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THE REAR VIEW

Serving Northeastern Oklahoma Corvair Enthusiasts

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AUGUST, 2008

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1	Friday 5:30 p.m.	Regular meeting at Full Cup Restaurant: 4634 East 31 st Street
23	Saturday 9:30 A.M.	J.C.'s Garage: 16501 W. 19 th Pl. Sand Springs, OK.
SEPTEMBER, 2008		
5	Friday 5:30p.m.	Regular meeting at Full Cup Restaurant, 4634 East 31 st Street.
12-14	Friday-Sunday	Great Plains Corvair Roundup: Oklahoma City, OK
21	Saturday, 9:30 A.M.	J. C.'s Garage
OCTOBER, 2008		
3	Friday 5:30 P.M.	Regular meeting at Full Cup Restaurant: 4634 East 31 st Street,
25	Saturday 9:30 A.M.	J.C.'s Garage:

CLUB NEWS

MINUTES: Meeting of July 4, 2008: NO MEETING: NO MINUTES. GCCG members celebrated the Fourth of July which was the first Friday of July.

TREASURER REPORT: Steve Rayl, GCCG Treasurer, reports a balance in the bank account in the amount of \$1,775.59 with all known bills paid. Your support of Green Country Corvair Group is appreciated. Please continue to support the Club with payment of your dues.

DUES REMINDER: The following members' dues are now due or will be due or overdue:

Overdue:, Gary Cooper, Richard Hawk, Ron Walton, Roland Taber,

August: Jerry Rotert,

September: Carey Perry; Tim Palmer;

Please pay the \$15 dues to **Steve Rayl**, GCCG Treasurer, either in person or by mailing a check to 11608 South 99 East Avenue, Bixby, OK. 74008. Please make checks payable to Green Country Corvair Group

“J.C.’S GARAGE”: The second “J.C.’s Garage” event was held June 28. Twenty-nine people attended, including J.C. and Marilyn Ash, Gary, Mary and Jennifer Baxter (and friend), Bob Mooney, Roger Scott, Wayne and Barbara Grieve, Ron and Pat Walton, Glen and Larue Bevel, Forrest (Smokey Bones) Andrews,

Marvin Luke, Van Upky, Jim Brewer, Steve and Shirley Rayl, Jerry Rotert, Gary and Shirley Cooper, Bob and Pat Kinser, Carey Perry, Ron Schroeder and his father-in-law Allen Haugness, and Terry Kalp from the Wichita Club. (We also had a couple of “drop-in” guests from the railroad.) This event is held on the fourth Saturday of each month, starting at 9:30 A.M. unless that date conflicts with other scheduled events. J.C.’s garage is located at 16501 West 19th Place, Sand Spring, Oklahoma.

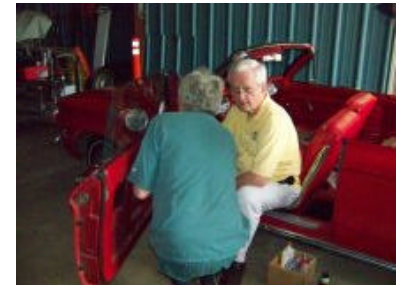
In addition to having an excellent tech session working on four members’ Corvairs the Ash’s hosted the club to a Fish Fry lunch. Marilyn



Ash coordinated the food and many of the wives of members contributed delicious side dishes and deserts. These wives are excellent cooks and no one went away hungry. For a technical report on the days activities read Gary Baxter’s report: **“J.C.’s Garage** by Gary Baxter.



On June 28th we met for a combination multi car tech session and fish fry. Unfortunately we had to actually do some work before being allowed at the great food. First up on the lift was replacing the cross leaf bushings on **Shirley Rayl’s ‘64 convertible**. The cross leaf and end brackets were removed and new bushings and bolts installed. Attaching the brackets back to the suspension was more of a challenge than removing them,, but soon the car was sitting on the ground, only now without the negative rear camber it had. While this was going on, **Roger Scott** was taking his driver’s door apart on his ‘63 convertible to find the source of an annoying rattle. The lower mounting stud of the vent window channel had lost its nut and was bent and pushed inside of the door. Straightening it, a nut and some lube cured the rattle. A moisture barrier was fabricated out of a plastic trash liner before installing the door panel.



Next on the lift was **Bob Kinser’s ‘64 coupe**. It needed general oil change and lube maintenance. One grease fitting was not happy about accepting grease, but that was not allowed to stay that way. Another convertible with a window problem was being worked on at the same time. It was a sticky window, not wanting to roll down on **Glen Bevel’s ‘65**. He had removed the door panel so

we could lube the mechanism and the rear channel bottom. Late models have a problem of the bottom rear guide on the window catching on the bottom of the channel groove as they get older. A little lube in the bottom of the groove makes them work quite well again. After lunch it was Roger’s turn on the lift for general maintenance. A bolt was discovered missing from the generator mount. It had come loose and was down in the catchall at the rear of the engine. Fortunately the generator mounting ear had not broken and after replacing the bolt another noise was eliminated from the back of his car.”



So this is the Rear View



Hungry Club members



More hungry Club members

NEW MEMBER: GCCG welcomes new members **Ron and Tracy Schroeder**. Ron and Tracy live at 25825 South Clayton Avenue in Claremore and own a 1963 Greenbrier. They are looking for assistance in bringing the Greenbrier back to original condition. They may be reached at (918) 284-6083 or email at ron_n_tracy@yahoo.com

GREAT PLAINS CORVAIR ROUNDUP: OKLAHOMA CITY: SEPTEMBER 12-14, 2008.

Remember, the fourth annual Great Plains Corvair Roundup will be held at Oklahoma City Bricktown area September 12-14. This is a joint project sponsored by Green Country Corvair Group, Midcontinent Corvair Association, Heart of America Corvair Owners Association and Indian Nations Corvair Association. Each year the show gets better and we expect it to be excellent in Oklahoma City. If you have not made arrangements to attend please do so. You may register online at www.okccorvair.org.

GREEN COUNTRY CORVAIR VISITOR: GCCG welcomed visitor **Terry Kalp** to the recent J.C.'s Garage on June 28. Terry is no stranger to GCCG and is always a welcome visitor. Terry was performing his good deed for the day by delivering a Corvair engine to J.C. Ash. J.C. purchased the engine over two years ago but never found time to go to Wichita to take delivery. Green Country Corvair has enjoyed a good relationship with the Wichita Club and especially members **Terry Kalp** and **Ned Madsen**. Ned, as you know, is a regional director for Corvair Society of America. The Great Plains Corvair Roundup, which originated in Wichita in 2005, will return to Wichita in 2009.



RECENT PICTURE OF DR. CORVAIRKIAN: Mike Sweaney shares this recent picture of his favorite Corvair, which he named "Dr. Corvairkian": so called because Mike felt it would be the death of him during its restoration. Nice car, Mike!

NEXT DINNER MEETING: AUGUST 1: FULL CUP RESTAURANT: BE THERE!

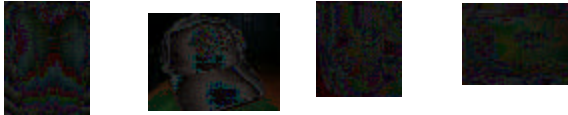
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GCCG MERCHANDISE: The Club has a new jacket complete with logo.

The Club also has adopted a knit golf shirt and a cap with the logo embroidered. All items are available to all members by special order. Also name-tags are available with club logo and your name, also by special order.

To order merchandise or to suggest new club items, contact our resident rag merchant **Bob Mooney at (918) 652-0944**, or see him at the next club meeting.



CORVAIR PARTS SUPPLIERS:

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Route 2, Shelburne Falls, MA, 01370
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Corvair Underground <http://www.corvairunderground.com/>
P.O. Box 339, Dundee, OR, 97115
Phone: 1-800-825-VAIR Catalog: \$4.00

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NOTE: STARTING TIME FOR DINNER MEETINGS: 5:30 P.M.