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## From the Editor

This is the last month before Vairs at the Fair. Heidi and I look forward to catching up with everyone there and enjoying fun with friends and all the nice Corvairs everyone owns.

I also invite everyone to the Georgia Aquarium on October 22-23 in Atlanta. My 1965 Corsa will be there along some very rare and expensive cars from the 1920's all the way up to 2011.

Al and Paula Hilderbrand's 1966 Monza was originally invited, but they were unable to attend. Al recommended my car, so it was invited. I consider it an honor to be able to attend with million-dollar cars.

If you have anything to submit for the newsletter, please email it to [66corsa@cox.net](mailto:66corsa@cox.net), or mail it to:

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**SEPTEMBER MEETING - SEPTEMBER 10, 2011**

Our September meeting will be at our usual location in Perry, GA at the Green Derby Restaurant. Come by and say hello and enjoy a good lunch with your fellow Corvair enthusiasts.

Meeting time is around 12:30, but show up early to load up a plate from the buffet.

The Green Derby is located in the Holiday Inn.

Take I-75 to exit 136. Go to the Ramada Inn on the frontage road on the southbound side of the interstate.



We're at the Green Derby in Perry, GA this month, then it's off to Vairs at the Fair



**SEPTEMBER BIRTHDAYS**

- Emily Taylor - September 3
- Terry Howard - September 6
- Arnold Wallace - September 21



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## AUGUST MINUTES - LILLIAN LAW

President Chuck welcomed everyone to the regular monthly meeting. Present were Billy and Eleanor Bruce, Billy and Windy Price, Chuck and Shirley Smith, Keith and Sharon Burkingstock and friend Marty Fuchs, Clay Grant, Joe Gleaton, Tye and Janet Howard, Bill Trigg, James and Lillian Law and Emily Taylor.

There were 2 Red Corvaire Convertibles driven, Clay Grant's 1963 and Joe Gleaton's 1964, everyone else opted for modern air-conditioned rides.

Chuck called the meeting to order and gave a report on the National Convention. The Bruce's and Law's and Shirley also attended. Chuck and his Mom drove to top of Pikes Peak, Bruce's and Law's took the train. All agreed it was well worth the trip.

The group had dinner at the oldest steak house in Denver; the walls were lined with trophy wildlife of all kinds. The menu included Buffalo, Elk and almost any wild game you could think of.

Bruce's and Law's also visited Coors Brewery, Buffalo Bill's Grave, Garden of the Gods, Cripple Creek Gold Mine, Air Force Academy and the impressive All Faith Chapel.

The Convention was interesting, the host hotel was excellent and staff was very friendly and helpful. The Georgia folks did not drive Corvaire and did not take part in any of the moving events or shows. We were surprised that there were only 39 Corvaire in Concours, however a large number displayed Saturday for People's Choice, I am not sure about the number.

Chuck, Billy and I attended the Annual Corsa Meeting. We were impressed with the work that has been done to get the new Corsa web site up and running (should be on line soon). The new rule that a \$3.00 fee will be charged to each chapter for each non-Corsa member was also discussed. It is up to each chapter to decide how to collect and pay this fee.

Heart of Georgia Corvaire agreed that we would encourage but not require members to be Corsa members. We will continue to pay dues for all new members the first year and after that if membership is not continued we will add the \$3.00 to our annual dues of \$12.00.

One of the highlights of the trip for the Bruce's and Law's was the tour of The Rambler Ranch. It is a privately owned museum and is open by appointment only. The collection is around A M C automobiles but includes many other makes. Seven Corvaire are included in the collection along with all kinds of memorabilia. The 3 buildings were full of very nice interesting displays of all kinds.

The Burkingstock's reported on their very interesting and long Motorcycle tour to Alaska. Maybe they will write an article on it.

"Vairs at the Fair" was discussed. We have received our official invitation. Please mail or bring your registration to September meeting. We will have the usual activities, more food assignments will be made later.

### Latest news from our Members:

Tom and Nancy Mays are showing a little improvement.

Billy Bruce is improving after hand surgery.

Bill, Pat and Emily Taylor will be moving to St. George Utah. Bill's Company is transferring him and he will start to work there September 6. Pat and Emily will remain in Georgia to try to sell house and for Emily to go to school, hope to join Bill in Utah in December.

Terri Howard is back in school and Tye and Janet are hearing wedding bells.

David and Heidi missed August meeting to get Caity back in school, we are so happy that Caity was able to return to school after her accident.

Heart of Georgia Corvaire members Phil Domser (our N.Y. member) , Chuck Wofford, James and Lillian attended the Charlotte Auto Fair August 27.

Forward Control models were the featured models in the People's Choice event. Phil Domser's blue Rampside won 1<sup>st</sup> place, and James won 2<sup>nd</sup> place in Forward Control class.

There were 39 Corvaire displayed including 11 Forward Control. Willard Moody won Best of Show overall with his restoration in progress Rampside with Camper Package.

Many Car Clubs have cars on display and each club awards trophies to their group. Sunday all best of show winners do a parade. We only attended on Saturday. Queen City Corvaire Club sponsored the Corvaire Group.





## UPCOMING EVENTS AND SHOWS

### October 7-8, 2011

Vairs at the Fair in Perry, GA hosted by the Heart of Georgia Corvair Club. Friday Night Southern Hospitality Party, Friday Swap Meet in the hotel parking lot, Saturday Parade and Display at the Georgia National Fair, Saturday Night BBQ Dinner, Raffle, 50/50. No judging, just good fun with Corvair people. Host hotel is the Ramada 2024 Watson Blvd., Warner Robins, Ga. Rates \$58.00 downstairs & \$54.00 upstairs for all rooms. Contact: Lillian Law (Show Chairperson) at 229-291-0567 or 229-883-4123 or email at [lawjandl@aol.com](mailto:lawjandl@aol.com)

### November 4-6, 2011

Corvair Affair sponsored by Central Florida Corvair in Saint Augustine, FL. Friday night dinner, valve cover racing, and vendors. Saturday vending, car display, hospitality, afternoon autocross at First Coast Technical Institute. Sunday morning rally followed by awards brunch. Host hotel Comfort Inn & Suites, (877)940-9501, \$79 per night (includes deluxe breakfast). Contact Sarah Beltrami at (386) 256-0399, or email at [sarahvair@juno.com](mailto:sarahvair@juno.com)

## LOCAL CRUISE-INS

### 1st Saturday of the Month:

**Peach Outlet Mall, I-75 exit 149, Byron, GA**

Contact:  
Marvin Shealy at 478-956-4144 or  
Rick Goulding at 478-922-6383

### 2nd Saturday of the Month:

**Steak & Shake at Watson Blvd. and Margie Drive, Warner Robins, GA**

Contact:  
478-396-2622 or [roadrebels.org](http://roadrebels.org)

**What-A-Burger at 1101 Thomasville Rd, Tallahassee, FL**

Contact:  
Rueben at 850-894-5815

### 3rd Saturday of the Month:

**Dairy Queen in Thomasville, GA**

Contact: Steve Gordon at  
229-226-2266

**What-A-Burger at Appalachee Parkway, Tallahassee, FL**

Contact:  
Rueben at 850-894-5815

**Mellow Mushroom, Albany, GA**

Contact:  
David Dauherty at 229-594-0956

### 4th Saturday of the Month:

**Fincher's BBQ at 3947 Houston Ave. in Macon, GA**

Contact:  
Rick Goulding at 478-922-6383

### Last Thursday of the Month:

**Steak & Shake at Watson Blvd. and Margie Drive, Warner Robins, GA**

Contact:  
Rick Kimbrell at 478-328-2373 or  
478-951-1119



## THE SWAP SHOP

**For Sale:** 1961 Lakewood. White with red interior. 3speed manual, 80hp motor (not original motor). Runs and drives. It's in fair condition. \$1,000 negotiable. For INFO, Please call Ken Falls at 678-670-2277 or email [kenfallsmovement@bellsouth.net](mailto:kenfallsmovement@bellsouth.net)

**Posted 07/2011**

PICTURES IN THE NEWSLETTER FROM CORSA'S WEBSITE AND VARIOUS MEMBERS



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# Heart of Georgia Corvairs

presents its 22nd Annual  
**Dixie Corvair Classic**  
**Vairs at the Fair**

October 7-8, 2011  
In Perry, GA

Friday Night Southern Hospitality Party

Friday Swap Meet in the hotel parking lot

Saturday Parade and Display at the Georgia National Fair

Saturday Night BBQ Dinner, Raffle, 50/50. No judging, just good fun with Corvair people.

Host Motel is the Ramada Inn located at  
2024 Watson Blvd. In Warner Robins, GA.

Phone Lillian at 229-291-0567 for reservations.

You will not have to give your credit card information to Lillian; you will pay the hotel at show time.

Room rates: \$54.00 upstairs, \$58.00 downstairs

Reservations need to be made by September 15, 2011.

Contact:

Lillian Law (Show Chairperson) at 229-291-0567 or email at [lawjandl@aol.com](mailto:lawjandl@aol.com)  
163 Laurelbrook Drive  
Leesburg GA 31763

# Dixie Corvair Classic / Vairs at the Fair

## Registration Form / Entry Application

### October 7-8, 2011

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Spouse \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Email \_\_\_\_\_

Club Affiliation \_\_\_\_\_

Registration Fee (each adult \$12.00) \_\_\_\_\_

BBQ Dinner \$15.00 each adult (\$6.00 under 12) \_\_\_\_\_

Amount Enclosed: \_\_\_\_\_

Will you be participating in the parade and displaying your car at the Fair this year? \_\_\_\_\_

In consideration of the acceptance of the right to participate; entrants, participants, and spectators, by execution of the entry form, release and discharge Heart of Georgia Corvair and the Ramada Inn, their officers and employees, agents, representatives, and anyone else connected with management or presentation of the Dixie Corvair Classic of any and all known or unknown damages, injuries, losses, judgments, and/or claims from any cause whatsoever that may be suffered by any entrant to his/her person or property.

Signature \_\_\_\_\_

Mail forms / checks to:

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Leesburg GA 31763

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Check out CORSA's revamped and greatly improved website: <http://www.corvair.org>

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