

VAIR STREET JOURNAL

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TRIP *to* TARA

Story and photos by Timothy R. Desmond, Event Coordinator

October 21, 2006

Everything started and ended beautifully, what a way for an outing to go.

It started at Krispy Kreme in Cranberry around 8:30. By 9:00 a.m. we were on the road. Jim and

We spent an hour in all the different shops, and I know it wasn't enough time, but we had to leave to make it to Tara by 12:00.

Our tour was scheduled for noon, and we made it on time. This Tara was fashioned after Tara, the

very impressive job in building and maintaining this place.

Next came lunch. It was fantastic! I'm sure everyone spoke highly of the food. By 2:30, lunch and our conversations were ending. This part of the trip was over. Some people left



Clockwise from left – Jim Heatherington, Pat Greenwald, Janet Greenwald, Eric Greenwald, Mary Ellen Cekus and Suzanne Heatherington



Clockwise from near left – Joyce Bachman, Nora Puskas, Joseph Puskas, Steve Puskas, John Gundlach, Michelle Desmond and John E. Bachman

Suzanne Heatherington, Jack and Joyce Bachman, Steve Puskas and his parents. Pat Greenwald and her son Eric and his wife Janet, Mary Ellen Cekus, John Gundlach and myself Tim Desmond and my wife Michele made up our group.

Our first stop was Volant, Pa., about 30 minutes north of Cranberry. The drive was beautiful, the weather was perfect, and the fall foliage was at its peak.

southern mansion in the movie *Gone with the Wind*. They have done a

for home, while a few of us took the same route by which we had come up, for another stop in Volant. The winery got a lot of patronage that afternoon.

To sum it up, everyone had a good time. All of the cars performed beautifully and it turned out to be an enjoyable day.

We should do this trip again sometime!



Our cars in the parking lot at Volant

Tim Desmond

Minutes of the November 28, 2006 WPCC Member Meeting

Officers Present:

President Jim Heatherington
Vice President, Tim Desmond
Secretary, Pat Greenwald.

Board members present:

Emerick Buccigrossi
Don Cekus
Al Friend

Journal editor, Charles Lucas.

The meeting was called to order by President Jim Heatherington.

The minutes were accepted as printed in the newsletter. The secretary read Dwayne Cekus's treasurer's report. The balance is \$2,421.87. Currently we have 43 members.

Jim welcomed Don and Martha Urchek to the meeting. They drove here from Cortland, Ohio. Currently they own two Corvairs but have owned about 13 through the years.

Jim called attention to the memorial donation sent to CPF in memory of Bill Brill. Jim's letter accompanying the donation was printed in the Open Forum section of the December Communique, but the 'In Memoriam' message sent with it was not printed. Jim called CORSA concerning this. We will look for it in the next issue.

Jim reviewed plans for the January 14th party at The Nu Babcock in the North Hills. A registration form with all the details will be coming in the mail.

Don Cekus reported that he and Jim Madden attended the Fall Affair in Charlotte, NC in October. He raved about the event and encouraged other club members to attend in the future.

Tim Desmond reported on the very successful October 21st trip to Volant and the tour of the Tara mansion in Sharon.

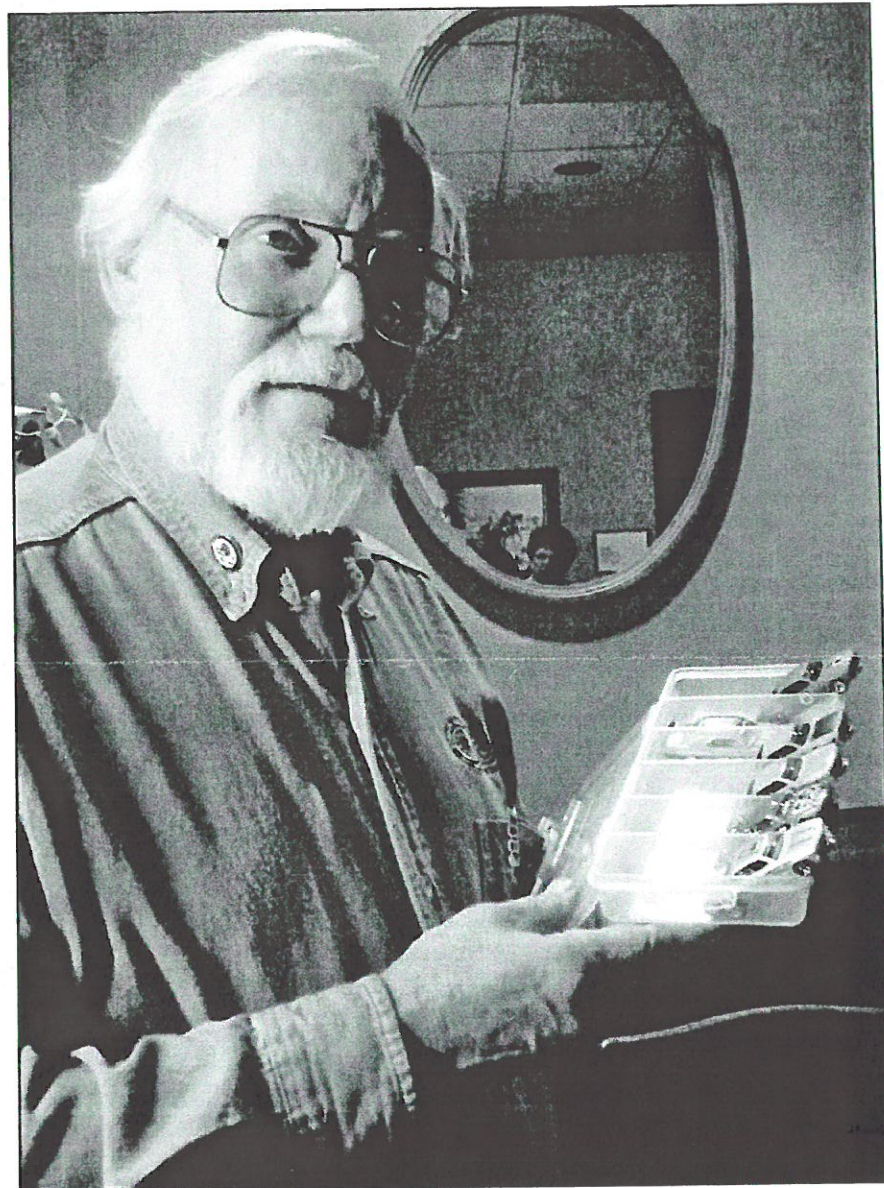
Don Baker reported the results of the September Econorun that was organized by Bob Hieber.

Jim asked Don to head the nominating committee for 2007 officers.

Carole Friend won \$15.00 in the 50/50 raffle. She donated it back to the club.



Pat Greenwald
Secretary



At the November 28 WPCC member meeting, Don Baker proudly displayed his collection of Hot Wheels® VAIRY 8™ Corvair model cars

The Prez Sez



PHOTO BY DON BAKER

Jim Heatherington

THIS WILL BE MY LAST message in the newsletter as your president, and I must say how very much I have enjoyed the year. When I accepted this position again, I told you what a pleasure it is to be part of this club, and having a position of leadership makes that even better. Thank you all for a wonderful year.

Suzanne and I wish each and every one of you, a very happy,

healthy Christmas and a great year in 2007.

The first item on our agenda for the new year is the Holiday Party on January 14, 2007, at the Nu Babcock Banquet facility on Babcock Road. A reservation form with information and directions is on page 4.

January 14 is just around the next bend, so you'll want to start putting goodies aside for possible donation to the Chinese Auction.

Re-gifting is not only allowed in the Chinese Auction, it is actively encouraged. <big grin> Not so with the Gift Exchange. For that one we want all new stuff. No weird stuff from Great-aunt Hephzibah, ok?

You will note in the Holiday Banquet information on the reverse side of this page that reservations must be made by Wednesday, January 3. Please take some time *now* to fill out the form, enclose it in an envelope along with your check

(made out to WPCC) and mail it on to me. Thanks

We all owe a debt of gratitude to a number of our members who seem to step up when needed. For touring plans, thanks go to Al Friend, Tim Desmond, John Gundlach and Ralph Shearer. For another year of keeping us informed, kudos to Charles Lucas, whose newsletters are just that - newsy! For their work as officers, Dwayne Cekus, treasurer and Pat Greenwald, secretary, thank you very much. With an active and helpful bunch of people like this, anyone can be president - just ask them!

Jim Heatherington
President



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Jim Heatherington
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WESTERN PENNSYLVANIA CORVAIR CLUB
ANNUAL HOLIDAY BANQUET
SUNDAY, JANUARY 14, 2007
THE NU BABCOCK BANQUET FACILITY AT 3382 BABCOCK BLVD.
PITTSBURGH, PA 15237 412-364-3680



Please come to celebrate the beginning of a new year of our Corvair-loving hobby. It will be a great evening socializing with friends, food, drinks and gifts.

- ◆ Social hour begins at 3:00 with fellowship, club-sponsored hors d'oeuvres, a cash bar, and the purchase of tickets for the Chinese Auction, handled by Pat Greenwald. Auction items will be awarded just before dinner is served, so come armed with something to donate and money for tickets on the stuff others have brought. (This event could also be called "Share the Wealth.")
- ◆ Dinner will be served at 5:00 p.m.
- ◆ Following dinner, Al and Carole Friend will conduct the annual Gift Exchange. To get a present, you must bring a present. Be sure to clearly mark the gift wrapping with **M** for Male, **F** for Female or **B** for Both.

Entrées will come with Wedding Soup, Seasonal Mixed Green Salad, Twice-baked Potato, Green Beans Almondine, and Ice Cream for dessert.

Reservations deadline: Wed, Jan. 3, 2007

Make Checks payable to WPCC

Directions: Take I-279 to Perrysville Exit. Go onto Cemetery Lane and follow it to the T at Babcock Blvd. Turn LEFT on Babcock to Sieb's Pub / Nu Babcock (green sign) on the right. Turn into parking lot and enter at the Banquet Entrance on the right.

Detach this form and return with your check to Jim Heatherington, 128 Sharp Road, White Oak, PA 15131



Dinner Entrée Choices:	Cost	Number	Amount
Medallions of Chicken Marsala	\$13.00
Sole Florentine	13.00
Prime Rib of Beef au Jus	16.50
Total Enclosed			\$

Name _____ Entrée _____

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If you would like to correct or update your listing, please forward the correct information to:
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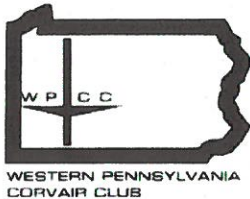


Next Meeting

Sunday January 14, 2007

**for the Holiday Banquet at the Nu Babcock Restaurant
See page 4 for time, reservation form and directions**

Never forget 09-11-01



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