

THE PREVENTIVE MAINTENANCE SERIES

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Corvair Parts and Service Referrals (December, 2017)

The following list was submitted by members who have actually used the vendor/service that is listed and would recommend it to other members based on personal experience. Please let me know if you have additions or comments and we will update it regularly.

Engine work:

1. Clay County Engine Rebuilders: crank grind, cylinder bore, rods resized, flywheel turning, fly-cut. 46 East 69 hwy, Claycomo, Mo 816-454-6533
2. John's Automotive Machine Shop: Crankshaft service, press pistons, etc. 129 S. Mahaffie St., Olathe, KS 913 764-1780
3. Scott Allison: engine refreshing or general tuning. Email is beaminscott@yahoo.com and phone number is 816-506-6892. Would be more interested in educating others but will take on projects as time permits. Will assist with full engine rebuild but really don't want to solely do any full rebuilds.

Machine Shop Work:

1. Noland's Cylinder Head Service, 1519 Charlotte St, KC, MO, (816) 471-5167
2. Stinger Motorsports, Roanoke, VA (540) 204-0917 (David Clemens)
3. Jim Mcconville, Peculiar, MO 816 379-1528 Fabrication, Individual Machine Shop Projects

General Auto Repair (non Corvair)

Steve's Auto, 55th & Raytown Road, Raytown, MO 816 353-8000 Highly recommended by a club member.

Blasting, Plating & Powder Coating.

1. Performance plating: 913-764-5135, 435 Kansas ave, Olathe, Ks
2. DeTray Plating Works: 10405 E. 11th st., Independence, Missouri 64052 816-252-8411 www.detrayplating.com e-mail DeTrayPlating@aol.com
3. R & J Plating: 775 Cherokee, Leavenworth, KS 913 682-4404
4. K.C. Powdercoat: 600 N Dodgion St., Independence, MO 816 252-7009, kcpowdercoat.com
5. Eagle auto stripping 913-334-6831, (plastic and glass bead media) 7300 Kaw Drive, Kansas City, Ks
6. Sandblasting and Powder coating: Extreme Blasting, 211 James Rollo Dr, Grain Valley, MO 64029, (816) 847-7771
7. Blasting/Powder Coating--Bare Metal, 20203 S. State Route D, Belton, MO, (816) 322-2424

Electrical:

Bill's Auto Electric: Rebuilds on Starters - Alternators – Generators, One day service 508 S. Hwy 71 (just as you come in to town they are on west side road) Savannah, MO 64485 Ph 816-324-6157

Gauge Restoration: Bob Bonds Artistry, 25612 N.E. Colbern Rd.,
Lee's Summit, Missouri 64086, 816-554-1800 1-800-BOB-BOND
www.bobbondart.com e-mail bob@bobbondart.com

Gas tank repair:

Expressway Radiator, 1905 E Truman Rd, (816) 471-1899 (\$125 for clean and seal)

Radio and Clocks:

Fred's Classic Auto Radios & Clocks, 7908 Gillette St, Lenexa KS, (913) 599-2303
Corvair Radios: <http://vintage-vibes.com/product-category/Chevy/Corvair/>

Restoration:

1. JTVairs: near Springfield MO, John Miller (319) 850-6699
<http://jtvairs.com/home.html>
2. T T 's Specialites: Restoration and fabrication owner: Todd Timbrook
323 B Commercial st. Belton Missouri 64012 ttsspecialties@gmail.com
3. Spray Booth Rental: Eudora Kansas 785-542-3058 www.sprayboothrental.com
4. Mike's Auto Body: 816 331-0909, 605 N Scott, Belton, MO (Paint Jobs – Not Fond of Rust Repair)
5. Custom and Rod Garage: Dan McGrath, 33643 Metcalf Rd. Louisburg, KS 66053, 912 787-4418
6. Z's Paintless Dent Repair 230C East North Ave, Belton 816 331-1965
7. MAACO: Good paint job over your prep work for \$1K, you get what you pay for. Check locations but a good one is 8916 Troost, KC, MO 816 333-7127, Andy or CJ.

Apparel:

Corvair Girl, near Springfield MO, Teresa Miller (515) 520-7209
<http://jtvairs.com/corvairstgirl.html>

Appraisal:

1. Classic Auto Appraisals, 12311 E 47th Terrace S, Indep MO (816) 456-6102 (Gary C. Sparks)
2. Antique Auto Appraisal, 1208 Main St, Blue Springs, MO (816) 229-5240 (C. David Evans)

State required Inspection or ID/OD:

Peak Performance Auto Repair, 8826 Wornall Rd, KC, MO, (816) 523-0140 (Ray)

Insurance:

Hagerty: (877) 922-9701 <https://www.hagerty.com/>
J.C. Taylor: 800 345-8290 www.JCTaylor.com

Parts:

1. Ken Ragan (used) Parts, Amsoil Dealer 913 422-5778 Bonner Springs, KS
2. Clarks Corvair Parts <http://www.corvair.com/user-cgi/main> (new and used)

3. John's Corvair Parts, 1264 Walnut St, Stoneboro, PA, (814) 336-9033 (John Sweet)
<http://johnscorvairparts.vpweb.com>
4. Original style Corvair shroud bolts: www.fastenal.com At least 3 of the main bolts are available, maybe more.

Welding: Chris Watkins owner of CNA Performance 1421 Minnesota Ave in KCK 66102, Phone 913-371-0055 (shop) and 913-907-0880 (cell) He does excellent welding.

Seat Belts: Good quality, low price. www.AndoverRestraints.com Click on "Corvair Seat Belts" for choice of style.

Gasket Type Windshield Replacement: Discount Auto Glass 6020 Merriam Dr, Shawnee, KS. 913 599-4527 Ask for Sam.

Race Tires and Supplies: KC Raceware, Charlie Clark, 816 257-7305

Scrap metal hauled off: Don 816 509-0716

Water Jet Metal Cutting: Gieske Metal Fabricators, 1724 Washington, K.C. Mo
www.gieske.com

Metal by the Foot: Anything metal cut to your lengths, scrap pieces, hardware. 3600 Truman Rd. www.metalbythefoot.com

Upholstery:

1. R&R Upholstery, east of I-635 on Merriam Dr., Merriam, KS, (913) 236-8847
2. Grandview Upholstery, 12827 7th Street, Grandview, MO (816) 965-9505 (Natalie)
3. North Kansas City Auto Trim, 1411 Swift Ave. (816) 471-3350

License Plate Restoration: Loretta Dungan, email is loretta.dungan@gmail.com and mailing address is 142 Santa Fe, Lawson, MO 64062.

For those that tag their Corvair with regular tags instead of Historical tags, Cable Dahmer Chevrolet will do the state inspection for free.

GPCRU/CORSA event planning adviser: there is lots of info to share. Scott Allison
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