



# CORVAIR FAN



CENTRAL NEW YORK CORVAIR CLUB  
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## THE PREZ SEZ

July is here, hot sticky weather in central New York and another day in the 90's. Next week we travel to Sturbridge Massachusetts for the Corsa Convention. Some of our members of our club will be making the trip to Sturbridge this year. I have been getting the Rumpy ready for concourse, hope to be ready for show time. It going to be a great time, just hoping that this nice weather continues into next week.

Other shows and cruise ins coming up in the next few weeks are the Syracuse National at the fair grounds this weekend, a great show. On August 4th in Remsen NY will be the CC Bickens car show. There will be over 200 cars on display, great food at 50's prices, and a lot of door prizes. If you have never been to the CC Bickens show, mark your calendar for this one. Easy to get to, Rt. 90 east to Oneida, then Rt 365 east to Rt 12 north. Remsen is about 1 mile north of Rt 365 on Rt 12. Check it out, another great show.

I would like to say thank you to the Smith's in Georgia, for their monthly updates of what's going on. That reminds me, where are we going to meet for the Wampsville show? We will hopefully find a meeting place by then. Thank you Lenny and Sherry for you column.

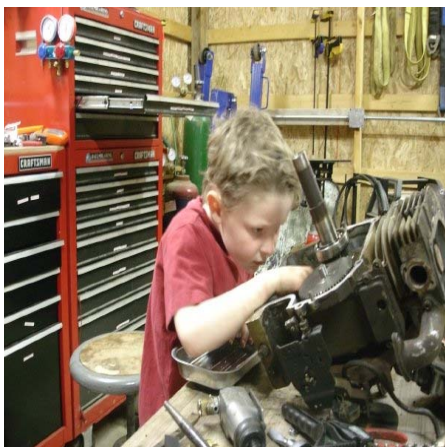
Well I guess it is time for a new key board, the letters V and B are missing. Grandkids, Michael and Jen the dynamic duo. Maybe I should get a new computer to go along with that new key board. Wishful thinking! Everyone have a great a great and safe summer, and hope to see everyone at our next meeting.  
Phil CNYCC



### ***Meet the Guilbault Family!***

***Mike, Leslie and Sam have joined our Corvair family. We were all pleased to meet Mike and welcome him at our July meeting and look forward to meeting Leslie and Sam at Sturbridge. They have a '64 Monza that he is working on now and hopes to have running under it's own power this year. Next year's plans are to paint it and do the interior. He also has a '64 coupe for parts.***

***As you can see by the pictures, Sam is Daddy's little helper and we hear he loves all old cars. Welcome Guilbault family!***



**Jordan Fall Festival**  
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## ACTIVITIES

Business meetings are held at Denny's Restaurant, 201 Lawrence Rd ( corner of Lawrence Rd and South Bay Rd ) in N Syracuse. The meeting will start at 7:00 but our waitress is available at 5:30 so you can have something to eat before the meeting if you'd like. Meetings are in the back room, we're given separate checks and if you have an AARP card you can get a 20% discount on your meal.

July 20<sup>th</sup>, 21<sup>st</sup>, 22<sup>nd</sup>

Syracuse National car show, Syracuse Fairgrounds

July 24<sup>th</sup> thru 28<sup>th</sup>

CORSA Nationals, Sturbridge, Mass. This will be a huge show and too close not to go! The host hotel is filled but there's lots of other hotels nearby so make your plans and get those reservations in now!

August 2<sup>nd</sup>

Business meeting Denny's

August 19<sup>th</sup>

We have a nice tour of the Weedsport Hall of Fame Car Museum planned. Meet at Arby's/Tim Horton's in Weedsport and we'll plan on leaving there at 11:45. After our tour we'll have a nice late lunch at Devaney's Riverside Restaurant. Hope you can all join us.

Sept 6<sup>th</sup>

Business meeting Denny's

Sept 9<sup>th</sup>

Wampsville car show. Since I don't think the new owners of Len and Sherry's home would like us invading, we'll meet at McDonald's at the thruway exit and caravan to the show from there. More on this later.

Sept 23<sup>rd</sup>

Jordan car show at the Jordan Festival, registration form not available yet but will be in the Fan as soon as I see it on line. As of 7/17 it still is not on line.

Oct 4<sup>th</sup>

Business meeting Denny's

Oct 7<sup>th</sup>

Our Fall tour date. TBA but save this date for a fun tour.

Nov 1<sup>st</sup>

Business meeting Denny's

Nov 11<sup>th</sup>

Our annual Thanksgiving family style dinner at Tabatha's in Baldwinsville. Meet at 1:00 and she'll plan on serving about 1:30. We have a dinner of turkey ( light and dark meat ), dressing, mashed potatoes, gravy, butternut squash, green beans, relishes, tossed salad, and rolls. Price includes beverage of coffee, tea or soft drink and homemade pies — this year we'll have apple, pumpkin, chocolate cream and coconut cream. Please let me know if you'll be able to attend so I can give her a head count. Price includes tax and tip. Adults — \$22.75 Children — \$10.55

If you have any ideas please let us know. Everything is always subject to change. If there's subjects or projects you'd like covered at tech sessions, please let Tim know so we can plan that too. This all takes advance planning so please try to let us know early enough so we can make our events what you'd like. Call Tim or Rita at 689-3366 or E mail Tim at N2VZD@aol.com or Rita at ritac44@aol.com



## Kitchen Corner

### Raspberry Brie

- 1 ( 8oz ) round Brie
- ¼ c raspberry preserves
- 1 Tbl slivered almonds, toasted

Place brie in micro safe plate. Spread Preserves over the top and micro at 50% power for 2 mins. Or till warmed through. Remove and sprinkle with the almonds.

### Cavatelli, Broccoli and Mushrooms

- 1 (8oz ) pkg cavatelli, cooked and drained
- 1 head broccoli, cut into florets, cooked
- ½ c butter
- 3 cloves garlic, finely chopped
- 1 can sliced mushrooms, drained
- ¼ c parmesan cheese

Melt butter in skillet, Sauté garlic and mushrooms. Combine with pasta and broccoli and parmesan cheese. Transfer to a 2 qt baking dish. Cover and bake at 350 degrees for 20 mins.

### Angel Lush Cupcakes

- 1 (16oz ) angel food cake mix
- 1 pkg vanilla instant pudding
- 2 (8oz) can crushed pineapple, in juice, undrained
- 1 c cool whip
- 15 strawberries, halved

Mix cake mix as directed and pour into 30 paper lined muffin cups. Bake at 375 for 12 – 15 mins. Cool. Mix dry pudding mix with undrained pineapple. Fold in cool whip. Frost cupcakes and decorate with strawberry half.



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## *Secretary's Report*

July 5<sup>th</sup>, 2012

President Phil Domser called the meeting to order at 6:55.

Secretary's report- motion made by Lew and seconded by Dave to approve as printed in the fan. Motion approved.

Treasure report- Kevin stated the balance for the checking account motion made by Lew and seconded by Tim to approve Kevin's report of the balances. Motion approved.

Old Business- Motion was made by Gloria and seconded by Lew to pay the photographers from Recall a fee of \$250.00 motion approved. Check will be given to Dave and Barb to give to the photographer.

Next Recall date was set for June 7<sup>th</sup>, 8<sup>th</sup>, and 9<sup>th</sup>, 2013

Banquet for Recall 2013- fact was discussed that someone should be in charge of the banquet to replace Sherry. It was discussed that everything needs to be put in writing about the food as well as the banquet room since a few problems arose this year. Glen and Cindy Korec where asked to become the new members to take over this position and accepted.

Phil asked that Dave Robinson again except the position of Recall chairman. Dave accepted.

Pam asked if Dave or anyone else knew where the lanyards where ordered from and it was stated that we would need to contact Sherry and question where those where purchased.

New Business- Everyone was asked about interest in possibly as road trip and meeting at the Sylvan Beach area.

Cobblestone Crossing- asked how many of the members would be attending the Convention and asked for moral support.

Welcome new member Mike Guilbault from Norwich New York.

Lew mentioned that Scriba will be holding a Car Show the weekend before Memorial Day including a Sock Hop registration prior to the event \$5.00 and registration the day of the event \$8.00.

Lew has pictures of the Great Race if anyone is interested in viewing those.

50/50 was drawn and the winner was Darrell Varley in the amount of \$21.00

Motion made to adjourn meeting was made by Dick and seconded by Dave and the motion to adjourn at 7:30 was passed.

Respectfully submitted.  
Pam O'Kussick  
Secretary

Those attending the July meeting: Tim and Rita Colson, Lew and Clara Halstead, Dick Gaffney, Nick and Jane Lombardo, Glen and Cindy Korec, Pete and Pam O'Kussick, Dave and Barb Robinson, Phil Domser, Darrell and Janet Varley, Mike Guilbault, Kevin and Gloria Fear.



## TIM'S TECH TIME AND RAMBLIN'S

GREETINGS AGAIN, from my little shop in Memphis, NY.

The continuing saga of the green Loadside:

After a little back breaking work , the clutch problem has been repaired. The truck surprised Phil , and myself by laying a 3ft patch with no effort , when I showed him how it is running last weekend. Not bad for a 3:27 differential , and not "horsing it" at all.

The headlights are rebuilt and reinstalled. You can see pictures of what I did to them below. These adjusting parts used to be very common items , even in my own parts , but I only had 2 sets left , and none locally! , So Clarks to the rescue again..

I have also started to work on the Lakewood nights. I replaced the transmission filler tube , and started installing the new padded dash. I am also getting ready to replace a leaky oil pan gasket. My plan is to get all under car work done , then put the "crampside in that spot for a long time. When I finish the "loadside" I will put the coupe in there for body repairs. The rampy is running good so far , so all I need now is replace the oil pan gasket , and then on with tinker stuff. I am out in the shop as much as I can with the heat , but most of the days I have to give up by noon or so and go inside to cool off. I enjoy Ham radio upstairs early in the morning , but it gets too hot by mid morning now. I guess I need to think about A/C someday.

We went to the Fairhaven car show , but by 10:30 it was a hard steady rain , so we finally left. It has to be hard on the gang putting a show on , then get that kind of weather. We always enjoy that show. They thought a few regulars may have held off to go to another show and bar-beque in Conquest that afternoon. The local Fire dept , and the "Bayside Cruisers" work very hard to put on a good show.

A few of us are getting ready to head out to Sturbridge Mass for the 2012 CORSA nationals. I will come home with lots of pictures.

I hope more of you take pictures at shows you go to and share them with the group via the website , or this newsletter.

Welcome to our latest members , Michael Guilbault and family from the Hamilton NY area , near Norwich NY.. He is working on a 64 project. (MY favorite year!). He is doing a lot of hard work to the body and powertrain.

Doug is replacing the crank balancer pulley on the 65 greenbrier , Phil is replacing several trim items on the blue rampside with new repro items from Clark's. I have not heard much from others, who must be too busy working on their vairs to talk much?

I have a very small "wish list" to take to the convention , In fact I am getting ready to sell off parts I know I will not need for my own work. One concern I have , Is those custom? Aftermarket? Greenbrier roll bars I have here. I hate to waste them , but I have no use for them , and they may end up getting cut up for other use. If you have ANY use for them , PLEASE let me know before winter! They are very nice bolt in for a Corvair FC. I also still have the set of risers for converting 2 carb heads to 4 carbs , including instructions and measurements to do the job. This conversion goes back to just before 140's came out , but has a few benefits that you do not get with 140 motors. It takes a little study of motor theory to understand. If you have the "How To Hotrod Corvairs" book , they explain it fairly well. This book , and Bob Helt's books are a must for anyone working on Corvairs. In fact , I consider my books a very important part of any HOBBY? I enjoy. (mine are mostly Corvairs , Ham radio , and sometimes, model indoor RC planes.) So remember , do not pass up bargain magazines and books at shows. Start with a Clark's catalog and add to it as you can. I also have kept a copy of Lon Walls around , and his PDF download on my computers. There are many other very good vendors out there to work with , and a CORSA national is a great place to meet and talk with them. WELL worth the cost of going just for learning "tricks of the trade/hobby" first hand , and sharing ideas. I enjoy adding "options" to my vehicles , and have shared many ideas which seem to show up on many cars before I get to it on my own. This is the main reason I am chomping to get to only my own cars for the next few years. I have accumulated most of the parts needed ,and the shop to work in , so now for the time.

I hope I covered everything properly ! Be sure to visit our fine website often, there are constant upgrades. <http://www.cnycorvair.com/>

**Are you watching all the other newsletters we send along for your enjoyment and education ?**

**PLEASE RESIST TEMPTATION TO "REPLY ALL " TO ANY OF MY POSTS! Thank you.**

Regards, Tim Colson

PS: PLEASE BRING YOUR CAMERA TO ALL THESE SHOWS!





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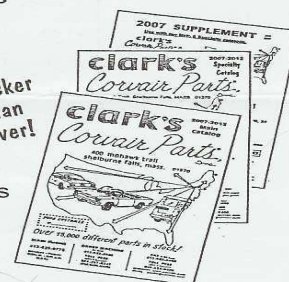
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### ==Classic Volkswagen==

Class **A**: beetle 1949 – 1959  
Class **B**: beetle 1960 – 1967  
Class **C**: beetle 1968 – 1972  
Class **D**: beetle 1973 – 2003  
Class **E**: beetle convertible 1950 – 1979  
Class **F**: Beetle Modified 1949 – 1967  
Class **G**: Beetle Modified 1968 – 1979  
Class **H**: Beetle Radical Custom  
Class **I**: Karman Ghia (sedan & Convertible)  
Class **J**: Type III & Type IV (all styles)  
Class **K**: Type II Bus 1950 – 1967 (Splitties)  
Class **L**: Type II Bus 1968 – 1979 (bays)  
Class **M**: Late Model Van 1980 – 2005  
Class **N**: Camper (all years VW powered camper)  
Class **O**: Thing  
Class **P**: Kit Cars and Special Interest  
Class **Q**: Baja, Dune Buggies & Sand rails  
Class **R**: Corvair Sedans-All years  
Class **RR** Corvair Commercial  
Class **CC**: MICRO CAR \*(New for 2010)

### ==Water Cooled Volkswagen ==

Class **S**: WC stock 1974-1998  
Class **T**: WC stock 1999-UP,  
Class **U**: WC Modified 1974-1992  
Class **V**: WC Modified 1993-1999.5  
Class **VV** WC Modified 1999-2008  
Class **W**: B Platform all years (Passat)  
Class **X**: SPORTS WC all years (Scirocco/Corrado)  
Class **Y**: New Beetle (all years)  
Class **Z**: AUDI (all years)  
Class **AA**: WC Convertible 1979-2005

Class **BB**: Porsche (all years)  
Class **VW**: Non-judged (Display Only)

### \*Other Awards

Best of Show Overall  
Best of Show "Aircooled"  
Best of Show "Watercooled"  
President's Choice  
Hard Luck Award

Overnight VW Camping Available adjacent to Show Field  
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\*Contact Dan@VWCCNY for camping rsvp

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[Car Pre-Registration]

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