

*Central Oklahoma Corvair Association
Newsletter*

July 2020



THE PREZ SEZ

Here we are again, another month gone by and we are still battling Covid 19. We can beat this stuff, we just have to be smart about it. Wear a Mask when appropriate, keep our spacing and wash our hands often. I know this sounds like a broken record, but it seems to be the best and easiest things we can do. We will have our meeting at the ranch and will practice all of the above guidelines. We will try and hold the meeting outside if the weather is nice.

This last couple of weeks at Coffee at Ken's has been very interesting. We had David Main's 65 Convertible in with a fuel problem and other mild ailments, the car hasn't been driven for at least ten years. We found that he wasn't getting fuel from the tank to the fuel pump, plus his carburetor's needed rebuilding. We got all of that taken care of along with a few other small issues. When he buys some new tires he should be able to get on the road. Then we tackled an emissions problem on Ken's Chevy Tahoe. It turned out to be a very complex problem and the fuel tank had to be dropped, that turned into be a real learning experience. If we have time at the meeting we can go over some of the fun we had fixing it.

I think everyone may have heard by now that the October roundup has been postponed until next year. Sure will miss the fun we have when we attend the events. I hope to see you all at the meeting this Saturday, but if you don't feel safe don't feel bad about not coming we understand. Good luck and good health to all!



David Castiaux, The Prez
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COCA Meeting Minutes June 2020

The June meeting of the Central Oklahoma Corvair Association was held on June 27, 2020. President David Castiaux opened the meeting at 10:00AM. He welcomed the club members. No guests were in attendance. Social distancing was practiced.

Old Business- The minutes for May were reviewed. Ann Ergenbright made a motion to accept the minutes as given. John Sargent seconded the motion. The motion was voted on and passed. Juna Tuna was held at Terry Kalp's garage on June 13th. Because of the virus there have not been many activities that the club has participated in.

Treasurer's Report- Ken Drye gave his report on our finances. He also said there were still a few members that had not paid for this year's dues. If you haven't already, please send your dues to Ken Drye. James Ergenbright made a motion to accept the report. The motion was seconded by Phillip Morgan. The motion was passed by the membership.

New Business- The committee formed to look into locations for our roundup is still gathering information for our next roundup. It has been discovered that our turn to host will not occur until 2022 not 2021 as we first believed. David would still like for everyone to keep a look out for possible locations. Contact him with any suggestions.

This year's roundup will be hosted by the Arkansas club and information for that show is on their website. As of this time the show is

still being held and unless Covid-19 changes things it will be held at the normal time. Check their website for the latest information.

Member Francis Tanner is offering up his collection of Corvairs and parts. If you are interested contact David Castiaux and he can fix you up with a contact name and number.

David has signed the club up for the annual Midwest City Veterans Day Parade. The last two years weather has cancelled this event. Here's hoping we get some agreeable weather this year. If you plan on attending the parade David will need a copy of your insurance verification for the vehicle to be driven in the parade. This is a requirement from Midwest City.

Door prize tickets were sold and the prizes distributed. Ken Drye had the winning ticket given to those who drove their Corvair to the meeting.

Remember coffee at Ken's Sunday and Wednesday mornings. He would love to see you.

Ann Ergenbright made a motion to adjourn the meeting. The motion was seconded by James Ergenbright. The motion passed and we adjourned.





Coffee at Kens PATS



Working on Blue



Sometimes you have
to work on other
things than Corvairs

Postponed till



Postponed till

October 2-4, 2020



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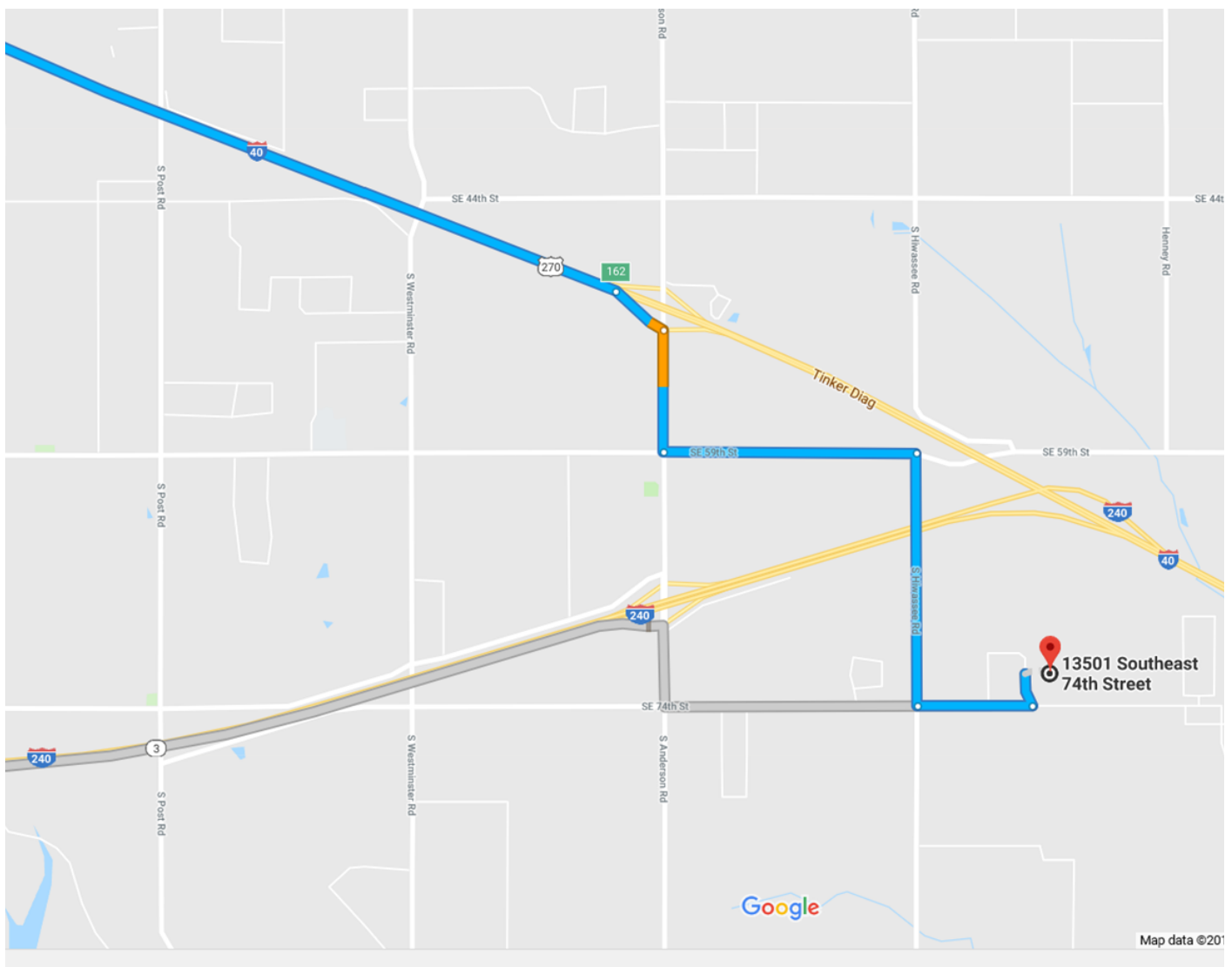


2021



Directions to the Diamond E Ranch (The Ergenbrights) Meeting Place

10:00 AM for our Monthly Meeting The ground is very wet so do not park on the grass stay on the driveway... you will get stuck...



Facebook Happenings



Kate Moore

Visual Storyteller · July 19 at 5:18 PM · 🌐

Brandon Prince and I went first thing this morning to check out a parts car for the engine because Foxy Roxy smokes so bad and ended up bringing it home ❤️ going to rob the title-less to get Foxy Roxy closer to cruising down the highway and ready for the Blue Moon Car Show ❤️



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Pat Silver

Ya can't own just 1.. They magically multiply... kinda like rabbits..

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Irving V. Brock

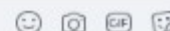
There's the choke cable I said I was interested in, but turns out you're going to need it yourselves.



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Write a comment...



Kate Moore and David Castiaux commented on this photo.



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2 Comments

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David Castiaux
Nice find and sounds good also...way to go!

Like · Reply · 3d

David Castiaux thank you 😊

Like · Reply · 3d

Write a comment...

Brandon Prince
July 22 at 12:31 PM · 🌐

Good morning everyone I am looking for the front seat brackets that help hold down the front mounts on the seat. Please let me know if you or anybody you know may have some they would like to get rid of.





Kate Moore

Visual Storyteller · July 16 at 1:16 PM · 🌐

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Hello lovelies, mark your calendars for the Blue Moon Car Show.
[Brandon Prince](#) and his crew work really hard on putting this together
 and last year it was a blast!



The 12th Annual Tommy Miller Car & Motorcycle Show




September 26, 2020 at the North Hills Center-Ada, OK

CASH PRIZES

\$1000 BEST OF SHOW
\$500 1ST PLACE MOTORCYCLE
\$1000 KIDS CHOICE AWARD \$500 TO VEHICLE - \$500 TO CHILD
CHILD MUST BE PRESENT TO WIN

50-50 DRAWING DAY OF SHOW

REGISTRATION - 7:30-11:00 JUDGING STARTS AT 11:00
AWARDS AT 1:30

Registration Fee - \$25 "FREE" T-Shirt with Registration
Car Cruise - Friday, September 25th
Meet at Blue Moon at 6:30pm to begin cruise by 7:00pm
free BBQ sandwiches, chips, & Pepsi following cruise

for questions or registration information call:
Harold Kinstner 580-559-1143 or Candy 580-332-1212



Ronda Morgan

July 11 at 8:17 PM · 🌐

Went to enjoy the cars at NSRA show today...one Corvair there representing...getting lots of attention from the attendees! Mike White's ride.



Ann Cheek Ergenbright

July 4 at 9:06 AM · 🌐

Happy 4th of July to our COCA friends!



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James Cheek
Great picture. Love it.

Like · Reply · 2w



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Sandra Sanders Cheek
Happy 4th from South Carolina.

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Write a comment...



David Castiaux

July 21 at 5:50 PM · 🌐

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We will hold our regular meeting this Saturday at the Ranch at 10 AM. Please bring your chair and don't forget you Mask and hand sanitizer. Hope to see you all there....we will try and hold it outside if weather permits. David



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Eldon Stephens
You all stay safe wish we were closer but at at least we got to see Pat Silver last week

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Kate Moore
See you in a few days 🍷❤️

Like · Reply · 2d



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Write a comment...





David Castiaux shared a link.

July 2 at 2:38 PM · 🌐

Well this article describes quite a few of us!



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How to know if you are an automotive masochist | Hagerty Media

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Ann Cheek Ergenbright

You know, I think I know a few(dozen) of these guys. Lol

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Irving V. Brock

My late Uncle fit in with this group to a tee. He owned at least one of every British brand from the 60s-70s as daily drivers over his life and for his entire family. But back then used cars were cheap compared to now and he could constantly get just a... See More



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Colleen Richard Law

Admin · July 14 at 11:03 AM · 🌐

Just got this email

Dear fellow Corvair enthusiasts,

Due to the continued outbreak of the Covid-19 virus in our area, the Arkansas Corvair Club has decided to postpone the 2020 Great Plains Roundup until October 1st – 3rd of 2021. We regret having to postpone the event but we feel that to ensure the safety and protection of all the attendees that this course of action is best for everyone involved.... See More

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David Castiaux

I had a feeling it would get postponed.

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Ann Cheek Ergenbright

Me too but I was sure hoping it wouldn't.

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Robert Franklin Welch

OKC should have a small get together and everyone bring their Corvairs. At a public venue so we can show them off to the public. Surly we can get some publicity and have a great Corvair gathering..... Any ideas?

Like · Reply · 1w



Elizabeth Park-Capron

Thanks for the info!!

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Pat Silver

Blanchard has a MUFFLERS ON MAIN event the last weekend in Sept..I'll get info about it and present it at the next meeting.

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David Castiaux

Good we need at least some kind of Corvair/auto event this year!

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Ray Morales shared a post.

July 19 at 6:10 PM · 🌐

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Ray Morales

Visual Storyteller · July 19 at 6:08 PM · 🌐

1962 Monza Convertible

\$4,500

📧 Message

1962 Monza Convertible FOR SALE. \$4500 **Appears to be very original Cream color, white power top**

Former member of NTCA passed away and family is selling his car. Looked at it and here are the highlights-

-Located in Cooper TX (90 NE of Dallas)

-ONE OWNER CAR...TX Car...stored INSIDE covered

... See More



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David Clamp

Yesterday at 12:49 PM · 🌐

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Is there a shop locally that does good work on Corvair heads? I suspect I dropped a valve seat yesterday. I haven't torn into anything yet, but I've heard that noise in the past and am all too familiar with it.

Some background: twice yesterday, when starting of from a light, there was a backfire through on of the carbs and then about 10 seconds of rough running, then all seemed well. After shutting down for about 10 minutes, the ominous clatter was there. I shut down and flat-bedded it home. My thoughts are the seat on the two backfires had almost dropped, causing the intake valve not to seal well as the plug fired.



Chris Teer and 1 other

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Pat Silver

Locally, I have used Pat's Machine Shop in OKC for head work..

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David Clamp

Pat Silver they know Corvair heads?

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Pat Silver

David, they have done corvair heads for me. Loren turned me on to them a few years back..

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David Clamp

Thanks....I hope to tear into in in a week or so.

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Club Stats:

NUMBER OF MEMBERS	30	
NUMBER AT LAST MEETING	13	
NUMBER OF CORVAIRS DRIVEN	2	
NUMBER OF GUEST AT LAST MEETING	0	
NEW MEMBERS	0	

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January 26 2020	Monthly Meeting - Diamond E Ranch Board of Directors voting DUES for the year are Due \$15.00
February 22, 2020	Monthly Meeting - Diamond E Ranch Cold Tuna—Wichita, KS
March 28, 2020	Monthly Meeting - Diamond E Ranch S CANCELED Due to Covid - 19
April 25, 2020	Monthly Meeting - Diamond E Ranch He CANCELED Due to Covid - 19
May 23, 2020	Monthly Meeting - Diamond E Ranch - Meeting at Noon for a cookout see newsletter For more details Tri-State - May 15-17 All CANCELED Due to Covid - 19
June 27, 2020	Monthly Meeting - Diamond E Ranch Juna Tuna June 13th - confirmed by Terry Kalp
July 25, 2020	Monthly Meeting - Diamond E Ranch Corsa Convention - 6-11 July 2270 Hotel Cir CANCELED Due to Covid - 19
August 22, 2020	Monthly Meeting - Diamond E Ranch Watermelon Festival CANCELED Due to Covid - 19
September 26, 2020	Monthly Meeting - Diamond E Ranch
October 24, 2020	Monthly Meeting - Diamond E Ranch 2020 Great CANCELED Due to Covid - 19 2-4 Little Rock Corvair Heritage Days - Oct ? Still no word
November 28, 2020	Monthly Meeting - Diamond E Ranch
December 2020	TBD
1st Saturday	Cars and Coffee North Park Mall
2nd Saturday	Cars and Coffee Norman at Crest Foods W. Robinson
3rd Saturday	Cruise in for Coffee Midwest City Santa Fe Steak House parking lot May - Oct
1st and 3rd Thursdays	Thursday Night Cruisers - Mustang Apr - September
Sundays	Coffee at Kens
Sundays	Cruise Air Depot 5-9 pm