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REAR ENGINE REVIEW

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The **Rear Engine Review** is a monthly publication of the **INLAND NORTHWEST CORVAIR CLUB**, chapter 990 of the CORVAIR SOCIETY OF AMERICA (COSA). Letters, articles, experiences, technical information, humor, and recipes are welcome. It was named the Inland Northwest Car Club Council's Newsletter of the Year for 2018 and 2022

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All material must be submitted by the end of the current month for inclusion in next month's issue.

The INLAND NORTHWEST CORVAIR CLUB welcomes past, present, and future CORVAIR owners, as well as those who are simply curious about these unique vehicles. We welcome CORVAIRS of every degree of restoration or modification, including other vehicles utilizing CORVAIR components. **CORVAIR ownership is not required!** Club events, dates, times, and locations are published as soon as practical in the **Rear Engine Review**. **(AND, FIND US ON FACEBOOK!)**

Dues:

All INCC Members	\$10.00/yr.
Corsa Membership	\$45.00/yr.

COSA MEMBERSHIP IS STRONGLY ENCOURAGED

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(per year)	\$20.00

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We also welcome commercial advertisements from those supporting this club, Corvairs, and the automotive hobby. Corvair and other automotive products and services will be given the highest priority, followed by those of a more varied and general nature.

Please contact the editor at daveeva@comcast.net if you discover any errors in this newsletter that need to be corrected.

THE EDITOR's DESK

By Dave McChesney



If you use a little imagination, you might see a late model Corvair coupe crossing this rustic bridge.

I hated to do it, and in fact have been putting it off for a while, but those folks who have owed dues for a considerable amount of time are no longer on our roster or our mailing lists.

We don't exist to make money. Paying dues simply says that one wants to participate and be part of the group. And we do need funds now and then. Our biggest expense is our post office box. Sometime this month we'll pay close to \$200.00 for the next year of service. Perhaps we should look into some alternatives.

I hope the day, date, time, and place for our planning meeting work for everyone. I didn't hear back from anyone, so I went ahead and set it up. If we don't get the full year planned out, perhaps we should set up another planning meeting in late summer or early fall. We could fill out the final months of this year and get a start on next year's calendar. (Including, of course, a planning meeting for the next year.)

Lastly, I appreciate any and all material you submit for inclusion in the REAR ENGINE REVIEW.

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Dave McChesney".

CLUB BUSINESS CARDS

This shows the front and back of the actual card. If you would like some, let me know and I can bring some to a club event or send you some via mail.



TREASURER's REPORT

Our Treasurer's Report is sent monthly to Inland Northwest Club members only, via e-mail and USPS. For those members well behind in payment of dues, we do not press for back dues, but only for payment of current dues. You can pay at any club event, or you can mail a check or money order to the club's Post Office Box.

We did not hear from any of the folks who are way behind in payment of dues. They have been removed from the roster and the mailing lists.

UPCOMING EVENTS!

We'll hold our annual planning meeting on Sunday February 23, beginning at 1:00 pm at Frankie Doodles in downtown Spokane. Let's come with ideas for events for the coming year.

BREAKING NEWS FROM CORSA

San Luis Obispo, California is the new location of the 2025 CORSA International Convention. Due to the unexpected cancellation of our contract by the Radisson Hotel in Santa Maria, the convention host team has secured the Embassy Suites in San Luis Obispo for the same dates, May 20-23rd, 2025.

San Luis Obispo is a historic town with unique shopping and many wineries in the area. Driving events will enjoy beautiful scenery along the coast and through the hills.

Our new hotel offers wonderful amenities for our convention: Two room suites, free made to order breakfast, and an evening reception along with an indoor pool. It is centrally located with many restaurants and shops in the area. Additionally, more airlines and flights are available to this city. Hotel room prices are \$139 for a king and \$149 for a double suite. Prices do not include taxes and fees.

Note: Reservations previously made at the Radisson in Santa Maria will be canceled. The reservation link and information for the Embassy Suites hotel will be provided by email to members and on the CORSA Website shortly.

More details about the schedule and events will be in the next Communique and posted to the website in January. Registration for the convention will open in February. We are pleased to still be able to host the 2025 CORSA Convention, with all the events, in this beautiful area of the central coast of California. So, get those Corvairs ready for San Luis Obispo and make your travel plans. We are looking forward to seeing everyone there.

Questions? Contact the club office: (630) 403-5010

February Birthdays

None Submitted

February Anniversaries

Eva and Dave McChesney

March Birthdays

None Submitted

March Anniversaries

None Submitted

Currently we do not post the day of your big event, but we can. Let us know.

CRUISE NIGHTS

If you plan to go, contact fellow INCC members and invite them along. Please send pictures and/or write-ups for our newsletter.

Monday

Paul Bunyan

8625 N. Government Way, Hayden, ID

Tuesday

Zip's Drive Inn

12218 N. Market St., Mead, WA

Wednesday

Paul Bunyan

13735 Hwy 53, Rathdrum, ID

Kalispel Casino

420 Qlispe River Way, Cusick, WA

Indian Trail Shopping Center

8800 N. Indian Trail, Spokane, WA

Thursday

Ron's Drive Inn

12502 E. Sprague Ave., Spokane Valley, WA

Friday**Zip's Drive Inn**

1005 S. Main St., Deer Park, WA

Saturday**Lone Wolf Harley-Davidson**

19011 E. Cataldo, Ave, Spokane Valley, WA

May – Sept 2nd and last Saturday, 2 – 4 pm

A SOMEWHAT TENTATIVE 2025 EVENT SCHEDULE

Many of these are merely suggestions.
“For Sure” events are boxed and bolded. If
date, time and place of a possible event is
known, it is listed without any emphasis.

February 2025

Saturday February 15, at 5:00 pm
Mirabeau Park Hotel, Spokane Valley
INCCC “Show No Shine”

Sunday Feb 23, at 1:00 pm
Frankie Doodles, downtown Spokane
Annual Club Planning Meeting

March 2025

Club Meeting/Tech-n-Tune

April 2025

Club Meeting

May 2025

Tuesday – Friday, May 20 May 23
San Luis Obispo, CA
2025 International CORSA Convention

Club Meeting

June 2025

“Car d’ Lane” Car Show
Flag Day Parade, Fairfield
Club BBQ

July 2025

Club Meeting

August 2025

Club Meeting/Tech-n-Tune

September 2025

Palouse Days Car Show
Haul Ass to Harrison Car Show

October 2025

Club Meeting/Planning Meeting for 2026

November 2025

Club Meeting/Planning Meeting for 2026

December 2025

Club Christmas Dinner

PARTS FOR SALE

Two replacement mufflers for my ‘65
140. I bought those from California
Corvair. \$100.00
Bob Sherman 509 890 3233



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2025 CORSA INTERNATIONAL CONVENTION

MAY 20-23, 2025, SAN LUIS OBISPO, CA

Hosted by Central Coast Corsa

Info: www.centralcoastcorsa.org

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Participating CORSA Chapters

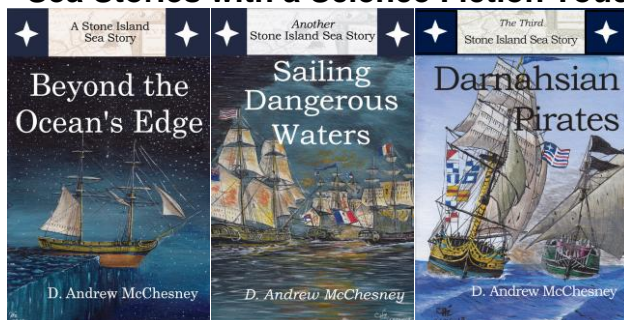


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