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From the Editor

Hello everyone,

It is hotter than car stereo in a pawn shop!

I hope everyone is staying indoors and out of this heat! It has been a busy few months for me, I missed the last meeting due to family vacation and unfortunately, I will miss this month's due to other commitments. I think Chuck plans to start planning for the fair. I will see everyone next month.

Stay Hydrated and out of the sun

Clay

July Meeting
478 Country Buffet
Hwy 49
Byron, GA
July 8 11AM

Upcoming events

October 6-7 Perry, GA Vairs at the Fair

November 10- 11 Perry GA Auto Fair 9am-5pm Ga National Fairgrounds

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From the Prez.....

Hello, and welcome to the "its hot as all get out " issue of the 'Vair Fax. The 21st of June was the day with the longest amount of daylight, so now the days will be getting shorter, as the title of a Doobie brothers song says, "Minute by Minute". Those who know me well know that I like it when it gets dark around 6pm.

The 2023 Corvaire Convention, located in Wisconsin Dells WI, is now history. Chris and Joan Law, Mike and DeeDee Gassmann, Billy Bruce, Joe and Rhonda Gail Gleaton, and I made the 1000+ mile trip to Wisconsin, taking two and a half days to get there. The trip up was uneventful, with only a couple of tie ups in traffic, due to accidents. Coming home, however, Chris may have qualified for the post-convention hard luck award. First, the right side of the bug shield on his tow vehicle came loose and had to be secured before the whole thing was ripped off. Second, after we had left the interstate to travel on back roads in order to bypass Chattanooga and Atlanta, he had a trailer tire to separate. Fortunately, it happened right in front of a convenience store, that had a good sized parking lot. Chris, Joe, and I, while not being quite as fast a NASCAR pit crew, got the flat tire changed.

Chris told us to go on ahead, as they were going to ease along. Found out later that they stopped in Rome GA to buy a tire to replace the flat, and good buddy Raymond Paul met them and loaned them another tire, so they would have two spares for the long remainder of the trip back home. (Which they made safe and sound).

The convention itself was pretty good, although kind of spread out. Lots of parts vendors inside and out. There were 41 Corvairs in concours. Chris won the top trophy in the bronze awards, then took first place in the people's choice category, that had the Corvairs that were in concours.

All in all, it was a good trip, although a long time away from home. Next year's convention will be in Dayton, Ohio, only about 600 miles away. Will have to see about that one!

Please be aware that our July meeting will be at the 478 Buffet, on highway 49 in Byron GA, at 11:00. Going back there for the next couple of months, due to the excessive heat. We will be discussing plans for Vairs at the Fair, which will be here before you know it.

Hope to see you at the meeting,

Chuck

