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DAY!



Happy FLAG DAY!

The **Rear Engine Review** is a monthly publication of the **INLAND NORTHWEST CORVAIR CLUB**, chapter 990 of the CORVAIR SOCIETY OF AMERICA (CORSAs). Letters, articles, experiences, technical information, humor, and recipes are welcome. Please submit your material to:

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Visit us at:

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**All material must be submitted by the twenty-fifth of the current month for inclusion in next month's issue.**

The INLAND NORTHWEST CORVAIR CLUB welcomes past, present, and future CORVAIR owners, as well as those who are simply curious about these unique vehicles. We welcome CORVAIRS of every degree of restoration or modification, including other vehicles utilizing CORVAIR components. **CORVAIR ownership is not required!** Club events, dates, times, and locations are published as soon as practical in the **Rear Engine Review**, or on the **club web-site**.

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CORSA Members	\$13.00/yr.
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We also welcome commercial advertisements from those supportive of this club, Corvairs, and the automotive hobby. Corvair and other automotive products and services will be given the highest priority, followed by those of a more varied and general nature.

## THE EDITOR'S DESK

By Dave McChesney



*"Tim" while waiting for a new home.*

For the first time in a very long time, I am getting an issue of the REAR ENGINE REVIEW out on time... or as close to on time as can be. My seemingly impossible goal is to have it out as close to the first of the month as possible.

We have two events scheduled for this month, with another on the calendar for those who wish to take part. First we'll have a tech-tune or gathering at the home of a newer member, Roger Becker. A couple of weeks later we are schedule to tour the Chad Little racing museum in downtown Spokane. Car'D Lane also happens this month, but for various reasons we have opted not to participate as a club. INCC members who wish to independently take part in this annual event are encouraged to do so.

Remember, if you have news of an event, or have a Corvair story you'd like to share, send it along, and I'll get it in the next REAR ENGINE REVIEW. Pictures of events or of your Corvair are welcome too. Jpeg format is best, but I can work with anything. ***(Articles or columns from club officers are especially welcome... hint! hint!)***

If you have a business, consider an ad in the **Rear Engine Review** for only \$20 a year. While Corvair and automotive related businesses have priority, ads are not limited to these categories

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Dave McChesney".

### IT'S NEVER TOO LATE!

If you have pictures or other information about Corvair or automotive events from the past, feel free to forward to the editor. He will do his utmost to include them, regardless of how long ago the activity occurred.

### CLUB BUSINESS CARDS

Contact INLAND NORTHWEST CORVAIR CLUB Web-master Dave Fender for business cards with the new club logo on them. They have a place where you can add your contact information. I think the small return address labels are small enough to fit in the area provided.



*The front of the card looks like this.*

## TREASURER's REPORT



Submitted by Dave McChesney

Since the last report, our only transaction has been the addition of another \$0.10 in dividends. We have \$93.65 in Checking, \$1167.97 in Savings, and our total worth is \$1261.62. (There was a typo in the last report, showing a total worth of \$1262.52, instead of \$1262.52.)

**INCC membership is \$15.00 per year. CORSA members pay \$13.00 for INCC membership.**

Payment of one year's dues extends membership one year from your current date of expiration or one year from the date payment is received. We will waive payment of back dues, unless you wish to pay them. We simply want those on the roster to be current in their dues.

If you are dropped and want to continue as a member, please contact a club officer and forward your dues. We'd love to have you back with us!

Please send check or money order to:  
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**P. O. Box 9689**  
**Spokane, WA 99209-9689**

or bring payment to a future club event.

If you no longer wish to be a part of the Inland Northwest Corvair Club, please contact a Club Officer and let him/her know. The club's Post Office Box is checked weekly and funds received are deposited during the following week.

## TECH-N-TUNE#2

Sunday 10 June 2018 at 10:00 am  
Hosted by Roger and Judy Becker  
17708 N Summerwood Dr.  
Colbert, WA 99005



Hello everyone,

I am looking forward to seeing everyone at my house on Sunday the 10<sup>th</sup> of June for the second Tech-n-Tune of this year. Being new members, Judy & I haven't met everyone in the club yet. This is our second summer here since we moved from Southern California, and so far we love it here. We wanted a little more elbow room and we sure got it! I am hoping you all will drive your Corvairs so we can see them. I am looking forward to showing you my Corvairs. We have plenty of asphalt parking and can accommodate everyone.

You can enjoy a nice country drive to our place if you exit I-90 at Argonne Rd. and take it to the end. Turn left to go to Hwy 2.

The day's Tech session will reveal what the inside of an early rear wheel bearing looks like, how it works, and how to disassemble it. You'll learn how to clean, check for wear, and adjust the play. All you "Late Guys" will be slightly bored.

After all the previous activities, lunch will be served. There will be an assortment of brats and dogs, potato salad and all the water and soft drinks you care to enjoy. Feel free to bring your favorite picnic dish to share if you wish, but it's not mandatory. We are looking forward to seeing you all.

*Roger & Judy Becker*

### Directions

North on Hwy 2 (N. Newport Highway)  
Left (west) on E. Colbert Rd. (First left after  
CAT TALES ZOOLOGICAL PARK)  
Left (south) on N. Saddle Hill Rd.  
Left (east) on E. Bridle Trail Rd.  
Left (north) on N. Summerwood Dr.  
Right at the third or last house/driveway prior to  
road end.

(Suggested option to Hwy 2)

East or west bound on I-90...  
Take Exit 287 and proceed...  
North on N. Mullan Rd. (quickly becomes N.  
Argonne Rd. and farther on, N. Bruce Rd.)  
Left (west) on E. Day Mt. Spokane Rd.  
Right (north) on Hwy 2 (N. Newport Hwy)  
Continue as above to E. Colbert Rd.

(Alternate route to E. Colbert Rd.)

North on N. Wall St. Bear right as it becomes  
N. Waikiki Rd., N. Mill Road, and N. Little  
Spokane Dr.  
Right (east) on E. Colbert Rd.  
Right (south) on N. Saddle Hill Rd.  
Continue as above to E. Bridle Trail Rd.

## MUSEUM VISIT

The Inland Northwest Corvair Club has an appointment to visit Chad Little's Racing Museum on Saturday, 23 June 2018, at 10:00 am. The museum is located at 111 S. Adams St. in down town Spokane. Any additional information will be forwarded via e-mail prior to the event.

## CRUISE NIGHTS

This has been updated in accordance with the 2018 Calendar of Events from the Inland Northwest Car Club Council.

If you go, contact fellow INCC members and invite them along. Please send pictures or written descriptions for our newsletter.

### Monday

[Paul Bunyan](#)

8625 N. Government Way, Hayden, ID

### Tuesday

[Cinderella Nights](#) (June-Aug)

Red Lion Templins, Post Falls, ID

[Tall Pine Drive In](#)

203 N Division St., Pinehurst, ID

[Zip's Drive Inn](#)

12218 N market St., Mead, WA

### Wednesday

[Clayton Drive In](#)

Hwy 395 & Railroad Ave., Clayton, WA

[Paul Bunyan](#)

13735 Hwy 53, Rathdrum, ID

[Paul Bunyan](#)

30340 Hwy 200, Ponderay, ID

[Steer Inn](#)

7920 N Division St., Spokane, WA

### Thursday

[Prime Tyme Bar & Grill](#)

Hwy 2 & Westwood, Chattaroy, WA

[Ron's Drive Inn](#)

12502 E. Sprague Ave., Spokane Valley, WA

### Friday

[Monitor Hot Rod Cafe](#)

2960 Easy St., Wenatchee, WA

[Zip's Drive Inn](#)

1005 S. Main St., Deer Park, WA

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## 2018/2019 EVENT SCHEDULE

This is it, folks! As always, we will be fine tuning as time goes along.

(Events by other Corvair Clubs/Organizations that might be of interest.)

### JUNE

**(Up Next!)**

Sunday 10<sup>th</sup>

Tech & Tune at Roger's in Colbert

Friday & Saturday 15<sup>th</sup> & 16<sup>th</sup>

Car d'Lane Cruise night and car show

(rescheduled)

Saturday 23<sup>rd</sup>, 10am

Chad Little's Automotive/Racing Museum

111 S Adams, Spokane, WA

### JULY

Saturday 21<sup>st</sup>

North Idaho Classics Car Show... Post Falls

Monday 23<sup>rd</sup> thru Saturday 28<sup>th</sup>  
CORSA International Convention  
Pittsburgh, PA

### AUGUST

Sunday 5<sup>th</sup>

Cruise/Drive around Lake Coeur d'Alene

### SEPTEMBER

Saturday 15<sup>th</sup>

Palouse Days Car Show, Palouse, WA

### OCTOBER

Saturday (TBA)

Cider Fest hosted by the Connolleys

### NOVEMBER

Open

### DECEMBER

INCC Christmas/Holiday Party at Prohibition Gastro-Pub.

## 2019 (Looking ahead)

### JANUARY

Open

Begin planning future events?

### FEBRUARY

Inland Northwest Car Club Council's "Show no Shine" event

Continue planning future events?

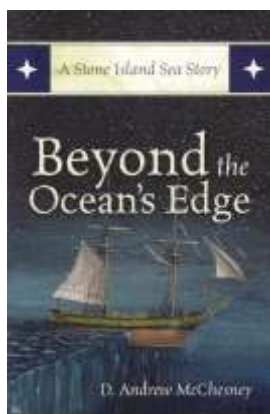
### MARCH

Open

Continue planning?

## CORVAIRS AVAILABLE

Long time, one time Inland Northwest Corvair Club member Steve Geddes has a number of Corvairs available. He is in Kalispell, Montana. If you do not have his contact information, contact the REAR ENGINE REVIEW editor to be put in touch with Steve.



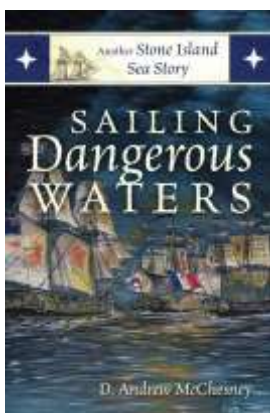
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