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**Monthly Breakfast Meeting
April 4th - 9 am at
Pronto Deli - Cedar Grove**

This months main event will be the Car Show to benefit the Wounded Warrior Project. We want to raise a lot of money for this worthy cause - so please pass along the information to one and all!!!!!!

May's activity will be the multi-club picnic at Mercer County Park with the Jersey Late Greats.

March was our membership renewal month. Please send back the renewal applications ASAP!

Unfortunately our Tech Session with the Fitch Phoenix was canceled because the car was in RI and could not be brought to NJ. We will try to do this at a date - which is yet to be determined.

A new feature for our monthly breakfast meeting:

A FREE BREAKFAST

But, you will have to be there to see if you are the winner!!!!!! Details on page 6.

Greg Gorski

NJACE

Wounded Warriors

Car Show



**WOUNDED WARRIOR
PROJECT**

April 19th Car Show in Franklin Lakes, NJ

SEE PAGE 2 FOR DETAILS

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The View Through the Windshield by Bob Marlow

There is so much to tell you this month, I almost don't know where to start. It involves special people, special opportunities, and a revised and exciting club calendar of events for 2009.

Our years activities continue this month with our club's first-ever all-makes benefit car show. Then, later in the year we will be conducting a unique promotional and benefit event that will showcase our Corvairs and demonstrate our heart. Finally, we will play host to a regional celebration of the 50th anniversary of the Corvair's introduction to the market, 50 years to the day. Each of these activities is new and unique, and so distinctive that I am giving each their own section of this column, starting right now:

NJACE - VFW April Car Show & The Wounded Warrior Project

For more than 20 years, NJACE has conducted a Spring swap meet each April called the "Garage Sale." But after Nortech Corporation, our host for this event from 1986 through 2004, was sold, we moved first to Mercedes Benz, then to Fireman's Field, and last year to VFW Post 5702 in Franklin Lakes. At Post 5702 we added a car show for this first time, and among the reasons for this was the dwindling of swap meet participation as the hobby (and the internet!) evolved.

Well, it was quite obvious that the car show portion of the event eclipsed the swap meet portion, and so for 2009 we are eliminating the swap meet entirely in favor of an expanded and enhanced car show.

Expanded? Enhanced? Yes. First, it is not a Corvair show, it is an All-Makes show, open to every kind of car provided that it is at least 25 years old. Second, a concerted effort is being put forth to reach a large audience of both car owners to be potential participants and spectators to come see the show. Third, and definitely most importantly, the show is being structured as a benefit for the VFW Wounded Warrior Project.

During 2009 NJACE, which has a strong membership base and a solid financial footing, will be doing more to "give back," as they say. As a club we have a history of giving, dating back to a highly successful American Cancer Society benefit road rally in the early 1980s and including memorial donations and other gifts. But for 2009 we intend to do more than ever. This car show is where we begin.

The Wounded Warrior Project at VFW Post 5702 helps military veterans with traumatic injuries readjust and reenter civilian life. Our car show is being organized specifically to raise funds for this cause, and we are priming the pump, so to speak, with our efforts and with our checkbook. NJACE is fronting all the costs for this show, but we are also soliciting donations. These donations will not only offset the show's costs, they will also generate additional funds for the Wounded Warrior Project.

As I write, we have already received donations sufficient to cover the trophy costs, and more donations are arriving regularly. Members with e-mail addresses on file with the club have already received a message from club Vice President and show chairman David Main, outlining how each member can help solicit sponsorships and donations. Numerous donors already are making their donations in the name of a family member or friend who served.

But time is short. The show date is Sunday, April 19, which is only seven or so weeks away as you read this. Collectively, we have much to do to make this show as successful as it can be. A copy of the show flyer is included with this newsletter. You can also download the flyer in PDF format from the NJACE web site. Print extra copies and share them, with fellow car enthusiasts, with businesses in your area, with friends. Come to the March and April breakfast meetings, as well as to the March business meeting, to volunteer to help. Contact David Main at dmmain90826@aol.com to lend a hand.

The Corvair is a different car. Now let the Corvair club make a difference.

To: All NJACE Members
From: David Main
Subject: April 19, 2009 VFW "Wounded Warriors Car Show"

Greetings to all,

As you already know, our planned April Car Show Event is rapidly approaching. For those of you who attended the show last year, despite some early showers, a good time was had by all.

Maybe more than most, I look forward to this type of activity. It provides a chance to take the car for a spin, helps promote the club, and gives us a few hours to tell our old stories over and over again.

This year, along with the cars, the food, and the friendship, we have a unique opportunity to provide assistance to a very needy few. All of the profit(s) this year will be donated to the "Wounded Warriors" fund held at the Franklin Lakes VFW. Many of our brave men and women are still suffering from the effects of participating in wars while protecting our lives and freedom. The car show will give us an opportunity to give something back to these courageous and deserving individuals that have sacrificed for us.

Although we will be raising funds by charging (\$10.00) an entrance fee, we will and can make this have a meaningful impact for this special event.

I am reaching out (and challenging each of you) to all NJACE members to find one sponsor (each) that will contribute to this worthy cause. Maybe your employer (mine has donated \$50.00); a local business that you have frequented over the years, your local VFW, or a friend might want to contribute for this worthy cause.

Possibly you yourself are a veteran or you want to honor a family member that served in our military.

To sponsor a trophy, a \$25.00 donation will be accepted. During the trophy presentation, the sponsors name will be mentioned. In the event the sponsor is attending the show, he or she will reserve the right to personally hand the trophy to the winner. All other donations will be honored in an upcoming issue of the NJACE Fanbelt. No donation is too small and all donations and sponsorships will be greatly appreciated and recognized.

I hope all of you can contribute in some way for this worthy cause. I (and all of the NJACE officers) am available to answer any possible questions in regard to the sponsorships or the event itself. As we have very little time remaining before the event, your immediate attention to this is appreciated.

Respectfully yours,
David Main

NJACE Calendar of Events

- * **Saturday, April 4, 2009** - 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.
 - * **Sunday, April 19, 2009** - NJACE Car Show to benefit the Wounded Warrior Project - 9am to 3pm Details on page 2&3.
Directions are listed below the flyer on page 5.
 - * **Saturday, May 2, 2009** - Monthly Breakfast Meeting at the Pronto Deli, 99 Ridgedale Ave., Cedar Knolls, NJ @ 9 am.
 - * **Saturday, May 9, 2009** - Multi Club Picnic with the Jersey Late Greats at the Mercer County Park. Details in the May Fanbelt. Please call Maureen Hughes [856-299-5372] or email Dawn Dennery [DDENNERY@EXCELPRINTPROS.COM] to tell her you are planning to attend so the Late Greats have a head count for the event.
 - * **Saturday, June 6, 2009** - Monthly Breakfast & Quarterly Meeting at the Pronto Deli, 99 Ridgedale Ave., Cedar Knolls, NJ @ 9 am. Followed by a drive to Weehawken, NJ and a ferry ride to the Intrepid Air and Space Museum. Details will follow in the May Fanbelt.
 - * **Monday, June 15, 2009** - McDonalds Cruise Night in Florham Park, NJ. Details to follow in the May Fanbelt.
- Events marked with an [*] count towards the **NJACE** Mary Paxton & Bill Ableson Awards.

Spring has Sprung, the grass has riz, I wonder where the Car Show is



It's at

VFW Post 5702

725 Franklin Avenue
(corner of Pulis Avenue)
Franklin Lakes, NJ 07417
Located close to Rt. 208 and I-287



For the Benefit of the VFW Wounded Warrior Project

Spring All-Makes Car Show

Sunday, April 19, 2009

9 AM - 3 PM, Rain or Shine!

- ✓ Open to all makes and models of vintage cars - Stock - Custom - Wild or Mild
- ✓ Model years 1984 and older, only
- ✓ Trophies - Prizes - Music - Refreshments - Games

All profits to benefit the VFW Wounded Warrior Project.

The Wounded Warrior Project helps veterans with traumatic injuries readjust and reenter civilian life.

\$10 per car entry donation requested.

Low-key judging, no classes, trophies to the top 15 cars overall.



Show organized and conducted by the members of the New Jersey Association of Corvair Enthusiasts, Inc., founded 1970, a chartered chapter of the Corvair Society of America.

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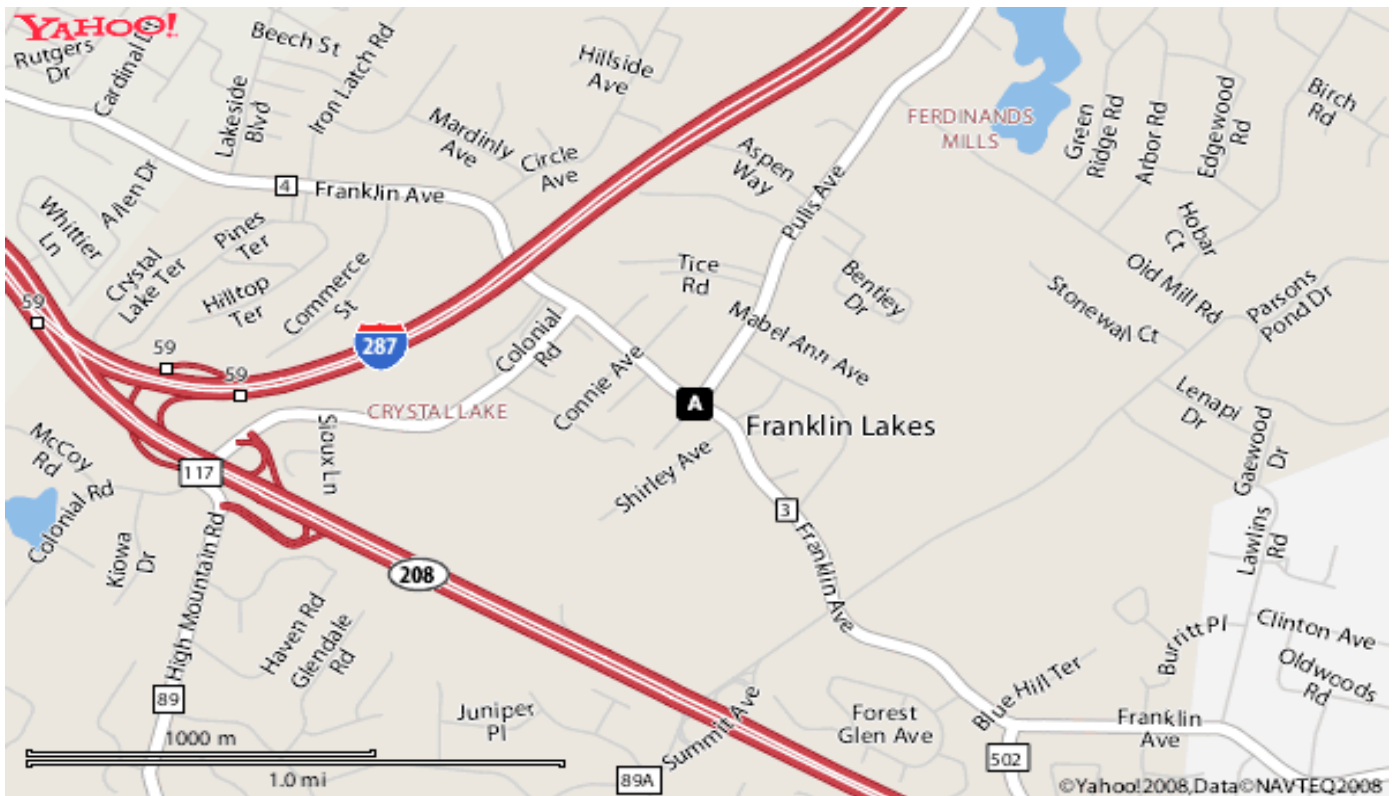
For more information, contact David Main at

dmain90826@aol.com

Day-of-show phone

201-707-1677

Bring the kids!



From the Garden State Parkway South Exit 157

From Route 287 headed north from Cobbs Corner:

Time	Mile	Instruction	For
9:00 AM	0.0	*Toll road* Depart 157 on Garden State Pkwy (North-East)	2.9 mi.
9:03 AM	2.9	At exit 161, take Ramp (LEFT) onto SR-4	0.3 mi.
9:03 AM	3.3	Turn RIGHT onto Ramp	109 yards
9:03 AM	3.3	Turn LEFT (North) onto Local road(s)	0.2 mi.
9:03 AM	3.5	Take Ramp (LEFT) onto SR-4	1.0 mi.
9:05 AM	4.4	Keep STRAIGHT onto SR-208	8.5 mi.
9:14 AM	13.0	Turn RIGHT onto Ramp	0.1 mi.
9:14 AM	13.1	Turn LEFT (North) onto CR-89A [Summit Ave]	0.2 mi.
9:15 AM	13.3	Turn LEFT (North) onto CR-3 [Franklin Ave]	0.4 mi.
9:16 AM	13.7	Arrive 725 Franklin Ave Franklin Lakes, NJ 07417	

SUMMARY

Driving distance: 13.7 miles Trip duration: 16 minutes

Time	Mile	Instruction	For
9:00 AM	0.0	Depart Cobbs Corner on US-46 (East)	0.4 mi
9:00 AM	0.4	Turn LEFT (North) onto Smith Rd, then immediately bear LEFT (West) onto US-46	0.3 mi
9:00 AM	0.6	Take Ramp onto I-287	17.3 mi
9:15 AM	17.9	At exit 59, take Ramp (RIGHT) onto SR-208	1.3 mi
9:16 AM	19.2	Turn RIGHT onto Ramp	131 yds
9:17 AM	19.3	Keep LEFT to stay on Ramp	87 yds
9:17 AM	19.4	Keep STRAIGHT onto CR-89A [Summit Ave]	0.4 mi
9:18 AM	19.7	Turn LEFT (North) onto CR-3 [Franklin Ave]	0.4 mi
9:19 AM	20.1	Arrive 725 Franklin Ave, Franklin Lakes, NJ 07417	

SUMMARY Driving Distance 20.1 Miles Time: 20 Minutes

NJACE WILL BUY YOUR BREAKFAST!!!!

Starting with this month's breakfast meeting, one lucky member will have their breakfast check paid by the club. In an effort to boost attendance, while at the same time possibly easing in a slight way the financial pinch that most of us are feeling, a drawing will be held at each breakfast meeting. The winner of the drawing will have their breakfast check paid for by the club. The club payment is limited to the member whose ticket is drawn, **not** to that member's entire family, friends, and table-mates.

This promotion will continue through 2009, so come on out to our monthly breakfasts!



1963 Corvair Monza 2 door coupe---automatic trans,70,000 miles.....I have owned this car for many years but have to many cars and need to thin the herd.Drive it home, runs good, rebuilt brake system that includes all lines and dual master cylinder.....Does not have original bucket seats, I installed saturn seats that are much more comfortable and look nice too. Rear seat needs recovering but door panels are still nice. The driver floor needs patching but I have the replacement floor. If I have time and weather holds, I may have this repaired. The passenger side and rear floors are fine. The passenger side of the body is excellent and the car still has it's original paint. The driver side has a dented front fender and rear fender. I have straightened them out but need finishing. I also have a replacement front fender included in the purchase. Very little rust on this car! Rocker panels are solid too! Tires are good. \$1,500 or best offer- pictures available upon request.

Thanks much,

Greg Dittrich 908-359-0767 Hillsborough, NJ Email: gregbecky1@embarqmail.com

I have a 1962 4 door for sale. It was painted its original color about 3 year ago. New brake shoes, and hoses, new seat vinyl, new tires, new window rubber (front and rear) Rebuilt transmission, Runs good. Located in NY City
Thanks, James L Kistler 843-345-4280

1963 Rampside 4 spd 80 hp about 44,000 miles. Red / White beltline. Factory clock on dashboard. Garage kept, no rust spots, good tires, running and driving condition. Spare Parts, chrome bumpers, radio, carbs, etc. Can no longer drive due to recent knee surgery. \$4500.00 Cliff Young, 908 647 3996
1974 MGB GT Hard top British racing green. Excellent chrome & paint. Brown interior excellent shape, Factory sport wheels, good tires. Running & driving. 83,000 miles make offer. Cliff Young 908 647 3996

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