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Formed By And For Those Who Still Appreciate The CORVAIR Automobile

*** Celebrating our 51st anniversary 1973 - 2024 ***

club

October, 2024



We had a great turnout for Corvair and Playboy night at the historic Wurlitzer building at the Monday Night cruise night hosted by The "Piston Broke Cruisers" in North Tonawanda NY. Thanks to Ann Grifasi for the above cover pictures using the panoramic setting on her phone camera.



There were easily over 500 cars at this September 15th cruise, and we were prominently displayed

Dues and Membership

Club Membership - \$10.00 per year for e-mail 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

NAME _____ CORSA Member? Yes/No _____

ADDRESS _____

CITY _____ STATE _____ ZIP _____

PHONE _____ E-MAIL ADDRESS _____

DATE _____

MAKE CHECKS PAYABLE TO: NIAGARA FRONTIER CORVAIR CLUB

**Niagara Frontier Corvair Club
C/O Gary Swiatowy
7838 Chestnut Ridge Road,
Gasport, NY 14067**

-----ESTABLISHED 1973-----

A Chartered Chapter of the Corvair Society of America

President	Pat Murphy	(716) 861-8749
Vice President	Gary Swiatowy	(716) 716-439-5194
Secretary	John Dawley/Tom Lynch	(716) 832-8551
Treasurer	Dick Dahmer	(716) 480-7713
Membership	Dick Dahmer	(716) 480-7713

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NFCC Events and more!

NFCC MEETING SCHEDULE

October meeting Wednesday October 23rd At 7:00 PM at the First Trinity Lutheran Church on Niagara Falls Boulevard, Tonawanda. If anyone is interested in dinner at Buffalo Wild Wings at 5:30 PM before the meeting. Anyone interested please let me know ahead of time so I know how big a table to get.

At the October meeting we will discuss our November and December meeting schedule.

NOTE: unless there is a change, assume it is at the church.

In case you don't know. There are newsletter options.

Your membership includes our monthly NFCC newsletter, but you also have the option to receive several other clubs newsletters as well. This could be 10 or more additional Corvair club newsletters from across the country, filled with cars for sale, tech tips and more. Most of you already receive the additional newsletters, If you are not receiving them, and want them you have to let me know by e-mail, If you are receiving them and do not want them, you have to let me know that as well by e-mail. gswiatowy@rochester.rr.com



From the editor.....

Just thinking ahead! At the October meeting we have to decide on the November and December meetings. The 4th Wednesday in November is the day before Thanksgiving. I have no idea if the church will be available or not, and just wondering who will come? As for December, I myself don't want to be anywhere near Niagara Falls Boulevard just before Christmas. We will need member input on this. November we could pick a different date, and maybe meet at the Welcome Center on Grand Island? Just thinking.....Gary



Above are a couple of photo's by John Dawley



September 25th Meeting Minutes

Persons in attendance:

This meeting was held at Trinity Lutheran Church. Those in attendance were:

John Dawley	Gary Swiatowy
Pat Pilon	Angelo Rizzo
Dick Dahmer	Joe Grifasi

Treasurers / Membership Report:

Dick Dahmer read off the Treasury status. It was approved by all. At this time there are 23 paid (a 24th agreed to send in payment during our meeting) and 2 honorary members. As of now 6 members have not renewed.

Old Business:

Club By-laws

Dick was pleased to advise the final version is now complete and will be distributed at the next monthly meeting.

Wulitzer Cruise

This was a very successful event with Corvair and the Playboy car clubs. We had 11 Corvairs and this was a great time to “sit back and enjoy”.

New Business:

Raffle for 3 meetings

The final of 3 raffles were completed for \$50.00 Clarks gift certificates. The winner this time was Angelo Rizzo.

I hope everyone has had a good month and I am looking forward to seeing you at our October meeting.

John Dawley



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ADMISSION:
Adults: \$8.00 • Children: FREE (Age 12 & Under)
For additional information call 716-837-1791 or Email: feebeelovr@yahoo.com

This is the event I heard about thee Mud Creek Railroad



Rotary Club of Niagara County Central/Niagara Falls USA

Annual Auto Parts Swap Meet
Sunday, November 3rd, 2024
9:00am to 1:00pm

American Legion Wheatfield Post 1451
6525 Ward Road
Sanborn, New York 14132



Indoor auto parts & automotive related swap meet. 30 vendors. \$5.00 admission. Children under 12 are free. Basket auction. Handicapped accessible. Food available. All Proceeds benefit the Rotary Scholarship Fund. Indoor Vendor spots available: 8 x 6' booth \$20. (Includes one 8ft table & 2 chairs)

Call Tom Grimm 716-694-0888 or 716-628-4583
web: Niagara-County-Central-Rotary-Club.org
Welcome to our friends from Canada

This is the swap meet formerly at Frontier Fire Hall



Above Photo's by Pat Murphy



Thanks to Chuck Facklam for arranging 5 Buffalo NY built Playboy automobiles to attend the event. There were only 99 of these manufactured, and 47 of those are known to still exist. Getting 5 of them together at once is an accomplishment.





All the photo's in this newsletter are of the Wurlitzer Cruise featuring Corvairs and Playboys for even more photos go to my Flickr album at: <https://www.flickr.com/photos/swi66/albums/72177720320428861/>



Who is that Playboy standing by the Playboys?

