HAPPY SPRING! With the new season upon us, and Covid-19 waning, we are all looking forward to dusting off our treasured Alfas and enjoying them with our friends. With this in mind, I would like to invite you to join your fellow Alfa Club members at a fabulous automotive event, The Carlisle Import & Performance Nationals in Carlisle, PA on Friday May 12th, and Saturday May 13th. It will be "an international, action-packed, automotive weekend filled with more than 1,700 unique and stunning imported vehicles... kit cars, motorcycles and trucks..." CPAROC and our neighboring AROC clubs are joining forces to encourage our members to pre-register (information below) and come out in support, and REPRESENT our beloved Alfas. Fear not, this is not a "judged" car show, but a mere gathering of proud automobile owners and enthusiasts alike. The event is held on the 82 acres of the Carlisle Fairgrounds. It is a lovely destination with modern facilities, indoor display and show buildings, and various food vendors.

We will park our Alfas, en masse, on the "Show Field" where we will have a dedicated CPAROC tent with displays. Faulkner Alfa Romeo-Maserati has offered to donate goodie-bags, and may have a new Giulia or Stelvio on display. I have been in contact with Stellantis, the parent company of Alfa Romeo, and there is a possibility that they may bring the new Alfa small SUV, the Tonale. In addition, there will be an Alfa Dealer trained technician, or two, to answer your technical questions. Also, CPAROC will hold an AROC only raffle, with a chance for you to win some really cool Alfa prizes. Bring a cooler, some folding chairs, maybe a blanket, wear your best Alfa shirt and cap, and get ready for a fabulous day. Please RSVP, ASAP, indicating how many in your party, and what car you will bring. Remember, the early bird registration discount ends March 28th.

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