Lifter Noise



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What's Going On

Welcome to 2018! Our first event of the year will be the monthly membership meeting on Tuesday, January 16 at 6:30 PM. The meeting will be held at Rezervoir Lounge, 1418 Plainfield Ave. NE in Grand Rapids.

In February we will be having the annual Zoup Off! The date is Saturday, February 10 at 2 PM. Once again the venue will be the community room at Rockford Ambulance. Since we did not have a board meeting in December, we were not able to continue planning of this event so look for more details in the February edition of *Lifter Noise*. This will also be the February membership meeting.

You may start paying your 2018 dues any time. You can bring them to any of the upcoming events or mail them to the club address. It is just a meager \$18 to be a member of the West Michigan Corvair Club.

The January board meeting will be held on Tuesday the 30th at 6:30 PM at 5 Lakes Brewing Company in Dorr.



Christmas Party Recap

By Dave Dykwell; photos courtesy of Scott Olivier

Once again, it was another great Christmas Party for our West Michigan Corvair Club members. The morning may have started out with snow but the skies cleared and the driving weather was cooperative. Turn out was excellent with 21 members present including Edison, our newest member – who had to be shared with all the ladies.



The group started out by enjoying an assortment of complimentary suds and soda followed by a plethora of appetizers and snacks brought by our members. The Club also provided a roasted Turkey Breast and plenty of delicious Honey Baked Ham.

Numerous desserts were brought to put that finishing touch on a great meal.

After stuffing ourselves, we retreated to the Family Room to partake in a memory filled game of Mementoes Matter. Members brought one unique item from their childhood and we

secretly displayed and numbered them. Members were given subtle clues then had to guess Who belonged to What. Winners were Paul and Heather, who received Meijer Gift Cards. Later, we played a rousing rendition of Reindeer Games. Members were asked 14 challenging questions about Santa's Reindeer after Dave provided several Fun Facts that provided no help. Winners were Dan and Paul, who walked away more Meijer Gift Cards. To finish the day, all present were issued numbers for our customary Club Raffle. A total of ten items from Clark's were given away.

Many thanks go out to Heather and Scott Olivier (our new First Lady and President) for opening their beautiful home to us for our party. Marilyn and Dave Dykwell assisted by preparing the Turkey, Ham and gathering all the items for our games and raffle.

Word has it that we already have a "Host" for next year's shindig ... who will be picking the date to avoid all possible conflicts so that everyone can attend without excuses! Can anyone say ... Christmas in October Party?



WMCC Calendar	
January 16	WMCC Membership Meeting at Rezervoir Lounge
January 30	WMCC Board Meeting at 5 Lakes Brewing Company
February 10	Zoup Off
March 20	WMCC Membership Meeting at Rezervoir Lounge
March 27	WMCC Board Meeting at TBD

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