



The Flat Six Journal

Mid Continent Corvair Association Newsletter

January 2021

Jan. Meeting

**Saturday,
Jan. 9th 7 pm**

**Oaklawn
Activity Center
4904 S. Clifton, Ave.
Wichita, KS**

2021 Dues Due

January Meeting Returns to The Oaklawn Activity Center

Over the break, Covid-19 struck some MCCA members. Bob Bright was tested positive and developed a high fever. Bob had quite a battle with the virus. His wife, Lee also tested positive, but had a milder case. Jay Allen had a positive test and developed symptoms during his quarantine. The good news is that all three have fully

recovered and are back to their regular activities.

Roy Juenemann avoided the Covid-19, but on December 16th underwent triple-bypass surgery at Wesley Hospital. He is recovering at home. It will be awhile before he will be tinkering in the garage, but is healing well.

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Corvair for Sale

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210 E. Walnut Street

Derby, KS 67037

FOR SALE 1964 Corvair Monza convertible Solid, clean driver. 110 hp engine with automatic PowerGlide transmission. Rebuilt engine and front end. Originally a Spyder. Has exhaust cutout and



proper VIN. . For current price and more information call **316- 461-7890** Thank you for your help.

Lloyd Folger

FOR SALE 1960 Corvair Four-door sedan. (Tulsa) Marvin Luke of Green Country Corvairs is selling his 1960 Corvair 500 four door. Later 164 engine. PowerGlide. He bought it in '65. It is an show worthy car. Well detailed **\$8750.**

Marvin Luke mkluke@cox.net

918-250-1500



2021

MCCA Dues

are due in January

The \$15 annual dues may be paid to Bob Bright in person or sent to: 210 E. Walnut. Derby, KS 67037

*Check out MCCA
On Facebook*



**Mid-Continent Corvair
Association**

[https://www.facebook.com/
groups/105523176146520/](https://www.facebook.com/groups/105523176146520/)

'21 Calendar Done

Terry was able to round up enough photos to finish a 2021 MCCA calendar. The third order of calendars should be back from the printer's January 7. There are a few calendars that have not been spoken for and Terry will have them at the January 9th meeting. If you have an interest in a MCCA 2021 calendar contact Terry at 316-882-3056 or tkalp@cox.net.

The cost of the calendars went from \$11 to \$13 in the final printing (Sale went off). If you have already put your order in the price is still \$11. If you plan to pick one up at the meeting, without a pre-order, the price is \$13. Many people have picked up or been sent their calendars. If you need to make arrangements to get your calendar order contact Terry. This is not a fund-raiser the calendars are be sold at cost. If you have questions contact Terry.



Nick Pool is hauling off his latest project, a 1962 Corvair Van. It was a three way swap, Bill Smith ended up with his '63 Monza coupe back and Terry wound up with some Corvair models and cash.

January Breakfast

MCCA will hold their first club breakfast of 2021 on Saturday, January 23. The January MCCA Breakfast will be at The Bread Basket 219 N. Main in Newton. The Bread Basket is a veteran eatery for baked goods and all you can eat buffets of home style American and German fare. Breakfast will start at 9 am. Everyone is welcome. Contact Bill Smith 316-469-9882

Pre-meeting Eating At Hog Wild BBQ

With the return of the MCCA meetings to the Oaklawn Activity Center, the pre-meeting eating will resume also. If you are comfortable with dining out join the group. Some MCCA members will be gathering at Hog Wild Bar-B-Q at 630 E. 47th St. South, Wichita, to eat before the January 9th meeting. So bring your appetite and join your friends starting at 5:30-6 on Saturday.



Roy Juenemann's Monza was featured for July 2021



By Terry Kalp

2020 was anything but a normal year. World events reached down to touch the MCCA. When the Covid-19 pandemic hit and shelter-in-place orders were initiated the regular meeting place was shut down. The club had to get pretty creative to find places to meet and events where social distancing could be maintained.

January

The year started up normal enough with the Club meeting at Oaklawn Activity Center. However the New Year started with a new event for the club, the fourth Saturday breakfast and/or road trip. The first breakfast was at Fat Ernie's in Wichita. No one knew what to expect. It ended up that both the food and the turnout was great.

February

February was pretty normal also. The meeting was the Pre-Spring Fling dinner at Spears. The Fling included the annual awarding of the Mel Horstman Award. Terry Kalp was the winner and was

the first two-time winner of the award. Cold Tuna lived up to its name. Corvairs were worked on and everyone was warmed up the a hot noon meal. The second MCCA breakfast was held at the Huddle House on 21st St. and was well attended.

March

The March MCCA meeting at the Oaklawn Activity Center was the last meeting before the shelter-in-place orders. There was a good crowd at the meeting and before at Hog Wild. The March MCCA breakfast set for March 28th at Livingston's Diner got the ax as restaurants were required to shut down their dining areas.

The first Cars & Coffee of the year, scheduled for March 21st was called off as was the initial show and shine at Central & West in Wichita.

April

April was the first Conference call meeting. The good news is that the April Conference Call Meet-

ing went very well. Ten members participated and the discussion was excellent. Greg Renfro hosted the meeting, president Bill Smith led the meeting.

April also saw the start of the revival of Glenn Ziesenis' '65 Corsa Convertible. His son, Cary and grandson Devin dove in on the project with help from Mark Stever and Alex Moats.

Graduation ceremonies were cancelled, including the one for Abby, Lyle and Lonene Ackerman's granddaughter. To help Abby celebrate Lyle and Lonene made some signs, hopped into their Corsa and did a drive-by celebration.

May

The May meeting was also by conference call. Six members participated. All the parking lot car shows were shut down. MCCA did manage a Road Trip to Anthony, KS. Heading out from Wichita, the first stop was at the 911 Memoria Park in Anthony. It was a beautiful tribute. The group grabbed lunch at Mc Donalds and returned to the park to eat. After Lunch the group visited the train stations in Anthony and Harper for some photos.

June

The June meeting is usually held at the Lake Afton Car Show. Since the 2020 Lake Afton Show was cancelled, the June Meeting was combined with Juna Tuna. June is the month for officer elections. The first MCCA event of June was Juna Tuna/June MCCA meeting held June 13th at the Kalp Shop. On Tuna day, there were 12 Corvairs parked along 101st Street in front of the Shop. There was a little

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change in menu to minimize contact. The club decided on pizza for lunch and Lyle picked up the pizza driving his Corvair.

The meeting wound up with the annual June MCCA Officer Election. All officers were re-elected. Bill Smith, President; Jay Allen, Vice-President; Bob Bright, Treasurer and Bob Ferenc, Secretary. Terry Kalp was also re-elected as Newsletter Editor.

In June MCCA members were able to be able to sit down and have breakfast together. Curtis C's in Newton was the breakfast site. After lots of conversation and excellent food, five MCCA members took the short 15 minute drive to Goessel. The Road Trip. Destination was the Mennonite Heritage and Agricultural Museum.

At the museum, members were treated to a guided tour.

July

July MCCA events started with the monthly meeting at the Best Western North 915 E. 53rd North Wichita, KS, Most members had dinner there before the meeting.

The July MCCA Breakfast took place at Nancy's A-Maize-N Sandwiches on Saturday, July 25. There were three Corvairs in the lot. Bill and Tiffany Smith arrived in their '68, the Ackerman's were

in their Corsa, and Terry drove his '65 Monza sedan. Also joining the group for breakfast were Mark Welte, Marcus and Tracy Trotter. The food was ample and good. Given the choice of toast or biscuits and gravy, several chose the biscuits only to discover they were a meal in their self. Several styro-foam boxes left with the diners.

August

Four MCCA Corvairs showed up, Friday, August 7 at the 21st and Ridge show and shine. This show replaced the Central and West Friday car show. The new location the parking lot directly behind the West Side Hurt's Donuts at 21st and Ridge Rd.

There was a great turnout for the August Hot Dog Roast and MCCA meeting at the Kalp Shop. The weather turned out perfect. The cookout was an innovative solution to maintain social distancing.

On Saturday August 22 was the MCCA monthly breakfast. It started at Auntie C's in Park City. The men sat at one table and the ladies sat at another. Everyone enjoyed a great breakfast.

Some of the MCCA members that showed up at Roy and Connie Juenemann's for toy and shopping tours. and great conversation! From there the men headed to the Juenemann's to look at more of Roy's toy collection. The ladies rode with Connie Juneman to do some shopping in Kechi. Upon our return to the Juenemann's, the guys came up to join the ladies for dessert.

September

The September meeting was a hamburger fry hosted by Bob and Lee Bright at his garage in Derby.

It was a great location where members could spread out.

The September Road Trip began at Atwood's in Derby. They headed South and East to their first stop the Price Ranch. It turned out to be a great photo location. Second stop was Beaumont for lunch at the Hotel, where they ran into a fly-in by the Stinson Aircraft Club.

October

Hosting the October meeting were Roy and Connie Juenemann. Roy had a large fire pit set up in his spacious back yard. The crackling fire came in handy as the first part of the meeting was a hot dog roast. After everyone was fed, a short business meeting was conducted.

The next October event was Luna Tuna at the Kalp shop. Two members projects made their debut. Marcus Trotter trailered the LM coupe he is working on. Mark Stever drove his '64 Monza, Bob. Soups and Chili were the lunch fare. Everyone was fed and some Corvair work was accomplished.

The final October event was a breakfast/road trip. The day started with breakfast at Riverside Cafe in Derby. Next was a short trip to Udall to check out the caboose at Udall Park. Cave Park in Oxford was the next stop. After the park the group visited an antique store. Another park and lunch in Wellington wound up the trip.

November

Everyone was looking forward to the November meeting which was set to be an Italian dinner back at the Bright's garage. After a surge in Covid-19 infections MCCA officers discussed options and decided to cancel the meeting.

MCCA Jan. Meeting Returns to Oaklawn

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The good news is that starting on January, 9 2021 MCCA will hold meetings at the Oaklawn Activity Center, 4904 S. Clifton, Wichita, KS. The last time MCCA met at OAC was for the March 2020 meeting. Some members are getting together to eat at the Hog Wild on 4th Street South before the meeting. More details are in the story on page 3. On the 23rd will be the January MCCA breakfast. President Bill Smith planned the morning meal to be at the Bread Basket 219 N. Main in Newton, KS. Breakfast will be at 9 am. More details are in the story on page 3 of this newsletter.

At the present time the February meeting is the Pre-Spring fling and will be held at Spears Restaurant & Pie Shop, 4323 W. Maple in Wichita. Since the meeting is mostly a dinner the event will start at 6 pm. Look for more details in the February newsletter. Also in February is the Cold Tuna set for Saturday, February 20th. If you have projects to work on or food suggestions let Terry Kalp or Bill Smith know. On Saturday, February 27th will be the February MCCA breakfast. No location has been announced, but Bill Smith will come up with an interesting spot. Again more information will be provided in the February FlatSix Journal.

The March 2021 meeting will return to the Oaklawn Activity Center. The March meeting will be on Saturday the 13th and start at the regular time of 7 pm. Save Saturday, March 27th for the March Breakfast/Road Trip. No location set yet, but keep an eye on the newsletter for additional information.

As Corvairs are getting prepared for the Spring season let you editor know. A little coverage of what others are doing helps get projects going. Marcus Trotter had his LM coupe up at the Kalp shop for a gas tank replacement and will be working on brakes soon. Rumor has it that the Ackerman's have picked up a new aircooled project that Lyle is tinkering with. Heard it is missing a couple of cylinders. The grapevine says that Bob Ferenc has a new fun car. It came from California, starts with Cor . . . and has a 6 in the nameplate, but is not a Corvair.



Mel Horstman Award Presented at Feb. Fling

Who will win the coveted 2020 Mel Horstman Memorial Award? Could we have a three-time winner? Will it be a first-time winner? Will it be a long-time club member? Will it be a recently-joined club member? Come to the Pre-Spring Fling Dinner Meeting in February and find out!



Daniel Goldberg's Corvair was loaded for a trip to South Carolina. The Corvair was stored at the Kalp shop while Daniel was moving with the Military.

Miles of Smiles

No one sent December miles, and your editor forgot to record his starting miles. So, if you haven't already, go out and record your January starting mileage. Let's see if we can get a little more involvement this month. If you wish to participate, write down the odometer reading January 1st, then again on January 31st. Subtract the difference and send the number to tkalp@cox.net or text 316-882-3056.

Greg's Art Recognized By FC Newsletter



Kaymona Coker—previous owners
and current progress



One of Greg Renfro's latest projects combine three of his hobbies. The Corvair affliction is represented by the image of his Rampside, which Greg painted on to this disc golf disc. Using his artistic talent on a tool of the athletic activity he enjoys.

Greg Renfro

Looking through some of the CORSA chapter newsletters, Terry Kalp spotted some familiar artwork. On page 10 of the Corvan Antics newsletter was a shot of Greg Renfro's disc golf disc that he had dyed an image of his Rampside. Greg had posted it on Facebook and the editor of the newsletter "borrowed" it for their publication from Facebook page.

The Corvan Antics is the newsletter published by the Corvanantics Special Interest CORSA chapter six times a year. It has been in the top three of CORSA newsletter judging several times recently.

2021 Events

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January 23, 2021: Saturday January MCCA Breakfast. Location The Bread Basket 219 N. Main, Newton, KS. Breakfast starts at 9 am. Contact Bill Smith 316-469-9882

February 13, 2021: Saturday February MCCA Pre-Spring Social. Spears West 4343 W. Maple, Wichita 6 pm. Contact Bill Smith 316-469-9882

February 20, 2021 Saturday Cold Tuna. Kalp Shop 2140 W 101st Street North Valley Center, KS. Doors open at 8. Come and go as you please. Pot Luck, lunch. Contact Terry Kalp 316-882-3056 or Bill Smith 316-469-9882

February 27, 2021: Saturday February MCCA Breakfast. Location to be announced. Breakfast starts at 9 am. Contact Bill Smith 316-469-9882

March 13, 2021: Saturday March MCCA Regular meeting. Regular meeting. Oaklawn Activity Center, 4904 S. Clifton, Ave. Wichita, KS. Pre-Meeting eating at 5:30-6 meeting at 7. Contact Bill Smith 316-469-9882

March 27, 2021: Saturday March MCCA Breakfast. Location to be announced. Breakfast starts at 9 am. Contact Bill Smith 316-469-9882

April 10, 2021: Saturday April MCCA Regular meeting. Regular meeting. Oaklawn Activity Center, 4904 S. Clifton, Ave. Wichita, KS.



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Ran When Parked. This month's photo once again comes from the Internet. Tom Hagerty posted this flat Corvair on Detroit's Urban Beauty. Photo was taken on Fullerton Ave. in Detroit in September of 1975. Send Ran When Parked photos to tkalp@cox.net

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Ten Years Ago...



Terry and Greg's Corvairs are parked beside the old Carnegie Library in Newton during January of 2011. They were on a tour of Newton with the Wichita Vintage Chevrolet Club. They at at the Bread Basket

Calendar

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Luna Tuna	Feb. 20
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