

Pikes Peak Corvair Club

Meeting Minutes

August 15, 2021

Called to order 9:35 am by John Green. Thirteen members present, 12 in person, 1 via zoom.

Introduced new members Jeff and Tanya. Jeff gave an overview on the cars they have.

Minutes approved from last meeting.

Treasurers report-General fund \$3099.21, SeeMore fund \$2910.72. Total is \$6009.93. Received dues payment at meeting, and expecting a membership remittance.

Mail-all that was received was a flyer for a car show in Limon on August 28. John Green has the flyer if you want more info.

SeeMore-looking for storage for the trailer. Duane Hays offered his facility, but board decided a more central location was needed. Jerry found storage facility in Monument for \$65/mo. Thought was mentioned to see if Tech Schools would be interested in having SeeMore for study in the winter months when SeeMore isn't displayed. At Cripple Creek an industrial instructor from Kansas asked the group about the background of Corvairs.

Wilshire picnic is today.

The Rocky Mountain Airport event had 2000 people in attendance. An airshow took place. Five Corvairs were on display. Lots of other cars. Mike Piper, Ken Schifftner and Dusty Dodge were in attendance as were Jim Reich and Marcus Miller from RMC.

Castle Pines car show in Castle Rock had 98 cars there, mostly vintage.

Centennial Airpost car show next Sunday, August 22. Show up at 11:00

a.m., show is 12-2. Corvair owner plus one guest gets into the museum free. Lunch at Perfect Landing following shows. Car Show is on the apron. Vintage planes are expected to attend as well. Ken needs the number of cars that will be attending by May 20.

Prospects of a National Convention in Colorado Springs were discussed. Mike Hall, CORSA president, has communicated that CORSA would like a National Convention in Colorado in 2024. The Springs is the favored site vs. Denver.

Search is on for a host hotel.

Would need Chairman's for various aspects of the event. Concourse will be run by a Chair, Awards, Moving Rallies, Printer. No upfront money needed.

Publicity, thru the local car clubs and the Communique, is needed to keep it in the spotlight after the 2023 National.

CORSA will negotiated the hotel rates. Let hotel arrange the tours.

RMC has experience with a National Convention, possibly those members can mentor PPCC members in the arranging.

The survey Ken put out earlier had 15 responses, 14 yes, 1 no. Help is there, we think.

Handbook exists for setting up a convention thru CORSA. It's online.

Hospitality area at hotel will need bodies to man.

If the prospective host hotel is sold while under contract with CORSA, they are obligated to find another venue for this event.

Need bid to CORSA ASAP with dates. Eric of RMC has the details of what needs to be done.

From those present there is interest, now that they have more information.

Another survey will go out with information on what help will be needed, and asking who would be interested in volunteering, as chairmen or as support staff.

PPCC board needs to propose to club membership if we should go forward and commit to the Convention.

On to new business....

Christmas party will be at Biaggi's on December 12 at 1 p.m. Appetizers

and non-alcoholic drinks will be covered by club. Menu is still being discussed. More info to come.

Centennial airport event next Sunday. Info above.

Concourse is Sept. 12. So far eleven Corvairs will be there. Event benefits Ability Connection.

Florence Pioneer Days parade is Sept. 18. Theme for parade is "The Way They Played." See John's email for details.

Car Show in Parker on Sept. 18 at the MorningStar Living Center 8:30 am-12:30 pm.

Old Colorado Springs car show is Sept. 19 9am-3pm.

Discussed Fall drive and where to go. Eleven Mile Reservoir route, Alma, Fairplay and Buena Vista were suggested. Based on the beautiful trip last year to Victor it was decided to do that route again. Mark your calendars for Sept. 25.

Tri-State in October. Only a few present were going. Green's stayed at host hotel last month and said it was a nice place.

Proposed a road trip to Pueblo and the visit the aircraft museum ?????? in early November. More to come on that.

Tech stuff-John has sent out emails about cars for sale by various people.

Fuel pump from the club stash at the Feasels was offered to the group. Jerry snagged it.

Adjourned 11:00 am.

