

The Four Wheel Independent



It's a longer, wider, roomier, sportier Corvair this year. About the only thing that's back is where the engine goes-and you can even have that with more power.

Corvair's rear engine has never had so much excitement to look forward to.

Like a whole new Body by Fisher that's over 3 inches longer, 2 inches wider, and immeasurably sportier.

Like a brand-new 4-wheel independent suspension system and a wider tread-our way of saying shorter turning, faster steering, smoother ride and "bring on Mt. Everest."

As for the inside, bravo! More room. New deeply recessed instruments-a fascinating world inside the new Corsa, for instance, of odometers, tachometers and electric clocks. Subtle-grain vinyl bucket seats on all Monza and Corsa models-backed by foam cushioning that would do the easiest of easy chairs proud.

New power choices, too. There's a new 140-hp engine that's standard in Corsa models and can be ordered for all others-and a 180-hp job that you can specify for your Corsa.

But all that's just a pleasing front. Deep down, Corvair's more economical than ever before. With new flush-and-dry rocker panels and inner fender skirts for rust protection. A new Delcotron generator for battery protection. New larger self-adjusting brakes for your protection. Nine-step Magic-Mirror finish.

As for the '65 Corvair styling, you can see for yourself why it's being cheered on both sides of the Atlantic Ocean. It's the most cheerful Corvair we've ever built . . . Chevrolet Division of General Motors, Detroit, Mich.

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Treasurer's Report for March-April 2017

by Sandra Holmes



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	Check #	Amount	Deposits	Total			
Beginning Balance				\$2,524.23			
3/8/17			\$32.00				
4/11/17			\$38.01				
Total Deposits				\$70.01			
Expenses:							
Total Expenses			0.00				
Total in Bank				\$2,594.24			
Cash on Hand from 50/50	(Deposited on 4	1/11/17)					
Submitted Sandra Holmes 4/12/17							



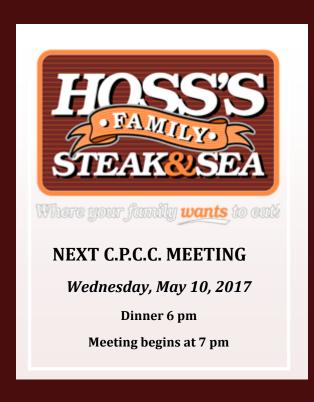
The Corvair Society of America (CORSA)

"Founded in 1969 by and for those who still appreciate the Corvair automobile"

Central Pennsylvania Corvair Club strongly encourages all members to become members of the Corvair Society of America (CORSA). Anyone with a fondness of the Corvair automobile will benefit from CORSA membership. In addition, we will all benefit by maintaining a strong national presence to lobby our interests and organize our collective purposes.

PLEASE do not overlook the potential value of a CORSA membership. Try it out. Your first year will cost only \$45. If you share our enthusiasm for these superbly engineered and styled cars, why not join our Society today? Domestic dues are only \$45 for 1 year/ \$90 for 26 months (two months free!) We are sure you will find it a worthy and rewarding investment! Visit: https://www.corvair.org/index.php/documents to register online.

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President's Message

by JOHN Berkheimer



Hi Everyone,

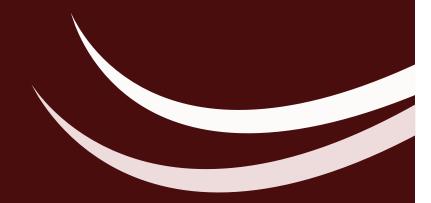
John Johnson and I were talking and we decided I should let everyone know what we do to distinguish the "John's" apart.

Whenever I, John Berkheimer, send email or messages other than the President's message I sign them in all caps, JOHN. So whenever you see this it doesn't mean one of the John's are yelling at you but it is John Berkheimer, President, and not John Johnson, Vice President.

Keep in mind we will have a cruise to the Gettysburg Battlefield on May 6th which will be before the next meeting, May 10th. John will have information about our meeting place and time in this newsletter (see page 5).

Hope to see everyone out with their Corvairs.

Happy Corvairing,





MAY

Meet at Corvair Ranch at 10AM

JUNE

JULY

AUGUST

SEPTEMBER

OCTOBER

Red Lion Water Treatment Plant

John & Joyce Berkheimer's Home

Muddy Creek Fork Get-Together

Battlefield Tour

Club Potluck

Picnic and Pool Party

6

17

15

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Call To Order

Secretary Minutes from

April 2017 Meeting

by Earl Holmes



The meeting was called to order by our president John Berkheimer, at 7:00 P.M, at the Hoss's Restaurant.

The Secretary read the minutes from the March meeting which included plans to visit the Peddle Car Museum and the planning of club activities for May, June, and August.

Sandy Holmes gave the Treasures Report. The Club's account reflects a positive amount.

Old Business

◆ The date of the tour of the Water Treatment Plant in Red Lion has been changed from the 12th of August, until the 19th of August.

New Business

- ◆ The activity for May 6th, has been changed from the Cruise to Kings Gap, to a tour of Gettysburg. We will meet that the Corvair Ranch. The tour will be given by John Johnson.
- There was a discussion on whether the club should consider the possibility of purchasing insurance from Corsa for the moving events like Corvair Days. There was decision made on this matter until additional information is obtained.

Announcements

• Ron Hash was the winner of the 50/50 drawing. Congratulation's Ron.

Keith Khawajy made a motion to adjourn the meeting. This motion was seconded by Tom Zinn and the meeting was adjourned.

The nest meeting will be held May 10th at the Hoss's Restaurant in YorkAttendees

Keith K

14 - 15 Overnight Trip to Williamsport

CORVAIR DAY



All submissions for the monthly Newsletter must be received by the Newsletter Editor no later than

May 20, 2017

Attendees

John and Sandy Johnson
Jim and Linda Enfield
Ron and Betty Hash
Curt and Jane Bonser
Earl and Sandy Holmes
John Warren
Steve Sabaka
Tom Zinn

John Berkheimer
Norm Masenheimer
Keith Kahwajy
Lou Trimper
Bruce Culp
Steve Hooper
Rich Heisler

V-P Ramblings

by John Johnson



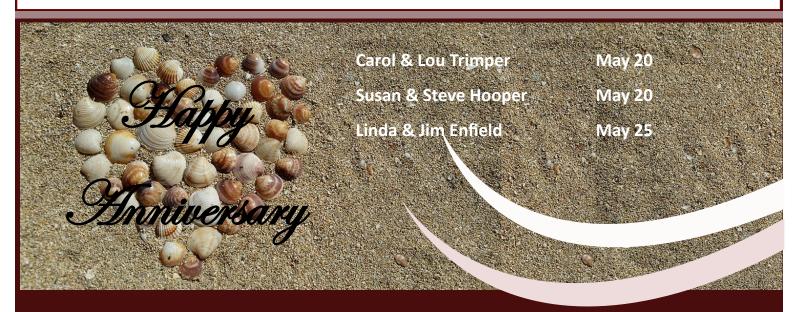
Sandy and I will be having breakfast with some of my high school classmates on Friday. After breakfast, we plan to drive to Gettysburg to make the final arrangements for our 1st Cruise of 2017 season. At the end of the monthly meeting on April 12th, JOHN asked for a show of hands as to who was planning to participate in Gettysburg Cruise. There were at 12 hands that were raised with a showing of potential 8 or more cars going. What a great showing! JOHN also mentioned that there was interest from the Mid-Maryland Club to possibly join us. With that many cars touring the Battlefield as a group, I want to make sure the Rangers know we will be there. I also want to talk to the restaurant to reserve seating for us as

well. It could be quite a turnout of members and their Corvairs. We should be the talk of the tourists. Be prepared to answer Corvair related questions as well as hearing stories about Corvairs from the people we meet. Remember, this Cruise is rain or shine, so dress for the weather. As I mentioned in last back into the car. In the meantime, I want to month's Newsletter, be prepared to learn new things about the Battlefield. Battle tactics, dinosaur footprints, hugging a veteran and the ever present resident Ghosts are just part of the itinerary of the day. Don't forget, we will meet at the Corvair Ranch at 10:00 AM on May 6th.

Just an update on my '64 Monza, IT IS BACK ON THE ROAD!!! Thanks to Ron Hash the car

has fresh gas, fresh oil, and a new oil pan gasket and, most importantly, NO LEAKS! That is saying a lot considering it has been stored in my garage for, at least, the past five years. In a later article, I will detail the procedure Ron went through bringing life give a heartfelt thanks to Ron for all his help and expertise. Without him, the car would still be sitting in the corner of the garage.

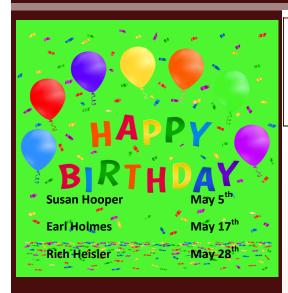
I hope to see many of you at the Pedal Car Museum this Sunday and then two weeks later at the Ranch for the Gettysburg Cruise. It looks like we are off to a good start for another eventful summer of Corvairs, cruising and camaraderie.



Tech Session Ideas?

Do you have an interesting technical project you worked on recently? Need to see a technical demonstration of a procedure that will help you with your restoration or repair project? We are looking for ideas for technical demonstration sessions. These technical sessions can be helpful for those of us restoring or performing maintenance on our Corvairs. If you have an idea, please notify one of our officers listed on page 2.





This Month in Corvair History... the end of an era...

5/12/69...Chevrolet publicly announces they will cease production of the Corvair.

5/14/69...The last Corvairs roll off the factory assembly line, including the final Corvair, #6,000, an Olympic Gold Monza coupe that ultimately "disappears" to whereabouts unknown.

CORAMBIAN- A Solution is Finally at Hand

by Paul Miller



That has to be a 1/2" inch nut. Got the right socket 1^{st} time- only walked 5', the hard part was getting off the floor. Now if it will just turn easily- won't fit-must be a 5/8"-repeat. Nope-gotta be a 9/16" after all. Yea, it fits ok- sorta. Have to clean the dam* nut some more.

It has to be the ground wire- couldn't be anything else- let's test it. Where is that wire with the two alligator clips that is so useful? It only took 10 minutes to find and *NOW* I can't get a good connection on the connector. Get that tool from my days at Packard that lets me probe the electrical system- there it is- Tool #7J06647. Best gift I received in my automobile career. And so it goes...

Ever have these *frustrations*? Me to! Now the answer is at hand- **Corambian**- a certifiable solution to all things mechanical and electrical- non habit forming, available over the counter and covered by many auto insurance companies. It is equivalent of companies repairing your chipped windshield- but you can do it yourself on all your pesky Corvair problems.

Patent infringement statutes preclude widespread marketing and advertising. So this folks is a very special offer indeed. If you send me directly \$99.99 + s&p (\$9.99) you will get **Corambian** delivered directly to your door.

But wait there's more! Send in now and if your payment includes your SSN number, home address, pertinent bank account numbers, and email passwords, you'll get 2 **yes** 2 **Corambians** along with a **sturdy carry bag-** a \$30 value all by itself.

So don't be stuck on the side of the road watching traffic watch **you**- DO SOMETHING ABOUT IT! Buy **CORAMBIAN** yes **CORAMBIAN** and you're Corvair experience will NEVER be the same!!!

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1965 CORVAIR MONZA CONVERTIBLE

Where did the name "Pick UP Truck" come from? You must read 'till the end to learn...

By Steve Hooper



See how many questions you can you answer?

- 1. What was the first official White House car?
- 2. Who opened the first drive-in gas station?
- 3. What city was the first to use parking meters?
- 4. Where was the first drive-in restaurant?
- 5. True or False? The 1953 Corvette came in white, red and black.
- 6. What was the first car fitted with an alternator, rather than a direct current dynamo?
- 7. What was the first car to be offered with a "perpetual guarantee"?
- 8. What car was the first to have its radio antenna embedded in the windshield?
- 9. Where was the World's first three-color traffic lights installed?
- 10. What type of car had the distinction of being GM's 100 millionth car built in the U.S.?
- 11. Where was the first drive-in movie theater opened, and when?
- 12. What autos were the first to use a standardized production key-start system?
- 13. What car was the first to place the horn button in the center of the steering wheel?
- 14. What U.S. production car has the quickest 0-60 mph time?
- 15. What's the only car to appear simultaneously on the covers of Time and Newsweek?
- 16. What was the lowest priced mass produced American car?
- 17. What is the fastest internal-combustion American production car?
- 18. Who wrote to Henry Ford, "I have drove fords exclusively when I could get away with one It has got every other car skinned, and even if my business hasn't been strictly legal it don't hurt anything to tell you what a fine car you got in the V-8"?
- 19. What car was the first production V12, as well as the first production car with aluminum pistons?
- 20. What was the first car to use power operated seats?
- 21. Which of the Chrysler "letter cars" sold the fewest amount?
- 22. When were seat belts first fitted to a motor vehicle?
- 23. In January 1930, Cadillac debuted it's V16 in a car named for a theatrical version of a 1920's film seen by Harley Earl while designing the body, What's that name?
- 24. What is the Spirit of Ecstasy?

Answers can be found on Page 9 TRIVIA.

Trivia: Ford, who made the first pick-up trucks, shipped them to dealers in crates that the new owners had to assemble using the crates as the beds of the trucks. The new owners had to go to the dealers to get them, thus they had to "pick-up" the trucks. And now you know the "rest of the story".



42ND ANNUAL



Gettysburg Region Antique & Classic Auto & Truck Show & Flea Market

SATURDAY, JUNE 10TH 2017

Featuring all Military vehicles

Latimore Valley Fairgrounds

Special appearance by Iron Ridge Band playing traditional bluegrass music

See inside or visit our website for details and registration. www.gettysburgregion.aaca.com

AACA Membership is not required to register.

Marysville Spring Car Show

Susquenita High School 309 Schoolhouse Road, Duncannon, PA 17020

May 13, 2017

9:00am - 3:00pm

Rain or Shine

Classes Class 1 Camaro Class 2 Chevy 1900 - 1948 Class 3 Chevy 1949 - Present Class 4 Chrysler/Dodge/Plymouth 1900 - Present Class 5 Corvette 1953 - 1982 1984 - Present Class 6 Corvette Class 7 1900 - 1948 Ford Class 8 1949 - Present Ford Class 9 GM (Non-Chevy) Class 10 Muscle Car Class 11 Mustang Class 12 Specialty Class 13 Street Rod Class 14 Trailered cars must be unloaded.

All Proceeds are going towards Saving Our Pool

- Questions, please call 957-3110
- First 100 entries will receive a Dash Plaque
- Judging will be done by entrants.
- Registration is from 8:00am 11:00am.
- Voting ballots will be handed out at 11:30am and must be returned by 1:00pm.
- Winners will be announced around 2:30pm
- Food available for purchase
- Door Prizes
- - 1st, 2nd & 3rd Place Trophies in all Classes
- Best of Show Trophy

Registration Form

\$10.00 pre-registered (deadline (5/8/17) & \$12.00 day of show (registration ends at 11:00am) - No Refunds Please return this portion with your check payable to Marysville Park Pool and Recreation Foundation (MPPR Foundation mail to: MPPR Foundation, c/o Car Show, 200 Overcrest Road, Marysville, PA 17053

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22nd Annual AACA Museum **Community Car Show & Flea Market**

ILL BUGGY & WAGON CO

Car Registration: 8 AM - Noon

Car Show: 9 AM – 2 PM Antiques & Classics Street Rods Trucks & Buses Motorcycles Sports Cars

Saturday, June 17, 2017

Rain or Shine 161 Museum Drive, Route 39

Hershey, Pa 17033 717-566-7100 x101 AACAMuseum.org

Featured Exhibit: Unrestored Vehicles Special show parking for qualifying vehicles



Car Show Admission Free for all guests!

Show Car Fees: Early Registration: \$15.00 (Ending 6/9/17) Regular: \$20.00 (Starting 6/10/17) Flea Market spaces: \$30.00

Family Fun Events:

- Valve Cover Racing
 - Food Vendors
- Antique Car Rides Car Finger Painting
- 50/50 Drawing Vehicle Storage Facility Tours • Music
- (non judged) open to all vehicles
- - Dash plaques for first 200
 AACA Senior & 1st Junior pre-registered vehicles
 participation awards

For more information visit AACAMuseum.org or call 717-566-7100

e**turn form to:** ACA Museum, 161 Museum Dr., Hershey, PA 17033 Address City/State/Zip ☐ Check box for Vehicle Entry ☐ Is your car an AACA Senior or 1st Junior Award Winner? ☐ Check box to Pre-Purchase a CARnival T-shirt \$15 T-shirt Size Additional Donation to Support the AACA Museum Mission Credit Card # ☐ Check box to be a Flea Market vendor. Vendor Specialty: ☐ Check box if participating in the Valve Cover Racing **AACA Mailing**



1. A 1909 White Steamer, ordered by President Taft.

2. Gulf opened up the first station in Pittsburgh in 1913.

3. Oklahoma City, on July 16, 1935.



4. Royce Hailey's Pig Stand opened in Dallas in 1921.

5. False. The 1953 'Vettes were available in one color, Polo White.



8. The 1969 Pontiac

Grand Prix.

9. Detroit, Michigan in 1919. Two years later they experimented with



10. March 16, 1966 saw an Olds Tornado roll



6. The 1960 Plymouth

Valiant

7. The 1904 Acme, from Reading, PA. Perpetuity was disturbing in this case, as Acme closed down in 1911.



synchronized lights.



out of Lansing, Michigan with that honor.



11. Camden, NJ in 1933

12. : The 1949 Chryslers

13. The 1915 Scripps-**Booth Model C. The car** also was the first with electric door latches.



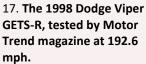
14. The 1962 Chevrolet Impala SS 409. Did it in 4.0 seconds.

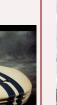






16. The 1925 Ford Model T Runabout. Cost \$260, \$5 less than 1924.





18. Clyde Barrow (of Bonnie and Clyde) in 1934.



19. The 1915 Packard Twin-Six. Used during WWI in Italy, these motors inspired Enzi Ferrari to adopt the V12



20.They were first used on the 1947 Packard line.



21. Only 400, 1963, 300J's

"I" because it looked like a

were sold (they skipped

number 1)

22. In 1902, in a Baker Electric streamliner racer which crashed at 100 mph. on Staten Island!



by Earl and built by

Fleetwood. The sedan

featured a retractable

landau top above the

24. The official name of the mascot of Rolls Royce, she is the lady on top of their radiators. Also known as "Nellie in her nighty".



And now you know the "rest of the story".















CENTRAL PENNSYLVANIA CORVAIR CLUB, INC. (C.P.C.C.)

C.P.C.C. is a chapter of "CORSA" (Corvair Society of America). CORSA is a rapidly growing international organization now is boosting over 4000 members and 120 local chapters worldwide.

The C.P.C.C. Chapter has monthly social/family meetings at various locations within the region. Each month you will receive a newsletter announcing the meeting location. The newsletter also contains information about our club members, technical tips, other club activities, auto events, and classified ads.

The club is for the preservation and interest of the Corvair automobile.

We sponsor Corvair shows, rallies, mini conventions, caravans, parties, and dinners. All of our events are for the member's immediate family.

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Central Pennsylvania Corvair Club

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