The Vair Fax





From the Editor

Hello everyone,

Well January has come and gone in a flash. Things seem to still be up in the air about Springfest. What can and not be done. There will be a meeting on the 20th with 2 members from each club to determine how things can go. Unless some restrictions are lifted, we will not be able to use the Festhalle. That said, I have been told we will have some type of Springfest regardless. I sure plan on being there for whatever it is! An email will be sent after this meeting to let everyone know. Not sure what weekend in March yet, but I plan on having a club meeting at my place. Until then, stay safe and drive you Corvair.

Clay

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FEBRUARY MEETING

There will not be a club meeting this month.

Two members from each club will meet on the 20th to discuss our options for Springfest An email will be sent to everyone outlining the events once everything is set.

LOCAL CRUISE-INS

Ist Saturday of the Month:

Peach Outlet Mall, I-75 exit 149, Byron, GA

Contact:

Marvin Shealy at 478-956-4144 or Rick Goulding at 478-922-6383

Sonic, Hwy 27 and Monroe St, Tallahassee, FL

Contact:

Rueben at 850-894-5815

2nd Saturday of the Month: Steak & Shake at 2999 Watson Blvd in Warner Robins, GA

Contact: Paul at 478-396-2622

3rd Saturday of the Month:

Dairy Queen in Thomasville, GAContact: Steve Gordon at 229-226-2266

What-A-Burger at Appalachee

Parkway, Tallahassee, FL

Contact: Rueben at 850-894-5815
4th Saturday of the Month:
Ole Times County Buffet at Old

The swap shop

FOR SALE: 1964 Corvair Monza Convertible. AC, nice clean car. Belonged to club member Brooks Dugger. Please contact Dustin Dugger at 478-256-5354 L5K OBO

FOR SALE: 1962 Corvair 4DR sedan. New ignition system, new carbs, new A/C compressor (installed, but not completely hooked to system). Good black interior seats, original tube radio works, almost new tires, good paint (Candy Apple) with just a few spots of surface rust under paint. In addition I have what I believe to be a complete engine for a 1960 Corvair, new pistons, cylinders, bearings, just is not put together, along with a transmission. I also have a complete engine for a 1963 (ran when pulled out). It has a new torque converter, new starter. Distributor is off of engine as well as carbs. I have the carbs as well as more parts for the 63 engine. Will sell every thing for \$2000 or best offer. Contact Steve Weigandt at **triglide1941@yahoo.com**

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FOR SALE 1965 Monza sedan for sale. Blue exterior and white interior. This car was restored in 2004 and won its class at that year's Springfest. It has the 110 hp motor, powerglide, Clark's interior, dual exhaust, electronic ignition, high-output alternator, wire wheel covers, good tires, two new spare tires, Clarks's lower control arm bracket. Pictures can be seen on Craigslist- Savannah, GA(search Corvairs). The car is located in Glennville, GA(about 60 miles west of Savannah). Please contact Dennis Stanfield at dbscpa@windstream.net. phone number 912-654-3496(work) or 912-654-9594(home). white top. 110/auto new tires,brakes,shocks.bb Runs and drives good. Asking \$3500 Contact Wallace Clark 770 926 8735. Posted 05/19

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Upcoming events

Please note I or any other club members hosting events are doing everything possible to make everyone feel safe with social distancing, hand washing, etc.

Springfest 2021, Helen Georgia

April 23-24, 2021: More information as it is available. Contact Lillian 229 291 0567 or lawjandl@aol.com

A Note from Lillian

Dues are due first of year. Mail to Heart of Georgia Corvair Club % Lillian Law 34 Mc Gill Road Sumner, GA 31789

Kelly Parker is still recovering from stroke, has lost sight in right eye and has limited use of left arm and hand. This is according to Jeannette Rudolph. She keeps check on him. For more information she can be reached at 770 378 5756 or home 770 860 9285.

Lillian Law

From the Prez- Chuck Smith

Hello everyone. As is the norm lately, Clay has had to remind me that it is time for an article for the newsletter! I have to wonder... is losing track of time a sure sign of aging?

Don't know about you, but I sure am glad the elections are over for a while. I dreaded going to the mailbox, because it was sure to be stuffed with political literature, and the TV had nothing but political ads, one after another. I realize its the nature of the beast, but why can't they tell me what they are going to do for me, instead of dragging their opponent through the mud?

OK. Enough ranting. Have you been on the internet recently, and checked out what sellers are trying to get for their Corvairs? If you happen to have a parts car, just barely recognizable as a Corvair, you are sitting on a gold mine! People are asking 2500-3000 dollars for what appears to be a Corvair, sitting in weeds taller than the car, with small trees growing up between the bumpers and the body of the car! If it is a convertible, the top is in shreds, or completely gone, which usually means the floorboards are gone, not to mention the upholstery. Oh, and lets not forget, it has the "rare" two carburetor engine, which ran when parked, 15 years ago.

Now, on the other end of the scale, we have the restored Corvairs. Some of these cars are trying to be sold for more that a nice house cost when the cars were new. For example, on E-Bay, '64 Monza, 32,500 dollars. '63 Rampside, 49,900 dollars. '62 700 station wagon, 24,900 dollars. I hope you are sitting down for this one, at a Mecum auction earlier this year, a '65 Greenbrier 8-door, 103,400 dollars! I am afraid the days of somebody calling, and telling you that they have a Corvair in their yard, and you can have it if you come get it, are over.

I guess when someone asks you what a Corvair is worth, the correct answer is, " whatever somebody is willing to pay"!

Sorry, I guess I ranted again. Hope everybody is healthy and well, maybe we can all get together soon.

Take care, drive them Corvairs, and do something nice foe someone!

A little something different this month. This is a list of well known people that have owned Corvairs.

John Glenn astronaut '64 convertible Carl Sagan astronomer '64 convertible

Dan Gurney race car driver '62 Spyder convertible

Priscilla Presley wife of Elvis '63 Monza coupe

Rudy Giuliani politician '64 Monza convertible

Buzz Aldrin astronaut '66 Corsa convertible

David Carradine actor late convertible
Martin Milner actor Greenbrier van
Tim Allen actor Yenko Stinger
Jay Leno comedian Rampside

AND (added to his list)

Chuck Smith wanna be comedian 67Monza and many others



