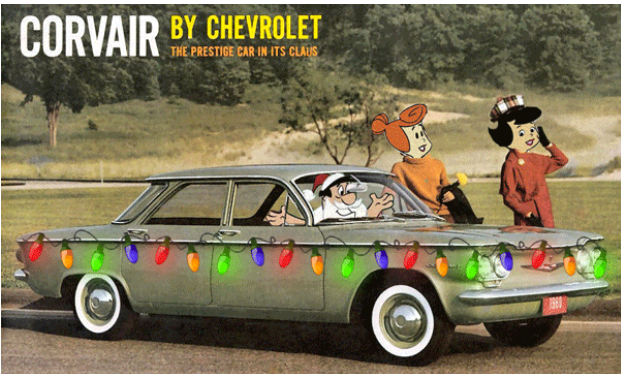
Further to our discussion at the last Meeting, I called "MXK Raceway" on Bullis Road to see if we could run Pat's karts there and rent other carts for those interested. The person I spoke to felt we could use Pat's karts, but MXK wants to do a safety inspection before they go on the track.

We may or may not be able to use ( rent ) the ones they have there. MXK wants to be sure we are responsible people ( of course we are - heh heh ) as these are higher performance racing style karts. Next spring I'll stop out there and check out the situation.

To turn this into a road trip, maybe we drive our Vairs through the Boston Hills before or after the kart experience and arrange lunch in the Arcade area. Maybe a good time for this would be during the month of August.

Anyway these are some thoughts for consideration.

Take care .....  
John Dawley



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