



# CORVAIR FAN



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## PREZ SEZ

I have just been informed by the chief editor of the FAN that my message is overdue. Congratulations go out to Dick Gaffney on his recent birthday. A party was held for him at a fine restaurant in Brewerton NY. Everyone had a great meal and a great time.

We have a busy time coming up for the club. The Wampsville show on Sept. 13th, Clark's Corvaair show in Shelburn Falls Ma., a great time, about 100 Corvairs on display and plenty of Corvaair parts available from Clark's. The date for the show at Clark's Corvaair is Sept. 12th. The Jordan Fall Festival is going to be on Sunday, Sept. 20th. Jordan another great show, Chicken BBQ, Hot ham sandwiches, and homemade donuts. And do not forget our boat cruise to be held on Oct. 11th. Contact Dave Robinson for more Cruise info.

Till next month, enjoy the few good weeks we have before our cars go into mothballs for the winter. Phil CNYCC

## CNYCC FALL TOUR

Thanks to Dave and Marge we have a wonderful Fall tour planned for Sunday October 11th.

We'll start the day meeting at the Grist Mill Restaurant in Parish. If you're using a GPS their actual address is 3039 County Rt 26 but it's located right at exit 33 off of Rt 81. This is the Parish exit and is at Rt69 but the restaurant is directly off that road. Very easy to find. We plan on leaving at 9:00 sharp so we get to the boat on time. If you plan on having breakfast make sure you get there early enough to order and eat. Caravanning through the colorful countryside we'll go to Clayton to the River Rat Boat Tours, A smaller boat through the islands with a narration of the history of the area. During the ride we'll be provided with a delicious buffet meal of sandwich wraps, chips, dessert and beverage. After the tour you'll be on your own to either return home or take a little extra time and go to some of the local shops and see what they have to offer. The Clayton Boat Museum will also be open for one of it's last weekends of the season so you may want to take a tour of that and see what changed since we've last been there. Sounds like a wonderful day and we hope you can all attend. You can see more about the tour at <http://claytonislandtours.com/tours-rates/river-rat-lunch-and-history-tour/> The final cost is \$35 per person, which includes the tax and tip and reservations must be made. Please contact Dave at 656- 9369 to let him know.



## GEORGIA ROVING by Len Smith

Len & Sherri did their roaming up north this year and are still recovering after the long journey. We enjoyed seeing them at Dick's birthday dinner and hope they had a nice rest of their vacation with their daughter & grandkids and Sherri's reunion in the NYC area.



## 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 15% discount on your meal.

September 3rd — regular business meeting Denny's

September 13th — Wampsville Show — will meet at McD's at the Canastota thruway exit and caravan together so we can park together. Leaving McD's at 9:00.

September 20th — Jordan Fall Festival

October 1st — regular business meeting at Denny's

Oct 11th — Dave and Marge have planned a wonderful ride to Clayton ending with a boat tour and meal on board. If you can attend and haven't let him know be sure to do so asap. Reservations are a must. This Should certainly be a beautiful ride up there and while cruising the waterway. A buffet meal is included in the price. Meeting place and time will follow.

Nov 5th — regular business meeting Denny's

Nov 8th — CNYCC's Family Thanksgiving dinner at Tabatha's. More details next month.

Dec — no meeting or event HAPPY HOLIDAYS

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

### Red Onion Focaccia

3 frozen bread dough rolls, thawed  
 ½ tsp olive oil  
 2 red onions, sliced & separated into rings  
 ½ tsp Italian seasoning  
 2 Tbl shredded parmesan  
 1 Tbl butter, melted  
 1/8 tsp garlic salt  
 On a lightly floured surface, kneed dough together. Roll out into a 7" circle. Place on greased 7 ½ " pizza pan or baking sheet. Brush with oil. Top with onion slices. Sprinkle with Italian seasoning & parmesan. Bake at 350 for 28 to 32 mins. Combine butter and garlic salt; brush over warm foccacia. Cool 10 mins before serving.

### Bacon Cheeseburger Lasagna

1 ½ lb ground beef  
 2 med onions, chopped  
 ¼ tsp salt, 1/8 tsp pepper  
 1 ( 28oz ) can chunky tomato sauce  
 1 c water  
 1 egg  
 1 ( 15oz ) ricotta cheese  
 1 c shredded Swiss cheese  
 ¼ c chopped fresh parsley  
 8 slices bacon, crisply cooked and crumbled  
 12 uncooked lasagna noodles  
 2 c shredded cheddar cheese  
 Spray a 9 x 13 pan. Cook beef, onions, salt & pepper till brown; drain. Stir in tomato sauce & water. Heat to boiling; reduce heat & simmer 10 mins. In med bowl beat egg with fork. Stir in ricotta, Swiss, parsley and ¼ c of the bacon. Spread 1 cup of beef mixture in pan. Top with 4 uncooked noodles. Spread half of ricotta, 2 cups beef mixture and ¾ cup of cheddar over noodles. Repeat layers. Top with remaining noodles, beef mixture, cheddar & bacon. Spray a 15" sheet of foil. Cover lasagna, refrigerate 2 hrs. Bake at 350 covered 45 mins, then uncover & bake 30 mins.

### Frozen Peanut Butter Squares

3 c finely crushed oreos  
 6 Tbl butter, melted  
 2 ½ c heavy cream  
 1 (14oz ) can condensed milk  
 1 c peanut butter  
 1 ( 3.29oz ) king sized Snickers bar, chopped



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Combine crumbs & butter. Press into 9 x 13 pan.  
 Beat heavy cream until peaks form. Add condensed Milk and peanut butter and beat until thoroughly  
 Mixed. Spoon into crust, Sprinkle with chopped candy.  
 Cover and freeze 4 hours or overnight.



## SECRETARY'S REPORT

August 6<sup>th</sup>, 2015

President Phil Domser called the meeting to order at 6:59.

Secretary's report from the July meeting motion was made by Kevin and seconded by George to approve as printed in the fan. Motion to approve.

Treasures report- Kevin stated the balance for the checking account, motion to approve the amount stated was made and motion was approved.

### Old Business-

Recall- Dave stated the 2016 Calendar looks like the dates for next years Recall will be June 3<sup>rd</sup>, 4<sup>th</sup>, and 5<sup>th</sup>, 2016. Everyone agreed these dates look fine and Dave will follow up with the Hilton and try and reserve those dates for next years Recall.

Dave reminder every to please continue to pick up items along the way for door prizes for next years Recall.

Nick presented the idea of doing something special for the best of the 1966 period cars that attend Recall next year, it was decided that Nick will do some research on some ideas and get back to the club at future meetings.

### New Business-

VW Show Saturday Oneida Shores Park August 9<sup>th</sup>, 2015.

55<sup>th</sup> Annual Mohican Model A Ford Club Show Wampsville September 13<sup>th</sup>, 2015.

Jordan Fall Festival September 20<sup>th</sup>, 2015.

Possible River Rat Boat Tour October 11<sup>th</sup>, 2015 2 hour cruise and box

Lunch than Clayton boat museum in town later. Contact Dave

315-656-9639 must have 20 people.

Thanksgiving Dinner Tabitha's November 8<sup>th</sup>, 2015 1:00

50/50 Raffle was drawn and the winner was Gloria Fear in the amount of \$24.00.

Pete also wanted added into this months notes that we where contacted by a gentleman named Tony from Prescott Ontario just five minutes from Ogdensburg New York/ and the Canada Border he is inviting all Corvair clubs to attend a get together at his farm on September 5<sup>th</sup> with a rain date of September 6<sup>th</sup>, 2015. If anyone is interested in attending we can forward the information on to you or we send it to Tim and have him get it out to everyone.

Motion to adjourn meeting was made by Tim and seconded by George and the motion to adjourn at 7:15 was passed.

Respectfully Submitted.

Pam O'Kussick

Secretary

Those attending the August meeting: Tim & Rita Colson, Lew & Clara Halstead, Nick & Jane Lombardo, Pete & Pam O'Kussick, Ralph & Jeanne Blair, Dave Robinson & Marge, Dick & Tina Gaffney, George & Karen DeRousie, Phil & Martha Domser, Kevin & Gloria Fear.

## TIM'S TECH TIME AND RAMBLIN'S

HI THERE ! Still working away in the shop most days.

This month has sure been a busy one. We did the Port Byron show with a few club members , and had a good time. Then we did the VW show with several of our club members setting up. I was sitting there minding my business , when a long time friend and his daughter stepped up and out of the blue said "I want to buy your 61 Lakewood" .After my recovery from that statement , He said his 16 year old daughter was the one who was really buying it. So Rita and I left at 3PM , figuring I had not cleaned the truck enough to win anything , and came home to display the wagon. They bought it "on the spot". They picked it up the next night with a car dolly. So now I am working on a 62 Lakewood Monza "project car" I bartered. I got a "real deal" on it by giving the 140hp motor , and the wheels and tires back. I plan on building a new motor etc for the Rampy , and moving the present setup to the Lakewood. I will have a lot of work to do , but it is mostly with things I already have here , or came with it. I have already removed the motor and delivered it , and made new 64 style rear lights for it. I was fretting over the wrong rear bumper that came with it , but found I have a decent one here in the rafters. I am in the process of removing all brake parts along with tubing and hoses. I will clean and repaint the backing plates with the sturdy rust coatings made by KBR. I use the same very sturdy coatings on the floors and exposed parts. I have to repair the trunk bottom and paint the trunk. I am converting the single speed wipers to 2 spd with washers. I am converting the brakes to a later model dual master cylinder with silicone fluid for better safety. Then I have a new gas heater to install along with a Spyder dash. I have a custom made Clark's door panel set , made with 64 style (map pockets) and a bright red early color with matching padded dash and carpets. Add a set of Hands wheels with new Michelin tires , and it should make a nice driver. I forgot to mention , this car will be named "Daisy" and driven by Rita with HER Ham call plates on it.

Then , to top it off I got a call after the VW show was over that the Rampy won another first place award! That was a surprise , but I did notice two guys coming back and really looking it over again. The VW club really does a nice job at that show with all setups , they stopped by and admired the girls food spread, and asked if we needed anything several times during the day. The food they sold was very good , and they cranked a lot of hungry people thru there very efficiently. So we look forward to next years show, and they say the will probably add french fries to the menu.

A lot of interesting things are planned this fall for us car nuts , so keep your eye on your e mails!! A few of us will be missing this year at the Wampsville show because of a conflict with the show at Clark's Corvair in Selburne Falls Massachusetts.

Please remember that we must try hard to group up early on the day of the Jordan Fall festival car show to insure our spot. It is a first come first parking spot show. It is hard to save spots without causing stress.

Also this month we had a nice celebration birthday dinner for Dick Gaffney at DG's in Brewerton. He is 95 this year! I added a few pictures on page 8 photo page. Also don't forget to check the website often. You never know what Jim puts in there.

That's about all for this month , see you soon.

Regards, Tim Colson





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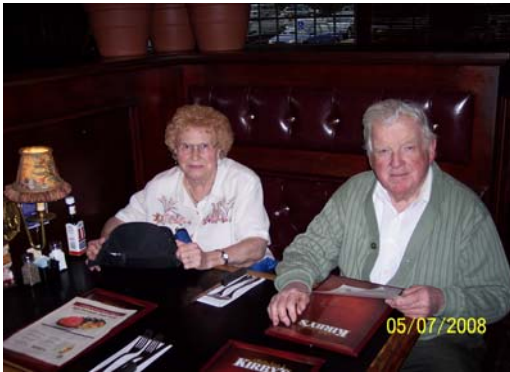
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Dick and Tina and family had a very nice group show up to help celebrate. Thank you to all that came , some from a long ways away! The rare Studebaker hubcap was a gift from Bud and Elaine Kaiser from PA. Thank you to Michelle Davis for the lovely cake.

It was a good sized group , over 30 people showed up! Just a little conversation was about good old cars!

Just a few from the 2015 Salt City VW show





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