Central Oklahoma Corvair Association Newsletter

January 2022



THE PREZ SEZ

Hello All,

Welcome COCA members to "2022" and to another round of Covid. Wow!

I'm not sure who keeps letting that "Cat" out of the bag, but I'm thinking it is past time for it to be over. Hope you're all well through it all.

So, there is a lot to look forward to this year. I believe it will be a great year for our club. We have a strong membership and a lot of active members to include our new members. Welcome! So here's some of the ways you can get connected to the heartbeat of our Corvair community.

We have CORSA National Convention coming this year in Georgia. Heard it will be the convention to attend. We have members already signed up to attend.

We have Tuna's with the Mid-Continent group in Kansas coming in February. There is always someone driving that way, so it's pretty easy to hitch a ride. Terry Kalp and the group have always welcomed us to come their way.

We have an opportunity to get together with the North Texas Club this year. They are planning a weekend get together at Lake Murray. From what I've heard there is an open invitation for us to be a part. Now that would sure be fun.

We have this years Roundup in Missouri which will be hosted by the Heart of America Corvair group. The last one they hosted was in Branson Missouri and what fun that was. It was Ann and my first Roundup. So we have great memories of that trip.

This year we are beginning our preparations for the COCA roundup that we will host in 2023 somewhere in Oklahoma. I'm asking each of you to plug in and be a part.

And finally we just can't move forward without mentioning "Coffee and Cows" at Kens. Ken and Dave have hosted the work sessions each week for so many members of our club and have given us all the opportunity to work on our cars and help each other get them going. I'd sure like to get a head count of the Corvairs we now have running in the club. I believe we have a number of them and many are running and driving.

And then we always have a cruise or a dinner get together somewhere with our group.

So what I'm saying is...there is always a way to plug into club activities. I welcome you and I challenge you to be the person that "Makes the Difference this Year".

See you soon,

James



James Ergenbright COCA President cocapresident@gmail.com



COCA Minutes December 4, 2021

There were no guests. The meeting was held at the Embassy Suites as a prelude to the club's annual Christmas Party. David expressed his appreciation to everyone who helped him during his time as President. David then drew 5 names of members that received a raffle ticket for a beautifully restored 1961 Corvair coupe that is part of a national drawing to benefit the Corvair Preservation Fund.

Old Business- David gave a brief review of this years trip to HOT. A good time was had by all although it took longer than expected to get there and back. There were no reports of any serious mechanical issues.

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

New Business- Colleen Law gave a report on next years National Convention. It is going to be held in Peachtree, Georgia. The date is during July. All pertinent information is available at the CORSA website. She advises that you need to make your hotel reservations quickly as they have a limited number of rooms. Better to cancel than not have a room.

David reported that next years Great Plains Roundup will be hosted by the Kansas City Club in St. Josephs, Missouri. The dates are September 29th to October 2nd. We will host the following year and David wants everyone to be looking for a place that we can hold our event.

Election of 2022 Club Officers- David opened the floor for further nominations for club officers and Board members. There were no further nominations made at this time. Liz Capron made a motion to close the nominations and it was seconded by Gayle Dekker. The motion passed.

Scott Law made a motion to do a simple hand vote in lieu of paper ballots, this motion was seconded by Colleen Law and this motion passed. The results of the election are:

President- James Ergenbright

Vice-President- David Clamp

Treasurer- Ken Drye

Secretary- Joe Nels

New Board members

Kate Moore

Pat Silver

Awards-

The 2021 Capron-Dekker award- Colleen and Richard Law.

Appreciation Awards-

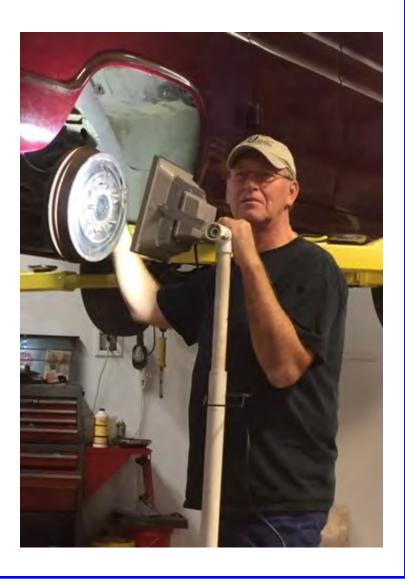
Ken Drye was awarded a great looking Corvair clock

Ann and James Ergenbright were awarded a check and a one nights stay at the Embassy Suites for their generous offer to host our meetings.

David Castiaux received a plaque of appreciation for his work during his tenure as president. This very nice award was created and presented by David Main and Clifford Nieman.

Pat Silver made a motion to close the meeting and start the party, Liz Capron seconded the motion and it was passed by the membership.

Coffee at Ken's is held on Sunday and Wednesday morning from 8:30AM until ??. Stop by and check it out.



The meeting for January 2022 is being held on Zoom @ 10:00 am, please contact Kate Moore - kem1187@outlook.com to be added to the meeting if you are a paid member or looking to become a paid member.



Look for new changes coming in the February newsletter Meet the new President, VP, Board of Directors
Coffee at Kens
Bobs Tech Tips
Corvair Car and member spotlight of the month
Corvair recipe of the month
Events that will be occuring in 2022

Keep sending in your photos and posting on Facebook. If you have ideas or photos, articles and recipes to share send them to cocanewsletter@gmail.com

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Newsletter items must be sent to the editor and received by the 25th of the month for it to be included that month's issue. Email newslettercoca@gmail.com with your submissions

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Club Stats:

NUMBER OF MEMBERS	53
NUMBER AT LAST MEETING	18
NUMBER OF CORVAIRS DRIVEN	5
NUMBER OF GUEST AT LAST MEETING	0
NEW MEMBERS	0

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January 22 2022	Monthly Meeting - ZOOM Meeting @ 10 am Contact Kate Moore for the invite - kem1187@outlook.com
February 26, 2022	Monthly Meeting - Location to be determined
March 26, 2022	Monthly Meeting - Location to be determined
April 23, 2022	Monthly Meeting—Location to be determined
May 28, 2022	Monthly Meeting - Location to be determined
June 25, 2022	Monthly Meeting - Location to be determined
July 23, 2022	Monthly Meeting - Location to be determined Corvair National Convention -Peachtree GA
August 27, 2022	Monthly Meeting - Location to be determined
September 24, 2022	Monthly Meeting - Location to be determined 2022 Great Plains Roundup Sept 29-Oct 2 St. Joseph MO.
October 22, 2022	Monthly Meeting - Location to be determined
November 26, 2022	Monthly Meeting - Location to be determined
December 2022	Meeting at Christmas Party and election of officers
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