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June 18 CCE Meeting at Villa Park VFW at 7:00!

The June 18 CCE membership meeting will be held upstairs in the main meeting room of the Villa Park VFW, 39 E. St. Charles Road, Villa Park. Doors open at 6:30 PM. Meeting starts at 7:00 PM. All members are welcome. Room closes at 9:30, with further socialization down stairs in the bar until 11:00.

July 9 CCE Board of Directors Meeting at Manny's Ale House

The July 9 board meeting will be held at Manny's Ale House, 683 St Charles Road, Elmhurst. Meeting starts at 7:30 PM. All members are welcome. Come at 6:30 and eat dinner.



Extra!

Due to a Scheduling Conflict with
The Villa Park VW, the
Third Wednesday of the month CCE Meeting
originally scheduled for
July 16,

Will be held on the Fourth Wednesday, July 23.

Same place, same time,, 7:00 PM, just a different date, a week later.

This is a one-time thing, for July only. For August we will return to having CCE Meetings on the Third Wednesday of the month.

From the President

Jeff Wentz

Learning to Drive – A Family Saga

I'm sure we all have memories of ourselves learning to drive, as well as spouses, children, friends, and other families. My personal story was ordinary – watching my father drive for work and travel, high school drivers training... But, learning to drive wasn't always like that – especially for women of previous



especially for women of previous generations. My grandmother's battle to get a license was a somewhat amusing case in point.

She was born in 1900 in a very small rural area in North Texas, just south of the Oklahoma border. She probably never saw a car until she was in high school. Most travel back then was by mule drawn buggies, but about 1930 she and my grandfather borrowed a model T truck and moved their 4-year-old and 8-month-old daughters and the truck owner's son all the way to the Rio Grande Valley, over 650 miles away. The owner's son made the entire trip standing on the truck's running board.

My grandfather plowed the fields with a mule until he got a tractor, probably sometime in the 1940's, but he didn't get a car until about 1961. So of course, Grandma wanted to learn to drive. About that time, my immediate family drove from South Bend for a visit. One day, my dad drove my grandparents into town, where upon my grandmother asked to drive. My dad dutifully changed seats and grandma took the wheel. She had no feel for the throttle or braking and at the first turn she was flailing at the controls like a woman who went into a shoe store having a 75% off sale that ended in 15 minutes. At the next stop, my grandfather jumped out of the back seat and refused to get back in the car until my dad drove. My grandma took exception this and went into full termagant mode, but my dad quietly wiped the sweat off his face and agreed that was enough for the day. My grandfather insisted on stopping at church on the way home.

Eventually, she did get her driver's license – after failing the drivers test eight (yes, eight!) times. At the end of that last test, the DMV examiner told her, "Lady, you are the worst driver I've ever seen, but I'm giving you a license because I never want to risk my life getting is a car with you again."

A true part of my family's lore.

From the Director

Kevin Kloker

Air Power



This April, Audrey and I visited Windmill Island Gardens in Holland, Michigan. Besides 100,000 colorful tulips, they have the only authentic Dutch windmill (125 foot tall including the blades) in the US, relocated from Vinkel, Noord Brabant, the Netherlands in 1964. The De Zwaan ("the Swan") windmill was heavily damaged during World War II and had deteriorated almost beyond repair. Acquiring this windmill took three years of government negotiations followed by painstaking craftmanship by Dutch millwright Jan Diederik Medendorp (pictured below) to supervise the disassembly, transport by ship, and restoration in Holland, Michigan as a working flour mill.



Jan and his wife Nellie arrived in Holland, Michigan on Oct 10, 1964, to supervise the windmill reconstruction. They became friends with Robert DeNooyer, a local Chevrolet dealer, who loaned them a **Corvair** to drive during their stay. I have been unable to find any details about this loaner Corvair – was it an early or late model (could have been either at that time), body style, color, manual or automatic? But I am sure they loved it, being "air powered." The most prominent use of

windmills in Holland was using air power to "get rid of water," as the wind drove pumps to reclaim "below sea level" land for farming. Similarly, the Corvair fan "gets rid of water" by using air power to cool the engine (and heat the passengers)!





Before this analogy goes too far, I must toss a fan belt to drive a water pump. As a thank you, DeNooyer shipped a **Malibu convertible** overseas to Medendorp after his return to the Netherlands. Was this change of wind due to styling, Ralph Nader, or a big V8? In return, Jan made a 1/10 scale replica windmill called De Zwaantje ("the Little Swan") which he gave to DeNooyer who later donated it to Windmill Island Gardens. The plaque on the Little Swan (pictured below) is how I learned about their loaner Corvair.

From the Editor

Charley Biddle

Ramblings from your Humble Editor—

Changes to CCE Alert SMS Messages: The CCE Alert System has had the ability to send email alerts and SMS text messages to members who signed up for these services. The email alerts are not affected. These are messages sent as emails to members to alert them to last minute notices that have not been placed in the Airhorn. These show up in CCE member's email inboxes, like all other email messages. There also has been the capability to send SMS text messages directly to member's mobile devices, for those members who do not always check their emails on a timely basis. When members sign up for CCE Alerts in SMS text message format, they are asked for the names of their mobile device service provider. This was requested because each mobile device provider has a different server address for sending text messages to its customers and the operator of the CCE Alert system must route messages to different servers, depending on the mobile device provider the CCE member uses. For some reason, a number of mobile device service providers are discontinuing the service of sending SMS text messages to their customers in the form of email messages. Some providers, T-Mobile and Verizon for example, simply drop the SMS text message request. The sender, the CCE Alert system, has no idea the message will not go thru. For now, AT&T is sending a nastygram message back to the CCE Alert system that its email to SMS message service will be discontinued as of some certain date. CCE members who signed up for SMS text CCE Alert messages should be aware that they may not be getting CCE Alert system messages on a timely basis or not at all. Research is currently underway to find a solution to this situation that does not involve paying for some third party service to continue to send SMS text messages from the CCE Alert system.

Thought: "My teacher told me not to worry about spelling because in the future there will be AutoCorrect. I am eternally grapefruit." — Internet Meme

Thought: "The easiest way to find something lost around the houseis to buy a replacement." — Anonymous

Thought: A Higgs boson goes into a church. The priest says, "We don't allow Higgs bosons here." And the Higgs boson says, "But without me there is no mass." — Neil deGrasse Tyson

Board Meeting Minutes

John DiProva

Date: May 14th,2025

Location: Manny's Ale House, Elmhurst, IL

Start time: 7:33 PM

Roll call: Board members present at meeting start:

President: Jeff Wentz, Vice President: Paul Polster, Treasurer: Kevin Kloker, Secretary: John DiProva, Director at Large: Lin Parro. Absent: Kevin Kloker.

Committee Heads Present: *Airhorn* Editor and Membership: Charley Biddle, Activities: Lin Parro, Librarian: Diane Johnson.

Other Members Present: Kirk Parro, Ray Johnson, Jane Horak

Welcome from Jeff Wentz, Presiding Board member:

Jeff Wentz called the meeting to order and welcome everyone.

Treasurer's Report: Kevin Kloker

• Kevin was absent, Look in *Airhorn* for current financials

Airhorn Report: Charley Biddle

- Charley brought some Printed color *Airhorns*.
- Charley added pictures from the Dust-Off Tour. Larry Claypool's Stock Is Article.
- How Not to Install Cruise Control by Fred Bachrodt.
- Charley added the flyer for the 55th Anniversary Milwaukee Corvair Club all Corvair show.
- Charley did a good job as usual editing pictures and articles to fit into the *Airhorn*.
- John DiProva will email the pictures of the Spring Tour to Charley for upcoming *Airhorns*.

Membership Report: Charley Biddle

- 118 members ,14 did not renew yet will update next week at general meeting.
- Bob Smith and Ernie Etheridge are returning members.
- Greg and Anne Richards are new members.
- Diane asked about the status of the Membership report and it is being worked on.
- Updates at the general meeting.

Library Report: Diane Johnson

• Diane added the CORSA 1987 and 2001 Convention editions and other Communiqués to the library.

Special Reports or Announcements:

None to report

Activities: Lin Parro

- May 20-23 is the 2025 CORSA Convention the May General meeting is Wednesday May 21st.
- May 30th Meadows Christian Fellowship cruise night 5:00 – 8:00 PM, 2401Kirchoff Road, Rolling Meadows, Ill they have shows every other Friday from May 30th through Labor Day.
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- Ann Arbor MI.
- Sunday, Aug 3rd, IRM, Union, IL M there will be a Flyer in the upcoming *Airhorn*. More information to come
- Saturday, Aug 9th, Mt. Prospect Corvair Cruise Night, 3-8 PM Metra Station East commuter lot at the SE corner of Northwest Highway and Maple.
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- Suggestions for the fall tour date and location are welcome. There are some ideas already, more information to come.

Old Business:

None to report

New Business:

 Jeff Wentz, Paul Polster, Charley Biddle, John DiProva discussed more ideas to get some Tech Talk articles and Garage Squad events in the near future. More to come.

Adjournment:

Motion by: Charley Biddle Seconded by: Paul Polster Time: 8:40 PM

General Meeting Minutes

John DiProva

Date: May 21st 2025

Location: VFW Hall Villa Park

Start time: 7:10 PM

Roll call: Board members present at meeting start:

President: Jeff Wentz, Vice President: Paul Polster, Treasurer: Kevin Kloker, Secretary: John DiProva, Director at Large: Lin Parro, Absent: None.

Committee Heads Present: Airhorn Editor and Membership: Charley Biddle, Activities: Lin Parro, Librarian: Diane Johnson, Social Media: Shelly Claypool, Absent: Shelly Claypool.

Welcome from Presiding Board Member

 Jeff Wentz welcomed everybody and new member Greg Richards. Greg purchased a Yellow 1964 Corvair Spyder convertible 4-speed and is awaiting its arrival.

Treasurer's Report: Kevin Kloker

- Kevin reported we are all caught up on bills Kevin will deposit membership checks as he receives them.
- All financials are in the *Airhorn* will be updated in next month's *Airhorn*.

Airhorn Report: Charley Biddle

- Charley asked if anybody has not received their *Airhorn*. No one said they didn't.
- The *Airhorn* has the flyer for the Milwaukee Corvair Club All Corvair Show.

Membership Report: Charley Biddle

• We have 118 members, newest members being Greg

and Anne Richards.

CORSA News: Larry Claypool

• Larry is at the CORSA Convention he will have convention news next month.

Library Report: Diane Johnson

- Diane reported that Larry sent Diane a picture of the CCE banner from the hotel Lobby.
- Diane mentioned that there has been some activity with the library, Jeff Wentz came and borrowed a book from the library. Mike McGowan came and looked for some information about the 1971 CORSA convention. He took them with him to the 2025 CORSA convention.
- There is a list on the CCE website of what is available in our library which is located at Diane's home.
- Diane mentioned that she has a source for T-shirts and asked for a show of hands. There is a lot of interest for new CCE apparel and she will talk with the board at next month's Board meeting.

Social Media: Shelly Claypool

- Shelly is at the CORSA Convention. She will have convention news next month.
- Shelly posted CORSA Convention pictures on the CCE Facebook page.

Special Reports or Announcements:

- Paul Polster purchased a Sealed Beam headlight Aiming kit for the club to use. See Paul for details.
- Ray Johnson mentioned he has a source for ZEP F10 which is a Borax-type powdered hand cleaner at a good price. See Ray for details.
- Al Morgan brought some parts for an FC heater for anyone to take.

Activities: Lin Parro

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- Lin mentioned that she is working on obtaining information from Dave Mann about club apparel.

Dave used to have a source for apparel. It will be nice to have sources for some CCE apparel.

Old Business: None to report

New Business:

- There were CCE apparel items donated by Fred Castro, auctioned off:
 - CCE Hoodie \$ 8 Anne Wentz
 - CCE Hoodie \$ 10 Lou Zanon
 - CCE Denim Jean Jacket \$ 30 John DiProva
- Proceeds went to the CCE

Adjourn:

Motion by: Lou Zanon, Seconded by: Fred Castro, Time: 8:05 PM.

Treasurer's Report

Kevin Kloker

05/01/2025 - 05/31/2025

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		Debit	Credit	Balance
05/01	Beginning Balance			1,275.89
05/22	Items Auction Receiv	ed May 21	60.00	
05/22	Donations Received May 21		40.00	
05/29	VFW May Rent	200.00		
05/31	Ending Balance			1,175.89

Vanguard Savings Account

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05/01 Beginning Balance 05/30 Dividend	Debit	15,104.93 54.06
05/31 Ending Balance		15,158.99
05/31 Total All Accounts		16,334.88

Membership Report

Charley Biddle

No New Members

Birthdays for 7/1 thru 7/31 are: 7/4—Charley Biddle;



7/7—Amanda Bakken, Cindy Pokrajac; 7/8—Doug S. Daniels; 7/15—Vic Heen, Michael Izydorski, Melissa Izydorski, Jim

Novak, Leon Stonis; 7/17—Matt Herda, Phil Nolte, Gloria Zanon; 7/19—Ray Behrends, Dawn Brandes, Bob Foster; 7/21—Susan Malloy; 7/24—Jackie Miller; 7/25—Allan Pilloff; 7/28—Ian Hellings; 7/31—Jackie Johnston.

Anniversaries for 7/1 thru 7/31 are: 7/1—Jim & Lelia



Novak; 7/4—Rich & Barb Carroll; 7/8—Kirk & Lin Parro; 7/19—Dave Kolber & Maureen Burns; 7/20—Jeffrey & Ann Wentz.

Numbers: CCE has 54 Active members, 69 Family members, 8 Honorary members

Activities and Events

Lin Parro

June

General Meeting: Parking Lot Beauty Contest

This is a members participation activity. Everyone who has a Corvair drives it to the meeting to form a small car show. Members participating in the contest will need to register their car.

All members, whether you have a Corvair or not, will receive a ballot to vote for their favorite car. Categories are: Early Open, Early Close, Late Open, Forward Control, and Work in Progress. Ballots will be tallied during the business portion of the meeting announcing winners at the end of the break. All winners receive bragging rights for the year.

July

Th-Sa, Jul 10-13th, Detroit Area Corvair Club Homecoming, Ann Arbor, MI

Wyndom Garden, 2900 Jackson Rd., Ann Arbor, MI

Look forward to a free buffet breakfast for hotel registrants, free lunch each day in Ken Pepke's World Class Hospitality Room, indoor and outdoor swap meet each day, Road Rally on Thursday. On Friday evening enjoy a cookout/picnic followed by an automotive related movie. Saturday will be the Valve Cover races followed by a live auction of various items. Seems like a good alternative if you're not going to CA. For more information go to detroitcovairs.com/homecoming.

Sunday, July 20th, Illinois Region AACA's 74th Annual Car Show, 9 AM-2 PM

Carpenters Park, 300 Carpenter Blvd.Carpentersville, IL Featured car: 75 years of Nash Rambler. Being this is a judged show all vehicles must be 25 years old (2000) and older. If you wish to participate registration fees are as follows: Preregistration - \$20 Judged/\$15 Display Only; Day of Show - \$30 Judged/\$20 Display Only; no entrance fee for spectators. Judging starts at 10:30 AM, awards given out at 1:00 PM. See flyer/registration form for additional information. Any questions contact Jim Sikora/Show Manager at 708-691-9854, jamessikora@att.net.

August

General Meeting: Board of Directors nominations begin.

Sunday, Aug 3rd, 34th Annual Vintage Transport

Extravaganza, 8 AM-5 PM, Union, IL

Illinois Railway Museum (IRM), 7000 Olson Road, Union IL.

Vehicle driver and all passengers in vehicle at time of entry will have free admission and train rides. CCE assists the volunteers of the museum in coordinating this event. CCE members, each year, are invited to volunteer to help run the gate and enjoy a free day visiting the car fields, museum and ride a few "rails" for the day. So, if you're looking for something to do with the kids/grandkids...this is the place to be.

Sunday, August 17th, CCE Picnic, 11 AM-CC

Pottawatomie Park, River Pavilion. 8 North Ave., St. Charles, IL

Grill preparations will begin around 11 AM to be available for use by 12 Noon. Everyone brings their own food. There will not be a potluck unless you want to coordinated among yourselves. Unfortunately alcohol is NOT permitted. CCE will be providing pop, water and ice.

Please note vehicles are NOT permitted to drive to pavilion to unload or to assist anyone disabled. Plenty of attractions and activities; go to the Park's website for information. All family and friends welcome.

Sunday, August 24th, The Geneva Concours d'Elegance

10 AM-4 PM, located on Third Street in Geneva, IL. Visit website genevaconcours.net for any information.

September

General Meeting: Members Appreciation and Awards Pizza Night

This meeting the Board of Directors will take the opportunity to thank the members of CCE for their support and awards given out to recognize members who continually contribute to the club in some way.

Also on the agenda is the continuation of Board of Directors nominations.

Sunday, September 14th, Worth Cruisers' Car Show, 8 AM-3 PM

Metra Train Station, 11030 S. Depot St. More details to follow.

Cruise Night Season has started:

Frankfort Cruise Nights are on Mondays 6/2-9/22

Located in and around the town square. Plenty of restaurants in the area to area to have a meal or dessert. Refer to website **frankfortcarclub.club** for dates, featured vehicle(s), various parking locations.

Rolling Meadows Cruise Night are on every other Friday, 5-8 PM, 5/30-8/22.

Located at Meadows Christian Fellowship, 2401 Kirchoff Road, Rolling Meadows, IL.

Food and beverages available for purchase. For more information and dates refer to the church's Facebook page called "Meadows Cruise Nights" or website cruisenight@meadowsfamily.org.

Westmont Cruisin' Nights and Street Fair are on Thursdays, 5-9 PM, 6/5-8/28

(No event on July 10th due to Taste of Westmont)

Located in Downtown Westmont on Cass Avenue. Classic and cool cars enter the event from Norfolk Avenue near Bank of America, 139 N. Cass Avenue. Refer to website **westmontevents.com** for dates, featured vehicle(s) and any additional information.

If you want to add a cruise night, send me the info and I'll add it to the list.

That's it for me, if you have any activity ideas for club

outings, general meetings, or know of any non-CCE upcoming events, don't be shy....please send them my way to Lin Parro at (cell) 708-932-9966 (if texting, please identify yourself-thank you) or email to lindaparro@gmail.ccm.

Thanks everyone!

Illinois Railway Museum

Larry Claypool and Dawn Castro

Vintage Transport Extravaganza

Event Date: Sunday, August 3, 2025

Pre-registration is open for the 34th Annual Vintage Transport Extravaganza at the Illinois Railway Museum in Union, Illinois. This fun car



display/train museum day is always a good time!

Want to volunteer at the gate this year? If you help out that day, you receive free entrance into the museum (includes guest tickets and goody bags). We typically have a large number of CCE members who help each year. We arrive and begin setup between 7:00–7:30 AM and the gates open promptly at 8:00 AM (and no sooner).

If you are <u>not</u> interested in volunteering but will be attending the event with your Corvair, you can USPS mail your pre-registration check and form (\$15.00 before July 29) and I will send you a printed window display participant card. If you want to attend on the day of the event and you are not volunteering at the gate, the cost onsite is \$20.00 per vehicle.

Kindly let Dawn Castro know if you plan on volunteering for any part of the morning so we are sure to have enough staff to provide a smooth registration process.

A registration form is included this issue of the June *Airhorn* and is also available at: www.irm.org.

There may also be a stack of registration forms at the next CCE meetings that you may take to distribute at car events that you may attend this summer to promote the event.

630-991-8601 Dawn Castro dawncastro@comcast.net

CORSA News You Can Use

CORSA Board of Directors

The 2025 Convention is in the books. It wrapped up on Friday, May 23rd and members are home after a week of events and catching up with their Corvair friends. There were a lot of cars and smiles. The next issue of the Communique will have a full recap with lots of pictures. CORSA thanks the host chapter, Central Coast Corsa and the 8 western division chapters who supported the event. There



were also many convention sponsors and donors, and we thank them all.

The next convention will be in Gettysburg, PA June $22^{nd} - 26^{th}$, 2026. Look for more information later this year. Interested in hosting a future convention? Want to know how? 2027 and beyond need locations and hosts! Contact your division director or the club office, and the Convention Planning group can answer any questions.

Membership renewals: if you read this before June 1st, there is still time to renew your membership before the dues increase takes effect. A two-year renewal gives you two extra months of membership- a great deal. Share this news with other Corvair owners too! Join CORSA at <u>Join-Renew-Contact (corvair.org)</u>.

CORSA Board Positions Preview: Consider volunteering your time to serve on the CORSA Board. Positions will be elected in all three divisions. If you have questions about what it's like to serve, contact any current board members. Nomination statements will be published in an upcoming CMQ and election in fall.

CCE Spring Tour 2025

Dee Dee Dickinson

I'd like to begin this article by thanking Lin Parro for all the work she does as Activities Coordinator in putting together a Spring and Fall Tour every year. As the years pass, it becomes more and more challenging to come up with new destinations of interest, as CCE has seen just about every car related attraction in the area. It's also because we've been doing tours for more years than I can remember. That's why you'll hear Lin asking for ideas at the General Meetings.

The idea for last year's fall tour to the Wisconsin Automotive Museum in Hartford was suggested by Ted and Pat Malo. Thanks again Ted and Pat! This year, John DiProva and Jane Horak said that they'd really like to go down to Springfield to see the National Corvair Museum.

So, on May 4th, 19 CCE members met up at the BP Station in Channahon (with three others joining us en route) for the 2025 Spring Tour. Since the weather couldn't make up its mind if it really wanted to rain or not, only five Corvairs made an appearance.

Our driving excursion also included a section of iconic Route 66 with historic Atlanta as our first stop. There we enjoyed lunch at the Country-Aire Restaurant, where we were introduced to Lumi, the Pie Lady, the first of four "Muffler Man/Bunyan Giant" statues we'd see in Atlanta. After lunch, we drove into downtown Atlanta to the American Giants Museum, which houses a rotating collection of International Fiberglass giants. The museum tells the story of the kitschy and quirky "giant" statues that sprang up in the 1960s as advertising gimmicks across the United States. Other sites of interest in town include seven building murals, several museums and historic sites, the only octagonal library in Illinois, and more.

Our next stop was the National Corvair Museum where we were greeted by Brian Nicholson, the Curator (and Prairie Capital Corvair member), who provided us with a guided tour. Larry and Shelly Claypool were also there and were able to provide additional insight into the cars on display.

From the museum, we headed to Route 66 Motorheads Bar and Grill, Museum and Entertainment Complex for a bite to eat and a beverage or two. You have to actually see Motorheads

for yourself in order to be able to describe it. In the most basic of terms, it can be said that it has a most unique and widely varied display of car related and Route 66 memorabilia. For example, there is a rear end of a '65 Corvair (complete with the tail lights lit up) hung above the entrance to the restrooms.

After Motorheads, the group split in two, with some choosing to head for home. The rest of us headed to the Route 66 Experience at the Illinois State Fairgrounds. The Experience includes vintage billboards, a drive-in movie theater, the Legends Neon Sign Park (which illuminates at dusk) and a tribute to the "Muffler Men". From there we began our long journey home.

Thank you again to Lin for organizing this tour and to all who joined us for this experience. I can only hope you enjoyed yourselves as much as I did.













