

On the Air

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Make your plans to join in the whale watching as Corvair UltraVans visit Mountain View, September 18 - 23

UltraVan Motor Coach Club hosting 2006 UltraWeek in Arkansas

Members of the Arkansas Corvair Club are strongly encouraged to find some time during the week of September 18-23 to travel to Mountain View and to warmly welcome fellow Corvair enthusiasts and members of CORSA Chapter 008, the UltraVan Motor Coach Club, to our state.

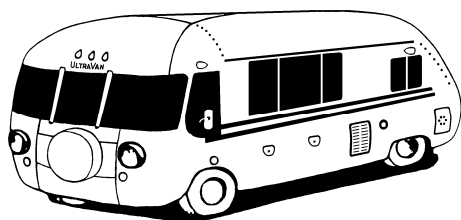
UltraVan Motor Coach Club members will be traveling to Mountain View from around the United States to celebrate UltraWeek, their annual North American rally. This year's site is the Ozark RV Park, 1022 Park St, in Mountain View.

Our Arkansas Corvair Club will **not** be attending UltraWeek activities as a group event. Instead,

ACC members are encouraged to choose a day and time that's most convenient for you to travel to Mountain View and mingle with and welcome our Corvair guests. We're hoping that some members may be able to visit during the week and others will find time on Saturday.

A few members are planning to attend the UltraWeek banquet, on Saturday, September 23, from 5:30 to 8:30 p.m., at the Skillet Restaurant, on the grounds of the Ozark Folk Center. Banquet tickets are \$14.00 per person. Contact Jim Davis at **270 435-4572**, or e-mail **jld@wk.net**, to make your banquet reservation.

Most UltraWeek events will be held in an around the "Pickin' Shed" and other locations around the historic Courthouse.



Affectionately referred to as "white whales", UltraVan Motor Coaches are a uniquely different type of Corvair powered vehicle

that always draw attention and interest from curious onlookers. And, if experience is any proof, you'll find UltraVan owners also to be a most friendly and interesting group of auto enthusiasts.

For a complete schedule of UltraWeek events, see page 3. ■

Mark your calendar for fall day trip to Old Washington State Park, in Hempstead County, on October 14

JB King has been hard at work planning an informative and fun day trip for ACC members to Old Washington State Park, on Saturday, October 14, to Old Washington State Park, northwest of Hot Springs.

Mark your calendar and plan to join us for this fall activity.

Old Washington State Park is a unique museum village located nine miles northwest of Hope on U.S. Highway 278.

Washington is a unique, historic Arkansas community conserved and interpreted by Arkansas State Parks in conjunction with the Pioneer Washington Restoration Foundation.

From its establishment in 1824, Washington was an important stop on the rugged Southwest Trail for pioneers traveling to Texas. Also, Washington was the Confederate Capital of Arkansas from 1863-1865.

Part of our plans for the weekend include a lunch of delicious, southern country fare at the 1832 Williams Tavern Restaurant.

See map and more information on page two of this newsletter. We hope you can join us. ■

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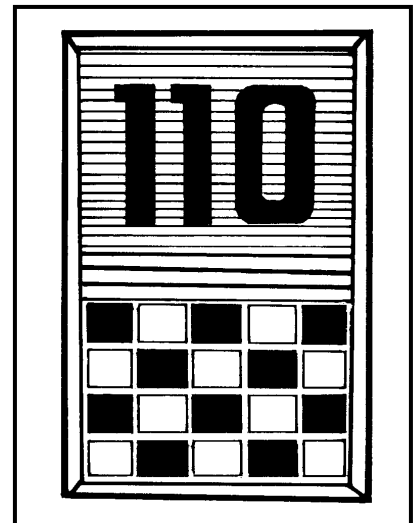
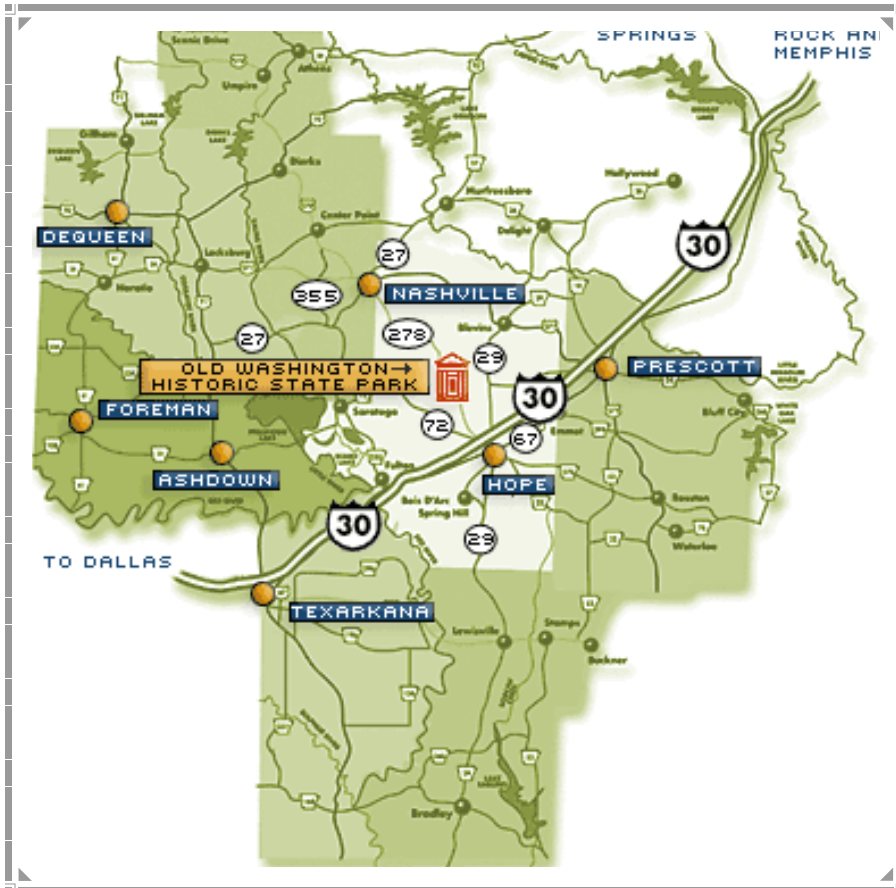
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"Corvairs bring friends together."

FINDING OLD WASHINGTON STATE PARK

Old Washington Historic State Park is located in northwest of Hope, Arkansas.

- From Hope, take exit #30 off I-30, and take U.S. 278 northwest for nine miles.
- From Nashville, take U.S. 278 south for 18 miles.
- From Texarkana, take I-30 east for 30 miles to Exit #30 at Hope.
- From Little Rock, take I-30 west for 113 miles to Exit #30 at Hope.



Happy Birthday
to our ACC associates
born in October.

JB King
October 6

Fran Gray
October 21

James Carter
October 30

Happy Anniversary
to
the 1960 Corvair
October 2 (47 years)

Bill & Cathy Smith
October 11 (31 years)

Ernie & Fran Gray
October 22 (57 years)

Dannie & Mary Vaughn
October 23

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 and those due for the current month.

Dues are **\$20.00** for regular membership and **\$15.00** for associate members. Please mail payments to: **Arkansas Corvair Club, P.O. Box 627, Little Rock, AR 72203.**

Here are the names that are **past due** and due in **September**.

Past Due John Coffey
Keith LaCrosse
Buddy Murray
Tommy Painter
Aaron Swift

Due Sep Dannie Vaughn

Please disregard if you've already paid.
Thanks for your generous support. ■

ACC August Meeting Minutes



JB King

The Arkansas Corvair Club met at Just Like Mom's restaurant, on Kiehl Avenue, in Sherwood, on Tuesday, August 15.

The meeting was called to order by president Ken Franson.

The minutes of the June meeting were approved as printed in the July newsletter. Our club did not hold a regular montly meeting in July.

Old Business

JB King offered a motion that our club plan a day trip to Old Washington State Park, on a Saturday in October, to be determined. Meredith Chapman

seconded the motion and it passed. The tentative date for this activity is Saturday, **October 14**. Watch for details in your club newsletter.

Bill Smith reminded members that the UltraVan Motor Coach Club will hold UltraWeek, their annual North American Rally, in Mountain View, from September 18-23. Bill encouraged ACC members to make plans to attend some of this week-long event and to welcome these visiting CORSA members to our state.

Butch Chapman reminded members of the Toys for Tots drive, on Saturday, December 2. The Dixie Car Club will be attempting to break a Guinness World Book of Records with the number of antique automobiles participating in an official parade. Butch will post an announcement about this event on VirtualVairs, to

invite Corvair enthusiasts from neighboring states to participate in the parade.

Ken Franson informed members about a Corvair Lakewood station wagon that is available, in Sherwood, for parts. Jerald McKown will check on this.

New Business

Ken Franson suggested that our club might consider having some of our future activities publicized in the *CORSA Communiqué*. Members discussed the merits of acting on Ken's suggestion and agreed to keep it in mind for future events.

There being no further business, the meeting was adjourned.

Respectfully submitted,

JB King

Schedule of Events for UltraWeek, North American Rally Mountain View, Arkansas, September 18 - 23

Monday, September 18

Arrival, parking, welcoming.....9:00 a.m.-4:30 p.m.
Pizza Party @ "Pickin' Shed"5:00 p.m.-6:15 p.m.
Mountain Dulcimer Circle "Pickin' Shed"...7:00 p.m.-8:45 p.m.

Tuesday, September 19

Coffee & Goodies, "Pickin' Shed".....8:30 a.m.-9:30 a.m.
Tech Session, "Pickin' Shed"10:00 a.m.-11:30 p.m.
Trip "Downtown" Shopping.....1:00 p.m.-4:30 p.m.
Potluck Supper, "Pickin' Shed".....5:00 p.m.-6:00 p.m.

Wednesday, September 20

Coffee & Goodies, "Pickin' Shed".....8:30 a.m.-9:30 a.m.
Pickin' Circle, "Pickin' Shed".....10:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m.
Pickin' Circle, "Pickin' Shed".....2:00 p.m.-4:00 p.m.
UVMCC Potluck Supper.....5:30 p.m.-6:30 p.m.
Concert at Ozark Folk Center.....7:00 p.m.-9:00 p.m.

Thursday, September 21

Coffee & Goodies, "Pickin' Shed".....8:30 a.m.-9:30 a.m.
Pickin' Circle, "Pickin' Shed".....10:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m.
Pickin' Circle, "Pickin' Shed".....2:00 p.m.-4:00 p.m.
Supper JoJo's Catfish Wharf.....5:00 p.m.-6:30 p.m.

Concert at Ozark Folk Center.....7:00 p.m.-9:00 p.m.

Friday, September 22

Coffee & Goodies, "Pickin' Shed"8:30 a.m.-9:30 a.m.
Tech Session, "Pickin' Shed".....10:00 a.m.-11:30 p.m.
Trip "Downtown - Pickin' on the Square
and Shopping2:00 p.m.-4:30 p.m.
Concert at Ozark Folk Center.....
Tribute to Jimmy Rogers7:00 p.m.-9:00 p.m.

Saturday, September 23

Coffee & Goodies, "Pickin' Shed"8:30 a.m.-9:30 a.m.
East & West Regional Mtgs.....10:00 a.m.-10:30 p.m.
UVMCC Business Meeting.....10:30 a.m.-11:30 a.m.
Free Time.....11:30 a.m.-5:30 p.m.
Banquet at Skillet Restaurant.....5:30 p.m.-8:30 p.m.

Sunday, September 24

Coffee & Goodies, "Pickin' Shed"8:00 a.m.-8:45 a.m.
Worship Service @ "Pickin' Shed"..9:30 a.m.-10:30 p.m.

For information, contact Jim Davis at **270 435-4572**, or e-mail jld@wk.net. ■



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enjoyment, and preservation of the
Chevrolet Corvair."*

Arkansas Corvair Club Information

Meetings

The Arkansas Corvair Club (ACC) meets on the **3rd Tuesday** of each month at **Just Like Mom's** Home Cooking restaurant, 3140 E. Kiehl Ave., in Sherwood.

September Meeting

The ACC will meet Tuesday, **September 19**, 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: Ken Franson, 608 Ridgelea Ave., Sherwood, AR 72120, 501 835-6005.

Vice-President: Meredith Chapman, P.O. Box 243, Jacksonville, AR 72078, 501 676-6693.

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.

Newsletter Advertising:

Non-members and businesses:
\$100/year full page; \$60-½ page;
\$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.