

FOX VALLEY REGION PORSCHE CLUB OF AMERICA



WHALETALES

JULY 2008



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Fox Valley Region Porsche Club of America

COMING UP IN JULY...

1st - Tuesday— 5:30 PM Social followed by 6:00PM dinner at the Charcoal Grill on Calumet Avenue in Manitowoc. Tech session & website tutorial following at Auto-Dynamics in Manitowoc **RSVP's should be made to ljprellwitz@att.net**. Hosted by webmaster Doug Richter.

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19th - Saturday— Potluck Luncheon, wine tasting and Bocce ball at Trout Springs Winery in Greenleaf, WI. Hosted by Steve and Andrea De-Baker, proprietors. **RSVP's required to Steve and Andrea at info@troutspringswinery.com**.

27th - Sunday—Social at Zero-to-60 Garage with Open House in Sherwood, WI. Hosted by Jim Stephenson and company.

FVR CALENDAR OF EVENTS

CALENDAR

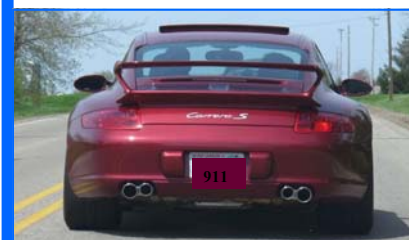
FOX VALLEY REGION— 2008 ACTIVITIES

- July 1st** - Tuesday— 5:30 PM Social followed by 6:00PM dinner at the Charcoal Grill on Calumet Avenue in Manitowoc. Tech session & website tutorial immediately following at Auto-Dynamics in Manitowoc (just a short drive from the restaurant). **RSVP's should be made to lprellwitz@att.net.** Hosted by webmaster Doug Richter.
- July 17th** - Weekend of 17th - Kohler International Challenge at Road America.
- July 19th** - Saturday— Potluck Luncheon, wine tasting and Bocce ball at Trout Springs Winery in Greenleaf, WI. Hosted by Steve and Andrea DeBaker, proprietors. **See page 22 for details. RSVP's required to Steve and Andrea.** We had a blast last year, and this year's will be even better. Steve has some great new surprises for us. The MKE and CWI regions have also been invited to join us. Drawing to be held for RA tickets and Pirelli calendar.
- July 27th** - Sunday—Social at Zero-to-60 Garage with Open House in Sherwood, WI Hosted by Jim Stephenson and company. **See page 23 for details**
- August 2nd** - Saturday—Rustic Road Tour #2 to Laona, WI. Laura Prellwitz, tourmeister. Reservations appreciated to lprellwitz@att.net We will stop at Camp 5 for a couple of hours.
- August 5th** - Tuesday— Board Meeting and Dinner—Location suggested Pullman's—Appleton.
- August Weekend of August 7th** - Generac 500 at Road America.
- September 1st - Monday** FREE picnic at Road America for all members. Everyone is asked to bring a dish to pass. Hosted by Gordon Skog. **Reservations required to Gordon Skog.** Drawing for RA tickets.
- September 19th-21st** Friday to Sunday— Fall Tour to western Wisconsin/Mississippi River Valley, Jim Janes, tourmeister. **Please make your reservations to Jim prior to June 30.** After that, room rates and locations cannot be guaranteed. We will be joined by Ruben Ledesma, PCA National treasurer. The fall tour is always the highlight of our club's social and driving calendar. **Be sure to join us! see page 25 for details**
- September Weekend of 19th** - VSCDA Vintage Event in Elkhart Lake and Road America.
- October 7th** - Tuesday— 7:00 PM - Tech Session at Gordon Skog's Auto Clinic in Neenah.
- October 11th** - Saturday— Poker Run in Manitowoc, County. Hosted by Laura Prellwitz. Reservations required
- November 4th** - Tuesday—7:00PM -Board Meeting. and Dinner at Victoria's in Appleton.
- December 6th** - Saturday - Holiday Party -Village Hearthstone in Hilbert. Motel rooms

JULY 2008



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A \$65,000 supercar that can do up to 177 mph for the Austrian Police

FROM YOUR PRESIDENT

*From your President
Laura Prellwitz*



Happy Summer! Although we've had some cooler than normal temps and a lot of rainfall, I hope you have been able to get your car on the road and fully enjoy being a Porsche owner. Maybe you've even seen a fellow club member or owner along the way? Remember to "blink" the headlights if you do! I hope those of you with our official club information/membership cards have been able to share some of those with other Porsche-philes, too. If you run out, please let me know and I can mail some more to you. If you haven't attended an event yet this year, and would like some cards, please send an e-mail and I will gladly put some in the snail mail for you. It's a great way to spread the word about our region and all the great things we do.

Unfortunately, the June auto tour had to be cancelled due to inclement weather. Because it was designed for the free state parks admission day, it will be re-scheduled next June 6, 2009. I was expecting ten cars, so I was very disappointed to cancel the tour, but the weather and road conditions were unsafe, and safety will always be our number one priority.

Many, many thanks to some outstanding generosity from fellow club members this month. The first big note of appreciation goes to **Dennis Garrity** for the special offer on half-price tickets to the Packers' home opening game, and the discounted tickets for the tailgate party beforehand. If you're a Packer fan, this is an amazing opportunity to attend a game and celebrate the start of a new season. Jamie and I will definitely be there, so give a shout-out if you see us. A second big thank you goes to **Jim Stephenson** and **the great people from the Zero to Sixty Garage** for the free tickets to the June Sprints at RA. This kind of fellowship and spirit of sharing/giving make our region truly remarkable and admirable. We might be small, but we have truly big hearts!

Other June events included the social and non-competitive car show at Pandl's in Milwaukee and the charity-driven high-end car show at Enterprise Motors. It was wonderful seeing many of you at these events and sharing your passion for Porsche as well.

July will be an equally exciting month! We will begin the month with a dinner at the Charcoal Grill in Manitowoc at 6:00 PM. Following dinner, we will have very short car caravan to **Doug Richter's** business, Auto-Dynamics. Doug has the ultimate man-cave and will show many audio and video electronic enhancements available for your car. He will also offer a website tutorial if you'd like more assistance with using the club's website. It promises to be a fun and educational evening. The tickets to the Kohler International/ Brian Redman races will be raffled this evening, too. Please send your RSVP's to Laura Prellwitz by June 28. If you've attended previous wine events at the Trout Springs Winery, you know you're in for an even bigger treat this year. If you haven't attended before, you've missed a lot, and I encourage you join in this year. On July 19, **Steve and Andrea DeBaker**, who are fellow FVR-PCA members and own Trout Springs Winery near Greenleaf, will once again host a wonderful event at the amazing facility. We will have a potluck lunch on the pergola, wine tasting, tour of the vineyard and winery, non-competitive car show, and Bocce ball. I can't think of a better way to spend a Saturday afternoon! Please see another page in the newsletter for more information. You need to RSVP to Steve and Andrea, and let them know what kind of dish you will bring to share. The Milwaukee and Central Wisconsin Regions have also been invited to join with us, so this could be quite a cool car show, and a terrific opportunity to meet with our neighbors to the south and west. The Pirelli tire calendar will be raffled and tickets to the August races at RA also.

Please remember to make your reservation for the **Fall Tour with Jim Janes by June 30**. Jim has put much time and many resources into developing this outstanding tour to the western part of the state September 19-21, but cannot continue to hold motel rooms past this date. Please make your reservation now with Jim! If you make your reservation past this date, please understand you may not be able to stay at the same motel as the rest of us, or pay the same rate being offered now. (The traditional Saturday morning shine and show in the motel parking lot, along with the evening socials at the motel are not to be missed!!) I believe we have about eight cars going on the tour so far. Ruben Ledesma, PCA National treasurer is joining us. This will be a great opportunity to interact with someone from the national level, too. Many thanks again to Ryan Jacobson for supplying a Cayenne for Ruben to drive that weekend. We've never had a Cayenne in a fall tour before!

Lastly, thanks to many of you who have sent short notes of appreciation, comments, recommendations, suggestions, or just shared something of your personal life or about your car with me via e-mail. I truly appreciate all the communication; good, bad, or ugly! The "gemutlichkeit" in this region is remarkable and immeasurable.

Go out and try something new in your Porsche!

Laura

VFR-PCA—JUNE MONTHLY NOTES

June 3, 2008 Board Meeting Notes

Thanks to Bill & Linda Bein, we have several pair of tickets to upcoming races at Road America to raffle off at several meetings over the summer. You may purchase raffle tickets at meetings or by proxy from Larry if you can't make the meetings. They are \$2.00 each. Watch the newsletter for more details.

Dave Kochinski has offered to help out on the dealership front. Thanks Dave for stepping up.

The June Sprint tickets went to new member Mark Severino. The raffle brought in \$63.00

The Presidents agenda is in standard type. Our Board Discussion is in *italics* just below the agenda item.

A. President - attending

- a. Old newsletters are still being digitally transferred to CD.

The current teacher is retiring but will leave instructions with the new teacher on what needs to be done to complete the scan project

- b. More business cards have been ordered and received. *We should have plenty of cards for a while.*
c. Thank you to John Guy and MKE for donation of flag.

B. Vice-President - attending

- a. By-laws review is underway.

Doug, Laura, & Nick will meet and hope to have a revision ready for presentation to the general membership in August.

- b. Goodie Store/Logo wear is now available at both EmbroidME in Green Bay and Appleton.

You may bring your own garment or purchase one of theirs.

As another option, you can bring an electronic photo to them and have it applied to a shirt.

C. Treasurer - attending

- a. Status Report.

Savings balance is \$2387.02. Checking balance is \$4348.72.

- b. Donations to charities, receipt of subsidies.

Recent contributions include \$850.00 to MS, \$550.00 to the British car club (oil seminar), \$500.00 High Mileage Challenge at Fox Valley Tech.

- c. Rubric from Jim Haen about charity selection

Jim will dig up his presentation of charitable guidelines from a few years ago for review.

- d. Advertising manager for newsletter?

What direction would we like this to go? Tabled for a later board meeting.

- e. Develop a budget for next year? Require receipts for reimbursement?

Review in August.

- f. Autobiography of a Board member for September newsletter

D. Membership - attending

- a. Mentoring of new members. Is it making a difference?

Yes! First contact/mentoring does make a difference to new members.

- b. Follow-up phone calls and e-mails to new members, non-renewals

Phone contact is also a good way to feel out new members and what they're looking for from the club.

- c. Welcome gift to new members?

Possibly a PCA pin when they come to their first meeting/event, possibly presented by their mentor.

- d. Attendance award at holiday party?

If we can track past attendance at some meetings, we may be able to present an attendance award this December.

- e. Autobiography for the September newsletter

- f. E-mail from Chris Ingot – membership is increasing

Two new members this month. Three more on the way.

VFR-PCA—JUNE MONTHLY NOTES

June Notes... continued from page 4

E. Social – no reply from Jim S.

If you are able to help out with social events, or would be interested in sharing the duties with Jim S., please step forward. Since we're a social club, this position is the heartbeat of our club.

- a. Calendar for this year is fairly full.
- b. We have tried to network with Milwaukee and Central Wisconsin regions, as well as the British Car club and the Wisconsin 356 club. We have also been invited by other regions to join their events.
- c. Greg Russo volunteered to chair the Walter Mitty races this summer. CANCELLED – poor cooperation from business
- d. Suggestions for next year:
 1. New member social kick-off in March 2009 (“borrowed” idea from Nord Stern Region)
 2. Wine tasting game and social Jan/Feb 2009 (suggested by Laura Prellwitz)
 3. Trip to Kelly- Moss (suggested by Jim Stephenson and others)
 4. Chocolate tour (suggested by Mary Haen)
 5. Chili or spaghetti night (suggested by Larry Rogers)
 6. Kickapoo Valley auto tour (suggested by Dave Kochinski)
 7. Kettle Moraine, southern area, auto tour. (Suggested by Dennis Olson)
 8. Panamera unveiling (suggested by Ryan Jacobson and Andrew Opicka)
 9. Porsche Homecoming (suggested by Ryan Jacobson)
 10. “Thunder on the Lakeshore” social and scholarship event at the home of Roy and Darlene Geigel (re-scheduled from June 2008)
 11. Movie night with videos from PCA (suggested by Andrew Opicka)
 12. Re-schedule Hal-Ron oil seminar (Andrew Opicka)
 13. Rally (suggested by Jim Putman)
 14. Hwy. 60 near Sauk City auto tour (suggested by Quinn Struck)
 15. Fall tour (Greg Rigoni, possible coordinator)
 16. Rider exchange driving tour (suggested by Greg Rigoni)
 17. VA Hospital event w/ MKE region 4/19 (recommended by Tom Robl)
 18. Picnic at High Cliff State Park on Free State parks day (L. Prellwitz)
 19. Possible “event” at Stan Stout’s residence (Stan volunteered)
 20. Any other suggestions? Contact Jim Stephenson or Laura Prellwitz
- e. Autobiography for October newsletter.

F. Insurance Coordinator - attending

- a. Any updates? Problems? Concerns?
- b. Rec'd reply from PCA re: Doug's questions.
Waivers are required for each event where multiple cars participate, and any time a wheel is turned or lifted.
- c. Where are completed waiver forms kept? Dennis or Jim? 8 yrs. on file
Completed waiver forms will pass from Dennis to Laura/Jim to be kept in the President's binder for 8 years +.
- b. Autobiography for July newsletter.

G. Archivist/ Librarian - attending

- a. Thanks for going through the boxes of artifacts and sorting out the important “stuff”.
- b. Thanks also for library list now posted on the website.
- c. Monthly book review or promotion in *Whaletales*?
- d. Suggested developing/purchasing a FVR-PCA banner/flag.
Nick to follow up with EmbroidMe to get a quote.
- e. Autobiography for August newsletter.

VFR-PCA—JUNE MONTHLY NOTES

June Notes... Continued from page 5

- H. Dealership Liaison/ Public Relations-unable to attend, but will submit report
- Update on progress with dealership
 - Thanks to Ron Possell and Joachim Loeffler for keeping newsletters well-stocked at dealership. “Thank you” gift for them? PCA lapel pin?
 - Suggestions for activities at dealership for this year and next
 - High-end car show June 21 with Enterprise Motors
 - Loaner car from dealership for Ruben L on fall tour?
Bergstrom will supply a Porsche. We may need to make arrangements to get Ruben from the airport.
 - Ryan providing free memberships to Porsche customers
“THANK YOU” note and Club Calendar should go to Ryan at Bergstrom
 - “Thank You” plaque to Ryan at the end of the year?
Think about presenting Ryan with a plaque for his efforts to promote FVR-PCA this year.
- I. Webmaster—attending
- Progress on website
The site was hacked earlier this year. Doug is in the process of taking down and reloading some things; re originating most of it.
 - By-laws review / VP
Doug, Laura, & Nick will meet and hope to have a revision ready for presentation to the general membership in August.
 - Dinner, tech session, and website tutorial July 1
 - Autobiography for July newsletter
 - Motorola radios have been purchased for road tours
Two sets of radios have been ordered, received, and are charged and ready to use.
- I. Newsletter—unable to attend
- Each board member should publish an autobiography over the coming months.
 - Still looking for an under study
The newsletter needs an understudy ASAP! PLEASE VOLUNTEER!
 - Thanks to all members who have taken and submitted photos at our events!
- K. Secretary - attending
- Any issues/concerns/requests?
 - Autobiography for August newsletter
- L. Technical Advisor - attending
- Dent Doctor tech session at Bergstrom Porsche in fall
 - Other thoughts and suggestions?
 - Membership drive results from RA May 17
We received \$200.00 from National toward the Meet & Greet at Road America. Maybe move the location near the entrance for next year due to attract those folks who don't go to Porsche Park.
 - Flag pole and base
We now have a 15 foot retractable portable pole for our flag.

Mary Haen, secretary

Next Board meeting is August 5.

Dinner at Pullman's in Appleton.

Look for directions in the next issues of Whaletales

Host : Denis Grimard .

Pullman's

619 S. Old Oneida Street
Appleton, WI 54915
Phone: (920) 830-7855
Fax: (920) 830-7859



LOGO WEAR FOR THE FOX VALLEY REGION

Logo Wear for the Fox Valley Region!

Would you like to show your pride in being a Fox Valley Region PCA member and a Porsche owner?

Thanks to some hard work by former member and Past President, Dennis Lahti, many years ago, and current leg work and effort by our Vice-President, Nick Proctor, our region once again has logo wear!!!



EmbroidME located at N474 Eisenhower Drive, Suite L, Appleton, WI, owned by Daniel Hamari, has kept our region's logo on file for many years. They can, and will, embroider almost anything, in any color thread, with our logo! You can order in person at the store, or on line at www.embroidme-appleton.com. To call and speak with Daniel, phone 920.738.1999.

EmbroidME sells a variety of golf/polo shirts, caps, denim, towels, jackets, vests, bags, t-shirts, etc. All are from high-quality manufacturers. Or, if you prefer, you can bring in your own items. I can personally attest to the quality of their merchandise, as well as the work they do on personal items submitted. I had several shirts and sweatshirts made many years ago (some purchased there and some I brought from home) and they are still in excellent condition. My husband had a golf jacket embroidered and it, too, has held up very well. If you were at the Pipe dinner, you saw Nick model a few shirts he recently had made for himself.

Additionally, EmbroidME now offers a new process for applying photos to shirts that works very well and doesn't have the "heavy" feel of many of these kinds of processes. Nick took a photo of his two Porsches in his garage and had it put on a t-shirt which he also showed after dinner. It was very well done!!!

EmbroidME is located on Appleton's east side, just north of County Highway KK and east of Hwy. 441. You can order in person at the store, on line, by phone, or e-mail appleton@embroidme.com. They will ship the items to you upon completion if you prefer.

Check it out!! If you go to their website, you can also enter a drawing to win \$1000 worth of merchandise. Monthly drawings are held.

Support a local business and show your pride in being a Fox Valley Region PCA member!!!

Become a Fox Valley PCA diva or divo!

FROM OUR MEMBERS...

From member Terry Fritz.....thank you, Terry, for sharing!

<http://video.google.nl/videoplay?docid=1364173336824248734>

Porsche 917 at Le Mans WITH SOUND

Nice memories...

Terry



ROAD AMERICA TICKET RAFFLE

Road America Tickets Raffle

A multitude of thanks to **Bill and Linda Bein**, members of our region who reside in Bend, Oregon (Linda is the Zone 6 Representative), for donating ten tickets to five of the major races at Road America this summer. Their thoughtfulness, kindness, and generosity are truly remarkable and deeply appreciated.

In order to maximize the availability of these tickets to all members and generate the most funds for our region and its charities, the tickets will be raffled in the following manner:

Raffle tickets will sell for \$2.00 each. Winners will receive two tickets for each of the races. Face value of the RA tickets range from approximately \$25 to \$55 EACH.

Raffle tickets for the **June Sprints Saturday, June 22**, will be sold Saturday, May 10, at the Rustic Road tour; Saturday, May 17, at the membership drive at Road America; Sunday, June 1 at the Por-sches, Percherons, and Pizza event; and Tuesday, June 3 at the dinner social at Mackinaw's Grill.

The 1st drawing was held on the evening of June 3.

Raffle tickets for **Brian Redman/Kohler International Challenge on July 19** were be sold Tuesday, June 3, at Mackinaw's; The June Sprint tickets went to new member Mark Severino.

Other tickets to be sold on July 1 at Doug Richter's tech session.

The drawing will be held on July 1.

Raffle tickets for **ALMS race on August 9** will be sold July 1 and July 19 at the Trout Springs Winery event.

The drawing will be held July 19.

Raffle tickets for the **Sunday Showcase Races on August 10** will also be sold July 1 and July 19 at the Trout Springs Winery event.

The drawing will also be held July 19.

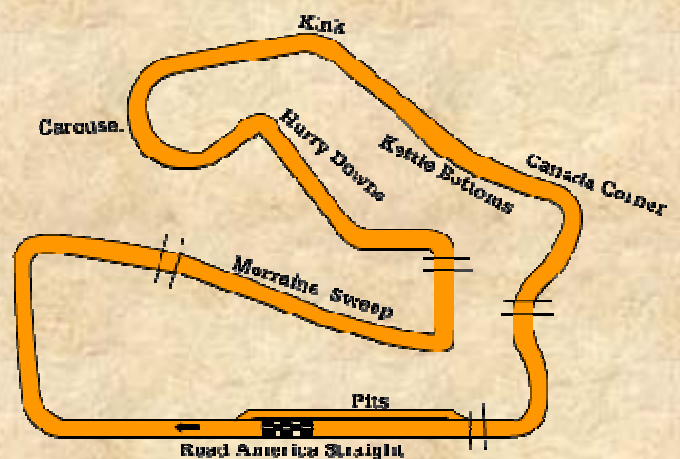
Lastly, raffle tickets for the **Fall Vintage Races on Sunday, September 21** will be sold July 19, August 2 Rustic Road Tour #2, August 5 dinner social (location TBD), and the Labor Day picnic at Road America.

The drawing will be held on Labor Day.

Not able to attend the above events? NO problem... 1

You can mail your check to Larry Rogers at 168 South Pine Court, Appleton, WI 54914, who will then notify me how many raffle tickets you purchased.

Be sure to indicate which race(s) for which you wish to purchase raffle tickets. I will add your tickets by proxy to the drawing. If you are not present at the drawing, you will be contacted by phone and e-mail. Tickets will be mailed to you.



JUNE 1-PORSCHE RANCH ACTIVITY



Great weather and a sense of adventure helped to bring several members of our club together for a fun day at the ranch... horse, hay ride and great friends!



What a difference two months can make! While the initial attempt to have a hayride on April 1st was thwarted by cold, wind, and rain, the second round brought beautiful blue, warm, and sunny skies.



Parking lot filled with fun cars

Although it was a small group, **Gordon Skog** and his friend, **Debbie Houle**, **Nick Proctor**, and his new best friend, **Daisy**; **Andrew and Elise Opicka**, **Jim and Mary Haen**, **Laura Prellwitz** and two of her friends, we had a lot of fun.



Rock K Ranch had an assortment of animals to pet and play with prior to and after the ride. The ride itself was rather spoiled by an immeasurable amount of hungry mosquitoes hiding in the woods.

Afterwards, we socialized for several hours around a very nice, and mosquito-free, campfire. One of Laura's friends offered her delivery services and picked up several pizzas at Bilotti's of De Pere, and brought them back to the campfire. It looks like the "campfire curse" of rain whenever Laura plans a campfire was finally broken.

Thanks to those who were able to return for part #2!

Laura



Photos courtesy of Laura Prellwitz



JUNE 3 DINNER AT MACKINAWS

June 3 Dinner Meeting at Mackinaw's Grill and Spirits

Thank you to the board members (**Nick Proctor, Dennis Olson, Andrew Opicka, Larry Rogers, Jim and Mary Haen, Gordon Skog, Doug Richter, and Laura Prellwitz**) who were able to attend the meeting that evening, and those who submitted reports in absentia (**Denis Grimard and Dave Kochinski**).

Thanks also the spouses/significant others that shared in the event, too. We had a total of eighteen people! It's great that so many of you truly care about the future of our region and have shared your visions of where you'd like us to be several years down the road.

Thanks also to **Paul Tahlier**, brand new member, who attended for the first time, and **Mark and Suzanne Severino**, new members who have attended several events this year. A very special "thank you" to our host, and fellow FVR-PCA member, **Pat Quinn**, for his generous hospitality as well. Pat gave us the loft as a private area to meet and socialize, along with several bottles of wine to share. "Many a great friendship has begun over a bottle of wine!" The food and service, as always, were outstanding. Jim Haen highly recommends the elk stroganoff!

We had a lengthy meeting, but worked through some issues, and we will continue to do so at our next meeting in August at Pullman's in Appleton.

Everyone received a door prize, and Mark & Suzanne won the raffle for the June Sprints tickets at RA.

Laura Prellwitz



New Address for Online Registration

We are pleased to announce a change of address for online registration. The new url will be:

<http://register.pca.org>

There are three reasons for the change:

1. Easier for PCA members to remember.
2. Will take users to a PCA events only version of the registration site. No other organizations events will be listed.
3. Leverage PCA.org.

In the coming months please change your documents and website addresses to the new address. The old address will continue to work but will display other organization's events along with the PCA events. The new url will only display PCA events.

Our association with ClubRegistration.net has been extremely successful. Just so far in 2008 (January 1 through May 6) there have been 7165 registrations. While Driver Education events make up the highest level of participation, it is being used for all types of events, from Club Races to Social events. If your Region has not tried it out, please give it some consideration. It's easy to setup and, best of all, there is no charge to use it.

Roger Johnson
PCA Website Chairman

JUNE 21 HIGH-END CAR SHOW—BERGSTROM

High-End Car Show June 21, 2008

The high-end car show sponsored by Bergstrom Enterprise Motors to benefit the Make-a-Wish Foundation was very successful with beautiful weather on the first day of summer.

Approximately 60 cars from Wisconsin participated in the event including Fox Valley PCA members **Bill Saler** with his new RS 60 Spyder, **Jim Stephenson** with two of his Speedsters, **Greg Russo** also with a Speedster, **Nick Proctor** with his Carrera C4S, and **Laura Prellwitz** with a 911. The majority of cars at the show were Porsches! Several others were shown by non-members or members of the Milwaukee and Chicago regions.

Many other members came to observe the show including **Jim Putman, Jim Linnabary, Craig and Janel Reich, Gordon Skog, Herb Velazquez, Dennis and Darcy Schreiner, Joe Loeffler, and Andrew and Elise Opicka**. Thanks to those of you that stopped by and said "hello" and introduced yourself to me. It's always great to meet fellow region members.



Bill Saler's RS 60 Spyder



Greg Russo's 356 PORSCHE Speedster



Jim Stephenson's 356 PORSCHE Speedsters

This was the second year of this show and it nearly tripled in size from last year. According to Josh Yagrow, organizer from Bergstrom, next year he is setting a goal of 100 cars. Josh is also a Porsche owner, so we need to work on getting him to join our club!

I know many of you were also at the June Sprint races on this day. I hope everyone had a great day at RA as well. Thanks again to Jim Stephenson for offering the free tickets to the races this weekend, too. Membership in region has several benefits!

Laura

BERGSTROM on Victory Lane

EXOTIC CAR SHOW

~ RARE COLLECTION OF OVER 50 EXOTIC CARS ~

SEE THE VINTAGE AND THE RARE!



Lamborghini



Lexus ISF



Ferrari



Porsche 911 GT3



Saturday, June 21, 2008
benefiting Make-A-Wish!

JULY 1ST TECH SESSION AND DINNER

July 1st FVR-PCA meeting and open house

Who: Doug & Lori Richter / Auto-Dynamics

What: Club Meeting, Open House* & web site tutorial for beginners*

Where: Auto-Dynamics
4322 Clipper Drive
Manitowoc WI 54220
Phone: 920-683-1743



When: Tuesday July 1st 2008 - approx. 7pm-9pm
(immediately following dinner @ the Charcoal Grill)

Why: Because we like to get together and socialize

Doug, Lori and their staff will be on hand to demo the website on the theater room 119" Projection screen (bring folding chairs if you like) and will also discuss the latest in home and mobile audio and video products.

Questions about Blu-Ray / HDDVD, Plasma or LCD for the home as well as car audio integration or upgrades will be addressed too.

We will have a few vehicles on display showing some of the things that may be done to enhance the overall listening or viewing experience.

And dinner...

Dinner will be from the menu at the Charcoal Grill at 6:00PM. Social at 5:30PM. RSVP's should be sent to lprellwitz@att.net by June

To get to the Charcoal Grill, take exit #149 from I-43 (Menard's/Holiday Inn/Expo Grounds) and follow Hwy. 151 North (Calumet Avenue). Turn left at the third set of stop lights. It is on the corner across the street from the Shell station and Wal-Mart. Following dinner, we are all invited to Auto-Dynamics.

PICNIC AT TROUT SPRINGS WINERY

**Mark Your Calendars -Saturday
July 19th, 2008**

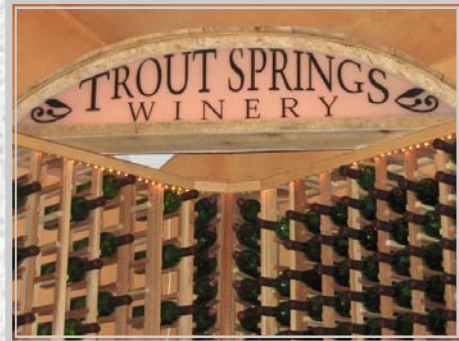
From Steve DeBaker....

PORSCHE PICNIC AT TROUT SPRINGS WINERY

The Fox Valley, Milwaukee, and Central Wisconsin regions of area Porsche clubs have been invited to Trout Springs Winery in Greenleaf, WI for a tour and potluck picnic along with Bocce Ball games on Saturday July 19th, 2008.

The event will start at 1:00 pm and continue till 5:00pm.

Music on the pergola overlooking the vineyard, along With good food and wine will highlight the day as club members from these regions can show off their cars, and trade stories. This should prove to be a very fun event.



Members should RSVP by July 12 to info@troutspringswinery.com or call Steve or Andre at 866.687.9463 .

Members should also indicate if they will bring a salad, dessert, or hot dish.

Photos: Denis Grimard—2007 Picnic/Pot Luck Activity



62ND BIRTHDAY CELEBRATION—ZERO TO 60

David C. Treichel Auto Refinishing

Jim Wagner Classic Mechanical, LLC



Zero to 60
GARAGE



62ND **BIRTHDAY CELEBRATION**

WHEN: SUNDAY, JULY 27TH

TIME: 10:00 A.M. TO 4:00 P.M.

WHERE: ZERO TO 60 GARAGE
W4336 VETERANS AVENUE
SHERWOOD, WISCONSIN

Food & Beverages will be provided by Friends of High Cliff

All proceeds to benefit Friends of High Cliff.

RUSTIC ROAD TOUR #2- CRIVITZ AREA

Rustic Road Tour #2 Crivitz Area

Saturday, August 2, 2008

Our Second Rustic Road Tour! Please join us!!!

Meet at Arby's in Green Bay at 1855 Velp Avenue at the intersection with Hwy. 41 north at 9:00 AM..

Take Hwy. 141/41 north to Crivitz about 50 miles.

Turn left (west) onto Cty. Hwy W. Turn right on Parkway Road and go north for about 30 miles. This is Rustic Road #32, and is about 30 miles long. Stay on Parkway until it intersects with Benson Lake Road. Turn left onto Benson Lake Road and go west. At the Marinette/Forest County Line, it becomes Goodman Park Road. Continue going west, past Bear Lake, to Cty. Hwy. H north (right turn) to Laona, about 28 miles total.

Stop at Camp 5 Logging Museum and Railroad? Admission is \$19 per adult. If we have a group of 20 or more, admission is \$17 per person. www.camp5museum.org The steam train leaves at noon, 1:00 and 2:00 PM, and returns at 1:20, 2:45 and 4:00 PM

OR, we will just a make lunch stop in Laona. The group will decide upon arrival in the area.

Take Hwy. 52/32 south to Townsend, about 20 miles. Just after Townsend at the intersection of Hwy 32 and Big Hill Road, we will stop at the Woodland Trail Winery and Beverage Company, www.woolandtrailwine.com . They feature more than 50 different wines and are open 9 – 6 daily with a retail store and tours.

Leaving the winery, take Hwy. 32 south to Hwy. 29 east to return to Green Bay, about 80 miles.

One Rustic Road, 30 miles long

One winery

One museum?

Great Company!!

Approximately 205 miles. 4.75 hours driving time.

PLEASE RSVP to: lprellwitz@att.net by Friday, August 1

Laura Prellwitz

GENERAC 500 AT ROAD AMERICA—AUGUST 8 & 9

Visit the Porscheplatz (Porsche Owners Corral) and PCA Membership Station!

August 8-9, 2008 at the Generac 500 at Road America



Join us for this exclusive PCA member opportunity! Display your Porsche in the Porscheplatz corral, watch Porsche's LMP2 RS Spyder in action and take part in the following Special Events:

- Scheduled Appearances by Porsche Race Drivers
- "Hot Pit" Escorted Tour Raffle
- Supervised Parade Laps of the track
- "Long Distance Award"

For information please contact: **Chris Inglot, cinglot@aol.com, 847-559-1126**



For the latest schedule information please visit the IMSA website at www.imsaracing.net.

Parking in the Porscheplatz is for Porsches only. "For Sale" signs on cars will not be permitted. Participants must be present to win drawings or awards.

Porscheplatz is hosted by Porsche Cars NA and Porsche Motorsport NA with the cooperation of IMSA and ALMS.

PCA Membership Station in the Porscheplatz- ALMS Race at the Generac 500 at Road America, Elkhart Lake, WI Aug 8 - 9, 2008

There will be a PCA Membership station within the Porscheplatz for the American Le Mans Series race at Road America, Elkhart Lake, Wisconsin, on Friday, August 8 and Saturday, August 9. The Porscheplatz is hosted by Porsche Cars North America and Porsche Motorsport North America with the cooperation of the International Motor Sports Association (IMSA) and the American Le Mans Series.

There will be scheduled appearances by Porsche race drivers for informal talks and autographs. Registration will be at the hospitality tent for credentialed Porscheplatz participants only. Special features for the weekend will include a "Long Distance Award," raffle drawings for a "Hot Pit" escorted tour and special Porsche related prizes.

For information please contact Zone 13 Rep, Chris Inglot, 847-559-1126 or cinglot@aol.com and also visit the IMSA website, www.imsaracing.net for the latest event schedule. Road America tickets are available at www.roadamerica.com.

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FALL TOUR NEWS- 19 TO 21 SEPT, 2008

PORSCHE Fall Tour – September 19th thru 21st, 2008

UPDATE on FALL TOUR - as of June 17, 2008

Friday, Sept 19, the travel mileage is about 177, (my odometer) taking about 3 hours and 23 minutes, and using 8.294 gallons of gas.

Saturday's mileage will be 193.5 taking 5 hours and 50 minutes and using 10.959 gallons.

And Sunday back to Neenah will be 274.1 miles taking 4 hours and 44 minutes, using 10.147 gallons.

Saturday, we will have lunch at Brookside Bar & Grill in Marine on St Croix, a favorite stop for Harley weekend tours.

Before dinner on Saturday we will have wine tasting at Chateau St. Croix and continue on to dinner at Paradise Landing on Balsam Lake (with warm firepit).

Sunday we are scheduled for a brewery tour at Leinie's at 12:00 and 12:15 for those who want to stop. As another option, Cindy and I will be stopping for ice cream at Hawkeye Dairy in Abbotsford.

At present we have 9 ½ cars registered, but have room for more.

Call us during the day at 920.231.5580, or night 920.582.8630 .

Email at porschepj123@yahoo.com or jrjanec@omsc.com.

Friday Sept 19th (Approx 177 miles)

Leave Tom's Drive-In at Noon

(Northeast corner of Hwy 10 and Cty "CB" on west side of Appleton)

Stop at Grandad's Bluff overlooking La Crosse

Check-in at Best Western Midway in La Crosse

(Free hors d' oeuvres, drink coupons, and breakfast)

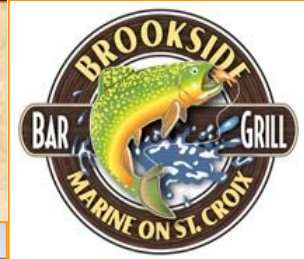
Poolside \$114.99 Non-poolside \$99.99 www.midwayhotels.com/la_crosse

7:00 Car Show and Dinner at Rudy's Drive-In www.rudysdrivein.com

Social time with Adult Beverages back at the Midway



Dells of the St Croix



Saturday Sept 20th (Approx 193.5 miles)

Drive to Winona (Garvin Heights Park)

Drive to Alma (Overlook of Alma, and the #4 Lock and Dam)

Drive to Wabasha (National Eagle Center)

Drive to Prescott (Confluence of the Mississippi & St Croix)

Lunch & Shopping in Marine at Brookside Bar & Grill (photo).

Wine tasting at Chateau St. Croix

Drive to St Croix Falls (Holiday Inn Express)

Free hot breakfast \$124 King Whirlpool, \$106 King, \$94 - 2 Queens

Tour Taylor Falls and St Croix Falls- photo on right

Dinner at Paradise Landing on Balsam Lake (with warm fire pit).



Chateau St. Croix



Brookside Bar & Grill



Fire pit at Paradise Landing

Sunday September 21st (Approx 274.1 miles to Appleton)

Drive to Chippewa Falls

Tour Leinenkugel Brewing Company and stopping for

ice cream at Hawkeye Dairy in Abbotsford

Return home on your own... at your leisure

Call us during the day at 920.231.5580,

or night at 920.582.8630 .

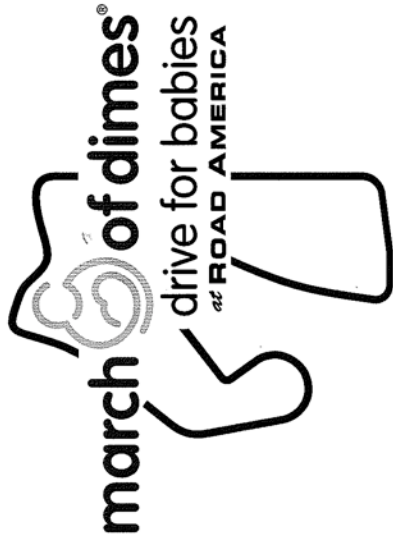
Email at porschepj123@yahoo.com or

at jrjanec@omsc.com



Cindy and Jim Janes

MARCH OF DIMES DRIVE—OCTOBER 31



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 WWW.CONCOURSEMOTORS.COM

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 31st
 at the greatest natural road
 circuit in the United States
ROAD AMERICA
 Elkhart Lake, Wisconsin

FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS

Do I need a sportcar to drive?

No. Any street legal car is eligible. Cars will be safety inspected before the event.

The event is not open to racecars.

Do I need a helmet?

Yes. The SCCA mandates that all helmets must meet SNELL 95 rating.

Do I need racing experience?

No. The sessions are designed to let you get up to speed at your own pace.

How much of the track will we use?

The entire four-mile Road America circuit will be used.

How do I tell my wife that I'm going to drive my car on a racetrack?

Don't tell her, bring her along. It will be a great day of fun for a great cause.

How much?

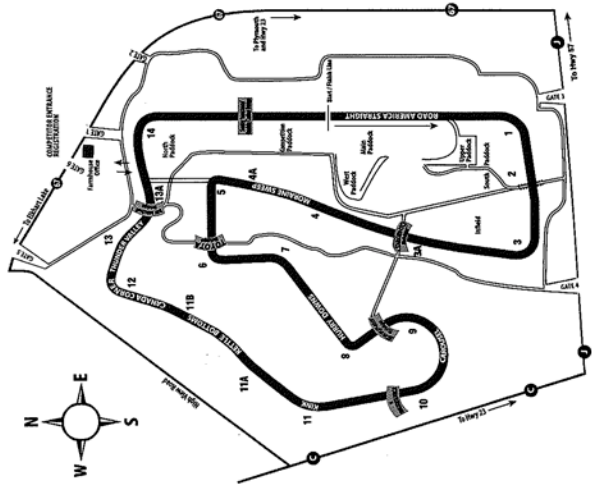
\$250 for driver-participant (includes lunch and post event dinner)
 \$50 for guest (includes lunch and post event dinner)

How do I get to Road America?

I-43 north to Hwy 57 north to Hwy 23 west (left) to Hwy 67 north (left) enter at gate 6

My car is a convertible, is there any special equipment that my car will need in order to participate?

Any car that is street legal will NOT require a roll bar/roll cage, EXCEPT for Convertibles. Convertibles must have either a roll bar or a factory hard top.



REGISTRATION INFORMATION

(please detach and return with payment)

FIRST NAME _____ LAST NAME _____ MI _____
 ADDRESS _____
 CITY _____ ST _____ ZIP _____
 E-MAIL _____ PHONE _____
 CAR-YEAR/MAKE/ MODEL/: _____
 SCCA MEMBER # (IF APPLICABLE): _____ GUESTS _____



DRIVER: \$250 + _____ GUESTS @ \$50 = _____

Paying drivers/guests receive lunch and dinner.

CHECKS SHOULD BE MADE OUT THE MARCH OF DIMES-WISCONSIN CHAPTER. MAIL TO: *March of Dimes 1126 S. 70th ST., Suite S221A West Allis, WI 53214-3124*
 TO PAY BY CREDIT CARD CALL THE MARCH OF DIMES AT 414 778-3500

PHOTO ALBUM—SUMMER TRIPS

PHOTO ALBUM of YOUR SUMMER TRIP

Are you traveling this summer in your Porsche?

Are you driving your favorite vehicle while vacationing?

If you are, please send Denis Grimard at boxster@new.rr.com photos of you and your Porsche having fun together this summer, along with a synopsis of your activities.

We'll publish it in the June, July, and August editions of *Whaletales*. Let's see how many of you are out having fun in your cars this summer!



INVITATIONS FROM OTHER REGIONS

944 Fest Mid-Ohio Region

Dave Derecola, National Director of the 944 Cup has invited all 944 owners in the Midwest to attend the 944 Fest August 15-17, 2008. The event started in 1999 and attracts over 100 cars annually. Weekend events include DE, Cup Racing, Car show, Dyno Runs, dinner and camping on site.

For more information, go to www.944fest.com.

FROM THE MILWAUKEE REGION: Masterpiece Club Day (August 23)

Also, the Milwaukee Region is co-sponsoring "The Masterpiece Club Day" on Milwaukee's Lakefront August 23, 2008. Space is limited to the first 200 cars. "The Masterpiece is a full weekend of automotive events with rare cars and unique people from around the world.

Celebrate the automobile as art and heart-pounding excitement! Don't miss the opportunity to be part of an outstanding group of collector cars at a nationally recognized event that showcases the sheer power of the automobile. The focal point of Saturday's Club Day will be the 25-year anniversary celebration of the Wisconsin Jaguar Club as a charter member of the Jaguar Club of North America. In addition, clubs specializing in Italian, American, English, German, and many other marques will display their finest."

Details:

Veteran's Park on Milwaukee's Lakefront

Saturday, August 23, 2008

Please note: show is open to the public from 10—4 Rain or Shine!

Pre-registration is required;

\$15 fee per vehicle awards you two exhibitor passes good the entire Masterpiece weekend and breakfast for two on Saturday, a \$45 value.

Spectator admission is

\$15 for a two-day pass if purchased before August 19th,

\$20 for a two day pass purchased at the gate,

\$15 per day at the gate.

For more information or to register, go to www.milwaukee-masterpiece.com

FROM WITHIN THE 13TH ZONE

From Within the 13th Zone – June 2008

Driving Season Nears

Mother Nature is attempting to show us that winter is over here in the Upper Midwest. It seems that the typical temperatures here in Chicago have been 10 – 12 degrees lower than normal. In looking at the regional calendars, the driving season is nearly upon us with Autocross schools and driver education events quickly approaching. Starting off with an autocross school or an autocross is a great way to learn car handling in a controlled environment prior to thinking about taking a next step to Driver Education schools on a road course. As a reminder, a new harness standard was implemented as of January 1st. For a clarification contact your regional safety or DE chair or look on the National website within the Library and Admin section. A few regions will also be hosting rallies. The roads are typically great “Porsche” roads and its fun to make up time and get back on course.

As a reminder, the Chicago Region is again hosting a PCA National DE Instructor program on June 25th along with a driver education event at Blackhawk Farms in Rockton, IL. As a reminder, when an instructor attends a Nationally run Instructor school and passes, they are considered a **“Trained Instructor”** not a Certified Instructor. All instructors that have successfully passed the course are listed on www.pca.org for an easy reference for regions requiring a National Instructor number.

Charlotte Parade

Those that registered on line for the upcoming Parade may have encountered a server snafu. The first day registration period was extended for a few days while the software problem was corrected. Last I checked some 915 members have registered for this year’s Parade, 47 of which are from Zone 13. Speaking about Parade, only seven Zone 13 members have registered for participation within the Zone Challenge to be held on Thursday of Parade week. We will need more volunteers to staff the Challenge. If you are interested, please contact me as soon as possible.

For those that haven’t yet heard, the 2010 Parade will be held here within our Zone 13 in St. Charles, Illinois, west of Chicago. It will be the first “Nationally” run Parade and should ease some of the stress typically related to hosting a Parade. As more information becomes available, we will share. Those interested in some volunteer capacity, please let me know.

Escape to the Land of Enchantment

For those that didn’t sign up for Parade but want to experience a new type of event, consider participating with an “Escape” event. What is an Escape? It is a new PCA tradition that was conceived by the zone reps in 2005 to be the alternative for those not making the trip across the country to Parade. This year’s event will be in Albuquerque, NM. Registration will open up on May 1st. These events are a long weekend and have more tours rather than any competitive events typically held at Parade. Looks like fun in a beautiful part of the country.

Membership

As always, it’s important to keep the lifeline of the club going by nurturing new and potential Porsche Club Members. Some regions have beautiful business cards that members can distribute as they see a Porsche while out and about. When at events, have new members introduce themselves and have a member mentor help with introductions and or assistance at the event; coaching at an autocross or meeting other members. Newer members tend to quit if they never feel welcome or as an outsider at an event.

It’s not the cars, it’s the people. Go out and start enjoying the Porsche Passion! Until next time...

Chris Inglot

PCA Zone 13 Rep

(847) 559-1126

cinglot@aol.com

Zone 13 calendar of events

| Date | Event | Region |
|--------------------|--|----------------------|
| July. 2008 | | |
| 7/1 | FVR Social Dinner Tech Session @ Auto Dynamics, Manitowoc, WI | Fox Valley |
| 7/3 | Milw - Board Meeting @ Brew City, Mequon, WI | Milwaukee |
| 7/4-7/6 | SEM - Club Race & DE, Gingerman Raceway, South Haven, MI | South East Michigan |
| 7/9 | Milw - Blackhawk DE, Rockton, IL | Milwaukee |
| 7/11 | Chicago Board Meeting @ VFW Hall, Park Ridge, IL | Chicago |
| 7/12 | LTR - Car Talk @ Panera in Champaign, IL | Lincoln Trail |
| 7/13 | Chicago Autocross # 3 - Tire Rack, Mishawaka, IN | Chicago |
| 7/14 | KY - Membership Meeting, El Tarasco Mexican Restaurant | Kentucky |
| 7/15 | LTR - Dinner @ Mario's Pizzeria, Springfield, IL | Lincoln Trail |
| 7/16 | Chicago Blackhawk DE - Rockton, IL | Chicago |
| 7/16 | CWI - Board Meeting @ Lee's Automotive | Central Wisc. |
| 7/17 - 7/20 | Kohler International Challenge @ Road America, Elhart Lake, WI | Kohler - FVR |
| 7/19 | FVR Pot Luck Luncheon - Bocce Ball @ Trout Springs Winery Event | Fox Valley |
| 7/19 | KY - Breakfast Social @ Frisch's | Kentucky |
| 7/20 | Chicago Rallye # 2 | Chicago |
| 7/20 | BGR - Membership Meeting @ BD's Mongolian Grill | Bluegrass |
| 7/20 | CWI - Autocross @ Columbus 151 Speedway | Central Wisc. |
| 7/21 | LTR - Dinner @ Lucca's Grill, Bloomington, IL | Lincoln Trail |
| 7/26 | Chicago Golf Outing - White Pines, Bensenville, IL | Chicago |
| 7/26 | LTR - Breakfast Social @ Panera Bread, Peoria, IL | Lincoln Trail |
| 7/26 | LTR - Porsches to Oxford, Ohio | Lincoln Trail |
| 7/27 | Chicago Concours # 2 / Potter's Picnic | Chicago |
| 7/27 | FVR - Zero to 60 Garage Open House, Sherwood, WI | Fox Valley |
| 7/31 | Milw - Porsche Night - German Car Thursday Gasthaus, Waukesha | Milwaukee |
| August 2008 | | |
| 8/2 | FVR - Rustic Road Tour # 2 from Laona, WI | Fox Valley |
| 8/2-8/3 | Chicago DE @ Gingerman, South Haven, MI | Chicago |
| 8/5 | FVR - Board Meeting & Dinner | Fox Valley |
| 8/7 | Milw - Board Meeting @ Brew City, Mequon, WI | Milwaukee |
| 8/8 | Chicago Board Meeting @ VFW Hall, Park Ridge, IL | Chicago |
| 8/8-8/10 | Porscheplatz @ Generac 500, Road America, Elkhart Lake, WI | Zone 13 - FVR |
| 8/9 | LTR - Car Talk @ Panera in Champaign, IL | Lincoln Trail |
| 8/10 | CWI - Inter Regiona lAutocross, Rockford Speedway | Central Wisc. |
| 8/11 | KY - Membership Meeting, El Tarasco Mexican Restaurant | Kentucky |
| 8/15 - 8/17 | Milw - "The Milwaukee Cup" Club Race & DE - Rockton, IL | Milwaukee |
| 8/16 | KY - Breakfast Social @ Frisch's | Kentucky |
| 8/17 | Chicago Rallye # 3 | Chicago |
| 8/17 | Milw - Autocross (tentative) | Milwaukee |
| 8/17 | BGR - Membership Meeting @ BD's Mongolian Grill | Bluegrass |
| 8/18 | LTR - Dinner @ Lucca's Grill, Bloomington, IL | Lincoln Trail |
| 8/19 | LTR - Dinner @ Mario's Pizzeria, Springfield, IL | Lincoln Trail |
| 8/24 | Chicago Concours # 3 - Geneva, IL | Chicago |
| 8/28-9/1 | TRAC 2008 DE & Club Race - Road America, Elkhart Lake, WI | Chicago |
| 8/30 | LTR - Breakfast Social @ Panera Bread, Peoria, IL | Lincoln Trail |
| 8/31 | Milw - Autocross @ Miller Park | Milwaukee |

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| Sept. 2008 | | |
| 9/1 | FVR - Labor Day Picnic @ Porsche Park @ Road America | Fox Valley |
| 9/4 | Milw - Board Meeting @ Brew City, Mequon, WI | Milwaukee |
| 9/5 | Chicago Board Meeting @ VFW Hall, Park Ridge, IL | Chicago |
| 9/13 | LTR - Car Talk @ Panera in Champaign, IL | Lincoln Trail |
| 9/13 | KY - Breakfast Social @ Frisch's | Kentucky |
| 9/14 | Chicago Autocross # 5, Maywood Park, IL | Chicago |
| 9/14 | Milw - Autocross @ Miller Park | Milwaukee |
| 9/15 | LTR - Dinner @ Lucca's Grill, Bloomington, IL | Lincoln Trail |
| 9/16 | LTR - Dinner @ Mario's Pizzeria, Springfield, IL | Lincoln Trail |
| 9/19 | Chicago Blackhawk DE - Rockton, IL | Chicago |
| 9/20 & 9/21 | LTR - Grand River Drive | Lincoln Trail |
| 9/20 & 9/21 | FVR - "Fall Tour to Western Wisc. / Mississippi River Valley | Fox Valley |
| 9/21 | BGR - Membership Meeting @ BD's Mongolian Grill | Bluegrass |
| 9/21 | CWI - Autocross @ Columbus 151 Speedway | Central Wisc. |
| 9/27 | LTR - Breakfast Social @ Panera Bread, Peoria, IL | Milwaukee |
| 9/28 | Chicago Rallye # 4 | Chicago |
| Oct. 2008 | | |
| 10/2 | Milw - Board Meeting @ Brew City, Mequon, WI | Milwaukee |
| 10/4 | Chicago Concours # 5 @ Oktoberfest, Rockton, IL | Chicago |
| 10/4-10/5 | Chicago Blackhawk DE Oktoberfest- Rockton, IL | Chicago |
| 10/7 | FVR - Tech Session @ Auto Clinic in Neenah, WI | Fox Valley |
| 10/10 | Chicago Board Meeting @ VFW Hall, Park Ridge, IL | Chicago |
| 10/11 | LTR - Car Talk @ Panera in Champaign, IL | Lincoln Trail |
| 10/11 | FVR - Poker Run in Manitowoc County | Fox Valley |
| 10/13 | KY - Membership Meeting, El Tarasco Mexican Restaurant | Kentucky |
| 10/18 | KY - Breakfast Social @ Frisch's | Kentucky |
| 10/19 | Chicago Rallye # 5 | Chicago |
| 10/19 | BGR - Membership Meeting @ BD's Mongolian Grill | Bluegrass |
| 10/20 | LTR - Dinner @ Lucca's Grill, Bloomington, IL | Lincoln Trail |
| 10/21 | LTR - Dinner @ Mario's Pizzeria, Springfield, IL | Lincoln Trail |
| 10/24 - 10/26 | KY - DE @ Putnam Park, Mt. Meridian, IN | Kentucky |
| 10/25 | Chicago Halloween Party | Chicago |
| 10/25 | LTR - Breakfast Social @ Panera Bread, Peoria, IL | Lincoln Trail |
| Nov. 2008 | | |
| TBD | Chicago - Bears Social TBD | Chicago |
| 11/4 | FVR - Board Meeting, Dinner @ Victoria's, Appleton, WI | Fox Valley |
| 11/7 | Chicago Board Meeting @ VFW Hall, Park Ridge, IL | Chicago |
| 11/7 | Milw - Board Meeting @ Brew City, Mequon, WI | Milwaukee |
| 11/8 | LTR - Car Talk @ Panera in Champaign, IL | Lincoln Trail |
| 11/9 | Chicago Concours Judges School | Chicago |
| 11/10 | KY - Membership Meeting, El Tarasco Mexican Restaurant | Kentucky |
| 11/15 | Chicago 2009 Planning Meeting | Chicago |
| 11/15 | KY - Breakfast Social @ Frisch's | Kentucky |
| 11/17 | LTR - Breakfast Social @ Panera Bread, Peoria, IL | Lincoln Trail |
| 11/18 | LTR - Dinner @ Mario's Pizzeria, Springfield, IL | Lincoln Trail |
| 11/29 | LTR - Breakfast Social @ Panera Bread, Peoria, IL | Lincoln Trail |

Zone 13 calendar of events

| Date | Event | Region |
|-------------------|---|-------------------|
| Dec. 2008 | | |
| 12/4 | Milw - Board Meeting @ Brew City, Mequon, WI | Milwaukee |
| 12/6 | Chicago Dinner Dance | Chicago |
| 12/6 | FVR - Holiday Party @ Village Hearthstone, Hilbert, WI | Fox Valley |
| 12/6 | Milw - Holiday Party @ Bristle Cone Pines @ Hartland | Milwaukee |
| 12/8 | KY - Membership Meeting @ Blue Grass Motorsports | Kentucky |
| 12/13 | LTR - Car Talk @ Panera in Champaign, IL | Lincoln Trail |
| 12/13 | KY - Breakfast Social @ Frisch's | Kentucky |
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| July. 2009 | | |
| 6/30 - 7/4 | 2009 Keystone, CO Parade | |



Germany: Porsche 911 Carrera
 The Porsche 911 Carrera S has been extensively modified by TechArt for its role as a police car. With a 5 liter V10 and 500hp it's capable of over 186 mph and sprinting to 60 mph in just 4.5 seconds.

COMING UP IN JULY.... ONE LAST REMINDER

1st - Tuesday— 5:30 PM Social followed by 6:00PM dinner at the Charcoal Grill on Calumet Avenue in Manitowoc. Tech session & website tutorial following at Auto-Dynamics in Manitowoc **RSVP's should be made to lprellwitz@att.net**. Hosted by webmaster Doug Richter.

Weekend of 17th - Kohler International Challenge at Road America.

19th - Saturday— Potluck Luncheon, wine tasting and Bocce ball at Trout Springs Winery in Greenleaf, WI. Hosted by Steve and Andrea DeBaker, proprietors. **RSVP's required to Steve and Andrea at info@troutspringswinery.com**.

27th - Sunday—Social at Zero-to-60 Garage with Open House in Sherwood, WI. Hosted by Jim Stephenson and company.

PORSCHE NEWS—J.D. POWERS

Porsche Brand First in J.D. Power and Associates 2008 Initial Quality Study

Receives the Highest Marks for a Manufacturer - And Porsche 911 Highest Initial Quality Among All Vehicles Surveyed (ATLANTA--(BUSINESS WIRE)--

Porsche continues to meet and exceed the quality demands of consumers in its largest export market, the United States. Porsche recorded the top ranking of all brands surveyed in the 2008 J.D. Power and Associates "Initial Quality Study". This makes it three consecutive years that the Porsche brand had the fewest problems per 100 vehicles in this prestigious brand ranking. The scores were based on interviews of 81,500 new car owners from across the country.

Incredibly, not only did the Porsche brand come out on top, but the legendary Porsche 911 has the highest initial quality of any vehicle in the study. According to J.D. Power and Associates, the Porsche 911 has the fewest quality problems in the industry, with just 67 problems per 100 vehicles.

Every year, J.D. Power and Associates assesses the level of satisfaction among buyers of new cars after the first 90 days of vehicle ownership. On this basis, a customer is asked to fill out a survey containing 228 criteria regarding quality and workmanship.

Porsche Cars North America, Inc. (PCNA), based in Atlanta, GA, and, Porsche Cars Canada, Ltd. (PCC) in Mississauga, Ontario, are the two separate importers of Porsche sports cars and Cayenne sport utility vehicles for the United States and Canada respectively. They are each wholly owned, indirect subsidiaries of Dr. Ing.h.c. F. Porsche AG.

These two subsidiaries combined, PCNA and PCC employ approximately 250 people who provide Porsche vehicles, parts, service, marketing and training for its 200 U.S. and 12 Canadian dealers. They, in turn, provide Porsche owners with best-in-class service.

Porsche Car North America



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PORSCHE NEWS— NEW 2009 MODELS

New Generation 911s Combine Increased Performance with Better Fuel Efficiency

Porsche today disclosed photos (refer to cover page) and details for the next generation 911 model series. Four new 911 models go on sale in September in North America – the 911 Carrera Coupe, 911 Carrera Cabriolet, 911 Carrera S Coupe, and 911 Carrera S Cabriolet. All offer a higher level of performance thanks to their all-new flat-six engines displacing 3.6 and 3.8 liters respectively. And for the first time in a Porsche sports car, engines utilize direct fuel injection (DFI) and can be coupled with the new optional 7-speed double-clutch gearbox Porsche-Doppelkupplung (PDK), racing inspired technology and a Porsche first. The result of these new technologies allows Porsche to once again boost performance of the 911, yet improve fuel efficiency by up to 13 percent as measured in the European driving cycle.

Maximum output of the 911 Carrera with its 3.6-liter engine is up by 20 horsepower to 345. The 911 Carrera S with its 3.8-liter engine is equally impressive, up by 30 horsepower to 385. With this extra power, the Carrera S now offers a top speed of 188 mph.

The new generation 911 is available for the first time with the new Porsche-Doppelkupplung (PDK), Porsche's double-clutch gearbox. The seven speed gearbox combines the driving comfort of an automatic transmission with the gearshift capacity of a sequential gearbox used in race cars. Since Porsche's double-clutch also boasts an automatic gearshift function, it replaces the former Porsche Tiptronic S automatic transmission on both the Carrera and Carrera S. PDK improves acceleration while reducing fuel consumption over the previous generation of Tiptronic S equipped 911s through optimized and adaptive gearshifts.

Porsche developed this gearshift principle for racing no less than 25 years ago. It features two parallel clutches to eliminate any interruption in power delivery and eliminates even the slightest break between gears. Porsche factory drivers benefiting from this technology were able to accelerate faster than their competitors and keep both hands on the wheel while shifting gears, thus avoiding even the slightest distraction. This pioneering achievement from Porsche's racing efforts now gives the new 911 Carrera and Carrera S even better performance. The Carrera equipped with PDK covers 0-60 mph in 4.5 seconds and the Carrera S reaches the same speed in 4.3 which is 0.2 seconds faster than with a manual six-speed gearbox. The customer in search of optimum driving dynamics even has the option to combine PDK with Porsche's optional Sport Chrono Plus including Launch Control. The result is high-speed acceleration free of wheel spin from a standstill and a racing shift pattern to further boost performance. The Carrera equipped with the Sport Chrono Plus accelerates from 0 to 60 mph in 4.3 seconds while the Carrera S sprints to 60 mph in an outstanding 4.1.

Exterior enhancements of the new 911 stand out clearly through innovations in design and technology. The refined front bumper has larger air intakes which signal an increase in power and the newly designed dual-arm exterior mirrors give a larger field of vision to the rear of the car. LED daytime driving lights and bi-xenon headlights will be standard on all new models, as well as LED tail and brake lights. This gives the 911 an even more distinctive style and a truly unique look from the front and rear. As a further option, Porsche now also offers Dynamic Cornering Lights on all models. In Porsche fashion, these new refinements do not change the drag coefficient of the 911 as it stays at a remarkable 0.29.

The latest Porsche Communication Management system, PCM 3.0, which includes a new touchscreen feature, will be standard on all new 911s. Along with this upgraded system, options such as a hard disk drive navigation system, XM radio with XM NavTraffic capability, Bluetooth® connectivity, iPod® port, USB port, and aux jack will be available.

2009 911 Canadian pricing starts at \$94,800 for the Carrera Coupe, \$107,600 for the Carrera Cabriolet and the Carrera S Coupe, and the Carrera S Cabriolet is \$120,400. The Canadian price increase for the 2009 911 models is 1.2 percent below the U.S. increase in response to exchange rate changes over recent months.

Note: Photos of the new Porsche 911 Carrera are available to accredited journalists on the Porsche Press Database at press.porsche.com.

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FVR-PCA TRIVIA CONTEST—TEST YOUR KNOWLEDGE

Trivia Contest - June Answers

1. Porsche announced a six-year rust protection warranty for US car beginning with model year 1980.
2. Each of the Silver Anniversary 911S models was equipped with a commemorative plate on the dash. Whose signature was represented on the plate? Ferry Porsche
3. Which of these aerodynamic features was first introduced on the Type 964 series? Automatic retracing spoiler
4. The first Porsche test track was public roads, in particular a very steep grade known as Katschberg Pass.
5. The Cayenne's pneumatic suspension features a self-leveling system that provides consistent vehicle position regardless of the load. This system incorporates how many different ride height levels? 6
6. What was the purpose of the bits of tape placed on the external surfaces of the early 356 during road testing? Aerodynamic testing
7. What is the total number of washers on the fan belt pulley of a 911SC? 6
8. The GT2 has a 64 liter fuel tank and full size spare wheel and tire. False
9. The official driving school of Porsche Cars North America is called? The Porsche Driving Experience
10. The rampant black horse on a yellow field in the center of the Porsche crest, is the coat of arms of the city of Stuttgart.

The answer to the **Jeopardy** question was: The vehicle to bear the Porsche name was the Porsche 356, also known as Porsche Number 1, built in 1948.

There is now a three-way tie for first place: Larry Rogers, John Beck, and Jamie Prellwitz all with 18 points. Nick Proctor is a very close second with 17 points. This is still anyone's game! Remember the one person with the most points gets a free dinner at the holiday party!

This month's trivia questions are:

1. The Porsche Type 597 (Hunter) vehicle was envisioned for: (*Excellence*, Vol. 1, p. 135)

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| a. military and civilian use | b. military use only |
| c. civilian use only | d. none of these |
2. The Porsche 356A was not particularly improved when introduced at the Frankfurst Show in September 1955. True or False
Excellence, Vol 1, p. 137
3. In the late 1050's, the US Marine Corps evaluated a Porsche-powered Gyrodyne one-man helicopter. True or False
Excellence Vol. 1, p. 15
4. At Thun, Switzerland, the Beutler brothers produced a prototype body for a four-seater model based on the 1962 version of the 356B. True or False. *Excellence* Vol. 1, p. 209
5. In 1961 Porsche turned its disc-brake patents over to a company that was to become the supplier of the brakes for the 356C. What company was it? *Excellence*, Vol. 1, p. 220

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| a. Girling | b. Valeo |
| c. Lucas | d. Ate |
6. In the late fifties, Porsche raced a center-seat car for the first time. What model was it? *Excellence*, Vol 1 p. 244

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| a. RSK Spyder | b. 356A |
| c. Speedster | d. None of the above |
7. Porsche's first full year in Formula One racing was in 1961-61 using what Type race car? *Excellence*, Vol 1, p. 265

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| a. 904 | b. 356 |
| c. 804 | d. RS 60 |
8. The Porsche 904 was made as low as possible to trim its frontal area to the limits that the passenger space and tire size allowed. True or False. *Excellence*, Vol 1, p. 315
9. In the Porsche 909, the driver was moved back toward the rear wheels. True or False? *Panorama* 3/01, p. 55
10. The Porsche 909 and 907 share what characteristic? *Panorama* 3/01, p. 60

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| a. Driving lights | b. Right-hand driving position |
| c. Wings | d. Twenty-inch wheels |

This month's Jeopardy question is: What does the name "Carrera" mean?

To up the ante, and increase the competition you may wager from one (1) – all of your points on this answer. Please get your answers to me by July 20th!

Laura

MEMBERS' CORNER— FROM JIMMY HAEN

Car Care Tips from Jimmy— by popular demand

A couple of folks on the tour ask how I always keep my car so shiny. And I'm no expert but.....

Here's the frugal secret...and it's on sale for \$4.44 each at Fleet Farm as shown in today's paper.

Meguiars Deep Crystal products:

16 oz paint cleaner (done initially about 3 years ago),

16 oz polish once annually, must be immediately followed within minutes by...

14 oz carnauba wax. again once annually.

I apply it to all my vehicles with a random orbit buffer with a foam pad...but it could be done by hand. It goes on very thin, so a bottle lasts for a half dozen or more cars.

Then before each trip I wipe the whole car including glass & rims (and sometimes even the leather) down quickly with Meguiars Quik Detailer spray (about \$10) & an old cotton bath towel that I keep in the car.

Tire Shine wipes from Menards for \$3 do a nice job in seconds on the vinyl/ rubber exterior parts & bra.

Wash & Bleach the wax towels after each vehicle.

Just launder the detailer towel with your car wash rags.

Do your mats & interior carpet annually with rented "Rug Doctor" while you're doing your home floors.

Hope that helps!

Jimmy



NEWS FROM OUR LIBRARY

Dear Fox Valley Porsche members,

Looking for some good books to read this summer or to take along on vacation? This is a great way to pass the time reading a book about Porsche, watch a video or DVD about Porsche, learn about detailing your car, etc.?



Thanks to a great tip from Denis Grimard, we've purchased a copy of **The Great Wisconsin Touring Book (30 Spectacular Auto Trips)** by Gary G. Knowles.

Stealing the back cover trailer...

"Do you think you've seen Wisconsin? You ain't seen nothin' yet!...It's about roads for people who adore cars and have a passion for driving. This book is about roads that wiggle, and it's for people who love life and Wisconsin."

It's full of maps, sights to see, and places to stop, including important phone numbers. I'll bet Denis and France were hoping FVR would run down a few of these prepared tours with their Boxster top down!

If you're an old timer you may recognize this author's name as he was a freelance photographer for Road America in the 60's and 70's. Incidentally, he has also owned a Porsche 914.

This title has now joined it's friends in the club library closet at Gordon Skog's Auto Clinic.

See a title you'd like to see in the lending library? Send me a message.

Jimmy (mehaen@sbcglobal.net);

Here are examples of books... many more GREAT titles in our library !

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| <p>The Illustrated Directory of CLASSIC CARS</p> <p>Graham Robson (M)</p> | <p>Author: PHILLIP BINGHAM Arranged alphabetically by marque, this superb directory covers more than 250 of the world's most magnificent automobiles dating from the turn of the century to present. Included are sports and touring cars, limousines and coupes, American, Japanese and European, and cheap and expensive automobiles. The common thread is that all are today considered classics in one respect or another. Each automobile's entry includes complete specifications and either a contemporary color photograph or a specially commissioned color plate.</p> <p>Paperback, 4-1/2 x 8-1/2, 480 pp, 400 color Format: Softbound Pages: 480 Length: 4.5w x 8.5h ISBN-13: 9780760310496 ISBN: 0760310491 Catalog ID: 132764AP</p> |
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About your Webmeister..

Hi fellow enthusiasts! Yes I am a Gear Head. What does that mean? It means I love cars and just about everything that has to do with a car. I have 50 weight in my blood and if you check under the fingernails you may find some grease too. I even married a gear head! Lori can talk about anything from gears and lockers to superchargers and turbochargers or Louis Vuitton to Prada, (what ever that stuff is). Cars keep us together and the distance to the workshop keeps it all in check as having the shop too close to the house tends to leave one rebuilding parts in the kitchen.

We have a few toys I am quite proud of, one a 1969 Chevrolet Z-28 Camaro that I restored in 1992. The '69 Z-28 is a very limited number vehicle produced in the entire scope of the Camaro. It took me 3 years to complete the task researching the vehicle and then doing the work myself. I love the way it sounds and drives too, grabbing a fistful of third gear @ 6500rpm is a thrill that's hard to explain when the rear tires break loose.



Another is my 1996 Jeep YJ-5..... yup you are correct Jeep never made one, but I did. It has been featured in Sport and Utility vehicle magazine and it also has made it to Four Wheelers top 30 "Top Truck" Competition. A Jeep you may ask? Yes, we are quite at home in the Colorado mountains @ 14,000 feet in my Jeep hanging from a winch cable or climbing the helicopter pad trail in Tellico NC. This is Extreme Jeeping! We have driven trails in over 19 states and in 3 countries. It is a Jeep thing you wouldn't understand. This vehicle is all about durability and performance. I hand made just about everything including the frame with off highway driving in mind. It performs well too, between 1996 when I completed the build (in 4 months I may add) and 2001 when I had my car accident I managed to put over 8000 miles on it.....all off road @ 1 mph or less. It has been laid on its side more than I can count and roll over tested tough.



My wife Lori and I had already had two 944 Porsches when I decided it was time to move into a 911. Not just any 911 but the last of the air cooled 911's a 1997 993 twin turbo. Alas the first one almost did me in, but because it was built so well I managed to survive to have another one come into my life. Yes it is a twin to the first one and I have done some upgrades with the help of a few others too. The pursuit of performance is a passion of mine. I am learning more about the Porsche and am even starting to twist the wrench on it myself. You see grease under the fingernails helps keep things in perspective, and Porsche is a great reward for an adrenalin junkie.



In the real world I was a 5th generation brewmeister, well sort of. For 113 years my family had made some of the finest vinegar and specialty vinegars in the country. Alas the business sold and I am an audiophile. I turned one of my grandfather's hobbies and my quest for the ultimate stereo system into a job working at a local audio video store. When that was not enough I opened my own store Auto-Dynamics, doing nothing but custom Audio Video installs in cars and homes in 1997. From a 5.1 surround sound in a car or truck to doing a complete home theater in a home the passion for the end result is what keeps me going. I love what I do and we even get into the customization of vehicles too, wheels and tires or performance parts all complete the total package for the end user.

As your Webmaster I am venturing into uncharted areas and will work to get a good user friendly website built for the club. It may take time but as with anything worth doing, doing it right takes time. If you are ever in the area and want to sit and talk cars or Jeeps feel free to stop in I may be up to my elbows in one of them.

Doug "Cannonball" & Lori Richter

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About our FVR-PCA Insurance Coordinator...

Hello to all my fellow FVR-PCA members/enthusiasts!

My name is Dennis Olson, and my wife is Madelyn, (famous for her cookies on a stick). We have been FVR-PCA members since 1996, when we purchased our first P-car, a 911SC Coupe. We currently enjoy our 993 C4S, Speed Yellow coupe.

We have enjoyed the “people” and the “cars”, since becoming FVR-PCA members, three months after the purchase of our first 911.

I currently enjoy my own Architectural practice in Appleton. Prior to opening my own practice, I worked with a large international firm, designing and managing large projects for Fortune 500 companies throughout North America and in South America (Brazil); with values ranging from several million dollars, up to several hundred million dollars. I have also designed facilities for residential, multi-family, educational, religious, medical, commercial/retail, office, financial, food service, and other building types.



As a kid growing up, the creative/designer side of me always envisioned becoming the lead designer for the Corvette, or for Ferrari, or Jaguar. Didn't quite make that dream, but now I enjoy the ultimate drivers car, from my perspective anyway.

Madelyn and I are fortunate to have been blessed with four sons; three of whom are married, and have given us seven wonderful grandchildren, (4 boys, 3 girls). Our one unmarried son has also owned two Porsches. All of our boys LOVE driving “Grandpa’s cool car”, as our oldest grandson calls it. Our sons have or have owned motorcycles (spelled “crotch rockets”) and by doing so, got me enjoying driving “topless” (without a roof over our heads) on two wheels. My oldest son and I jointly own a 100th anniversary Harley Davidson “Springer”, which we share during the driving season.

I am your current “Insurance Coordinator” for our club. I hope to meet more and more of our members at our clubs activities, so please decide to participate in some, if not all of our many fun and enjoyable scheduled events, and become active members of our (your) club.

Dennis and Madelyn Olson

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| David & Susan Clark | Shawano, WI | 2003 | Boxster S & 2005 911 |
| James Cole | Armstrong Creek, WI | 2005 | Boxster |
| James & Connie Keller | Oshkosh, WI | 1987 | 944T & 1996 911 |
| James Kelly | Green Bay, WI | 2006 | 997 |
| William L. Kort & son William V. | Appleton, WI | 1985 | 928 & 1985 911 |
| David R. Krause & Donna Thurlow | DePere, WI | 2002 | 911T |
| Joachim Loeffler & Angela Juergens | Appleton, WI | 2000 | 911 |
| Kyle & Sandi Miller | Kewaskum, WI | 1976 | 914 & 1976 914 |
| Philip & Julieann Petit | Appleton, WI | 2001 | Boxster S |
| Greg & Linda Russo | Appleton, WI | 1964 | 356 & 2004 Boxster |
| James & Lisa Stephenson | Combined Locks, WI | 1956/1957/1959 | 356A |

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| William Saler | Appleton, WI | 2008 | Boxster RS60 |
| Bruce & Deb Harvey | Houghton, MI | 1989 | 944T |

NEW MEMBERS

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| William & Kimberly Challoner | Green Bay, WI | 2002 | 996 |
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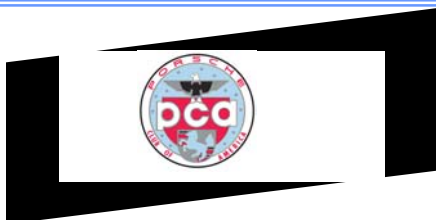
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