

# Lifter Noise



Newsletter of the West Michigan Corvair Club

## What's Going On

I am writing this after spending a majority of the last two days behind the wheel of my Corvair. We just got back from the overnight trip to northern Michigan with seven couples from the West Michigan Corvair Club. I will have a recap of this event in the September edition of *Lifter Noise* but I can say that everyone who went on this trip had a very fun and memorable time. We are already talking about another trip like this next year and we hope we can have even more people participate.

This month we will be attending a West Michigan Whitecaps game for our membership meeting. The night of the game is Tuesday, August 19 which is our regular meeting night. We need 20 people to qualify for the group rate package. Even if we don't get 20 people, we still want to buy our tickets together. Please send an e-mail to [zvair65@gmail.com](mailto:zvair65@gmail.com) or call Dave Ziebarth at 616-340-1815 if you are interested in attending. Tickets will be either \$10.00 or \$10.50 per ticket. Please respond by Tuesday, August 12 so I can order the tickets.

## 40<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Party Recap

On Saturday, July 19 we held our 40<sup>th</sup> Anniversary celebration at Fallasburg Park in Lowell. We chose Fallasburg Park because the club would meet there in the early years.

We had about 22 people in attendance including charter member Rob Van Sledright. There were eight Corvairs and we got to drive them over (or is it through) the covered bridge.

## WMCC Calendar

August 19 – WMCC Membership Meeting  
August 26 – WMCC Board Meeting  
September 13 – Apple & BBQ Cook-off Festival  
September 30 – WMCC Board Meeting

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Coming up in September we will be heading out to the Apple & BBQ Cook-off Festival near the Silver Lake sand dunes. The festival is having a car show on Saturday, September 13.

We are just starting our planning for the color tour. Expect that to take place some time in October.



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The club provided the brats and hot dogs along with a 40<sup>th</sup> Anniversary cake and everyone brought a dish to pass.



After everyone had their fill of food and cake, the cornhole boards came out. A few people were up for the competition. A good time was had by all.



## July Board Meeting Recap

The July board meeting was held at Woody's on July 29. In attendance were Paul Adams, John Cole, Dave Dykwel, Dan Konkle, Doug Lectka, Steve Ridderman and Dave Ziebarth. Ryan Counterman attended as a guest.

### Overnight Trip

- Only seven couples confirmed
  - Room rate will jump to \$94 plus tax
- Doug will bring coffee and donuts to Fricano's
- Dave Dykwel will have maps and route description

### Whitecaps Game/August Meeting

- Dave Ziebarth went over particulars
  - Need 20 people to get group rate and benefits
  - \$10 with group rate, \$10.50 without
- Received a couple of confirmations from initial e-mail
- Received a few more at board meeting

### Homecoming/Metro Cruise Weekend

- Who's going where since they fall on the same weekend?
- Not sure if anyone is going to the Detroit Area Corvair Club Homecoming
- There appears to be more interest in the Metro

### Cruise

- There will be no formal meet up place

### September Event

- We will be attending the Apple & BBQ Cook-off Festival in Hart on September 13
- Looking for someone to plan a meeting place and route

### Color Tour

- Dave Ziebarth is planning
- He will start researching festivals and possible destinations this month

### 2015 Overnighter

- Ryan put out the idea of going to the Henry Ford Museum for a 2015 overnight trip
- There was a lot of interest from the board

### Fall Meetings

- Looking for a new venue for our winter meetings
- A couple of ideas include the new Fricano's in Caledonia or the Mexican restaurant in front of the Big O Smokehouse in Caledonia

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