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**Monthly Breakfast Meeting
November 1st - Pronto Deli - 9 am**

We hope to see a good turnout at the Pronto Deli for our monthly breakfast meeting on November 1st!

Enclosed in this issue is a nomination form for our upcoming election in December. Please take the time to nominate someone for each office that will continue the NJACE tradition of leadership. We will be as strong a club as the officers that keep us active and together. The Due Date is November 12th!!!

We will have a Quarterly meeting on the 12th at the Mt. Olive Grill - check inside the Fanbelt for details.

I'm also enclosed a form for Hunterdon Hills Playhouse reservation form and a flyer of the show in January. Please fill this out and return it to Ken Schiffner as soon as you can so we can reserve the appropriate number of seats for the show.

Greg Gorski

Quarterly Meeting at the Mt. Olive Grill

BINGO NIGHT



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November 12th Quarterly Meeting

Our last quarterly meeting for the year will be on the 12th of this month. We are looking forward to a fun evening & the meeting will start at 7:30pm; and if you care to dine - arrive sooner than the start time.

We will be discussing nominations for officers for the 2009 calendar year and everyone's input is important and welcome. Submit your nomination forms to the NJACE address no later than the 12th; or bring it to the breakfast meeting [November 1st] or the Quarterly meeting.

The theme for the rest of the evening will be **Bingo Night**. The grand prize for this event will be a pair of tickets to the "Music of America" musical at the Hunterdon Hills Playhouse in January - a \$130 value!!!! There will be three [3] or four [4] "planned" bingo games will be as follows:

1. **T**-urbo
2. **C**-orsa
3. **N**-ader
4. **F**-anbelt

The Mt. Olive Grill and Bar is located on Route 206 in "The Mall on 206" directly across from the "Golf Zone".

Directions to the Mt. Olive Grill are as follows:

From the north on route 80 - Exit 27 off I-80 to Rt. 206 South for approximately 8.5 miles.

From the south - exit [22B] from I-287 for route 206/202. Follow Rt. 206 North from Rt. 287 for 15.5 miles. The Mt. Olive Grill and Bar is located on Route 206 in "The Mall on 206" directly across from the "Golf Zone".

NJACE Officers for 2008

	President	Ron DeYoung [in memoriam]		
Acting-President	Rich "Ribs" Ribble		Acting Vice-President	Dave Main
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[908] 730-8873	vairtec@optonline.com		[201] 447-4299	tim@bristolnj.com
VP/Activities	Ken Schiffner		VP/Publicity	Greg Gorski

NJACE Calendar of Events

- * Saturday, November 1, 2008 - Monthly Breakfast Meeting at the Pronto Deli, 99 Ridgedale Ave., Cedar Knolls, NJ @ 9 am. Directions: Ridgedale Ave intersects NJ Rte 10 just west of I-287 and just east of US Rte 202. From I-287 take the exit for Rte 10 west. Proceed through the traffic light at Ridgedale Ave to the U-turn at Dryden Way. Return east on Rte 10 to Ridgedale Ave and turn right. the Pronto Deli is about one mile down Ridgedale Ave on the left.
- * Wednesday, November 12, 2008 - Quarterly Meeting at the Mt. Olive Grill, Flanders, NJ ; meeting starts at 7:30 pm, come earlier for dinner. We will have nominations for election for NJACE officers and follow it with NJACE Bingo!!!!
- The grand prize for bingo is a pair of tickets to the NJACE Hunterdon Hills Music of America January Event!!!!!!
- * Saturday, December 6, 2008 - Monthly Breakfast Meeting at the Pronto Deli, 99 Ridgedale Ave., Cedar Knolls, NJ @ 9 am.
- * Sunday, December 14, 2008 - Holiday Party at Rupert's Restaurant; 92 State Rt 23, Riverdale, NJ 07457 , details to follow.
- * Saturday, January 31, 2009 - NJACE dinner and show at the Hunterdon Hills Playhouse; 88 Route 173 West Hampton, NJ 08827

Events marked with an [*] count towards the NJACE Mary Paxton & Bill Ableson Awards.



Fall Tour Review by Greg Gorski

Pumpkins, colored leaves, cool - crisp fresh air, Corvairs and crayons marked October's NJACE Fall Tour.

We all met at the Cracker Barrel in Clinton for breakfast, coffee and good conversation prior to our cruise through west NJ, Frenchtown and up along the Delaware River to Easton, Pa. I started the day leaving Westfield and arriving for breakfast at 8:35am. It was a little cool to go topless, but the view was just as enjoyable throughout the day through the windshield!

There were six [6] Corvairs [2 earlies - Ken Schiffner & Tony Gervasio, 2 lates - Joe Maurella & Greg Gorski and 2 Greenbriers - Bob Marlow & Tim Schwartz] and a VW Beetle [The Ashley's] that made the trip.

We got going at about 9:50 am down Rte. 513 through various back roads in Hunterdon County to our crossover into Pennsylvania at the Frenchtown bridge [a rather narrow bridge for two way traffic]. A 15 minutes rest stop at Silverman's Pumpkin Farm for pumpkins, gourds, cider and indian corn helped foster enthusiasm for the day. We continued our drive along the Delaware River through small towns and enjoying the colored leaves and perfect weather.

Our arrival at the Crayola Factory was timed perfectly. We toured the Factory and were surrounded by an array of color and a number of stations to display our creativity and "hidden talents" with crayons and markers!

We ventured to the third floor to experience the National Canal Museum and the Two Rivers Landing Museum. The exhibit was a display of the way the canal system worked. "Toy" boats were guided from one part of the room to the other by the appropriate use of locks to elevate the boat/s as they move through the canal.

At 1pm we all sat down for lunch at Pearly Bakers Alehouse - just across the street. We enjoyed the Alehouse Burger or the Crabcake Sandwich or a Southwest Chicken Wrap. Prior to dessert a raffle was held for the the "October Surprise" - not what you think! Helen Gervasio won the NJACE - Corsa carved pumpkin [created by Greg Gorski] with the flashing strobe light. We finished off lunch with the Orange Creme Sicle Cake - a delightful finish to the day.

I hope to speak for all who attended that I was an enjoyable day!!!!



Hat in the Ring by Bob Marlow

This is being written while the third of the Presidential debates is taking place in the background.

I have long thought that anyone who actually volunteers to run for President must be nuts. Yet, here I am volunteering to run. Not for POTUS, but for President of NJACE.

As you know, in February we lost our president, Ron DeYoung, to cancer. While our club by-laws provided for a smooth transition to VP Rich Ribble, we knew then that Rich would not be able to fill out the entire term, as he was going to be relocating to Texas in September. Following Rich's departure, David Main is now our acting President.

As we entered the nominations period for 2009 officers, naturally members began to think about electing David formally to the presidency. But he held true to the promise he made when appointed to the vice-presidency, and he quoted General William Tecumseh Sherman: "If drafted, I will not run; if nominated, I will not accept; if elected, I will not serve."

This is, of course, his prerogative. Now, I happen to think that the more a person protests, the more likely they are to be the right candidate. But David has said no and we must respect that.

So I decided to throw my hat in the ring. I've been perfectly happy as Secretary the past couple of years, and would be perfectly happy to continue to fill that role. But, as a Corvair owner (actually, as the owner of three Corvairs) I think that it is appropriate that I do what I can to ensure the continuation of a strong and healthy Corvair owners club in Northern New Jersey. NJACE has been fortunate in that it has remained vibrant while many other Corvair clubs in the region and across the country have faced flagging interest and declining membership numbers. It is certainly in my best interest -- and the best interest of all of us who own these distinctive automobiles -- to maintain this vibrancy.

If you are one of the members who are not able to attend our meetings and events, you may only know me by my name in the newsletter. I wear my Corvair enthusiasm honestly, I rode in the back seat of a 1960 sedan in the Fall of 1959 as my father test-drove it (I was not quite eight years old). I was fascinated by the car. At age 17 I learned to drive in my father's Greenbrier, the same Greenbrier that I still own today, and the first car of my own was a '62 700 station wagon in the winter of 1970. This was soon joined by a '68 Monza convertible, and I was on my way. I have always owned at least one Corvair, and usually many, since then.

I discovered NJACE in May of 1974 and so in 2009 I will have been a member for 35 years. (I do have a life outside of the Corvair hobby, really!) Ken Klingaman was the NJACE president in 1974 and this past weekend Ken and I traveled together to the NECC meet in Summit Point, West Virginia.

I live in Hunterdon County with my wife, Sue. Sue is not a "car person" but she enjoys the many friends we have in NJACE.

My Corvairs are the aforementioned Greenbrier, a 1966 coupe with only 23,000 miles, and a '64 coupe that is prepped for the NECC track events.

Aside from being the year in which I will have been in the club for 35 years, 2009 will bring the 50th anniversary of the Corvair's introduction to the market. It's going to be a great time to be an NJACE member.

I think I'd like to be President.

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JANUARY - JUNE, 2009

New Jersey Association of Corvair Enthusiasts Call for Nominations!

Under the By-Laws of NJACE, during November we receive nominations for officers for the coming year. Use this form to submit a nomination as shown on the bottom of this page.

We ask you to sign your name as all nominations must come from members in good standing. When any individual receives a second nomination, the nomination will be considered to have been "seconded" and will be valid.

Elections will take place in December. Please participate in this very important process!!!

Please print clearly. You need not provide a nomination for every position.

President:

Vice President:

Treasurer:

Secretary:

Activities Vice President:

Publicity Vice President:

If you wish to place a name or names in nomination, mail this form to: **NACE, Inc., P.O. Box 631, Ridgewood, NJ 07451**. Nominations must be received by [\[11/12/2008\]](#), for publication in next month's *Fanbelt*.

“ The Music of America”

Hunterdon Hills Playhouse
88 Route 173 West
Hampton, NJ 08827

908-730-8007

Date: **January 31, 2009**

Must arrive by 6:15 pm!

Cost: \$60 per person if we get more than 20 attendees...\$64.50 if we have less.

Please tear off the form below and return, **BY DECEMBER 15^h** to:

Ken Schiffner
210 Indian Hollow Court
Mahwah, NJ 07430

201-236-0786
scrubbr@ix.netcom.com

Meal Choices are:

Chicken Picatta
Veal Saltimbocca
Catch of the Day
Roast Prime Rib of Beef Au Jus

(Please indicate well done if preferred)

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