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Next Meeting:

September 24, 2013

King's Restaurant - Harmarville

5 Alpha Drive E • Pittsburgh 15238

Dinner at 6:30 Meeting at 7:30



Never forget

09-11-01

July 23, 2013 Member Meeting Minutes

Officers Present:

Jim Steigerwaldt, *President*
John Gundlach, *Vice President*
Jim Heatherington, *Treasurer*
Pat Greenwald, *Secretary*

Board Members Present:

Don Baker
Don Cekus
Al Friend
Steve Puskas
Charles Lucas, Newsletter Editor

The meeting was called to order by President Jim Steigerwaldt.

The minutes of the May 28th meeting were accepted as printed in the newsletter.

Jim Heatherington's treasurer's report showed a balance of \$2400.77 with another \$500 to be returned to the account when the money comes in from the Dayton trip.

Jim Steigerwaldt reported on his time at the CORSA convention. Also contributing to the discussion were Don Cekus, Steve Puskas, Gayle

Gundlach, and Pat Greenwald.

All agreed it was a good time but not a lot to do in the evening. Also attending the convention but not at this meeting were Bob and Polly Tedesco, Dolly Izzo, Bill and Ed Clapper and Ed's son Jordan, and Bill Young and his brother.

Tim Desmond discussed plans for the July 27th trip to the blueberry farm. Berries are now at their peak. Tim wants to leave Cranberry at 8:30. After leaving the farm the group will eat in Edinboro.

Les Walter had information about an auction in Pearce, NE in October where a former Chevrolet dealer had kept his stock of cars when he retired. The cars being auctioned include 60's Corvairs. Information about the auctioneer can be found at the web site of VanDerBrick Auctions.

Steve Puskas announced that there is still time to register for the Butler Antique Car Club Rally.

Steve also announced that he will

host a picnic for the club on August 17th starting at 2:00. Please bring a covered dish to share.

We do not yet have details for the September 28-29 wine tour.

Don Cekus encouraged members to attend the August 3rd Victory Hill car show. Hours are from 10 -2.

Don Baker discussed the Vintage Grand Prix. He met John Black who owns the V8 Corvair that was on the cover of one of our newsletters in 2010. John may be interested in joining our club.

Al Friend had the DVD of an event 20 years ago that the club participated in with the Antique Club but unfortunately the equipment connectors were not compatible. Al then talked about all the things we can do and see on the trip to the Air Museum in Dayton.

Respectively submitted,



Pat Greenwald

2013 Events Schedule

Oct. 4-6.....	Air Force Museum	Dayton, Ohio	Al Friend
Nov. 26.....	Member Meeting	North Park Club House	
Jan. 12, 2014....	Holiday Party	Grant's Bar	Jim Madden

Wright Patterson - Dayton, Ohio Tour News

One couple had to drop out due to other commitments, but everybody else is paid-up and accounted for. Even though we have passed the deadline, should you know of anyone else who might be interested, contact Al Friend so that he can work with his contacts at the Hope Hotel to work them in.

We got the blues at Huling's Farm...

Saturday July 27, 2013

NO NEED FOR sunblock this time around. If you had one or the other; a rain poncho or an umbrella, you were "a pickin" blueberries. Event coordinator, Tim Desmond said: "this is ideal weather for picking blueberries". He was right. If you didn't mind a bit of rain it was a comfortable day to be at Huling's Farm located a few miles north of Edinboro, Pennsylvania.

As in the past we had a nice showing for this event. Believe it or not, Don & Mary Ellen Cekus didn't make it, nor did Pat Greenwald. Can you believe it? But fourteen of our members did make it.

When the berries were safely in our coolers, everyone gathered for the trip south. We



Tim Desmond, event coordinator and guide.

said goodbye to Huling's Farm and drove to Edinboro for a nice lunch at a lakeside restaurant and then home. Many thanks to Tim & Michele Desmond for a great day of the blues.



Joan Artzberger with bucket in hand is "a lookin" for Bill.



Steve Puskas is "a pickin".



Jack Bachman is "a pickin and a grinnin".

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and the blueberries were delicious!



Les Walter said "I'm not a pickin, I'm a buyin", and he did!



Jim Steigerwaldt, WPCC president, kept dry under the brim of his handsome straw hat.

Bill Artzberger said it may look like he's "pickin" blueberries, but what he's actually doing is looking for Joan.



Don Baker is disguised as a blueberry bush in a green nylon jacket. But we were able to pick (no pun intended) him out because of the WPCC logo on his jacket, white baseball style cap and tell-tale white whiskers. You can't fool us Don.



Left to right: Tim Desmond, Joyce Bachman, Suzanne Heatherington, Jim Steigerwaldt, Jack Bachman, Sarah Lucas, Michele Desmond, Don Baker, Les Walter, Bill & Joan Artzberger, Stephen Puskas with his friend Kevin, and Jim Heatherington. Photos by Charles Lucas

Lake Erie Wine Tasting and Tour

Saturday, September 14, 2013

THE DAY WAS SLIGHTLY ON the cool side, but sunny and refreshing, just about perfect for a trip that began in Harmony, PA. A caravan of five Corvairs and three water pumpers worked its way north via route 19, I-79 and I-90 to Chataqua County, in New York State for our first wine tasting stop — the Sensory Wineries.

Lunch followed at the Crazy Parrot Restaurant located along Lake Erie in North East, PA. Mazza Winery, Courtyard Wineries and 6 Mile Cellars made up the balance of the wineries in Erie County, Pennsylvania.

Event organizers and coordinators were Jim Madden & Terri Washington with help from Don & Mary Ellen Cekus. Attending the event were: Pat Greenwald, Dolly Izzo, Jim & Suzanne Heatherington, Polly & Bob Todesco, their son Bob, his wife Cindi, their daughter Tiffany, Joyce & Jack Bachman, and Charles Lucas.

Lake Erie Wine Country is located between Harborcreek, Pennsylvania and Silver Creek, New York. The vineyards cover approximately 30,000 acres. Native grapes of the Labrusca variety are plentiful.

In the past 50 years, however, abundant and diverse varieties of wine grapes have been planted in the region with fantastic

results. Chardonnay, Riesling, Gewurztraminer and hybrids like Vidal and Vignoles are whites that generally do well in the region, as do the following red varietals: Blaufrankisch (Lemberger), Dornfelder, Merlot, Cabernet Franc and hybrids Noiret and Chambourcin. These grapes thrive here, producing exquisite fruit for exquisite wines.




At our first stop, the Sensory Wineries – l to r: Pat Greenwald, Dolly Izzo, Mary Ellen Cekus. Don Cekus, Jim Madden, Terri Washington and Suzanne Heatherington.



At 6 Mile Cellars, located in Harborcreek, Bob Todesco, Dolly Izzo and Pat Greenwald listen intently as the young woman discusses some of the finer points of their wines

Thanks to Jim Madden & Terri Washington as well as Don & Mary Ellen Cekus for a wonderful event.

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Lake Erie Wine Tasting and Tour



It isn't only about wine tasting. Dolly Izzo, Mary Ellen Cekus and Terri Washington are diverted from the task at hand to inspect gifts at Courtyard Wineries. Joyce Bachman looks on in the background.



As sunshine from a nearby window illuminates a box of wine bottles, a worker at the Mazza Winery places the bottles on shelves.



At 6 Mile Cellars, our last wine tasting stop, the Corvairs line up for a portrait. l to r: Jim Madden and Terri Washington with his white coupe; Don & Mary Ellen Cekus with their red convertible; Bob and Polly Todesco are beside their red convertible while Jack Bachman rests his arm on the soft top; Pat Greenwald and Suzanne Heatherington stand between Pat's black coupe and Jim Heatherington's green coupe.

WANTED

COMPLETE FRONT DRIVERS SEAT IN BLACK VINYL FOR A 1968 MONZA.

contact Jack Bachman at 412-486-2478 or e-mail quebapa@aol.com

Welcome to two new WPCC members

1. Jeff & Annette Clinton

1964 Monza Convertible
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2. Darlene Kady (significant other is Jeff Hrahova)

1965 Corsa Coupe Turbo
(This is Darlene's first car and she's preparing to restore it as a Stinger tribute car).

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