

*Central Oklahoma Corvair Association
Newsletter*

May 2021



THE PREZ SEZ

Hi all, hope everyone is well and will be able to attend our annual cookout at the Ergenbright's Ranch this Saturday. We are in our rainy season right now so I'm hoping we have a dry Saturday to enjoy ourselves. COCA is providing most everything (a few deserts are being brought by some of our members with great baking skills) If you have a favorite drink bring it. As usual please bring chairs and something for the table raffle. We plan on having a good time and enjoying some great fellowship together. Remember park on the driveway, the shoulders and grass areas will be soft.

As for Corvairs, the latest Corvair work at Ken's Corvairs and Cow's ranch, is the dismantling of a 616460 Corvair Convertible. Your probable scratching your head on the numbers in that last sentence, well so is everyone that has looked the car. The car appears to have had a 1961 front end grafted on a 1964 convertible body with a 1960 body tag installed in the engine compartment. Oh yes, I forgot to mention that the car was also badged as a Spyder and had a Spyder dash. It looks as though the car may have been titled as a 1960 Spyder Convertible, that would be a very rare Corvair indeed if so. The car had sat for many years in a field and is now very badly rusted, however it is still supplying members with parts that have been removed.

Looking forward to another great time at the Ranch, see you all there.



David Castiaux, The Prez
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COCA May 2021 Meeting Minutes

President David Castiaux began the monthly meeting at 10:00 AM on the 23rd day of April at the Ergenbright's. He welcomed everyone, there were no visitors.

Old Business- The previous month's minutes were reviewed. Ann Ergenbright made a motion to accept them. The motion was seconded by Pat Silver and the membership approved the motion.

Treasurer's Report- Our Treasurer Ken Drye gave his report on the state of the club's finances. Pat Silver made a motion to accept the report as given. The motion was seconded by Jim Gailey and approved by the membership.

New Business- Jim Gailey and Bob Welch coordinated a day trip to Chandler, Oklahoma to visit a new restaurant/ museum. There were 5 Corvairs and 2 water pumpers in attendance. Jim Gailey is working on another cruise, this time to Marlow, Oklahoma to Giuseppe's Italian Dining. More information will be forthcoming as Jim firms up the details.

The annual COCA picnic will be held after May's meeting. The meeting will commence at 1:00PM and will be followed by the picnic. This will all take place at the Ergenbright property. Food will be provided by the club.

Upcoming Events-

May 6th-8th- The Chickasha swap meet. Friday the 7th Kate Moore has again graciously volunteered to feed the club members at her house much like last year.

May 18th-23rd- Mini CORSA Convention in Springfield, Illinois.

June 3rd- Yukon will be having a car show at the city park from 8:00 AM to

4:00PM. All cars are welcome.

October 8th-10th- Great Plains Roundup will be held in Little Rock, Arkansas.

October 15th-17th- Tri-states will be held in Albuquerque, New Mexico.

November 12th-14th- HOT will be held in Nacogdoches, Texas.

Tech Tips-

David Allin had a couple of tech tips for this month. The first concerned holding your exterior mirror in place as they want to move. He takes a little clear finger nail polish to secure his mirrors. Once it dries it becomes invisible. The second tip involved removing oil

stains from your garage floor or drive way. Soak cat litter in lacquer thinner, cover with plastic and let it sit. Sweep it up the next day and the spots will be gone. He says it will work on older spots as well. Door prize tickets were sold and gifts given away.

James Ergenbright made a motion to adjourn the meeting and this was seconded by John Sargent. The motion was passed by the members



A Few goings on in the club, gathering at Kens Place, Lunch at Kates and the Chickasha Swap Meet





“Dave Castiaux” Don’t ever tell your friends you’re going to remove your front end to replace some bushings and then leave them for awhile. This is what can happen

“Don Hall” They’re not telling you the truth the radio quit working

“Dave Castiaux” Oh, so you were trying to get to my radio? Well you missed by this much 🍷 !



Heart of Texas Corvair Reunion 2021

HOT 2021: Annual Corvair Meet in Texas

The Heart of Texas Reunion 2021 in Nacogdoches, TX! Our annual gathering of Corvairs will be held in the oldest town in Texas November 12-14, 2021.

Join host chapter North Texas Corvair Association for an "Air Cooled" weekend in the Piney Woods. Easily accessible for Texas Corvair owners, it is centrally located for OK, LA, MO, and AR participation too. We welcome all! Events include an optional "pre-HOT" exploration tour on Friday for early arrivals; a Friday night welcome party and games at the Visitor's Center and Museum downtown; Saturday morning Car show on the historic town square; a driving tour through the beautiful spring time woods of east Texas; with a post drive Tech Session or Crafting event and ending the day with awards and dinner. Shopping and dining are a short walk to downtown.

Registration and more information about the event can be found on the NTCA website!

Questions? Contact Jeannette Alberte at jalberte@att.net or 847-254-1399

When November.12th..2021.12:00AM through November.14th..2021.12:00AM

Location 200 N. Fredoina Street
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Great Plains Corvair Roundup

Hosted by Arkansas Corvair Club

October 1-3, 2021

Great Plains Corvair Roundup

North Little Rock, Arkansas

Arkansas Corvair Club

Hospitality room, door prizes, valve cover races, fun run event, people's choice display & banquet with awards. Host hotel is Wyndham Riverfront Hotel, 2 Riverfront Place, North Little Rock, AR, 72114, Call 866-657-4458 or 501-907-4823. Mention Corvair Roundup to get special discount room rate of \$104 single or double occupancy. Registration form available on the ACC website –

<http://www.arcorvairclub.org/roundup>. For additional information contact Dan Hill 501-231-0201 (dan@hill-co.net) or Elvis King 501-413-7951 (eking@aristotle.net).

When October 8th, 2021, 8:00 AM through October 10th, 2021, 11:00 PM

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

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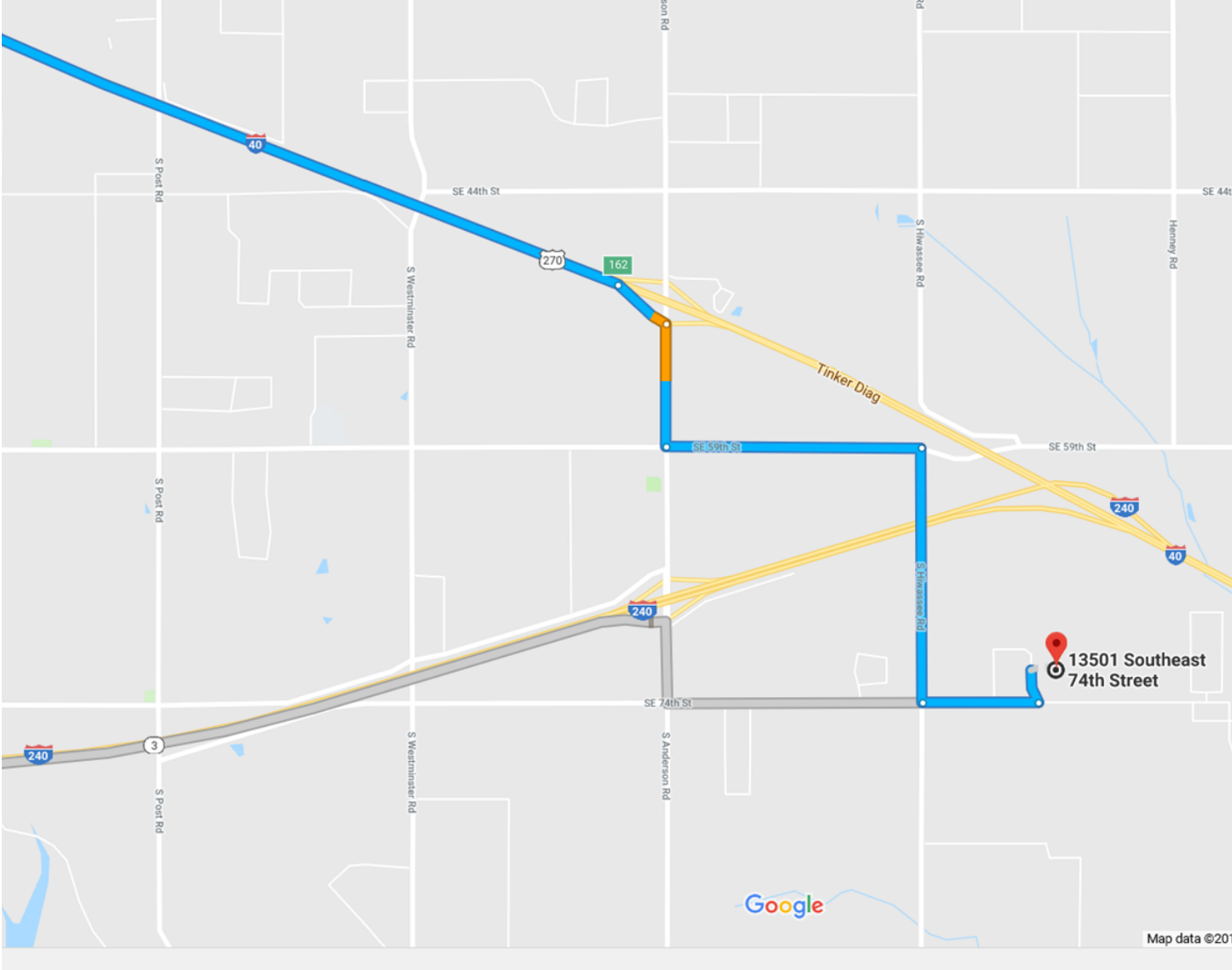
When October 15th, 2021, 12:00 AM through October 17th, 2021, 12:00 AM

Location Albuquerque, NM
United States

Directions to the Diamond E Ranch (The Ergenbrights) Meeting Place

Saturday 21 May 2021

1 PM for our Monthly Meeting and Cookout. Be prepared for rain out day for Sunday for the Cookout. Check out Facebook and your email for updates.



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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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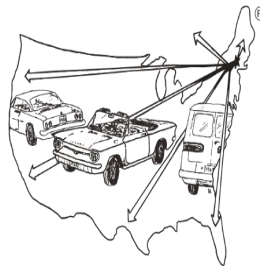
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| January 23 2021 | Monthly Meeting - Diamond E Ranch CANCELED Due to Covid - 19 |
| February 27, 2021 | Monthly Meeting - Diamond E Ranch Zoom Meeting—what fun we had |
| March 27, 2021 | Monthly Meeting - Diamond E Ranch Our first meeting in person 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 | Coffee at Kens |
| Sundays | Cruise Air Depot 5-9 pm |