FOX VALLEY REGION PORSCHE CLUB OF AMERICA



FVR CALENDAR OF EVENTS

CALENDAR

2007

 January 2007 6th - Holiday Party and Annual General Membership Meeting, Holiday Inn Riverwalk, Neenah. Please RSVP to Bill Hewitt by December 28

The final cost per person is \$15. Please send checks made out to Fox Valley Region PCA to Bill Hewitt, 95 Northbreeze Drive, Appleton, WI 54911

• May 2007 1st—Pipe Dinner at Jim and Linda's—Social tine form 5:30 PM Dinner at 7:00 PM

August 2007 12^{th—}25th Annual Manitowoc Kiwanis Car Show

• October 2007 Door County Fall Tour with Milwaukee PCA members

Date: tentative for 2nd weekend in October—To be confirmed



There are many dates open to host an event. If you are interested in doing this please contact Rick Slater at fvrpcal@new.rr.com to set it up. We hope to see you out and about this year at some of the club events!

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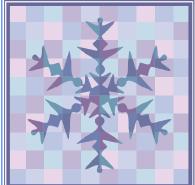
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FROM THE PRESIDENT

From the President Rick Slater

Greetings All;



As 2006 winds down to a close, I would like to thank everyone that volunteered and participated during 2006. It is all of you that make this club what it is.

I would like to congratulate the election winners for their willingness to participate.

We have an opening for webmaster. Family and job obligations will not allow Todd to continue. Please contact me at fvrpca1@new.rr.com to express your interest in helping.

I am looking forward to seeing many of you at the Annual Membership meeting and holiday party on Saturday January 6th at the Holiday Inn Riverwalk in Neenah

Best Wishes for the New Year

Sincerely

Rick Slater

NOTE: ANNUAL HOLIDAY PARTY—NEENAH HOLIDAY INN RIVERWALK January 6th (Saturday)

Date: Saturday, January 6th, 2007

Time: 6:00 PM — Social Times with cash bar and start of the Silent Auction

7:30 PM --- Italian Buffet Dinner

9:00 PM —End of Silent Auction Bidding

Place: Holiday Inn Riverwalk— 123 East Wisconsin Avenue, Neenah

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FVR- PCA Holiday Party Saturday January 6, 2007



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Holiday Inn Neenah Riverwalk 123 East Wisconsin Avenue

Our holiday party will soon be here! We hope by making some changes this year, we will have a better than ever attendance. New members, veterans, and folks who haven't attended an event in a long time are all invited to join in this traditionally fun, social, and charity event.

6:00 PM Social time with cash bar and hors d'oeuvres. Silent Auction begins and con-

tinues until 9 PM. "Getting to Know You" game.

7:30 PM Italian Buffet dinner. Includes chef's choice pasta, chicken parmesan, and

> homemade lasagna. Vegetable du jour, pasta salad and antipasto tray. Build your own salad with crisp lettuce, tomato wedges, sliced radishes, mushrooms, shredded mozzarella cheese, pepperoni peppers, bacon bits and croutons. Served with Italian dressing. Homemade baked garlic bread with parmesan

cheese, chef's choice dessert. Coffee, tea, and milk.

8:30 PM Business meeting, awards presented, etc. Plan for 2007 events.

9:00 PM SHARP!!! Silent Auction concludes.

The club is once again subsidizing the meal and expenses. The final cost per person is \$15. Please send checks made out to Fox Valley Region PCA to Bill Hewitt, 95 Northbreeze Drive, Appleton, WI 54911

RSVP—No later than Thursday, December 28, 2006.

Please, everyone, be generous in supporting our charities through the silent auction donations and bids this year. We are counting on you to make it as successful this year as it has been in the past years. Auction items need NOT be car-related.

Lastly, for those who may be traveling a distance, or who just want to extend the party, we have a block of five hotel rooms available for \$69 per room. Please call 1-800-725-6348 or 1-920-725-8441 no later than December 6, 2006 to make a reservation at this special rate. Tell them it's for the Porsche Club.



Any questions? Please contact Laura Prellwitz at (920) 683-1913 or lprellwitz@lsol.net

DECEMBER DINNER ACTIVITY

DINNER at VICTORIA'S—APPLETON on December 6th, 2006

Several PCA-VFR members with spouses and friends met at Victoria's on December 6th to have a very nice Italian dinner and to share best souvenirs and stories of the past year.



Here are some souvenir photos of this event...













FROM WITHIN THE 13TH ZONE

From Within the 13th Zone - November 2006 (reprint)

Driving Daytona

The Porsche Club of America got to experience a first ever club race at the famous Daytona International Speedway. We drove on the "24 Hours of Daytona" circuit that many of us have watched for years on the Speed channel. It was an awesome event. Driving on the banking was a new experience for most participants. Many of us have earned a much greater respect for NASCAR drivers who drive the banking at 180-200 mph, two and sometimes three wide! The banking was a bit bumpier then it appears on television. Many drivers also achieved their new personal best as far as a "top speed" on a racetrack is concerned. Lots of fun and it will bring a whole new level of enjoyment to watching the 24 Hours of Daytona in 2007.



photo by: Colour Tech

Changing of the Guard

As autumn is in full swing and winter is around the corner, many have placed their Porsche pride and joy into storage. We are at the time of the year that most regions are holding elections for choosing their 2007 Boards. If you are a member and want to have a voice within your region, now is the time to step up and volunteer at a new level. The pay is non-existent but the ability to meet some great people and chair events is second to none. The health of our club relies on fresh blood to help out and get involved. If you have been enjoying the club and want to give back to other members, then volunteer to help out.

As the Zone 13 Representative, my appointed term draws to an end at the end of this year. As the 2007 Executive Council ballots have not yet been counted, I am uncertain if I will be reappointed. I am aware of a few regions that have expressed an interest in me carrying on for another two years. If the re-appointment does not occur, it has been my pleasure to serve in this capacity for the past two years. I am truly grateful for the friends that I have made.

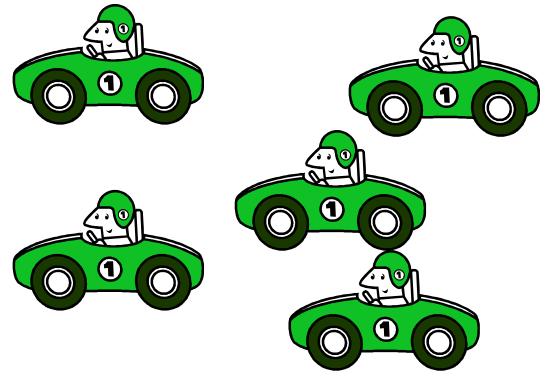
As this article will more than likely appear in the December issue of your region's newsletter, I would like to take this moment to wish all of you a happy holiday season. Be thankful for the toys we get to play with and wishful for those that we don't yet own.

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

Date	Event	Region	
December			
12/28	Dinner @ Monicals Pizza - Champaign, IL	Lincoln Trail	
12/30	Breakfast @ Panera's - Peoria, IL	Lincoln Trail	
2007			
1/6	Holiday Party & General Membership Meeting - Neenah, WI	Fox Valley	
1/14	Holiday Party @ Biaggi's	Central Wisc	
8/12	25th Annual Kiwanis Car Show & SWAP Meet—Manitowoc, WI	Fox Valley	





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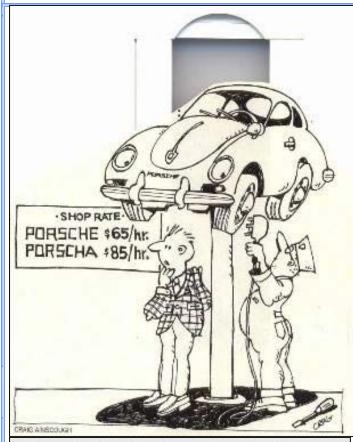
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FROM OUR MEMBERS



Gordon – Is this is how you guy's charge? By the way, do we pronounce Porsche or Porscha? Dennis L. Olson—Appleton

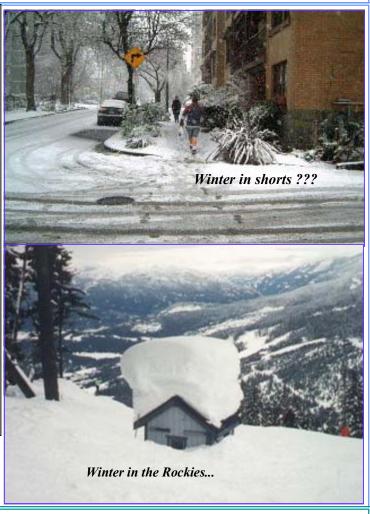


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FROM OUR MEMBERS



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The books, DVDs and tapes are now located in a beautiful cabinet in the waiting room at the Auto Clinic. If you are interest in checking out a book or tape, stop by anytime,...or give Gordon or Josh a call to see what hours they will be there.

The checkout process is still the same,... and easy as can be:

Pull the "library checkout card" out of the media, sign & date it, then slip it into the white index card box in this cabinet. Keep the stuff as long as you'd like, but please don't forget to return it!

If you're returning stuff, simply take the correct "library checkout card" (number should match the spine of your book) out of the white box, re-insert the "library checkout" card into the cardholder on the book, and away you go! We haven't lost any media to date, but it's based on the honor system. It'll be a little harder for me to chase "long overdue materials" from their new home, but it might be a lot easier for you to grab or return materials from this Valley location.

Who knows? Maybe Gordon will even benefit from a little extra traffic from FVR members once and a while.

So keep up the good work!

Any questions or concerns?

Jimmy Haen

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