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## TUCSON CORVAIR ASSOCIATION

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The Prez Sez -

The Park Mall Show is just around the corner (as I write this) and it promises to be a "Biggy", with more than twenty cars in the show. It's history by the time you read this - I'm sure that ramrod Bob Thompson did his normally superior job in staging the show, and all participants are to be congratulated for polishing, cleaning, and generally "spiffing" up their cars to support the club by showing them in the Mall.

Elections will be this Weds. nite, so be sure to attend. The Nominating Committee (Pat Hayhurst, Don Bortle, and Gordon Gauble) have promised to come up with a slate of officers that we can rely on to do a good job in their positions - of course, nominations from the floor will also be in order.

These elections will bring to a close my tenure as President. We've had a good time during the past year - hindsight reveals some things I would have done differently, but all in all I believe that we came through the ordeal unbowed, if not unbloodied. Having the support of the club, and the board of directors, made the job much easier. I wish to especially thank two of the directors whose job performance was constant. Ed Carey ( Treasurer ) and Lou Lage (Cor-vairsation Editor) provided a solid foundation for club business, being critical when necessary and yet always positive. Thanks, guys!

So long, folks - see you at the meetings.

*Big Ed*

IN MEMORIUM

G E O R G E V E R N O N F O R D

January 25, 1983



TCA REGULAR MEETING  
Wednesday, January 24, 1983

The meeting was called to order by the President, Ed Sanford, at 7:35 p.m. at the Filling Station Restaurant, 6934 E. Tanque Verde Road.

PRESENT: 59                      CORVAIRS: 23

The minutes of the November 1982 meeting were approved as published since there was no regular meeting in December.

Vistors and new members were introduced.

Bob Thompson spoke about the Park Mall Show. He asked for volunteers and cars to participate in the show.

The checks for aluminum cans were passed out to those members who had attended the Christmas Party.

Lou and Lera Lage presented a gavel to the presiding President for use at the meetings.

Several members from the Cactus Corvair Club in Phoenix were present at the meeting. They had the following items to mention:

1. They are having a Potluck Picnic at Picacho Peak on February 20th at 11:30 a.m. Tucson Club members interested in going should meet at Vicki Wayne's on Oracle at 10:00 a.m. (leaving Vicki Wayne's at 10:30 a.m.)
2. They presented an award to Pat Hayhurst for the fine job he did at their mini convention last year.
3. On March 6th the Cactus Club will be having their 5th Annual All Chevy Day and they have extended an invitation to us to attend.

The March Mid-Month-Activity will be held the last weekend in March and it will be a rally. More information on this at the next meeting.

Following the break grab bag and door prizes were given with the winners being as follows:

Bob Eggers  
Bill Wilcox  
Sam Angus  
Patty Zimmerman  
Sheri Wilcox  
Jim Wright  
and Bob Gay

Sale items and technical tips were discussed.

Pictures of Corvairs were presented to the Filling Station as a contribution to their decorations.

The meeting was adjourned at 9:16 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

*Cathy McKenna*  
Cathy McKenna

# ECONOMY RUN - JANUARY 1983

The Boyce-Thompson Arboretum economy run was both enjoyable and a learning experience for all who attended. After a slow start, a few steep grades and a wrong turn or two, we arrived at the Boyce-Thompson Arboretum Picnic Grounds with the same number of vehicles we started with.

After the picnic lunch, we toured the greenhouse and the outdoor gardens, then started home. And, once again, we arrived at the starting point with all of the vehicles we started with.

The final statistics are as follows:

## Automatics

Bob Thompson -	67 Monza	95 HP	29.52 MPG
Cecil Allain -	63 Greenbrier	140 HP	22.06 MPG
Ed Dryden -	61 Lakewood	110 HP	20.22 MPG

## Standards

Don Robinson	65 Monza	110 HP	29.71 MPG
Dave Thompson	66 Monza	110 HP	29.11 MPG
Ed Sanford	66 Monza	110 HP	28.66 MPG
Dave Tait	65 Corsa	140 HP	23.54 MPG

Dave Thompson

Shoe

by Jeff MacNelly





# 1st ANNUAL CORVAIR FUN RALLYE

DATE: MARCH 26th TIME: 9:30 am. SHARP! PLACE: JESSE OWENS PARK

ITS ALMOST TIME FOR OUR FIRST COMPETITION EVENT. ALL THE WRINKLES HAVE BEEN IRONED OUT AND THE GREENLIGHT HAS BEEN GIVEN FOR MARCH 26th. THE CLASSIC FIFTIES CHEVY CLUB OF TUCSON WILL BE ON HAND TO RUN THE RALLYE SO THERE IS NO REASON NOT TO COME OUT AND TRY YOUR BEST AT RALLYING. AWARDS WILL GO TO THOSE THAT EXHIBIT SPECIAL SKILLS AND KNOWLEDGE OF TUCSON'S LAYOUT. SPEED IS NOT REALLY A FACTOR BUT GETTING THE CLUES RIGHT IS. YOU WILL NEED A NAVIGATOR TO RUN THIS WITH YOU BECAUSE SOME STOPS HAVE QUICK GAMES LET ALONE THE CONFUSION INVOLVED IN DRIVING AND READING CLUES. COME ON OUT AND ENJOY A DAY OF CRUISING THE STREETS OF TUCSON AND MEET THE MEMBERS OF THE CLASSIC FIFTIES CHEVY CLUB.

THANK YOU,

DAVE TAIT

BOB GAY

THE COMPETITION COMMITTEE

## RALLYE REGISTRATION FORM

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DEADLINE: MARCH 15, 1983

# BYLAWS - Part I

In the interest of keeping TCA members abreast of all of the good things in the club and to promote a deeper interest in Club politics, the Corvairsation will publish the Bylaws of the Club in three installments.

## TUCSON CORVAIR ASSOCIATION BYLAWS

Effective March 1, 1982

### ARTICLE I -- Name and Purpose

#### 1. Name

The name of the organization shall be The Tucson Corvair Association, abbreviated TCA.

#### 2. Purposes

- a) Encourage interest and aid in the preservation, restoration, and operational enjoyment of the Corvair automobile.
- b) Provide a friendly social environment in which members can expand their knowledge and common interests in the Corvair automobile.
- c) Maintain and distribute helpful information on available sources of Corvair vehicles, parts, materials and services.
- d) Conduct regular meetings and activities covering a broad range of interests related to the Corvair automobile.

#### 3. Restrictions

The TCA shall be a nonprofit, nonpolitical and nonpartisan organization.

#### 4. The TCA shall maintain chartered chapter membership in CORSA, the Corvair Society of America.

### ARTICLE II -- Membership and Dues

#### 1. Membership

Membership shall be extended to any person interested in the restoration, preservation or operation of the Corvair automobile.

#### 2. Dues

Members shall pay dues to The TCA. Upon payment of dues, members shall receive from The TCA the privileges extended via membership in the organization.

#### 3. Suspension for nonpayment of dues.

Members will be notified in the chapter newsletter the month prior to renewal date. The notification will be repeated the month dues are due. If dues are not received during the month they are due, their membership will be terminated.



## Bylaws - Part I (continued)

### 4. Membership reinstatement

A member suspended for nonpayment of dues shall be readmitted upon receipt of dues.

## ARTICLE III -- Officers and Board of Directors

### 1. Board of Directors

The policymaking body of The TCA shall be a Board of Directors consisting of nine members. The Board of Directors shall consist of the Officers identified in paragraph 2 below, the two previous presidents of The TCA, the membership chairman, the Corvairsation editor and one Director-at-Large elected from the membership

### 2. Officers of The TCA will be the President, Vice President, Recording Secretary and Secretary-Treasurer.

### 3. Length of Service

The President, Vice President and Director-at-Large cannot succeed themselves in the same office. The Recording Secretary and Secretary-Treasurer shall serve no more than three consecutive terms.

## Treasurer's Report

### For January:

Balance 1/1/83 .....	\$1,727.29
Income.....	237.75
Expenses.....	330.75
Balance 1/31/83.....	1,634.29

### For 1982:

Balance 1/1/82.....	\$1,288.18
Income .....	3,060.39
Expenses .....	2,621.28
Balance 12/31/82 .....	1,727.29

Ed Carey



# Classified Ads

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## EXPIRATIONS

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Al Aguilar, Subscriber  
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Thomas Locasio, Member

### MARCH

Ken Fadal, Subscriber  
Arnold Oggier, Member  
Donald Schnur, Member  
Bob Thompson, Member  
Ed Sanford, Member  
Tom & Constance Higley, Members  
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TUCSON CORVAIR ASSOCIATION REGULAR MONTHLY MEETING

- \* THE TIME: FEBRUARY 23, 1983, 6:30pm
- \* THE PLACE: The Filling Station, 6934 E. Tanque Verde Rd.
- \* THE MENU: An All-You-Can-Eat Buffet, Including Salad Bar
- \* THE COST (for the meal): \$3.99 plus drinks.

COMING  
EVENTS

- February 20: Picnic with Cactus Corvairs at Picacho Peak - Cholla Ramada. Pot Luck. TCA will leave Vicki Wayne's on Oracle & Orange Grove at 11:00am. \$2.00/car entry fee into the Park
- March 6: 5th Annual All Chevy Day at Fountain Hills \$3.00 registration fee.
- March 26: 1st Annual Corvair Fun Rallye, 9:30am, Jesse Owens Park. If you want to have fun, plan on coming to this one. (see page 6)

The Tucson Corvair Association is a chart-  
ered chapter of the Corvair Society of  
America (COSA) and its members are required  
to join and maintain membership in COSA.  
Monthly meetings are held on the 4th Wednes-  
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