

NVCC, CORSA Chapter 220

August 2017

Chapter Chatter By Bob Marshall

The August meeting was held at the global headquarters of DMV T's in Merrifield Va. Our hosts were the CEO and head ink spreader of DMV T's Stan Darke, his wife chef Carrie and of course Donovan. The goal was to get the big white blob of an Ultra Van moveable but not with that crappy shifter. Most of us have never seen an Ultra Van let alone worked on one. Jeff from the Corvair Ranch came to the rescue with the necessary parts and pieces to get it to function like a normal shifter. A great crowd showed up to assist and or learn about the workings of the great white whale. Greg's son Mitchell was given a ride in Fred's Callaway Corvette and said something about his neck when he returned. Many conversations where had about everything and anything. Deals were discussed and struck in one of the side bar talks (you know who you are). Het Greg and Mitchell take my Corsa for a test

drive and they returned with thumbs up. We should all test drive each other's cars every now and then to get a feel for different models and drivetrains. If nothing else it's a good way to experience all the different models of our Corvair. Maybe you have never driven a properly set up street car or a car set up for an autocross. Have you ever driven a Corvair with a powerglide transmission or a forward control? We should plan an event where we can experience driving different models of Corvair makes, models and years. Maybe someone will let us have a chance to drive an Ultra Van! It could happen.

So short on the opening for my late again newsletter. Work and a decision to put our house on the market have taught me that 24 hours in a day are not enough to get everything done. And there is no sign of letting up. For that reason, I will pass on the newsletter duties to the next scribe beginning in January 2018. STOP SITTING ON YOUR HANDS! It's not that bad.

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More photos from Greg's trip

What makes this car so unusual? Stan this one is for inspiration! And motivation. Did anyone figure this out????

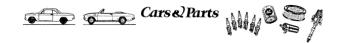




For those of you that get Hot Rod Magazine check out the October issue. This 1969 Camaro has a late model Corvair top grafted on. Any props we can get right folks!



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Cars for Sale

1962 Monza Convertible

I'd like to sell this 1962 Corvair 2-door convertible and will ask \$10,500. I actually have \$18K into it but I think that might be the fair value. It was restored 2 years ago, is in good condition and runs well. My Dad owned it and lived in Florida. I bought it from my Mother when did a few years ago. I used the Corvair Ranch in Gettysburg to restore it. New tires, new canvass top, new paint job, went through the engine. Please contact Mike Raymond at mraymond@Alonetworks.com for more details and photos.



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Clark's Corvair Parts, Inc. Route 2, 400 Mohawk Trail, Shelburne Falls, MA 01370-9748 (413) 625-9776

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Treasurers Report

 Previous Balance 07-31-17
 \$2,270.66

 VF Profit Distribution
 \$ 538.39

 Corsa Fee
 \$ (35.00)

Balance 08-31-17 **\$2,774.05**

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For those of you who need more of a car fix after our meeting or can't make the meeting it's time again for the annual Edgar Rohr Car Show in Manassas. Here is the flyer.

CALLING ALL CARS!



Visit us on the web at www.bullrunaaca.org

42nd Edgar Rohr Memorial Antique Car Show Saturday, September 16, 2017

Manassas Museum Grounds, 9101 Prince William St., Manassas, VA 20111 10:00 AM - 3:00 PM; Car registration 8:00 AM - 11:00 AM



1939 Chevy "HOOSIER'S" Bus Owner: Darryll Baker 2016 Arthur Ault Award

Contacts:

Lenita Franklin, Registration (703) 494-6709 Darryll Baker, Show Chairman (571) 294-7853 Meet-day info (Sat only): Jon Battle (703) 986-8785



Registration form on back

- ✓ Enjoy wide variety of pre-war and post-war vehicles
- √ 1992 and older cars on display--street rods/modified cars included
- √ Free admission to Manassas Museum
- ✓ Opening Flag Presentation & National Anthem Ceremony at 11:30 AM
- ✓ Participant Judging 50 class awards plus 14 Special Awards!
- ✓ Special display of Unique Commercial Vehicles
- √ Have a bite to eat at the fabulous "29 Diner" barbecue tent
- ✓ Free spectator admission, free trailer parking and free garage parking.
- ✓ Door prizes +50/50 raffle + Silent Auction + Car Corral + Flea Market
- ✓ Free Country/Western concert by Miss Hannah Polk
- ✓ Model T Assembly /Disassembly demonstration
- ✓ One block to Manassas Farmer's Market and International Food festival
- ✓ RAIN or SHINE, the show goes on!













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2017 Meeting Schedule

September 16th Rory and Rita

13201 Hathaway Drive Silver Spring, MD 20906

October 21st Ron Tumolo - Engine Removal

905 North Amelia Street

Sterling, VA 20164

November 18th Open

December 9th Annual Holiday Party

All meetings begin at 9AM

I am sure someone has volunteered for the November meeting. I just can't remember who. Help jog my memory with a call or email.

For Pictures of last month's meeting at Stan's shop go to our Facebook Page.

https://www.facebook.com/NVCCHOME/?hc_ref=SEARCH#