

On the Air

Newsletter of the Arkansas Corvair Club ■ CORSA Chapter 722

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OCTOBER ACTIVITY

- What:** Fall outing and BBQ. Enjoy *delicious* BBQ brisket, ham, beans, and all the trimmings. It's worth the drive!
- When:** Saturday, October 12
1:00 to 6:00 p.m. (plan to eat around 2:00 p.m.)
- Where:** Home of Clyde and Dee Jones, 6789 Saddlebrook Loop, Everton, AR, 12 miles south of Harrison. Phone 870 429-6789 (weekend of event); e-mail: clydj@cei.net
- Details:** Fall get together for BBQ brisket, smoked ham, baked/smoked beans, and potluck. Clyde and Dee also providing coffee and tea. Guests to bring side dishes (salads, cold entrees, desserts), soft drinks, and your ***lawn chairs***.
- How:** For directions and info about travel from central Arkansas and other parts, see page 3.

Thanks to Clyde and Dee Jones for a splendid and fun Branson Cruise

Our heartfelt thanks to Clyde and Dee Jones for their planning and arranging the Branson Cruisin' Lights weekend activity for our Arkansas Corvair Club.

Earlier this year, Clyde and Dee traveled to Branson and investigated several motels and hotels to find just the right place for our Branson weekend. Dee was able to get us a block of rooms at the Clarion at a *very* reasonable cost. This hotel boasts a great location—right on the strip in the heart of the action—along with all of the amenities. The accommodations were terrific, even with the occasional cloud of smoke from the “burn-outs.”

Dee also made arrangements with the Starlite theatre for a block of seats with group rates for us to see the *Lost in the 50's* revue. And, she paid for all of the tickets in advance to reserve them for us.

We appreciate you, Dee and Clyde, for all of the planning and good work you did to make our first ACC Cruisin' Branson Lights event an unqualified success. We had a wonderful time!

“Paw paw, make some smoke.”■

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"Corvairs bring friends together."

On the Air recognized by CORSA

JB King

For a long time now, I've been bragging to anyone who'll listen that our ACC newsletter, *On the Air*, is a work of professional quality. Our editor, Bill Smith, does a superb job each month to publish it for us.

If you haven't already, read page 9 of the August 2002 *CORSA Communique*, our newsletter tied for third place among 65 newsletters submitted by

CORSA chapters for judging. We are very proud!

It's a challenge to collect information, make it readable, get it printed, and mail it to members on time each month. Bill makes it seem easy. This is the mark of a professional.

Thanks, Bill, for all your good work and to Cathy who helps you prepare the newsletters for mailing. ■

**Happy Birthday
to our ACC associates
born in September.**

**Jerremyah Wangle
September 5**

**Larry Claypool
September 8**

**Dee Jones
Stew MacLeod
September 11**

**Al Embrey
September 16**

**Joyce Wangle
September 22**

**Jane Coget
September 26**

**Butch Chapman
September 27**

Happy Anniversary

**to
Jim & Kay Agee
September 4 (43 years)**

**Bill & Pam MacSorley
September 4 (14 years)**

**Corey & Lauri Holtz
September 10 (14 years)**

\$10

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ACC Dues Alert

In an effort to keep everyone informed about the status of your ACC membership dues, we publish a membership *Dues Alert* in every issue of *On the Air*.

The *Dues Alert* lists names of members who are past due, those due for the current month, and those due the following month.

Dues are \$15.00 for regular membership and \$10.00 for associate members. Please mail payments to: **Arkansas Corvair Club, P.O. Box 627, Little Rock, AR 72203.**

Here are the names that are due for **Sep** and **Oct**.

Past Due
Jim Agee
Julie Agee
Don Coget
Eric Evans
Bill MacSorley
Hank Wangle

Due Sep None

Due Oct None

Please disregard if you've already paid or mailed your check. **We appreciate your support.** ■

ACC August Meeting Minutes



JB King

The Arkansas Corvair Club did **not** hold a regular monthly meeting in August, since several members were attending the Cruisin' Branson Lights event in Branson, Missouri.

Our next meeting will be Tuesday, September 17, at Just Like Mom's restaurant at 3140 E. Kiehl Ave., in Sherwood.

Hope to see you there.

Directions and travel info for our October 12 BBQ at the home of Clyde and Dee Jones near Harrison

ACC members leaving from central Arkansas will meet at 9:30 a.m. at the Cracker Barrel in Conway (Highway 65 exit off I-40). From there, we'll depart around 10:00 and caravan north on Highway 65 to Clyde and Dee's home in Everton.

If traveling from elsewhere in Arkansas, please plan to arrive at the Jones' home between noon and 1:00 p.m.

To find Clyde and Dee's home, turn west off Highway 65 onto Snowball Creek Road (12 miles south of Harrison or two miles north of Western Grove). Go about one mile on Snowball Creek Road and turn left on to Saddlebrook Loop, after going down a long, steep hill.

After turning left onto Saddlebrook, follow the gravel road and watch for Clyde and Dee's drive-way (Corvair Drive) on your right.



Lest we forget those we lost on September 11, 2001.



Corvair converts mix with custom street rods as car enthusiasts arrive in Branson for the 8th Annual Cruisin' Branson Lights event. Pictured at left is the 1966 Monza convertible owned by Brenna Smith of Fayetteville.



Three Corvairs line up for Show 'n Shine in Branson. Left and center (64 Spyder convert & 65 Corsa coupe) owned by Clyde Jones. Corsa coupe (right) owned by George Koenig.



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Arkansas Corvair Club Information

Meetings

The Arkansas Corvair Club (ACC) meets on the 3rd Tuesday of each month. We are currently seeking a new permanent meeting site and will publish the new location ASAP.

September Meeting

The ACC will meet Tuesday, **September 17**, 7:00 p.m., at Just Like Mom's, on Kiehl Ave., in Sherwood.

Join us at 6:00 p.m. for food and fellowship prior to the meeting. The club offers an array of merchandise for sale—oil filters, gas filters, hats, decals, patches, T-shirts and more.

Officers

President: Stew MacLeod, 28305 Bandy Rd., Little Rock, AR 72211, 501 821-3622.

Vice-President: Larry Levy, 2 Countryside Cove, Little Rock, AR 72212, 501 868-5825 (evening).

Treasurer: Elvis King, 21305 N. Mill Rd., Little Rock, AR 72206, 501 888-1224 (evening).

Secretary: JB King, 21305 N. Mill Rd., Little Rock AR, 72206, 501 888-1224 (evening).

Elected Board: Allan Embrey, 501 834-5373; Ronnie MacLeod, 821-3622; Clyde Jones, 479 774-6789; Bill Smith, 501 843-8413.

Appointed Board: Pending.

Committee Chairs

Membership: Elvis King

Publicity: Bill Smith

Newsletter Editor: Bill Smith, 370 Windwood Drive, Cabot, AR 72023, 501 843-8413.

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\$35-¼ page.

Program & Events: Open

ACC Webmaster: Ken Franson, 608 Ridgelea Ave., Sherwood, AR 72120, 501 835-6005.

Web Address

Arkansas Corvair Club Web site:

<http://corvair5.tripod.com/acc.htm>

ACC Mission: The mission of the Arkansas Corvair Club (ACC) is to promote the maintenance, enjoyment, and preservation of all types of Corvairs and related vehicles, and to advance and improve driving skills, automobile safety, and the Corvair's image.