

*Central Oklahoma Corvair Association
Newsletter*

August 2021



THE PREZ SEZ

Happy hot August everyone, I thought June and July were just too good weather wise that we would probably pay for it later, we are, however on the bright side it hasn't hit 100 degrees yet. This weather makes it rough to work on our Corvairs, but we must press on.

Ken's Greenbrier has been our Wednesday and Sunday workshop focus for a couple of months. I'm happy to announce it is fixed thanks to help from many club members. It seems there were a few things causing the problems, mainly carburation and distributor related.

Next on our latest work list was again another one of Ken's cars (he has so many) a 64 Convertible that has been sitting since our roundup. We got it out of hiding and started it up with the old gas in it. It started quickly but ran a little rough and didn't want to idle well. The left choke and hot air door didn't want to open. We changed out the old gas and the choke and door worked just fine on the next engine run, sometimes there are easy fixes?

We need to start getting our ducks lined up for the Roundup in Little Rock, AR 8th - 10th October. Then after the roundup we have the H.O.T. in Nacogdoches, TX 12-14 November.

So much fun ahead, we can discuss all of this at our meeting this Saturday at the Ranch, looking forward to seeing you there



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COCA Minutes July 24, 2021

President David Castiaux called the meeting to order at 10:00 AM. He welcomed the members and there were no guests at this meeting. There was a good turnout of 26 members with 4 Corvairs being driven.

Old Business- The May minutes were reviewed. Scott Law made a motion to accept the minutes, Pat Silver seconded the motion. The members voted in favor. The June minutes were reviewed, and Ann Ergenbright made a motion to accept those minutes. Delia Silver seconded the motion, and it was passed by the membership. David reported that all of the current members are paid up to date with their dues. The 4th of July Parade had 6 cars from the club represented. The weather wasn't too hot as it usually is, and the crowd seemed to enjoy the vehicles.

Treasurer's Report- Ken Drye gave the monthly treasurer's report. John Sargent made a motion to accept the report and the motion was seconded by Pat Silver. The motion was passed by the membership.

New Business- The Great Plains Roundup is in Little Rock, Arkansas this year. The hotel is now accepting reservations. There are still rooms available. This particular hotel is not pet friendly so bear that in mind. It appears that the majority of the contingent will be leaving on Thursday. More news will be available at future meetings about where and when to meet up if you want to caravan to Little Rock. The drive time will be about 5-6 hours. The last time Little Rock held the Great Plains Roundup it was described as a wonderful event. David said that Arkansas really did help support our last roundup and he would like to see us do the same for them.

HOT will be held after the roundup, November 12th -14th. The hotel there is pet friendly. It also is between a five- and six-hour drive to Nacogdoches. Again, the largest contingent will be leaving on Thursday. More information will be forthcoming on where and when to meet.

Tri-State will be in Albuquerque the week following the roundup.

Putnam City Baptist Church will have their annual car show on October 2nd. David Breckenridge passed out fliers for this show. There are 27 classes of cars so there should be one for your car. A ton of trophies will be awarded at 2:30 and they will even feed you. For more information you can go to their website. PCBC.TV/Carshow.

Jim Gailey gave a quick update on his newest Corvair. He says it drives and shifts great. He has a few more things to take care of but he is hoping to have it ready for the roundup.

David Main brought some sample cups for the members to view. The cups are \$10.00 each with logo. They are the larger size. See David Main to place your orders.

Numerous tees, polos, and jackets were brought for everyone to look at and decide if they would like to purchase one. Jim Gailey still has his contact and will work on getting current pricing for these items. You can always purchase your own shirt or sweatshirt and he can get the club logo put on it. He should have more information at the August meeting.

Ann Ergenbright presented Ken Drye with his very own birthday cake. Happy Birthday Ken. Due to stringent fire codes, there were no candles. ;-0

Tech Tip- Bob Welch has purchased technical tips 1-4 from CORSA. He says there is a ton of information in them. Bob also brought a cut up oil cooler and filter to show what the insides look like. Scott Law also added if you let the oil filter drain for at least 24 hours you can then check to see if the filter contained any metal shavings, etc.

It was discussed that are several versions of how to make a backseat A/C unit from a cooler on Youtube. James had brought one to a meeting a couple of years ago. Might be something I make a future trip a little cooler.

Scott Law also gave the name of a carburetor man in Midwest City. His name is Bob Simon and is a very good technician. You can contact Scott Law for his number and address if interested.

Tickets were sold for the door prizes and given away for the Corvair drivers. James Ergenbright won the door prize for driving his Corsa. The remaining door prizes were handed out.

Scott Law made a motion to adjourn with Phillip Morgan seconding the motion. Membership voted aye to adjourning.





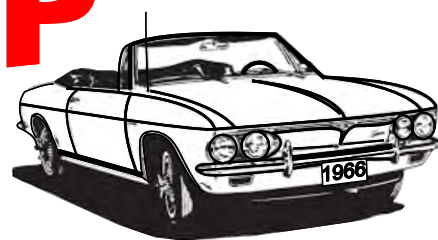
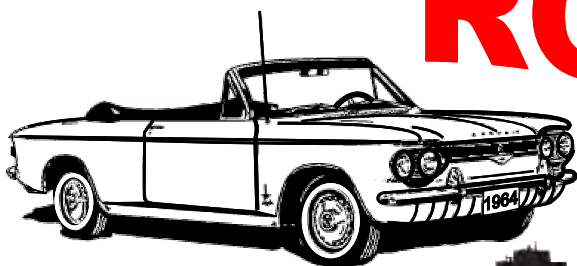
Coffee at Kens



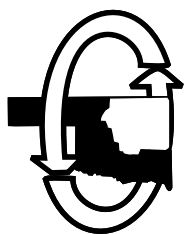
Welcome to the **NORTH LITTLE ROCK**

Corvair

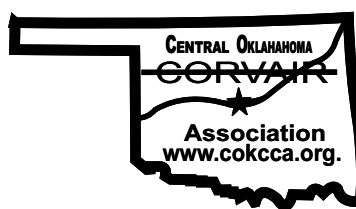
Great Plains
ROUNDUP



October 8-10, 2021



Green
County
Corvair
Group



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Join us for the 2021 Roundup



[Print the Registration Form](#)



[Print the Roundup Flier](#)

Need more information? Have questions?

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EVENT SCHEDULE

2021 Great Plains Corvair Roundup

Thursday, October 7, 2021

3 P.M. Hotel Check in Available at front desk
6:00 P.M. - ? ACC members will set up for Friday

Friday, October 8, 2021

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| 8 A.M. - 5 P.M. | Hospitality Room - Room 1005 |
| 9 A.M. - 4 P.M. | Registration & T-Shirts - Foyer East |
| 9 A.M. - 5 P.M. | Swap Meet Tables Inside and Outside |
| 9 A.M. - 5 P.M. | Visit Little Rock & North Little Rock Points of Interest |
| 4 P.M. - 5 P.M. | Tech Talk Session - Banquet Room 5 - Elvis King |
| 6 P.M. - 8 P.M. | Registration & T-Shirts - Foyer East |
| 6:30 P.M. - 7 P.M. | Valve Cover Racer Tech Inspection & Weigh In |
| 7 P.M. - 9 P.M. | Valve Cover Races - Banquet Room 6 |

Saturday, October 9, 2021

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| 7 A.M. - 4 P.M. | Hospitality Room - Room 1005 |
| 8 A.M. - 9 A.M. | People's Choice Vehicle Display Setup - Riverfront Park |
| 9 A.M. - 5 P.M. | Swap Meet Tables Inside and Outside |
| 9 A.M. - 2 P.M. | Registration & T-Shirts - Foyer East |
| 9 A.M. - 12 P.M. | People's Choice Vehicle Display Show - Riverfront Park |
| 1 P.M. - 1:30 P.M. | Fun Run Driving Event Staging - Gravel Parking Lot |
| 1:30 - 4 P.M. | Fun Run Driving Event |
| 6:30 - 7 P.M. | Happy Half Hour - (Cash Bar) |
| 7 P.M. - 9:30 P.M. | Banquet & Awards Ceremony |

Sunday, October 10, 2021

7 A.M. - 11:00 A.M. Breakfast and checkout on your own

2021 Great Plains Corvair Roundup

October 8 - 10, North Little Rock, Arkansas

Wyndham Riverfront Hotel, 2 Riverfront Place



Registration type and names: Individual ☐ Family ☐



| | First Name | Last Name |
|---|------------|-----------|
| 1 | | |
| 2 | | |
| 3 | | |
| 4 | | |

Address _____

City _____ State _____ ZIP _____

Phone _____

E-mail _____

Corvair Club _____

(List Corvairs you will bring, below.)

Car #1 - Year _____ Model _____

Body Style _____ Color _____

Car #2 - Year _____ Model _____

Body Style _____ Color _____

☐ Trailer Parking needed

Hotel Reservations: 1-866-657-4458 or 1-501-907-4823

Ask for AR Corvair Club Great Plains Roundup Discount

More information and questions? Contact:

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Event registration and fees

| Event | Quantity | Total |
|---|----------|-------|
| Roundup Registration (\$30.00) (Single/Couple/Family) | | |
| Banquet (\$40.00 per person) | | |
| People's Choice Vehicle Display (No charge) | | |
| Valve Cover Races (\$5.00 per entry) | | |
| Fun Run Event (\$10.00 per entry) | | |
| Order Roundup t-shirts (Indicate sizes and quantity below) | | |
| Small (\$18.00) | | |
| Medium (\$18.00) | | |
| Large (\$18.00) | | |
| X-Large (\$18.00) | | |
| 2X-Large (\$18.00) | | |
| 3X-Large (\$18.00) | | |
| TOTAL FEES | | |

PLEASE NOTE: Payment for banquet and t-shirts must be received no later than **August 31, 2021**. No refunds for banquet or t-shirts after August 31.

Checks payable to: Arkansas Corvair Club. Mail payment to:
Dan Hill, 6490 Double S Trail, Benton, AR 72019

Heart of Texas *Corvair* Reunion



November 12-14, 2021



H.O.T 2021 will be “air cooled in the pines” in the oldest town in Texas

Hosted by North Texas Corvair Association

Updates on northtexascorvair.org and the NTCA Facebook page

The city of Nacogdoches and The Fredonia Hotel is the host location for H.O.T. The Fredonia is a recently refurbished boutique hotel, designed and built in the Mid-Century modern era of our Corvairs. Dedicated parking for cars and trailers will be available. Eating and shopping is a short walk downtown. Breakfast and other meals are available at local restaurants or the hotel. Fall is a beautiful time in east Texas.

For those arriving early, a “Pre-H.O.T self drive” and visitors information will be available.

Registration will open in late afternoon. A restaurant and visitors guide will be provided in your registration package. **Friday night**, the welcome gathering and games will be held at the Nacogdoches Visitors and Convention Bureau, a short walk or drive from the hotel.

Saturday morning, the H.O.T Car Show will take place on the town square, by the Visitors Center. It is judged show and the public will pick a “best of show”! During the event, restaurants and shops can be visited in the downtown area. **In the afternoon**, have lunch at a local restaurant and then set out for a mapped drive thru the piney woods. Upon returning to the hotel, you can chose to participate in a social activity or a tech session or relax at the hotel by the beautiful pool. Saturday’s Banquet meal is a plated dinner, with choice of steak, salmon or chicken.

Room block
held until
Oct 29th

Hotel block will be available for Thursday, Friday and Saturday nights.

Tower King or Double Queen - \$129 (+ applicable taxes)

Also available are “Terrace Rooms”, accessible from outside - \$149 (+ applicable taxes)

Call hotel at 936-564-1234 and use “Heart of Texas Corvair Reunion”

Use this link for direct access to reserve a room

<https://reservations.travelclick.com/102255?groupID=3153619>

Activity Agenda:

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| Friday | “Pre-Hot” Tour | Optional for those arriving early: information and drive for local sights | On own |
| | H.O.T Registration | Fredonia Hotel Lobby | 2-7pm |
| | Welcome gathering, games | Nacogdoches Visitors Center, 200 E. Main (3 blocks from hotel) | 7-10pm |
| Saturday | Registration | Downtown Square behind Visitor Center | 8a-9a |
| | Car Show | Downtown Square behind Visitor Center | Set up: 8a-9a Show: 9a-12p |
| | Nacogdoches Driving Tour | Drive thru the piney woods of east Texas | Afternoon |
| | Optional: | Social time - hotel Tech Session – hotel | 3:30 – 5p |
| | Banquet Dinner | Fredonia Hotel, Banita Ballroom Social Gathering, Dinner and Awards | 6p – 10 pm |
| | H.O.T Club Chair Meeting | Dining area of hotel | 9-10am |
| Sunday | Drive home! | Be Safe... | |

Note: all local Covid safety guidelines will be followed

Need help? Contact Jeannette Alberte jalberte@att.net or 847-254-1399

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| Name (s): _____ | Additional: _____ |
| Address: _____ | City, State, Zip: _____ |
| Email address: _____ | Club Affiliation: _____ |
| Best # for contact: _____ | Contact # at event: _____ |
| Bringing a trailer? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Maybe? | Will arrive Thursday <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> Maybe |

Dinners must be ordered and paid by Oct. 29th

NOTE: No refunds after October 29th

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| Individual/Family Registration Fee: Early Registration, received before October 15 th : \$30 Registration after October 15 th : \$40 | | \$ _____ |
| Saturday Car Show: FREE Enter for Category- Early Open (EO), Early Closed (EC), Late Open (LO), Late Closed (LC), Forward Control (FC) (if more cars, add on back of form or email) 1. Year: _____ Body Style _____ Color _____ Category _____ 2. Year: _____ Body Style _____ Color _____ Category _____ | | |
| Will attend the Saturday Tech Session # _____ Will attend Social Time # _____ | | |
| Saturday Banquet Dinner: Plated and served, including dessert, ice tea and coffee. Entrée served with salad, rosemary roasted new potatoes and seasonal roasted baby vegetables | | |
| -Chicken Scaloppini- (Mushroom, artichokes, madeira wine sauce) \$34 each x # _____ -Grilled Salmon- (Lemon Butter, capers) \$34 each x # _____ -Flat Iron Steak – (with butter, red wine demi glaze) \$38 each x # _____ <i>please contact in advance for vegetarian meal or special dietary needs</i> | | \$ _____ \$ _____ \$ _____ Sub \$ _____ |
| Apparel Orders Note: must be received by Oct. 29 th Shirt and Hats are “pine green” with event logo | | |
| T- Shirt NO POCKET \$20 each | # _____ Small # _____ Med # _____ LG # _____ XL # _____ XXL (add \$5) # _____ XXXL (add \$5) | Total \$ _____ |
| T-Shirt WITH POCKET \$20 each | # _____ Small # _____ Med # _____ LG # _____ XL # _____ XXL (add \$5) # _____ XXXL (add \$5) | Total \$ _____ |
| Hats - \$15 each | # _____ Unstructured # _____ Structured | Total \$ _____ |
| Apparel Order (must be received by 10/29 and no refunds after 10/29) | | Apparel order Total \$ _____ |
| Total for All Items: | | DUE \$ _____ |

Two ways to register and pay:

1. Make checks payable to NTCA; Mail form and check to:
NTCA, PO Box 170796, Irving, TX 75107
OR
2. Download the Venmo App, look for NTCA Payment, Submit payment and mail form to PO BOX or email form to NTCATreasurer@gmail.com
Contact if other arrangements are needed

Reservations made to The Hotel Fredonia at 936-564-1234 and use “Heart of Texas Corvair Reunion” OR

Use this link for direct access to reserve
<https://reservations.travelclick.com/102255?groupID=3153619>

Note: Room block held open until 10/29/2021

2021 Tri-State

October 15 - 17 2021

2021 Tri-State

Albuquerque, New Mexico

WE'RE BACK!!

Originally scheduled for May 2020 the Tri-State was postponed for obvious reasons.

The event has been rescheduled for October 15, 16 and 17 2021.

We considered May but felt October would be safer. The Hotel, Marriott worked with us and gave us the same arrangements/details that had originally been worked out.

The same registration, hospitality, car show, banquets and etc. More information to come soon.

Make your reservations now and don't forget to mention the Corvair Tri-State for special pricing.

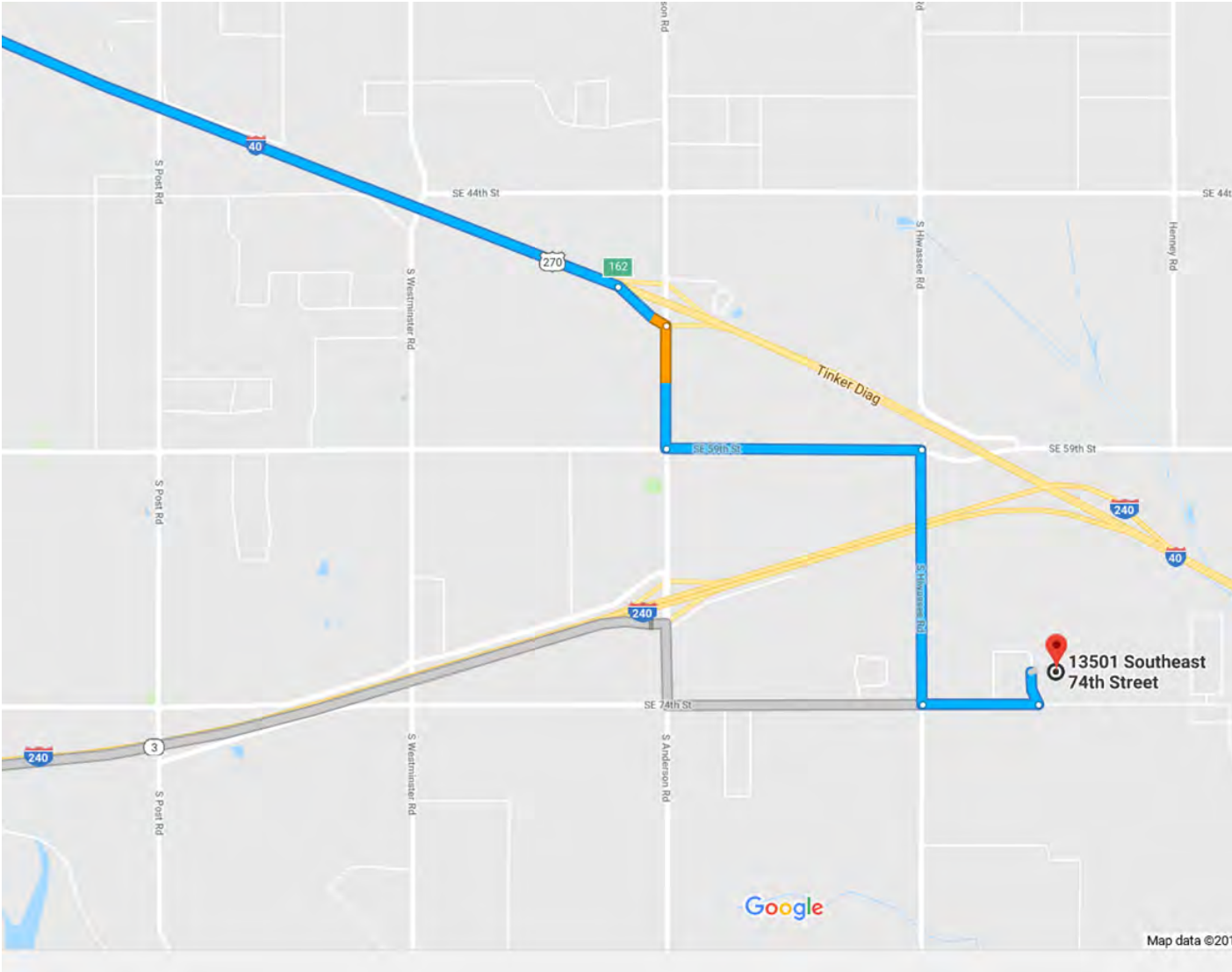
Albuquerque Marriott Pyramid North

5151 San Francisco Road NE

505-821-3333

When October 15th, 2021 12:00 AM through October 17th, 2021 12:00 AM
Location Albuquerque, NM
United States

Monthly Meeting at the Diamond E Ranch (aka the Ergenbrights)



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Club Stats:

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| NUMBER OF MEMBERS | 53 |
| NUMBER AT LAST MEETING | 18 |
| NUMBER OF CORVAIRS DRIVEN | 0 |
| NUMBER OF GUEST AT LAST MEETING | 0 |
| NEW MEMBERS | 0 |

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| January 23 2021 | Monthly Meeting - Diamond E Ranch CANCELED Due to Covid - 19 |
| February 27, 2021 | Monthly Meeting - Diamond E Ranch Zoom Meeting—what fun we had |
| March 27, 2021 | Monthly Meeting - Diamond E Ranch Our first meeting in person since October 2020 |
| April 24, 2021 | Monthly Meeting—Diamond E Ranch |
| May 22, 2021 | Monthly Meeting - Diamond E Ranch - Chickasha Swap Meet 6-8 read the minutes for more info Corsa Min-Convention & Aviation Spectacular, Springfield Illinois 19-23 May |
| June 26, 2021 | Monthly Meeting - Diamond E Ranch |
| July 24, 2021 | Monthly Meeting - Diamond E Ranch |
| August 28, 2021 | Monthly Meeting - Diamond E Ranch |
| September 25, 2021 | Monthly Meeting - Diamond E Ranch |
| October 23, 2021 | Monthly Meeting - Diamond E Ranch 2021 Great Plains Roundup Oct 8-10 Little Rock AR 2021 Tri-State Oct 15th—17th Albuquerque NM |
| November 27, 2021 | Monthly Meeting - Diamond E Ranch Heart of Texas Corvair Reunion—Nov 12-14th Nacogdoches Tx |
| December 2021 | 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 Wednesdays | Coffee at Kens |