



CORSA Chapter 837

January 2009

NEWSLETTER

2009



Note of Thanks

I would like to thank Shiela Krug and Chuck Yell for all their work they have done for the Boise Basin Corvair Club.

I want to welcome Dennis Stephenson as President, and thank John Rigg for taking over the office of Treasurer.

Also Thanks to Greg Reeder, John Fellon, Don Matthews and Chuck Slaughter who remained in they're previous elected offices.

2008 was a great year, and I look forward to 2009.

Thank you everyone for your help and support.

Brenda Stephenson

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BOISE BASIN CORVAIRS...was formed in September 1986, by and for Corvair owners and enthusiasts living in the Boise Valley and surrounding areas, and is dedicated to the promotion, preservation and enjoyment of the Corvair automobile.

BOISE BASIN CORVAIRS is a chartered Chapter of the Corvair Society Of America (COSA National).

Dues for the two clubs are as follows:

\$18 per year to be an "ACTIVE" member of **BOISE BASIN CORVAIRS**. A check to obtain or renew membership should be made payable to **BOISE BASIN CORVAIRS** and given or sent to the **BOISE BASIN CORVAIRS Secretary**. Annual membership dues are due in January each year.

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Active membership in **BOISE BASIN CORVAIRS** and **COSA National** entitles you to **BOISE BASIN CORVAIRS** monthly newsletter, the "*CORVAIR CONNECTION*" and to **COSA National's** monthly magazine, "*COSA COMMUNIQUE*", along with numerous other benefits.

CORRESPONDENCE TO BOISE BASIN CORVAIRS...Should be addressed to **BOISE BASIN CORVAIRS Secretary**, Greg Reeder, 5089 West Ravenscroft Street, Meridian, ID 83646.

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Just a reminder

It is that time of year again.
Christmas shopping and
Boise Basin Corvairs Club
Membership Dues come
around. If you haven't
already sent them in, don't
forget to get them to John
Fellon.

Thanks again

TREASURERS REPORT

December 2008

Due to change in this office, we do not have a report for the month of December.

Pres's Corner

Well it is the start of another new year. This is a year that I would like to see the club do something more than the past. It is a year that we will grow and become better known around the valley. We have the best car this country will ever build, and it is time to show it. Our "Round Up" this year will be better than in the past. As it is something we want to make happen. This club can do so much if we all pull together and make it happen. But I cannot do it alone. This year everyone needs to help out.

The Boise Basin Corvair club is still a small club compared to others in the valley, but it does not mean that we cannot do things. Our club has been invited to participate in a lot of other car club events. We need to make a good showing to these events. It will reflect how other clubs will participate in the events we host. There is more to do than car shows. The clubs drive to Idaho City was a great event, and everyone enjoyed the drive. The Bar-B-Que hosted by the Yells was another fun event. It is things like this that help build the club.

Not everyone has a show car, but that does not mean you cannot participate. There are those of us that know these cars inside and out, which can help you get your cars to run and be with us. A Corvair is never truly happy until it is tooling down the road. They do not like being placed in a garage under a cover to hide them. They are most happy when they are out on the road with others. So this year let's make our Vairs happy by getting them out and running down the road.

I did have a most memorable Christmas this year. I was driving "Lil Red" to work and the engine started making a terrible sound. The sound started to turn into a knock, at which point I shut down the engine and called a tow truck. This will not stop me from being in the club, as it will not take me long to get another engine built and get my little baby back on the road. I have a very special love for these cars and want to see more of them on the road. I would like nothing better than to get my other Vairs back on the road as well. But the thing I would like most to see is everyone get their cars up and running and be ready for this years "Round Up". We can all be there, as well as our cars. So let's just DO IT!!!!!!!!!!

Dennis S.

Boise Basin Corvairs Christmas Party John & Joan Rigg's Home December 13, 2008

Attendance: Maurice Cooper, Brent & Shanna Jones, Don Matthews & Leigh Oliver, Greg & Sandy Reeder, John, Joan, Kyle & Emily Rigg, Chuck & Mary Slaughter, Dennis, Brenda & Heather Stephenson, Frank & Becky Taylor.

We had a wonderful pot-luck dinner with members contributing delicious dishes, salads and desserts. The club paid for the ham and turkey meat dishes. Maurice provided soft drinks, wine and beer. We enjoyed seeing John and Joan's newly remodeled and expanded home.

Elections: We held paper ballot elections at 7:05 PM, and the results are as follows:

President: Dennis Stephenson
Vice-President: Chuck Slaughter
Secretary: Greg Reeder
Treasurer: John Rigg
Membership: John Fellon
Events Chair: Brenda Stephenson

John Rigg closed the meeting.

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 Smoky Mountain Pizza 980 E Fairview, Meridian ID 6:30 PM

February 17, 2009 Boise Basin Corvairs Club Monthly Meeting
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