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> February 9 Meeting Angel of the Winds Watershed Restaurant 6:00 pm

Econorun & Sweetheart Cruise on Agenda

Through The Gears

Just another month of planning, and setting the wheels in motion for some of our activities that are just about to hit us. Seems to me that even the small events take up lots of time to set up properly. Thanks to the folks that help make this work.

Our first event is the Sweetheart Cruise on February 11, starting at Conway, and ending at Graham and Nancy Dell's home in Coupeville on Whidbey Island. The Dell's are really carrying the load on this one, as they are preparing a fantastic lunch for us. All I have to do is follow my instructions on the route so we don't get lost.

The 2012 Pacific Northwest Corvair Econorun has been a major part of planning, and Mike Klaus, Jeff Lee, and Graham Dell have put a super package together that allows maximum exposure for potential participants.

The benefits of their work have been a refreshing of our Web Site to include all information on the event. The registration form is included, and we now have a PayPal account for easy transfer of fees. All of this directly from our site. http://northcascadescorvairs.org/events/econorun2012/eventreg.html

While at it they have made it possible to use PayPal for membership dues on the "Join" section.

Fred Croydon

North Cascades Corvairs (NCC) is chartered Chapter 982 of the Corvair Society of America, (CORSA). NCC serves the North Puget Sound region of Washington and areas of the Lower Mainland of British Columbia. Club membership is open to anyone who shares our interest in the Corvair automobile, ownership of a Corvair is not required. Annual club dues are \$20. We welcome all to join us at our regular monthly meeting or at one of the events NCC takes part in. For contacts, please see the list of officers shown in the column above. They can provide the latest information on NCC meeting or event dates, times and locations.

Please visit our website: http://northcascadescorvairs.org for much more information about our club, Corvairs and the Corvair Society of America, (CORSA). Club events, dates, times, and locations are published as soon as practical in *Vairious Times*.

NCC publishes this newsletter monthly and it is sent to all active members. NCC members may post classified ads at no cost. Please contact us for commercial ad rates. All newsletter submissions are due by the 15th of the month prior to the next issue.



Eric's Rampside



NCC Treasurer's Report from 1/31-2012

January 1, 2012 *Checking Account* **Balance Forward \$1289.45**

Dues \$216.00 Swthrt Cruise \$100.00

Income \$316.00

Expenses \$0

Ending Balance January 31, 2012 \$1605.45

Graham Dell

Dues for 2012

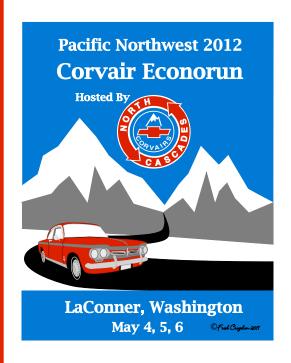
30 Members are Current with dues for 2012

We ended last year with 48, so some have not responded. Please maintain your membership by forwarding a renewal to 550 Race Rd., Coupeville, WA 98239

Dues are \$20 for CORSA members, and \$23 for non CORSA members.

For your convenience, you should go to our web site in the "Join Club" section to find the Membership form, and follow the instructions. There is a PayPal option for sending in your dues.

http://northcascadescorvairs.org/join/join.html



Pacific Northwest Corvair Econorun

We need volunteers to help with the many functions to make this a great event. Let us know if you are ready to help, and we will find something to suit you.

Links to view accommodations and events of the area.

http://www.laconnerchamber.com/ http://www.laconnerlodging.com/ Reservations 1-360-466-1500

http://www.anacortes.org/

The program to host the 2012 Pacific Northwest Corvair Econorun is up and running. We are already receiving some inquiries, and we are expecting a very successful event.

Mike Klaus has done a magnificent job putting all the promotion material together, and Jeff Lee, our Web Master, has assembled it into a very professional presentation on our web site. http://northcascadescorvairs.org/

You may have already been to the site, but for those of you that haven't, it covers everything from the registration, to details of the host hotels, and everything in between.

Graham Dell, our treasurer, has set us up with PayPal for easy payments, and has been working with Mike and Jeff to get that installed on the site.

Mike has sent e-mails out to the contact persons of each Corvair club in the Northwest, as well as coordinated material for posting in the CORSA Communique, and other Corvair publications.

As noted above, we are hoping for members to step forward to help in any way they can. Call, or send an e-mail to let us know where you fit in.

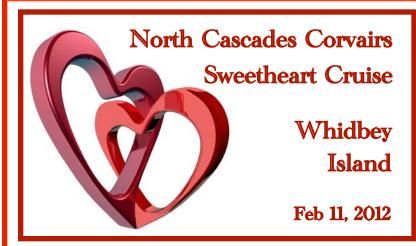
Help Needed for Econorun

Plan the Econorun Route Develop entertainment for Awards Banquet

Reception Committee Find sponsors & arrange for Awards

Plan and Run the Car Show Arrange material for a bag for each car

Fueling the Cars Help with promotion to other clubs



Sweetheart Cruise 2012

Please notify Andy Clark at slowboat@mindspring.com if you are attending, and let him now how many lunches.

Lunch is \$10 per person, payable in advance.

North Cascades Corvairs is hosting the annual Sweetheart Cruise on February 11, 2012. It will start at the abandoned gas station adjacent to Pasek Cellars wine tasting shop in Conway (Exit 221) at 10:00 a.m.

The 59 mile route will take about 2 hours, and go through Fir Island, La Conner, the South end of Fidalgo Island, over Deception Pass bridge, along the scenic west coast of Whidbey Island, then to Coupeville, back through Ebey Landing to the west coast, through Fort Casey, past the Ferry dock at Keystone Harbor, across the island to the east coast, and end at 550 Race Road. Graham and Nancy Dell will prepare a special lunch for our enjoyment.



Upcoming Events

<u>February 2012</u>
<u>9 NCC Meeting</u>
11 Sweetheart Cruise

March 2012

4 CNW Spring Tune-up

Sunset Chevrolet Sumner

8 NCC Meeting

April 2012

12 NCC Meeting
21 Tulip Rally
Skagit Valley

<u>May 2012</u> <u>4, 5, 6</u> Corvair Econorun La Conner





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The Corvair Society of America, (CORSA) is an international organization that is made up of over 4,800 members and 125 chapters, one of which is North Cascades Corvairs. CORSA members are dedicated to the preservation, restoration and to furthering the appreciation of the Corvair automobile. CORSA supports all sanctioned Corvair Clubs with several benefits, including event insurance, members only classified ads and the monthly magazine, *Corsa Communique*. North Cascades Corvairs strongly encourages all members to join CORSA. YOUR membership in CORSA helps them provide those services. Annual dues are only \$45.00. For more information, including a membership form, contact CORSA at the following website: www.corvair.org CORSA email is: corvair@corvair.org.