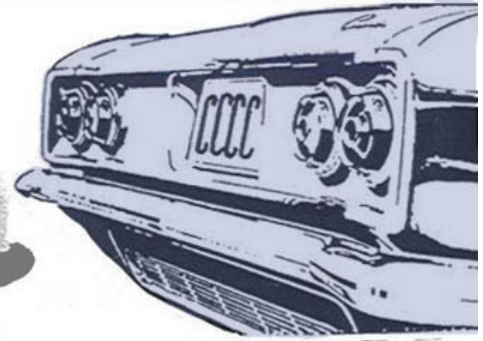


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The *Exhaust* is published monthly for members of the Capital City Corvair Club and other area enthusiasts. CCCC was formed in 1963 and became a chapter of the Corvair Society of America in June 1980.

Wednesday, December 10, 2008 Christmas party. We will be having our Christmas party at the Esquire Club in Madison. The menu will include chicken and roast beef with all the fixings. Cocktails at 6:30 with dinner at 7:30. We will have a gift exchange with a ten dollar limit. Bring a gift and you receive a gift. We would also like to extend an invitation to the Milwaukee Corvair Club to join us. The price is fourteen dollars per person. Directions: The Esquire Club is located at 1025 N. Sherman Avenue in Madison. There is a map in the newsletter with directions.

January 13th, 2009 is our regular monthly meeting. We will hold our meeting at Alt-N-Bach's at 7:30 pm. We have the room reserved, so stop in early for a nice dinner. Activities and agendas will be determined at the Christmas party. Directions: From the Interstate entering Madison, exit to the South Beltline (Hwy 12-14-18) and proceed west to Todd Drive. You will see American TV and their huge American flag flying at this exit. Exit Todd Drive to the stop sign and turn right. If you are coming from the West, exit Todd Drive and turn left under the bridge and turn right onto the frontage road (Todd Drive). On Todd Drive take the first left onto Whalen Lane. Alt-N-Bach's is located to the left at 2602 Whalen Lane.

February 10th, 2009 is our regular monthly meeting.

March 10th is our regular monthly meeting. Officer nominations will be sought.

April 14th, 2009 will be our elections for club officer positions.

May 12th, 2009 is our regular monthly meeting.

Our Spring Tour will tentatively be going to Galena, Illinois. More details will follow in upcoming newsletters and meetings.

A note from Joe

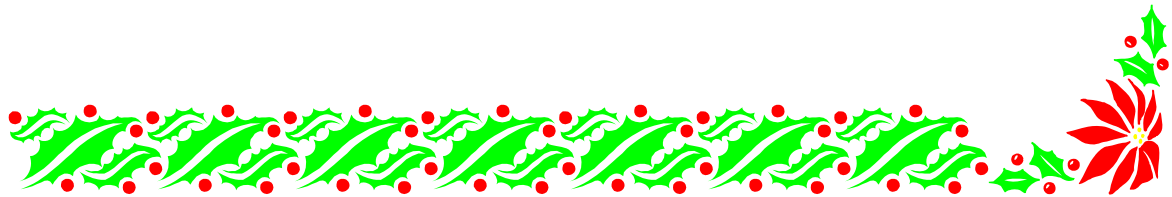
We had a small group of members show up for our November meeting at Alt-N-Bach's last month. The activities featured show and tell night. I scanned a document that Everett White brought to the meeting and placed it in the newsletter. It was an article about the Capital City Corvair Club becoming active back in 1963. It also mentioned the Milwaukee Corvair Club. There is quite a bit of history we share with each other. I also brought in a wheel bearing assembly from a late model rear axle. It was partly disassembled. I set it on the table and it is kind of funny how parts will draw a crowd. It seems that there is always a lot of interest whenever a hood is opened or there is "something to see". We also had some model Corvairs on display that evening.

We held a short meeting with a report from the treasurer and had motions to accept the treasurer's report and the secretary's report. We covered some business with the Christmas party and started to talk a little about the spring tour to Galena Illinois.

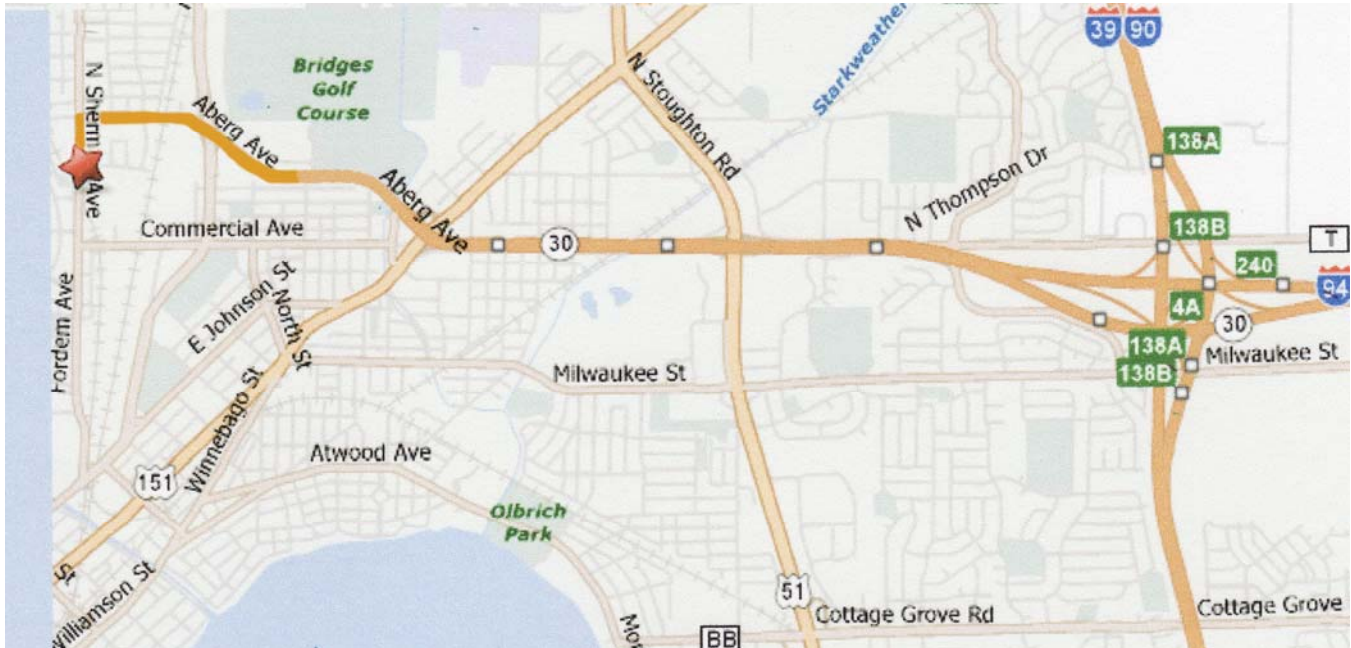
I have been updating the mailing list and membership list. Please check your mailing label to see that the information is correct. I have weeded out several names on the mailing list. If you hear of someone overlooked or deleted from the list, please let me know.

This month we will be having our Christmas party. It will be held in Madison at the Esquire Club. The price is only fourteen dollars and it's all you can eat roast beef and chicken and all the trimmings that go with it. We have also invited the Milwaukee Corvair Club to join us. Let's all hope the weather is calm so we can have a great turnout. See you there, Joe.

*Merry Christmas and
Happy New Year!*



Christmas party directions



Exit onto Hwy 30 from the interstate (from Milwaukee the Interstate runs into Hwy 30 and there is no need to exit). Hwy 30 will turn into Abernethy Avenue and run right to Sherman Avenue. When you get to Sherman Avenue, turn left and go about one block and the Esquire Club will be on your left hand side. The address is 1025 Sherman Avenue.

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Wednesday night, December 10th.

First Trip This Weekend



Officers of the newly-formed Capital City Corvair club are, left to right, Thomas E. Seversin, officer-at-large; Melvin A. Pearson, Corvair salesman; LaVerne Lawton, vice-presi-

dent; and the Rev. Loui Novak, president. Not shown are Mrs. Seversin, secretary, and Kenn Rose, treasurer.

—State Journal Photo by Edwin Stein

We had show and tell night at last month's meeting and I believe Everett brought in this article that was printed in the Wisconsin State Journal, back in June of 1963. Tom Seversin is pictured on the left. There was a note on the side of the article which said that Tom is still very active in the club. The article also mentions that Tom was the Officer-at-large. I wonder if they ever caught him?

Corvair Club Becomes Active

By MAC

(State Journal Motor Editor)

The newly-formed Capital City Corvair Club, Ltd. is holding its first planned trip this weekend, with a parade of about 15 of the compact cars heading for the Road America races at Elkhart Lake Saturday and today. Club members will leave at 7 am from the parking lot at Hult's Capital Garage, 608 E. Washington Ave. (At Elkhart Lake, by the way, there will be open practice this morning, a 20-lap race for D & F production cars at 12:45 p.m., a 15-lap race for G & H modified cars at 2 p.m., and a 160-mile feature at 3 p.m. Admission price today is \$3.)

Safety a Byword

Such social activities - are an important part of the new club's, functions according to the Rev. Loui Novak, 2438 Commonwealth Ave., club president. "But just as important, we also encourage careful and skillful driving on public highways," Pres. Novak said. "The Corvair is a fun car for the family, and nothing can spoil fun more than lack of safety," the president maintained.

Events planned include gymkhana, a short, timed competition over an obstacle course; rallies, economy runs, and planned trips such as the one today. Social meetings will be held for family participation, with shop notes and action films. Members will be shown how to equip their car with "goodies," such as fast steering, fast shift, and heavy duty shock absorbers.

Sites 200 Members

The club was organized this month with 22 Corvair owners present. Membership now totals 30, and Pres. Novak said the group hopes to expand to 200 by the end of the year. There are about 30 such clubs in the United States, the only other one in Wisconsin being in Milwaukee. Dues are \$8 a year, and besides the fun, experience, and instruction, members receive national and local club jacket patches, decals, identification cards, and newsletters.

Club members must be 18 years of age or older, owners of Corvair cars, or interested in Corvairs is the purposes of the club. It'll make quite a parade of rear-engined compacts if the club reaches its goal of 200 members by the end of the year.

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