



**Mid Maryland Corvair Club
Corsa Chapter 217**

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Drippy Leaks & Flyin' Fanbelts

The monthly newsletter of the Mid Maryland Corvair Club, Corsa Chapter 217

From The President

"June. Brought in by spring to pave the way to summer." - Anonymous.

Kudos to Dianna for giving us an excellent presentation of our club's Facebook page and Dropbox website at our May meeting. If you experience problems joining either site, feel free to call or email Dianna and she will definitely assist you to come on board.

On Saturday, 05/20/23, I attended my first ever AACA event at the Wyndham hotel in Gettysburg, PA. I was amazed at the amount of detail required for this club event. And, they are definitely the leader for the car enthusiast's hobby.

Titus Stewart and I visited the hotel grounds, the Harley Davidson parking lots, as well as, the Gettysburg college parking lots and determined all three locations would meet the requirements for our convention autocross event. Our future liability, parking and layout discussions of these properties will determine which location will be selected. The Harley Davidson lot borders the hotel Wyndham and the Gettysburg College is within five miles of the Wyndham.

Coming up this Saturday, 06/03/23 is our tech session event to be held at the Corvair Ranch from 10 AM to 12 PM with pizza and root

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Special Points of Interest

- **Upcoming Chapter meeting on June 8th**
- **2026 CORSA Convention is coming to Gettysburg PA!**

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beer at 12 noon. This event will be rain or shine. We will have access to a full size lift operated by our club member and Ranch employee, Jeff Ostroff.

We hope to inspect and determine repair solutions to those unanswered questions you may have.

Our next meeting will be Thursday evening, 06/08/23 7 PM at Fitzgerald's Auto Mall on Baughman's Lane.

This Memorial Day, let us remember those who have served allowing us the freedom we share today. Happy Vairing!

Tom Rahochik Club President

This Month's Birthdays and Anniversaries

We have one birthday this month and two anniversaries!

Happy Birthday to: **Faye Moss on 6/12**

Happy Anniversary to the:

Sanford's on 6/3 and the Ostroff's on 6/20

If we missed your birthday or anniversary, please let us know!



Corvairs for Sale



For Sale 1964 Chevrolet Corvair Monza 900 Convertible
ASKING \$8,500.00
VEHICLE LOCATION Lockport, NY VIN 40967W124719 EXTERIOR COLOR White
INTERIOR COLOR Red ENGINE 110hp Air Cooled Flat 6
TRANSMISSION Automatic
MILEAGE 81000 SELLER TYPE Private The car has new valve tube O rings, pan gasket, oil cooler O rings, plugs and a rebuilt starter. The original interior is in amazingly nice condition. The convertible top is totally shot and it does have rust in the floor. This is a very fair price for a car with great potential or drive as is. Listed on Hemmings.com



For Sale 1963 Spyder Convertible VEHICLE LOCATION New Milford, Connecticut
VIN 30967L1110686 ODOMETER 86,044 ENGINE 145-cu.in. turbocharged air-cooled flat-six TRANSMISSION 4 Speed Manual EXTERIOR COLOR Ember Red INTERIOR Black vinyl SELLER Dealer AUCTION TYPE Reserve Incorrect 64 front trim installed- Seller says it's a good driver, not a #1 show car. Restored by previous owner over 10 years ago.

Gettysburg– More Than A Civil War Battlefield

As 2026 draws near and we plan for our Corsa convention, we will be highlighting the history of our host town, Gettysburg.

Did you know that Gettysburg has ties to World War II? The town has a long list of World War II ties: president and D-Day commander Dwight D. Eisenhower maintained a home there. It was also the site of a secret U.S. Navy mapmaking office, an army psychological warfare training camp and a POW camp on the Civil War battlefield where German prisoners worked picking fruits and vegetables. Gettysburg has applied for American World War II Heritage City status from the National Park Service.

There's a new museum in Gettysburg that doesn't tell any of the Civil War stories that we hear all over town— it tells the stories of the involvement of this Civil War town during a much more recent war, World War II.

Frank Buck and his wife Loni invested over \$7 million dollars to construct three 12,000-square-foot buildings on 30 acres of farmland near their home about five miles northwest of Gettysburg. that contain everything from Sherman tanks and other vehicles to a collection of World War II uniforms, helmets and weapons on display.

Did you know that the early warning system had its start here to protect along the East and West coasts?

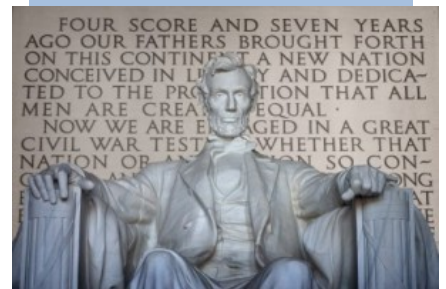
The American Legion helped organize volunteers in 1941 and the Aircraft warning service (AWS), a civilian arm of the military's ground observance corps was created., and thousands of observation posts were established on the east coast from Maine to Florida, and roughly inland as far as the western slopes of the Appalachian Mountains. On the west coast, posts ranged Washington to lower California.

At the peak of the war over 750,000 individuals were involved in the AWS throughout the country. Spotter towers and call centers were manned 24/7. Even with the advances in aviation, no enemy bombers ever made it to the U.S. The AWS was deactivated in May 1945.

Doesn't this sound like the predecessor to radar?

Check out the Wikipedia article "Aircraft Warning Service", and check out The World War II American Experience, which is located at 845 Crooked Creek Road in Gettysburg, Pa 17325.

Hours are seasonal.



2023 Car Shows and Events

June

- **3-4—EAA Spring 2023 Fly-in/Drive-in “WINGS, WHEELS, & PANCAKES”**, AYCE Breakfast, 8AM-Noon, Gettysburg Regional Airport, Route 30 West, 1130 Chambersburg Road, Gettysburg PA 17325. Call Dianna Moy so that sufficient space is reserved.
- **17—Jefferson, MD 26th Annual Car & Truck Show** 9:00AM. All Ages , 4603 B Lander Road. Jefferson United Church of Christ secretaryjeffersonucc@gmail.com
- **18—Sully 48th Antique Car Show** sponsored by the GW Chapter, Inc., AFCA/MARC, and the Fairfax County Park Authority at the Sully Historic Site, 3650 Historic Sully Way, Chantilly, VA, pre-1997 vehicles, 30 classes with 1st, 2nd, 3rd place trophies. \$12 adults, \$10 seniors, and \$8 children. Awards 3 p.m.
- **18-24—CORSA International Convention**, Chula Vista Resort, Wisconsin Dells, WI
- **23-24—Carlisle GM Nationals**, Carlisle PA fairgrounds

August

- **5—Pleasant Valley Car Show**, Roh-rersville, MD
- **4-6—Carlisle Truck Nationals**, Carlisle PA fairgrounds
- **19—Rose Hill Manor Benefit Show**, Rose Hill Manor Park & Museum, 1611 N. Market St., Frederick MD
- **24-26—Carlisle Corvettes**, Carlisle PA fairgrounds

September

- **9—Vintage Vehicles in the Valley**, Middletown MD
- **16—Clark’s 50th Anniversary Show** hosted by Bay State Corvair Club, Shelburne Falls, MA
- **September 27-Oct 1—Fall Carlisle**, Carlisle PA fairgrounds

October

- **3-6—AACA Hershey Eastern Fall Nationals**, Hershey PA
- **14—Rockville Show**, Rockville Civic Center/Mansion, Rockville MD

The Spring 2023 FLY-IN/DRIVE-IN “WINGS, WHEELS, & PANCAKES”

BREAKFAST * 8 AM – Noon * RAIN OR SHINE!

Saturday and Sunday * JUNE 3rd AND 4th, 2023

*Sponsored by Chapter 1041 of the Experimental Aircraft Association
(the Gettysburg Barnstormers) at: GETTYSBURG REGIONAL AIRPORT (W05)*

Route 30 West, 1130 Chambersburg Road, Gettysburg PA 17325

ALL YOU CAN EAT!!!

Pancakes, Eggs, Sausage, Home Fries, Coffee, Tea, and Juice!

***Cash: \$10 Adult/ \$4 Youth (12 & under), *Credit: \$10.50 Adult, \$4.50 Youth**

*Prices may be subject to change due to fluctuating food costs.

A portion of the proceeds benefit Aviation Programs for Youth

Join us for Planes of all types, Antique and Classic Cars, and even flying model planes!

Also, come see “Floyd’s Fabulous Flying Flapjack Machine”!



Above pictures from our last breakfast! On right, Floyd's Fabulous Flying Flapjack Machine was designed by Floyd Armstrong (1944-2014)

Check us out on the Web at: WWW.1041EAACHAPTER.ORG, or contact: Henry Hartman, Chapter President, at 717-637-3741 or (cell) 717-465-5952



REISTERSTOWN REGIONAL PARK

19TH ANNUAL ALL-VEHICLE SHOW

YEARS: 1900 to PRESENT -- ALL MAKES, MODIFIEDS & ORIGINALS

401 Mitchell Dr., Reisterstown, MD 21136

Location offers a large, covered Pavilion in the event of hot sun or rain and a playground area for kids!

Sunday, July 30, 2023
10 AM to 3 PM

A portion of the proceeds to benefit Custom & Classic Car Educational Foundation * www.SaveTheHobby.org

~~ TOP 35 AWARDS & 50/50 Raffle ~~

Top 35 as determined by Judges PLUS ... "Reisterstown Park Choice Award",
"Best of Decade Awards: Teens/20s, 30s, 40s, 50s, 60s, 70s, 80s, 90s, 2000s, 2010s,
2020s", "Best Motorcycle", "Best Truck", "Best Modified/Custom Awards (6)"
and "Longest Distance Driven"

Food available at Concession Stand: Hot Dogs, Bratwurst, Snacks, Cold Drinks

SHOW VEHICLE ENTRANCE: From I-795 going North,
Exit 9A to MD-30 / MD-140E Westminster / Hanover.

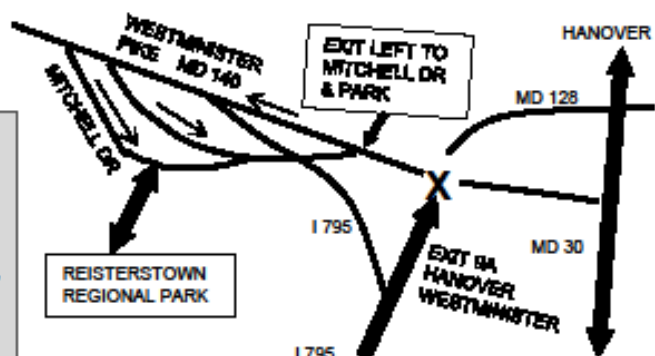
At traffic light turn left onto MD-140 towards
Westminster. Keep left and then immediately turn left
onto Mitchell Dr. Follow posted signs.

Vehicle Registration: \$15.00 at the Gate
Advance registration appreciated!

For Advance Registration:

Complete the form below and mail with check to:
Mike Natale * 643 Coventry Rd * Towson, MD 21286
Make Check Payable to: **"Free State Region, VCCA"**

Additional Information: Call Mike @ 443-465-7492
E-Mail: MRNatale@verizon.net
Visit our website www.freestaterregionvcca.org



ATTENTION "GROUPS" ... WE CAN NOT SAVE SPACES ... to park together, please arrive together!

SPONSORED BY Free State Region, Vintage Chevrolet Club of America (VCCA)

Show vehicles should have a Functional Fire Extinguisher.

All Vehicles Must be on the Show Field by 12 Noon to be judged. A RAIN or SHINE event. Family-friendly!

Name: _____

City, State, Zip: _____ Phone: _____

Vehicle Make & Model: _____ Color: _____ Year: _____

Member of Club: _____ Vehicle: Modified: ☐ Original: ☐

EMAIL ADDRESS: _____

Our 50th Anniversary 2023

Thanks to the support of thousands of Corvair owners over the last 50 years, we continue to grow and reproduce more parts every year. We respect your trust and always put our customers first. We would also like to thank our 24 employees, 10 have been with us over 20 years and some as long as 46! Have a great year and enjoy our monthly sales and specials all this year.

~Joan & Cal Clark

SPECIAL SALES EVERY MONTH: Each month we'll send an email (if you have signed up) and also list in a special sale section on our Home page www.corvair.com.

FREE 50th MEMENTO gifts with your first order in 2023.

FREE CATALOG WITH AN ORDER: If you have not received a free 2019-2025 catalog yet, just ask for one.

LIST YOUR CORVAIR FOR SALE- NO CHARGE: Sell your Corvair or a spare you just don't have time for! For all of 2023 we will list it on our website at NO CHARGE- check the website for details (Corvairs For Sale).

CLARK CAR SHOW & PARTS SALES: See our 2023 supplement or website for more details. We expect around 130 cars, and will offer tours of our buildings including the Upholstery Department. Cal will be giving an old fashion "slide show" showing the building of our complex and history. Parts on sale! SEPT 16, 2023-rain or shine.

2023 SUPPLEMENT: On our website or as a hard copy-many new repros & updates.

INTERNATIONAL CORSA CONVENTION-Wisconsin: We will be there Tuesday, Wednesday & Thursday with lots of recent repros on display. Stop by and say hello. Convention dates are June 19- June 24, 2023 in Wisconsin Dells, Wisconsin.

CATALOG: Over 450 pages, free with an order, \$8 postpaid in USA.

Clark's Corvair Parts

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NEW MEMBER APPLICATION/MEMBER DATA SHEET

Member Name: _____ Spouse Name: _____

Address: _____ City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Home Phone: _____ Cell Phone: _____ Email: _____

*Member Birth Date: ____/____/____ *Spouse Birth Date: ____/____/____ * Anniversary Date: ____/____/____

Occupation: _____

Other Hobbies/Interests: _____

Special Talents or Abilities to share in Club Activities: _____

Corvairs Owned:

Year	Model	Body Style	Engine	Transmission	Color
_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____

Check One _____ New Membership _____ Renewal Membership

Applicant/Member Signature _____

Date _____

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*Note: This information is optional

Join Mid-Maryland Corvair Club (MMCC)!

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You can find us on Facebook as well!

<https://www.facebook.com/groups/3510395809190494>

Coming soon: Instagram and Twitter! Keep an eye out here!



NEXT CHAPTER MEETING IS JUNE 8TH AT 7PM, FITZGERALD AUTO COMPLEX IN FREDERICK

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