# FOX VALLEY REGION PORSCHE CLUB OF AMERICA







### COMING UP IN JUNE....

- 1st —Sunday Hayride at Rock K Ranch in Greenleaf at 3:00 PM. **RSVP by May 28 to lprellwitz@att.net.** Limited to 35 people. Pizza dinner in DePere to follow.
- 3<sup>rd</sup> Tuesday— 6:00 PM Board Meeting followed by social at 6:30 PM. Dinner at Mackinaw's Grill & Spirits on E. Mason St in Green Bay.
- 8<sup>th</sup> —Sunday "Run Between the Lakes" tour. Starts in Sheboygan towards Kettle Moraine. RSVP by June 5 to <a href="mailto:lprellwitz@att.net">lprellwitz@att.net</a>.

Weekend of 19th — Chicago Region SCCA June Sprints at Road America.

21st—Saturday 9:00AM—4:00PM— "High End" Car Show at Enterprise Motors in Appleton to benefit the Make-A-Wish Foundation

# FVR CALENDAR OF EVENTS

### **CALENDAR**

#### FOX VALLEY REGION— 2008 ACTIVITIES

- June 1st —Sunday —Hayride at Rock K Ranch in Greenleaf at 3:00 PM. This is a re-scheduled event due to weather conditions in April. RSVP by May 28 to <a href="mailto:lprellwitz@att.net">lprellwitz@att.net</a>. Limited to 35 people. Pizza dinner at Bilotti's in DePere to follow. See page 19 for details.
- June 3<sup>rd</sup> Tuesday— 6:00 PM Board Meeting followed by social at 6:30 PM.– Dinner from the menu at 7:00PM. Mackinaw's Grill & Spirits on E. Mason St in Green Bay. Reservations appreciated to <a href="mailto:lprellwitz@att.net">lprellwitz@att.net</a>. Drawing for RA tickets. See pages 6-7 for details.
- June 8<sup>th</sup> —Sunday FREE admission to Wisconsin State Parks; "Run Between the Lakes" tour in Sheboygan County and Kettle Moraine region, including Terre Andre, Mauthe and Long Lake State Parks. FREE Picnic for members at Parnell Tower. We will stop at the Kohler Design Center and the Old Wade House (also FREE admission!)

Please RSVP by June 5 to <a href="mailto:lprellwitz@att.net">lprellwitz@att.net</a>. See page 20 for more information.

- June Weekend of 19<sup>th</sup>— Chicago Region SCCA June Sprints at Road America.
- June 21<sup>st</sup>—Saturday 9:00AM–4:00PM— "High End" Car Show at Enterprise Motors in Appleton to benefit the Make-A-Wish Foundation. Refer to page 21 for information. To reserve a place, RSVP to <a href="mailto:jvagow@bergstromauto.com">jvagow@bergstromauto.com</a>. Milwaukee and Central Wisconsin Regions have also been invited. Whether you are showing your car or not, come on out and visit with other auto enthusiasts and meet some folks from our neighboring regions.
- 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** Weekend of 17<sup>th</sup> 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 27**<sup>th</sup> 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** 2<sup>nd</sup> Saturday—Rustic Road Tour #2 to Laona, WI. Laura Prellwitz, tourmeister.

  Reservations appreciated to <a href="mailto:lprellwitz@att.net">lprellwitz@att.net</a> We will stop at Camp 5 for a couple of hours.
- **August** 5<sup>th</sup> Tuesday— Board Meeting and Dinner—Location suggested Pullman's—Appleton.
- August Weekend of August 7th Generac 500 at Road America.
- September 1<sup>st</sup> 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 19<sup>th</sup>-21<sup>st</sup> 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 19<sup>th</sup> VSCDA Vintage Event in Elkhart Lake and Road America.
- October 7<sup>th</sup> Tuesday— 7:00 PM Tech Session at Gordon Skog's Auto Clinic in Neenah.
- October 11<sup>th</sup> Saturday— Poker Run in Manitowoc, County. Hosted by Laura Prellwitz. Reservations required
- **November 4<sup>th</sup>** Tuesday—7:00PM -Board Meeting, and Dinner at Victoria's in Appleton.
- December 6<sup>th</sup> Saturday Holiday Party -Village Hearthstone in Hilbert. Motel rooms are being held at the Best Western in Chilton (about 5 miles from Hilbert for those wishing to stay overnight)—Hosted by Laura and Jamie Prellwitz.

### **JUNE 2008**



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# FROM YOUR PRESIDENT

# From your President Laura Prellwitz





May has certainly been a very active month for our region and I was happy to meet more and more members at each event. At every activity, there was at least one new face, and I am honored every time someone chooses to move from "non-participating" to "participating" status. It's because of active members that our club even exists.

I want to sincerely thank all the members of the board for their work these past six months. They are listed on the back page of the newsletter, but they surely deserve to be on the front cover. There is a lot of labor, thoughtfulness, proactive goal-setting, and effort taking place behind the scenes keep our region growing in size and progressing in quality of events. They truly care about making our club the best it can possibly be! Many of you have been extremely kind with your words of compliments and affirmations to me. However, you need to know I've only been able to accomplish many things because of the team of enthusiastic and dedicated board members supporting me. They provide a very global and well-balanced perspective to Porsche ownership as well.

As with any volunteer organization, we count on its members to assist with and participate in activities and the normal functioning of the club. I have to admit that as the president (facilitator) of the Fox Valley Region, the pay is absolutely incredible! I simply couldn't put a price on the wonderful life-long friendships I am enjoying, and the truly great places our events have taken me and wonderful memories of adventures I will treasure forever.

I think you will find this month's newsletter especially as interesting as we've re-capped all of the past month's activities and promote upcoming events, too. The nice summer weather we dreamt about six months ago is finally here, so please come and join us when you are able to.

Go out and try something new in your Porsche!

### Laura

### PCA Membership Information RECORDS CHECK

I am asking a favor of all of our members that should only take a couple of minutes. You can do it at any time. I am requesting everyone, please log on to <a href="https://www.pca.org">www.pca.org</a> and check the accuracy of your membership records. I don't know if some peoples' handwriting were difficult for the PCA staff to read on your application or renewal form, of if someone on the other end wasn't quite as careful about data entry as we would like them to be. Either way, I know several members' records have incorrect/outdated e-mail addresses, incorrect phone numbers, missing/incorrect car information etc. On many occasions, I have gone into members' records and changed the information for them, if I knew the accurate data.

Those of you who have recently received the membership roster from me can also check that everything listed about you and your car(s) is accurate.

#### To log in, and make any necessary corrections, please do the following: Go to www.pca.org

At the bottom you will log in. The username box requires your first initial followed by your last name, with no spaces, then the last four digits of your PCA membership number. If you don't have your number or card, please e-mail me and I can give it to you. For example, mine is "lprellwitzXXXX". In the password box, enter pca and again the last four digits of your membership number, so it is "pcaXXXX". A blue box should appear on the right hand side of your screen with your personal information displayed.

Click on anything in that blue area and another page with boxes will appear for you to make any needed corrections. Enter the corrected information, then submit.

Click on the small button "more info", then "cars" to check information on your car. Enter any corrections, additions, etc. Click insert.

Or if you prefer, send the correct information to me and I can update your records for you.

Thank you! This will make communication amongst ourselves much easier for everyone! Remember, you can also renew your membership on this same site, too.

#### Laura

# VFR-PCA—MAY MONTHLY NOTES

### May Notes

The weather cooperated nicely for our season opener in Pipe, WI. Twenty four members were able to make the annual trek to Jim & Linda's where they shared good food, good company and many stories.

Jim Janes handed out a draft of the fall tour. Be sure to let him know if you plan to join the tour so he has sufficient rooms set aside. (refer to information on page 25)

Every member went home with a door prize. Thanks to Laura for making sure everyone was included. The raffle prizes included an ornament donated by Linda & Bill Bein and a portable DVD player donated by Laura...or was it Jamie?

When one Ms President bid on it for one Mr. President at the Holiday party and he hasn't used it, we were told re-gifting was acceptable. We collected \$68.00 for the charity fund. Oh, and the DVD player went to a non member who showed up in a limo long enough to park two Porsches in.

### Rustic Roads Tour

The tour started at Kerrigan Brothers Winery in Little Chute. The group departed for the first rustic road. With a few U turns throughout the tour - some sites were too good to see only once! – we met up with a few more cars and made our way to Dupont Cheese Co. for a light snack and leg stretch.

Back in the cars, we headed for the next rustic road and rendezvous with another Porsche member. This time our destination was St Point Brewery. Good thing we picked up John & Sherry Lazer who helped get us through a rough spot in the directions. It's nice to have friends familiar with other parts of the state.

A break for lunch allowed time for catching up with long time members and getting to know new members. A few cars received citations while at lunch for offences from going topless – the car, not the driver – to having blindingly shiny wheels. No fines were given out. (OK... I'm the secretary not the treasurer)

A drive to and through Hartmann Creek State Park was enjoyable for me from the front seat of Denis Grimard's Boxster. Unfortunately, France had to work, so her passenger seat was open - my husband pawned me off for this leg of the trip - and I got my first ride in a Boxster.

The tour came to an end with a few of us making another U turn and heading our separate ways home.



Thanks for a great job planning the tour go to Laura and Jamie. Every one had a safe enjoyable day.

### Mary Haen

Secretary

**NOTE:** Tuesday, June 3, is the next meeting of the Board of Directors. See pages 6 & 7 in the newsletter for the agenda items. Social time is 5:30 – 7:00 for all members. Dinner will be from the menu at 7:00 PM. The board will meet from 6:00 – 7:00 PM.

The meeting and dinner is at Mackinaw's Grill and Spirits just off East Mason Street in Green Bay.

RSVP's are requested, please, to Iprellwitz@att.net by June 1.

### 2008 YTD FVR-PCA ACCOMPLISHMENTS

### Accomplishments of the Fox Valley Region for the first half of 2008

As I mentioned in on a previous page, the board members, and other members at large, have been doing many things behind the scenes to improve our region. I'd like to share our accomplishments with you so far:



Expanded the board with two well-qualified members: Technical Advisor (Andrew Opicka) and Dealership/PR Liaison (Dave Kochinski).

Improved and working relationship with Bergstrom Porsche (Ryan Jacobson). Two events have been held at the dealership. Free memberships are being given to Porsche buyers.

Enthusiastic members filled vacated board positions: Vice-President (Nick Proctor) and (formerly referred to as "safety chair") Insurance coordinator (Dennis Olson).

Our infrastructure is in much better compliance with PCA standards (Archivist/librarian, insurance, by-laws, established and regular meeting times).

By-laws are under review and revision. Clarity and compliance are being addressed.

Fox Valley Region has been invited to events in other regions, i.e., Mid-Ohio, Nordstern, Porsche Fest, etc.

Milwaukee Region donated a Porsche flag to us.

Logo wear is available through a local business.

A missing banner has been found.

The library list is available on the website. New books have been purchased.

Compliments from other regions about our website and newsletter.

Old newsletters are being saved onto CD's and will be available in the library.

Business cards are promoting our region.

PCA National Treasurer is joining us for the fall tour.

Board members are mentoring new members

Membership decline has stopped. We are now gaining more members than losing them.

E-mail lists are as up-to-date and accurate as possible to facilitate better communication.

Membership rosters have been shared with those who are interested in networking amongst themselves.

MANY events, activities, tech sessions, tours, dinners, socials, than ever before.

Location of events is being varied amongst the Appleton, Green Bay, Lakeshore and "up north" areas.

Over 80 people have registered to use the website.

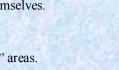
A membership drive was held at Road America for the first time ever. We received a \$200 subsidy from PCA to do this.

An additional subsidy from PCA for \$350 was added to our own \$500 donation to the Fox Valley Road and Track Classic to benefit the Multiple Sclerosis Chapter of Wisconsin. We issued a challenge to all of auto clubs to meet or beat our donation.

There has been at least one "new face" at every event we've offered this year.

Thanks to everyone who has contributed in someway to these accomplishments in this short amount of time. It's amazing what a dedicated and enthusiastic group of Porsche people can do!!







## JUNE 3, 2008—BOARD OF DIRECTORS MEETING

### June 3, 2008 Board of Directors Meeting Agenda

#### Old Business?

New Business (including several things we didn't get to at our February mtg.) Not in any particular order......

- a. Old newsletters are still being digitally transferred to CD
- b. More business cards have been orderedc. Thank you to John Guy and MKE for donation of flag

#### B. Vice-President

- a. By-laws review underway
- Goodie Store/Logo wear now available at EmbroidME

#### C. Treasurer

- Status Report a.
- b. Donations to charities, receipt of subsidies
- Rubric from Jim Haen about charity selection
- d. Advertising manager for newsletter?
- e. Develop a budget for next year? Require receipts for reimbursement?
- f. Autobiography for September newsletter

#### D. Membership

- a. Mentoring of new members. Is it making a difference?
- b. Follow-up phone calls and e-mails to new members, non-renewals
- Welcome gift to new members?
- d. Attendance award at holiday party?
- Autobiography for September newsletter

#### F. Social

- Calendar for this year is fairly full.
- 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.
- Greg Russo volunteered to chair the Walter Mitty races this summer.
- Suggestions for next year:
  - 1. New member social kick-off in March 2009 ("borrowed" idea from Nord SternRegion)
  - 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



## JUNE 3, 2008—BOARD OF DIRECTORS MEETING

### June 3, 2008 Board of Directors Meeting Agenda

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#### F. Insurance Coordinator

- a. Any updates? Problems? Concerns?
- b. Reply from PCA re: Doug Richter's questions?
- c. Autobiography for July newsletter

#### G. Archivist/Librarian

- 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 purchasing walkie-talkies for events
- e. Suggested developing/purchasing a FVR-PCA banner/flag
- f. Autobiography for August newsletter

#### H. Dealership Liaison/Public Relations

- a. Update on progress with dealership
- b. Thanks to Ron Possell and Joachim Loeffler for keeping newsletters well-stocked at dealership. "Thank you" gift for them? PCA lapel pin?
- c. Suggestions for activities at dealership for this year and next
- d. High-end car show June 21 with Enterprise Motors
- e. Loaner car from dealership for Ruben L on fall tour?
- f. Ryan providing free memberships to Porsche customers
- g. "Thank you" appreciation plaque to Ryan at end of year?

#### I. Webmaster

- a. Progress on website
- b. By-laws review / VP
- c. Dinner, tech session, and website tutorial July 1
- d. Autobiography for July newsletter
- e. Motorola radios have been purchased for road tours

#### J. Newsletter

- a. Each board member should publish an autobiography over the coming months.
- b. Still looking for an under study
- c. Thanks to all members who have taken and submitted photos and articles at our events!

#### K. Secretary

- a. Any issues/concerns/requests?
- b. Autobiography for August newsletter

#### L. Technical Advisor

- a. Dent Doctor tech session at Bergstrom Porsche in fall
- b. Other thoughts and suggestions?
- c. Membership drive results from RA May 17
- d. Flag pole and base
- M. Next BOD meeting is August 5. Dinner at Pullmans in Appleton. Thanks to Denis Grimard for organizing this.

Web Site: http://www.pullmansrestaurant.com/pullmans/home/default.asp

NOTE: July 26 "thank you" dinner at Prellwitz's. You are welcome any time after 4:00 PM.





### **NEW FLAG POST at PORSCHE PARK**

Photos from Porsche Park at Road America. Our region donated \$500 in December to the

MKE region towards the beautification/ maintenance of Porsche Park

(photos by John Guy)





#### Wolfgang Porsche turns 65 - Shareholder, Member of the Supervisory Board, Family Spokesman and Entrepreneur

Stuttgart. Dr. Wolfgang Porsche, Shareholder and Chairman of the Supervisory Board of Porsche Automobile Holding SE, as well as Dr. Ing. h.c. F. Porsche AG, is celebrating his 65th birthday on May 10, 2008. Ferdinand ('Ferry') Porsche's youngest son, who was born in Stuttgart, has been a member of the Supervisory Board of the sports car manufacturer since 1978. He has also been family spokesman since the death of his father Ferry in 1998.

Wolfgang Porsche has always seen it as his primary duty to continue to drive forward the company in the same spirit that his father Ferry and grandfather Ferdinand intended when they founded and built up the firm, in close collaboration with the members of the Porsche and Piëch families. As a result of this fundamental stance, he contributed significantly to the increase in capital that occurred in 1992 to ensure the continued independence of the family-owned company, and has also influenced all further important business decisions. This particularly includes decisions relating to the expansion of the product portfolio to include the Roadster Boxster, the Cayenne sports utility vehicle, and the four-seater Gran Turismo Panamera, as well as the building of the Leipzig plant, and last but not least, the stake of Porsche AG in the Volkswagen Group in 2005.

As Dr. Wendelin Wiedeking, CEO of Porsche SE, notes: "Throughout the past 16 years, Wolfgang Porsche has tirelessly supported us as an approachable and competent advisor, both on everyday questions as well as on the various strategic decisions we have faced to position the company in the best way. This advice has always been open and frank, and he has served as an essential bridge between company and shareholders. In all decisions, the Porsche Managing Board could always count on his integrity and his support, and for this we are extremely thankful".

Wolfgang Porsche was born on May 10, 1943, the youngest son of Dorothea and Ferry Porsche, the founder of the sports car icon. He spent the first 6 ½ years of his life at the so called 'Schüttgut' in Zell am See, Austria, to which his parents and grandparents had retreated during the final years of the war. The family returned to Stuttgart in 1950. At first, Wolfgang went to the Waldorf School in Stuttgart, before moving over to the Odenwald School in Heppenheim. It was here that he obtained his Abitur (higher school-leaving certificate) in 1965, and at the same time abandoned his training as an apprentice locksmith. Following this, he obtained his degree in Business Administration from the Vienna University of Economics and Business Administration. He received his doctorate in International Business in

After completing his studies, Wolfgang Porsche went into business, and became an importer for Yamaha motorbikes in Austria, a trade that he pursued successfully for 27 years. He returned to Stuttgart in 1976, and worked at the then Daimler-Benz AG as a manager in several different areas of domestic and foreign sales. In 1978 he was appointed a member of the Supervisory Board of Porsche AG, taking over the position of Chairman in January 2007. He was also appointed Chairman of the Supervisory Board of Porsche Automobil Holding SE at its incorporation in June 2007. In addition, he has been a member of the Supervisory Board of Porsche Holding Ges.m.b.H. in Salzburg, the largest Austrian trading company, since 1983. Furthermore, he is Chairman of the Advisory Board of the Swiss watch manufacturer Eterna S.A. in Grenchen, and, since April 24, 2008, a member of the Supervisory Board of Volkswagen AG, Wolfsburg.

On the death of his father Ferry in 1998, he was selected as spokesman by the Porsche family. As such, Wolfgang Porsche considers his main role to be that of an intermediary and consensus-builder between the individual family members to ensure that the shared goal of the independence and financial stability of the Porsche company is never compromised. His calm, objective style, as well as his wit and humor, are his chief assets. In this regard, Wolfgang Porsche has even described himself as a 'Swabian Austrian', for whom level-headedness, reliability and tradition are all important. The father-of-four lives alternately in Munich, Stuttgart, and at the paternal 'Schüttgut' in Zell am See, which he has inherited. A keen hunter, he has always maintained his special affinity with the sports car icon that is still 'made in Zuffenhausen', both to its past and its present.

Wolfgang Porsche has received numerous honors for his services to business.

In 2005 he was awarded the 'Great Golden Medal for Services to the Republic of Austria' by the Prime Minister of Austria, the highest award granted by the country of his birth.

# 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 <a href="mailto:appleton@embroidme.com">appleton@embroidme.com</a> 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!

# VA HOSPITAL EVENT—APRIL 19, 2008

Note from Tom Robl, Milwaukee Region

Hi Laura.

The VA hospital event was actually kind of inspiring. If we counted correctly, there were 20 Porsches assembled in the parking lot. Everything from a brush(?) painted 1970 914 to a 997 Turbo. The VA had coffee and cookies waiting for us on arrival. The veterans, mostly older men, seemed a little puzzled by it all as they were wheeled past the two rows of cars. I had the feeling that their world is a pretty hard place consisting of medical procedures and long days in hospital beds. As for the inspiration, the VA staff proudly proclaimed that they had the best jobs on earth, taking care of the most important patients anywhere, our veterans.



Thanks, Tom Robl

# SUPERMILEAGE EVENT at FVTC—MAY 2 & 3, 2008

### **Super Mileage Event by Fox Valley Technical College** Friday, May 2nd and Saturday, May 3rd.

The 2008 Supermileage portion of the WEEVA Challenge at Fox Valley Technical College (FVTC) was a rousing success! The frigid temperatures were not a deterrent to the participants from the 21 schools from all over Wisconsin.

Some statistics: Supermileage vehicles ran a total of 797 laps on Saturday; there were 204 runs started; there were 116 official runs completed. Over 60 vehicles participated. These are homemade vehicles which the students designed and calibrated to attain the highest mileage possible. Some of the cars started runs and for whatever reason, were unable to finish and given a DNF. The pick-up vehicles were busy all day. The best run made 417.1 mpg, with many runs coming in the 300 mpg range. Of course, not everyone was in that range. But they gave it their all and did their best.

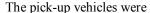
Our Fox Valley region donated \$500 to this event, (refer to note attached below) which will be used to purchase a new ramp for safety inspection. This year the ramp was damaged during the Friday Safety inspections at FVTC. The actual runs were on the half mile banked asphalt at Wisconsin International Raceway (WIR) on Saturday.



The volunteerism from our Club was somewhat light—Larry Rogers and Joe & Peg Homel were the only course marshals from our group. Club members Mike and Alyson Wenzlick attended with their son who was part of the electric car team from NEWTC in Green Bay. Interestingly, the driver of that car drove his PORSCHE to the track on Saturday. Another interesting entry was an all-girls team from Brillion High School. Their car, painted in pink and black, had the "Racing for the Cure" logo on it's side, and, when the body was removed, written on the chassis were the words "we're working our ---- off to beat your ---".

Next year, we need to get more volunteers to experience the excitement and enthusiasm of these kids for their project. You too, can come away with the feeling that you have done something worthwhile for our young people—and have a great time doing it!











### Peg & Joe Homel & Larry Rogers

### PORSCHE \$500 DONATION to SUPER MILEAGE EVENT (appreciation from FVTC Associate Dean)

Larry, et al.,

On behalf of the students, teachers, and everyone involved with the Supermileage and Electrathon, I want to thank you and ALL the members of your club that have supported our annual event since year one. Joe, Peg, yourself and all those from your club that have volunteered, continue to show what true dedication and volunteerism is all about. I can't thank you enough!!

The donation from your club this year will be put toward repairs and upgrades to our stability ramp.

Just as an FYI regarding organizational changes in our state-wide effort with these competitions. With four similar events across the state we have organized into the WI Energy Efficient Vehicle Association, or WEEVA. This has limited visible effect on our local event at FVTC and WIR, but behind the scenes it is much more efficient. Check this out on the web if you'd like at www.challengewisconsin.org.

Thanks again Larry, Joe, and Peg for your tireless effort today in less than pleasant weather.

Mike Cattelino Associate Dean

Manufacturing, Information, and Agriculture Technologies Fox Valley Technical College

# PIRELLI TIRE TECH SESSION—MAY 3, 2008

### **Pirelli Tires Tech Session**

A big thank you to **Andrew Opicka**, our technical chairperson, for coordinating the Pirelli seminar on May 3 at the Bergstrom Porsche dealership. The refreshments, doughnuts and fruit were a nice treat, too!

Thanks also to **Ryan Jacobson**, general sales manager, for allowing us to use part of his very nice facility.



Roger Brace and Jack Di Maio, representatives from Pirelli, used a PowerPoint presentation to increase our knowledge of tires in general, as well as the construction and positive aspects of Pirelli tires compared to perhaps Bridgestone or Michelin. Pirelli makes a line of tires specifically for Porsche.

Photos: Andrew Opicka



It was a very educational seminar, and an hour well spent indoors on a cold, windy, and rainy Saturday morning. **Richard Helstad** won the door prize, a tire maintenance kit, for answering a Pirelli tires trivia question correctly. Our club was also given a very exclusive Pirelli calendar which will be raffled on July 19. Tickets

will be sold for \$1 until then.

Attendees included: Nick Proctor, Tom Robl, George Payne, Ron Possell, Josh Skog, Gordon Skog, Jim Linnabary, Arleigh Lueck, Jim & Mary Haen, Andrew Opicka, Ron Opicka, Herb Velazquez, Jim Stephenson, Carol & Richard Helstad, Denis Grimard, Laura Prellwitz and "adjunct" member, Bill Saler (Bill is waiting to take delivery on his new RS 60 Spyder and will be renewing his membership soon. Welcome back, Bill!)





Customer and new member taking delivery of a new 911 Turbo

**NOTE to ALL MEMBERS**: The representatives from Pirelli tires gave our region a very nice gift; a 2008 calendar. If you're not familiar with the Pirelli calendar, it is a very unique "collectible" item, quite valuable, and is not easily obtainable. The photography in the calendar is quite artful, and is a little more adult oriented, probably "PG", to borrow the rating system from the motion picture association.

Below is a link to see the photos. Please make sure you select the Slideshow icon otherwise you will be missing a portion of the images.

### http://www.pirellical.com/thecal/calendar.html

Click on Start SlideShow to view the images. \*\*\*\*NOTE: MAY NOT BE APPROPRIATE AT WORK

We will sell raffle tickets all events between now and July 19, the Trout Springs Winery event, where the final drawing will be held. If you are not able to be present at the events to purchase tickets or for the drawing, that is fine. Please send your check to Larry Rogers at 168 South Pine Court, Appleton, WI 54914, and tickets will be put in the drawing for you. Tickets are \$1 each or 6 for \$5.00. Please indicate to Larry that the check is for the Pirelli tires. We are also holding the raffle for the Road America tickets, so please be clear which raffle item you are interested in.

# PIPE ANNUAL DINNER - MAY 6, 2008

### May 6th Pipe Dinner Re-Cap

We were certainly blessed with a beautiful spring evening on May 6 at Jim & Linda's Supper Club for our annual spring opener: social, dinner, and car show. We spent most of the entire social time in the parking lot area checking out each other's cars and catching up with one another after the long winter hibernation. This event was started by the **Tim & Judy St. Aubin** many years ago and it's been a nice tradition that has carried on for many years. We will do it again in 2009!



Participants included: Gordon Skog, Jim & Mary Haen, Jim & Cindy Janes, Nick Proctor, Doug & Lori Richter, Laura Prellwitz, Stan Stout, Allan and Pat Utecht, Denis & France Grimard, Joe & Peg Homel, Joan & Alan Cayer, Dennis Olson, Larry & Pat Rogers, and Carol & Richard Helstad.

Special "guest" was **John Guy**, Mr. Porsche Park, from the Milwaukee region who joined us for the social time, and donated a beautiful Porsche/

Stuttgart display flag to our region. Please see a later page in *Whaletales* for the full history of this flag. It was a great honor to receive it! We will need to find an appropriate stand or holder for it so it can be used at future events.



Dinner was delicious as always; salad, warm dinner rolls, homemade beef vegetable soup in a tureen (aka "the bucket of soup"), penne pasta with tomato sauce, and whatever entrée was chosen. Service was very attentive as well.

Following dinner, a few announcements were made and Nick Proctor modeled our region's logo wear that is available at EmbroidME on the east side of Appleton. **Please see details on page 9 in Whaletales for more information.** While our region doesn't have a "Goodie Store" on line like many others, we are proud to support a <u>local</u> business who will more than accommodate our needs. Show your Fox Valley Region PCA pride and check out the shirts, hats, jackets etc. that are available with our region's logo. If you have further questions, please also contact Nick at <a href="milestander:nick@theproctors.com">nick@theproctors.com</a>

Jim Janes updated us about the fall tour. Please get your reservation in to him by June 30. Two raffles were held; one of the prizes was won by some other guests in the dining room, but they added \$24 to our kitty! Everyone received a door prize. A few members stopped at Capone's saloon on the way home and extended the socializing for another hour or so.

See you next year the first Tuesday in May at Jim & Linda's!



Laura Prellwitz



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# RUSTIC ROAD TOUR - MAY 10TH, 2008

### **Rustic Road Tour #1** Saturday, May 10th, 2008

Great weather and a sense of adventure helped to bring twenty members in eleven Porsches together for a fun day of driving on some of Wisconsin's most scenic roads, labeled as Rustic Roads. This size group broke the record from last fall's tour, so I am thrilled see more of our members starting to participate in our activities.



John & Sherry Lazar, from Custer, Wisconsin, chose this event as their first ever to participate in and we were honored to have them join us in their 1975 914.

We also want to welcome back Stacey Sensor and Jim Linnabary to "active status' in their beautiful 2008 911 Carrera S. The remainder of the group were: Denis Grimard, Alan Cayer and his daughter Jessica, Wayne & Gail Kindschy, Doug Richter, Gordon Skog, George & Quinn Payne, Jim & Mary Haen, Stan Stout, and Jamie & Laura Prellwitz.

Laura was the tourmistress who had a few wrong turns along the way, but fortunately nothing serious. (The sunroof on the Prellwitz's 911 stayed closed for awhile so Jamie couldn't hit the eject button on the navigator's

seat). Stacey Sensor was most gracious and stated, "I like it when we do a 180; I get to see all the other cars in the line up."







We began at the Kerrigan Bros. Winery just outside of Little Chute and discovered a wonderful selection of generally sweet wines. We did some wine tasting (free of charge!) and a little shopping in the nice gift shop. We can see Alan Cayer and daughter Jessica on the photo on the left.

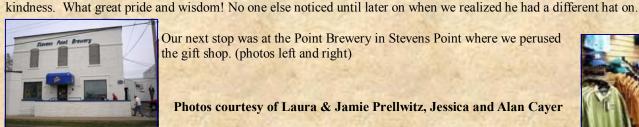
Leaving there, we headed northwest. We made a short stop at a wayside (photo) along the route that eventually took us Marion, and the DuPont Cheese Factory.



Eleven Porsches on some back country roads attracted attention at times, and added to the enjoy-

ment of the day. The highlight for me was when we passed an Amish farmer walking alongside the road, who stopped, smiled and waved at us. I found the irony quite humorous. We also were noticed in the cheese factory parking lot.

Upon exiting the retail store, there was a young man admiring our cars and **Denis Grimard** had a short conversation with him (I hope you have the Kleenex® tissue handy, because this will MELT YOUR HEART). The young man asked Denis, "How can I get a Porsche?" Denis replied, "Stay in school, get an education, and study hard." Then he gave the young man his Porsche hat!!



Our next stop was at the Point Brewery in Stevens Point where we perused the gift shop. (photos left and right)

Only one member overheard this private conversation, but we need to thank Denis for his unlimited enthusiasm, generosity and

Photos courtesy of Laura & Jamie Prellwitz, Jessica and Alan Cayer



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# RUSTIC ROAD TOUR - MAY 10TH, 2008

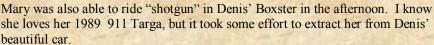


### Rustic Road Tour #1... continued

We were all getting hungry by then, so we skipped the tour of the brewery and went to the Hilltop restaurant where we dined outside on the deck. We had a leisurely and tasty lunch. The social time was great; we got to know each other better and some terrific brainstorming occurred regarding future activities and things to make the club even better.



As we attempted to leave the restaurant parking lot, we discovered Mary Haen had pranked us with faux "parking tickets" on our windshields. At first they looked like the real thing, but then after reading them it was a positive message about being good drivers. Thanks, Mary for adding to the fun!!







From the restaurant we drove eastward and made one last tour of Hartmann Creek State Park. It was about 4:15 by that time, so the group broke up and members started heading home again, some individually and some in small groups. Stan Stout had invited us to stop at his home near Scandinavia, but because of the lateness in the day, we will save that invitation for another time. Thank you for the offer, Stan.

Due to the "large size" of the group (relatively speaking compared to previous tours, but we like the BIG turnout) we did have a few communication glitches along the way and cell phones didn't always work well on the Rustic Roads. The club has now purchased two sets of Motorola to Doug Richter, who ordered the radios) that have up to

an 18 mile range. That should address the few issues we had with touring with a larger group.





Our next road tour is Sunday, June 8, with free admission to Wisconsin State Parks. We will tour three state parks in the Sheboygan County/Kettle Moraine area with a free picnic at Parnell Tower.

Please RSVP to lprellwitz@att.net by June 5. We will also stop at the Kohler Design Center and the Old Wade House (free admission at both).

The next Rustic Road trip is Saturday, August 2 and will take us "up north" to the Laona area. Please be sure to join us.



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### RUSTIC ROAD TOUR - OUR MEMBERS WROTE US...

#### What a GREAT day!

It was nice to most of the "core" group again and plenty of new faces. I look forward to being able to attend meetings and outings again this year as things have really settled down for me over the last half year.

Jessica had a blast, she said it was "so cool" to see people stop and watch us drive by and give a "thumbs up" or "wave" to the group in the small towns we passed through. She said to tell you all thanks so much for making her feel welcome today, she enjoyed meeting and visiting with all and taking most of the pictures I sent earlier.

I look forward to seeing those of you who will be attending the outing on Sunday in Elkhart Lake.

Alan Cayer "PORSCHE - Kills Bugs Fast!"

I enjoyed my first Porsche tour the weekend of the 10th. My father Alan Cayer is in the Porsche club and invited me to go along on the Rustic Road Tour. We went the Kerrigan Brothers Winery, DuPont Cheese Factory, Point Brewery and the Hilltop Pub and Grill (for lunch). It was very exciting to see all the different Porsches. I had a great time meeting everyone. The roads we went along were very scenic and it was a pleasurable ride.

On one Pit Stop we came across a little "ole" lady in a tavern who wouldn't let anyone go to the bathroom unless you bought something. She was so funny, she kept calling the Porsches Corvettes. My favorite part was when we drove through several little towns and all the people waved and gave us thumbs up. I thought that was so cute and fun to see everyone so excited to see all the cars. It was a good bonding experiences for my father and I, and I would definitely go again.



Alan and daughter Jessica at Kerri-

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Thank you both for heading up this trip. It was great to get out and do something other than work for a day and then to be able to spend it with friends .....well it just don't get any better than that!

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Don't fret about the turns after all it is a day for driving and turns make it interesting. It was the first trip of the season and it was through unfamiliar territory, you did great! While it did end up being a longer day than expected it will allow perhaps another trip to tour the brewery. I am glad the rustic road tour idea gives us so many options and opportunity's to get out and road trip with friends even if it is only just for a day.

The turn out today was great and if we can do this on other trips you will have been able to get members out to enjoy the car and other members company. Laura your enthusiasm is rubbing off on others and it is because of your enthusiasm that we were all able to have such a find day today.

I enjoyed bring up the tail and am glad to have been able to keep everyone accounted for even if I did not know where we were going (I was un-prepared myself) I'll tail gun any road trip for you because they all have been such a blast. I look forward to the June 8th run but other events pending may prohibit me from attending. I am going to make my best effort though to be there because I don't want to miss any of the Rustic Road Series Trip's. Wisconsin is simply too nice of a place to drive through in a Porsche.



Doug "bringing up the tail" - Great Job Doug!

Once again Thank you so much for leading us today it was a great trip!

Doug "Cannonball' Richter

# DRIVE FOR NEW MEMBERS—MAY 17

### DRIVE FOR NEW MEMBERS AT ROAD AMERICA—MAY 17

This weekend Fox Valley Porsche Region sponsored a Drive for new members at Road America. The weather was great and a fantastic time was had by those volunteers and participants who attended. We kicked off the weekend in style at PCA's very own private retreat on Road America called Porsche Platz.

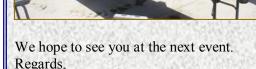


We shared great stories of racing and automobiles as usual, and had some great treats sponsored by PCA. The group attracted many Porsche owners from Wiscon sin, Illinois, and Michigan who were excited to learn about Porsche Club of

America and see the beautiful venue at Road America dedicated to the vehicle that we all love.







Andrew H. Opicka





Comments from Laura:

"Thanks to Andrew and Elise Opicka, Gordon Skog, Nick Proctor, Dave Kochinski, Laura Prellwitz, and Jim & Mary Haen for volunteering to work at the membership drive. We were pleasantly surprised by some very nice Milwaukee members who stopped by to socialize, including John Guy; and our own Roy Geigel who also visited with us."

## FOX VALLEY ROAD & TRACK CLASSIC VIII

### FOX VALLEY ROAD & TRACK CLASSIC—MAY 18

The Fox Valley Region participated admirably in the day's events, beginning with a breakfast at the North Shore Golf Club in Appleton. Our region donated \$500 from our own funds. Through a subsidy from PCA, we were able to add another \$350, for a grand total of \$850 going towards the Wisconsin Chapter of Multiple Sclerosis. All the car clubs together for this event raised about \$3000.

Members in attendance were:

Larry Rogers, Herb Velazquez, Bill Hewitt, Ron and Chris Possell, Laura & Jamie Prellwitz, Stacey Sensor and Jim Linnabary, Alan Cayer, Howard Bornstein, Tom & Kathy Robl, Jim Stephenson, Greg Russo, Steve De-Baker, and Josh Skog. The Prellwitz's and Larry Rogers also participated by registering the 112 total participants.



Thanks again to Roy Fine from the British Car Club for organizing this charitable event, and for inviting the Fox Valley Region PCA to be a part of it!

# 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.
- 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

# ROAD AMERICA TICKET RAFFLE

### **Poad America Tickets Paffle**

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 Porsches, Percherons, and Pizza event; and Tuesday, June 3 at the dinner social at Mackinaw's Grill.

### The drawing will be held the evening of June 3.

Raffle tickets for **Brian Redman/Kohler International Challenge on July 19** will be sold Tuesday, June 3, at Mackinaw's; Sunday, June 8 at the "Run Between the Lakes" auto tour; and 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.

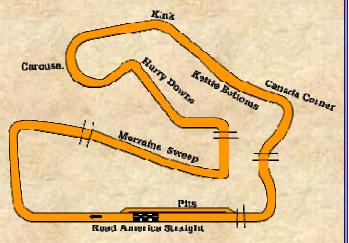
Lastly, raffle tickets for the **Fall Vintage Races on Sunday**, **September 21** will be sold July 19, August 2 Rustic Road Tour #2, August 5 dinner social (location TBD), and the Labor Day picnic at Road America.

### 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 1ST HAYRIDE & DRIVE

# Porsches, Percherons, & Pizza

Sunday, June 1, 2008 (re-scheduled)

Rock K Ranch, Greenleaf, WI 2372 Day Road, Hwy. 96 Horse-drawn Hayride pulled by Registered Percherons



Hayride 3:00 PM <u>SHARP</u> (one hour)
Fire pit afterwards - Smores provided
P lease bring a beverage/s) of your choice.

This event is being re-scheduled as the ground conditions were too poor to go in April.

The Door County Parks tour originally scheduled for this day has been cancelled,
so take a drive to Greenleaf, and let's enjoy some original horsepower!

All members and their immediate families are invited to attend.

You <u>MUST R.S.V.P.</u> no later than WEDNESDAY, MAY 28. (920)242-1644 or <u>lprellwitz@att.net</u>)

Maximum wagon capacity is 35 people.

<u>Directions from the Fox Cities:</u> Take Hwy. 10 east to Hwy. 32/57 in Forest Junction. Turn left and go north about 7 miles. Turn right onto Hwy. 96 (Day Street). Follow about 2.5 miles.

From Green Bay: Take Hwy. 32/57 south to Hwy. 96. Turn left 2 miles.

<u>From the Lakeshore</u>: Take I-43 north to exit 164 (Maribel). Go west about 10 miles to Cty. Hwy. W. Turn right, go north about 2.5 miles to intersection with Hwy. 96. Turn left onto Hwy. 96. About 1.5 miles on the left.

Afterwards we will car caravan to Bilotti's in DePere for pizza. (thanks to Charles Johnson for the recommendation)

Laura Prellwitz

# JUNE 8 - STATE PARKS TOUR

June 8 State Park Tour - Kettle Moraine Area

**FREE Admission Day!** 

Meet at the Park and Ride at exit #120 off I-43 and Cty. V on the south side of Sheboygan. at 10:00 AM.

Leaving the Park and Ride, you will be on Cty. V. Go east to Kohler-Andrae state park. Go past the park office and follow the main road. We will also stop at the Sanderling Nature Center. Optional walk on the boardwalk. Follow tour through the rest of the park.

"The fascinating rolling sand dunes and the viewing of prevalent wildlife make Kohler-Andrae State Park a must visit for out-door-minded visitors. The Sanderling Nature Center offers many interesting displays and its auditorium is the site of educational presentations and programs that take place throughout the year. Perhaps enjoyed more than any other feature at the parks are the dunes, the sandy beach and the various all-purpose trails that range from 1.3 to 4.3 miles in length. The boardwalk/cord walk is a favorite of seniors. A number of special events are planned annually on the trails with the torch-lit hiking and skiing events particularly popular. There are 105 available campsites, open year-round." Exit the park on Cty. V going west.

At the intersection of I-43, turn right and go north. Notice the huge American flag at the Acuity insurance building. "Erected on Acuity's immaculately manicured grounds stands the nation's tallest flagpole. The pole, taller than a football field is long, flies a flag longer than a football field is wide. The pole is 338' high and measure 6' wide at the base and weighs 65 tons. The pole is sunk into a 550 ton block of concrete that is 40 feet deep and eight feet wide. It is reinforced with countless steel rods. The flag measures 120' by 60' or 7200 square feet and weighs 300 lbs. Each star is 3' high and each strips is 4.5' wide. Visible from miles away, America's tallest flagpole is near exit #123 along I-43."

Continue north to exit #126 or Hwy. 23 West towards Kohler. Go 2/3 of a mile, turn right onto Cty. Y. Go south one mile on Highland Drive to the Kohler Design Center. "Discover a world of gracious living in the premier showroom for the nation's leading plumbing products manufacturer, Kohler Co. More than two dozen designer bath vignettes, along with product displays for Baker and McGuire furniture and Ann Sacks tile and Stone, fill the dramatic 36,000 square foot, three-level space and offer an abundance of kitchen, bath, and home furnishing ideas. Tour the ceramic art gallery and see the fascinating displays of historic Kohler Village and Kohler Co. in the lower level museum."

Follow Highland Drive south to Cty. PP. Turn right, going towards Sheboygan Falls. Follow Cty. PP to Cty. PPP, then to Hwy. 28 West. Turn left onto Cty. U. Follow Cty. U to Parnell Tower. FREE picnic lunch will be served. "One of the highlights of the Ice Age Trail hike is going up the Parnell Tower. Located in the heart of the Kettle Moraine State Forest, near the intersection of County Hwy. A and Kettle View Road, this 60' wooden observation tower was rebuilt in 1988 and offers a panoramic view of the forest and surrounding farmlands. On a clear day, one can see about 25 miles."

From the tower, follow Cty. U ¼ mile to Cty. A. Go south on Cty. A to Cty. SS west to New Prospect. Turn left onto Cty. G to Mauthe Lake State Park. Tour park. There is a hiking trail around the lake if you are interested. "Sheboygan County's portion of the Northern Unit of the Kettle Moraine State Forest includes some 14,865 acres along the western boundary of the county. Across the impressive terrain created by gouging glaciers stretch 71 miles of picturesque hiking trails, 58 miles of groomed snow-mobile trails, 39 miles of scenic bridle trails, 15 miles of cross-country ski trails as well as extensive areas and facilities for picnicking, hunting, fishing, primitive camping, biking, tobogganing, and general sightseeing and appreciation of the outdoors."

Exit park, turn right onto Cty. G and go north to Dundee. Turn right onto Cty. F, going east. Turn left onto Division Road, then left onto Butler Lake Road. Enter Long Lake State Park. Tour park.

Exit Long Lake, go east on Butler Lake Road to Cty. V going north to Hwy. 67. Follow Hwy. 67 north towards Plymouth, turn onto Cty. A to Greenbush. Stop at the Old Wade House State Historic Site. It's Visitor Appreciation Day. Last tour is at 4 PM and the building closes at 5 PM.

"The Wade House Stagecoach Inn was built in 1850 to serve the traffic on the busy Sheboygan and Fond du Lac Plank Road, offering food, shelter and respite for travelers passing through and settling Sheboygan County. Enterprising Yankee (New England) settlers Sylvanus and Betsy Wade built this center of refinement in the Wisconsin wilderness, replacing the log cabin that had house them since 1844. A rare survival, the period furnished interior of this landmark 27-room stagecoach inn remains inviting to those who visit today. Costumed guides lead interactive tours of this impressive structure. The trade of the site features the meticulously reconstructed Herrling Sawmill and Dockstader Blacksmith Shop. Originally owned and operated by German immigrant Theodor Herrling, the water-powered muley type up-and-down sawmill is one of just a handful of its type in North America. Designed to saw boards and planks from logs, the mill provided important cut lumber to the local economy. Tours and demonstrations offered throughout the day. At the Blacksmith Shop, visitors watch as sparks fly and fires dance in the forge as the smith demonstrates how to pound hot iron into tools and items once used by the 19<sup>th</sup> century residents of Greenbush. Costumed experts demonstrate this fascinating craft on a daily basis. The magnificent Pabst Family park drag and rare Velvet Tobacco Co. peddler's wagon are examples of the more than 100 horse-drawn vehicles on display at the Wesley Jung Carriage Museum. The museum houses Wisconsin's largest and one of America's finest collections of 19<sup>th</sup> and 20<sup>th</sup> century horse-drawn vehicles, many restored by Wesley Jung of Sheboygan."

Leaving the Wade House, follow Cty. A. to Hwy. 23 east. Take Hwy. 23 to I-43, concluding the tour.

# HIGH-END CAR SHOW—JUNE 21, 08

Last year, we, here at Enterprise Motorcars and Porsche, ran a very successful car show in June.

Greg Van, our service director, and I were in charge of coordinating the event and all the activities that went with it.

It was all to benefit the Make-a-Wish Foundation, and we believe that 2,500+ people came to event last year and we were able to raise over \$2,000.00 for the organization as well!!!

This year, the Bergstroms, Greg Van and myself want to DOUBLE those figures, and to do that we need DOUBLE the attendance. Which means DOUBLE the car show participants!

Last year we had about 20-25 "top end" vehicles that include the makes of Porsche (GT3 RS, Carrera GT, 996 & 997 Twin Turbos, 356 and a very early 911), Mercedes (300SL Gullwing, E63 AMG), BMW (M6), Ferrari (575, Testerossa, 360, 288 GT!), Lamborghini, Ford (GT, Steve McQueen's Mustang, and a real Cobra), Acura NSX, Jaguar and even a 1941 Packard!

This year we have all of those cars plus a couple of Bentleys, some Vipers, a 599 Ferrari, Maserati GT, SLR McClaren and more, but I would like to see is your cars here as part of the Fox Valley Porsche Region, plus any other "special" vehicles that you may have.

What I am asking is that on **Saturday June 21**<sup>st</sup>, the donation of your "interesting, rare or unique" vehicle for a great cause. Also if you know anyone with a special car, please invite them to contact me as well. We are starting to reserve spots earlier this year due to the increase in cars and the size of the event.

It is a great opportunity to chat with other participants and the attendees about these fine automobiles.

Unlike last year, there will be a "gift basket" for every entry into the car show.

To reserve a spot for your special vehicle, please contact me, Joshua Yagow at Bergstrom Enterprise Motorcars. You can call me at 920-749-2020 or e-mail me at jyagow@bergstromauto.com or jyagow@hotmail.com.

Let's make this year a great year for the Make-a-Wish Foundation!!

# Joshua Yagow

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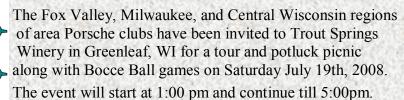
# PICNIC AT TROUT SPRINGS WINERY



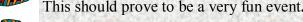
Mark Your Calendars Saturday July 19th, 2008

From Steve DeBaker....

PORSCHE PICNIC AT TROUTSPRINGS WINERY



Music on the pergola overlooking the vineyard, along With good food and wine will highlight the day as club

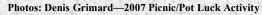






Members should RSVP by July 12 to info@troutspringswinery.com or call Steve or Andre at 866.687.9463.

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

































### 62ND BIRTHDAY CELEBRATION—ZERO TO 60





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# BIRTHDAY CELEBRATION

WHEN: SUNDAY, JULY 27TH

Time: 10:00 a.m. TO 4:00 P.M.

WHERE: ZETO 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.

### 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
- Supervised Parade Laps of the track

- "Hot Pit" Escorted Tour Raffle
  - "Long Distance Award"

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



For the lastest schedule information please visit the IMSA website at <u>www.imsaracing.net,</u>

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

Porschepiatz 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

Friday Sept 19th (Approx 172 miles)

### Leave Tom's Drive-In at Noon

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

Stop at TBD

Pictures 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 <u>www.midwayhotels.com/la\_crosse</u>

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

Social time with Adult Beverages back at the Midway

### Saturday Sept 20<sup>th</sup> (Approx 162 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) - photo Drive to Prescott (Confluence of the Mississippi & St Croix) Lunch & Shopping in Stillwater (TBA)

Drive to St Croix Falls (Holiday Inn Express) - photo on right Free hot breakfast \$124 King Whirlpool, \$106 King, \$94 - 2 Queens

### www.ichotelsgroup.com/h/d/ex/1/en/hd/scfwi

Tour Taylor Falls and St Croix Falls - photo on right

Dinner TBA

### Sunday September 21st (Approx 278 miles)

### **Drive to Chippewa Falls**

Tour Leinenkugel Brewing Company Return home on your own... at your leisure

Confirmed to date (5/19/08) Janes, Olson, Skog, Ledesma, Prellwitz, Proctor, Grimard, and Richter.

Contact by June 30th: Cindy and Jim Janes jrjanes@omscom.com or porschepj123@ yahoo.com Day phone 920.231.5580 Nite phone 920.582.8630

Cindy and Jim Janes







### 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 <a href="mailto:boxster@new.rr.com">boxster@new.rr.com</a> 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 <u>www.944fest.com</u>.

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### 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 marquees 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 19<sup>th</sup>,

\$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.milwaukeemasterpiece.com

# FROM WITHIN THE 13TH ZONE

### From Within the 13th Zone – May 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 1<sup>st</sup>. 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 25<sup>th</sup> 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 <a href="www.pca.org">www.pca.org</a> 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 1<sup>st</sup>. 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 the 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

	Date	Event	Region
	June. 2008		
	6/1	FVR - Hayride at Rock K Ranch, Greenleaf, WI	Fox Valley
	6/3	FVR - Board Meeting @ Mackinaw's, Green Bay, WI	Fox Valley
	6/5	Milw - Board Meeting @ Brew City, Mequon, WI	Milwaukee
	6/6	Chicago Board Meeting @ VFW Hall, Park Ridge, IL	Chicago
	6/7	Milw - Spring Tour	Milwaukee
	6/8	FVR - "Run Between the Lakes" - State Park Tours, WI	Fox Valley
	6/8	Chicago - Inter Regional Autocross-MGA, Burlington, WI	Chicago
	6/8	Milw - Concours	Milwaukee
	6/9	Chicago Autobahn DE, Full Track, Joliet, IL	Chicago
	6/9	KY - Membership Meeting @ Blue Grass Motorsports	Kentucky
S	6/11	Milw - Blackhawk DE, Rockton, IL	Milwaukee
ıt	6/14	LTR - Car Talk @ Panera in Champaign, IL	Lincoln Trail
$\Xi$	6/14	KY - Breakfast Social @ Frisch's	Kentucky
Ū	6/15	Chicago Concours # 1, Long Grove, IL	Chicago
	6/15	BGR - Membership Meeting @ BD's Mongolian Grill	Bluegrass
(1)	6/15	CWI - Autocross @ Columbus 151 Speedway	Central Wisc.
	6/16	LTR - Dinner @ Lucca's Grill, Bloomington, IL	Lincoln Trail
	6/17	Milw - Porsche Enthusiast's Social @ Pandl's, Bayside, WI	Milwaukee
0	6/17	LTR - Dinner @ Mario's Pizzeria, Springfield, IL	Lincoln Trail
	6/18	CWI - Board Meeting @ Lee's Automotive	Central Wisc.
Q	6/19 - 6/22	June Sprints @ Road America - with FVR	Road America - FVR
	6/20 - 6/22	KY - DE @ Putnam Park, Mt. Meridian, IN	Kentucky
7	6/21	FVR "High End" Car Show @ Enterprise Motors in Appleton, WI	Fox Valley
7	6/22	Chicago Autocross # 2	Chicago
	6/25	Chicago Blackhawk DE - Rockton (PCA Nat'l Instructor Program)	Chicago
	6/28	LTR - Breakfast Social @ Panera Bread, Peoria, IL	Lincoln Trail
	6/28	LTR - Car Show in Champaign, IL	Lincoln Trail
Scalendar of events	6/29-7/3	Porsche Parade - Charlotte, NC	PCA National
8	July. 2008		
	7/1	FVR Social Dinner Tech Session @ Auto Dynamics, Manitowoc, WI	Fox Valley
. 4	7/3	Milw - Board Meeting @ Brew City, Mequon, WI	Milwaukee
U	7/4-7/6	SEM - Club Race & DE, Gingerman Raceway, South Haven, MI	South East Michigan
Lone	7/9	Milw - Blackhawk DE, Rockton, IL	Milwaukee
0	7/11	Chicago Board Meeting @ VFW Hall, Park Ridge, IL	Chicago
N <sub>1</sub>	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

Date	Event	Region	
July. 2008			
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	
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	

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	Oct. 2008		
	10/2	Milw - Board Meeting @ Brew City, Mequon, WI	Milwaukee
	10/4	Chicago Concours # 5 @ Octoberfest, Rockton, IL	Chicago
	10/4-10/5	Chicago Blackhawk DE Octoberfest- 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
(0)	10/19	BGR - Membership Meeting @ BD's Mongolian Grill	Bluegrass
نب	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
calendar of events	Nov. 2008		
4	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
Q	11/8 11/9	LTR - Car Talk @ Panera in Champaign, IL	Lincoln Trail
	11/10	Chicago Concours Judges School	Chicago
1	11/10	KY - Membership Meeting, El Tarasco Mexican Restaurant Chicago 2009 Planning Meeting	Kentucky Chicago
	11/15	KY - Breakfast Social @ Frisch's	Kentucky
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	12/4	Milw - Board Meeting @ Brew City, Mequon, WI	Milwaukee
[r )	12/6	Chicago Dinner Dance	Chicago
	12/6	FVR - Holiday Party @ Village Hearthstone, Hilbert, WI	Fox Valley
(1)	12/6	Milw - Holiday Party @ Bristle Cone Pines @ Hartland	Milwaukee
Cone	12/8	KY - Membership Meeting @ Blue Grass Motorsports	Kentucky
	12/13	LTR - Car Talk @ Panera in Champaign, IL	Lincoln Trail
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	12/27	LTR - Breakfast Social @ Panera Bread, Peoria, IL	Lincoln Trail
	July. 2009		
	6/30 - 7/4	2009 Keystone, CO Parade	

### One last reminder....

### **SUNDAY JUNE 1**

Hayride at Rock K Ranch in Greenleaf at 3:00 PM. RSVP by May 28 to <a href="mailto:lprellwitz@att.net">lprellwitz@att.net</a>. Limited to 35 people. Pizza dinner at Bilotti's in DePere to follow. See page 19 for details

### **TUESDAY, JUNE 3**

Tuesday, June 3, is the next meeting of the Board of Directors. See pages 6 & 7 in the newsletter for the agenda items. Social time is 5:30 – 7:00 for all members. Dinner will be from the menu at 7:00 PM. The board will meet from 6:00 – 7:00 PM. The meeting and dinner is at Mackinaw's Grill and Spirits just off East Mason Street in Green Bay. RSVP's are requested, please, to lprellwitz@att.net by June 1

# 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!

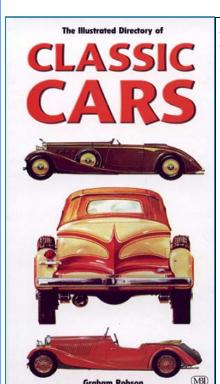
If you're an old timer you may recognize this author's name as he was a freelance photographer for Road America in the 60's and 70's. Incidentally, he has also owned a Porsche 914.

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!



### **Author: PHILLIP BINGHAM**

Arranged alphabetically by margue, 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 ar 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

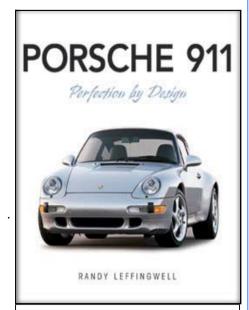
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#### **Author: Randy Leffingwell**

No other sports car has had a run like the Porsche 911, on the street or on the worlds racetracks. On the eve of Porsches 60th anniversary, this richly illustrated volume tells the story of that fabled marque. Renowned automotive writer and photographer (and Porsche aficionado) Randy Leffingwell focuses his lens on each important model. His pictures, in-depth analyses of each car and its context, and interviews with key personnel comprise a complete, compelling, and often revealing history of the worlds premier name in sports cars.

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### FVR-PCA TRIVIA CONTEST—TEST YOUR KNOWLEDGE

The answers to last month's trivia contest were....

The distinguishing external feature of the 356C was the new wheel and hub cab design which signified: **B.** Four-wheel disc brakes

The 356 C was available with a relatively rare Porsche body style: C Cabriolet with a removable top.

A 1964-model 356 C was available with which of the following engines? D 1600 SC

Production of the 356 officially ended in mid-September of 1965. TRUE

The grand total of Porsches made under the Type 356 banner was: **B** 76,303

The 1981 911 SC did not use a three-way catalyst and lambda sond (oxygen sensor). FALSE

In 1987, the 911 Carrera acquired a new transmission, what was the Type number? C G50

The displacement of the 911 engine changed for the 1984 model year from: **D** 3.0 liter to 3.2 liter

The 1989 911 Carrera had a standard road wheel diameter of 16 inches. TRUE

The 911 Cabriolet was first shown at the 1981 Frankfurt auto show with what engine? **B** 3.3 liter Turbo

Jeopardy answer: It was named after its inventor, Dr. Ferdinand Porsche. It is correctly pronounced "Porsh-a".

Contestant's point totals so far: John Beck – 18 points, James Prellwitz – 18 points, Nick Proctor – 17 points

This is still anyone's game. Due to the wagering in the Jeopardy question, point totals can quickly change, so everyone still has a winning chance to join in!

### This month's trivia questions are:

Porsche announced a six-year rust protection warranty for US cars beginning with:

Model year 1980 Model Year 911 SC Model year 1985 Model year 1995

Each of the Silver Anniversary 911S models was equipped with a commemorative plate on the dash. Whose signature was

represented on the plate?

Professor Ferdinand Porsche Ferry Porsche

Ferdinand "Butzi" Porsche
Ferry Porsche's sister, Louis Piech

Which of these aerodynamic features was first introduced on the Type 964 series:

Turbo wing Brake ducting

Automatic retracing spoiler Recessed windshield wipers

The first Porsche test track was public roads, in particular a very steep grade known as:

Katschberg Pass Gmund Gully
The section of autobahn between Stuttgart and Frankfurt The A1 ring

The Cayenne's pneumatic suspension features a self-leveling system that provides consistent vehicle position regardless of load. The system incorporates how many different ride height levels?

4 8 6 10

What was the purpose of the bits of tape placed on the external surfaces of the early 356 during road testing?

Aerodynamic testing To improve gas mileage while a new engine was being broken in

To improve driver visibility To ensure the car could be photographed easily

What is the total number of washers on the fan belt pulley of a 911 SC?

1 6

The GT2 has a 64 liter fuel tank and full-sized spare wheel and tire. True or False

The official driving school of Porsche Cars North America is called?

The Porsche Cup The Driver's Edge

The Porsche Driving Experience Porsche Driving Improvement Program

The rampant black horse on a yellow field in the center of the Porsche crest:

Was designed by Ferry Porsche Was designed by Max Hoffman

### The JUNE Jeopardy question is: What was the very first Porsche made and when?

You may wager 1-10 points on this answer. If incorrect, points will be deducted from your total school

BEST of LUCK to ALL

## MEMBERS' CORNER— FROM JIMMY HAEN

### Car Care Tips from Jimmy

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 <u>random orbit</u> 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



# ABOUT OUR BOARD MEMBERS

# About your newsletter Editor.....

Every month, I am very surprised and amazed that I can publish our Whaletales newsletter in English, which is my second language. Both France and I were born in a small mining town of a population of 10,000 called... Asbestos, Québec in eastern Canada, located about 60 miles north of the U.S. border from St-Johnsbury and Newport, VT. My parents were bilingual French and English and, so my four brothers and only sister, all speak both languages. France has a brother also living in Asbestos. France only learned English when we were transferred to Toronto, Ontario in 1989. Trust me on this, she is doing very well.

I met France during our high school years, courted for several years. This year, we will be married for 33 years this coming August. We have a son Patrick, 26, living and working in Canada. I graduated in Bachelor in Mechanical Engineering in 1978, and, there lays the foundation my passions for sports cars. I graduated later with an MBA from McGill University in Montréal, Canada.

I have worked for Kimberly-Clark now for over 30 years in Canada, the United States and we also lived over 3 years in Beijing, China.

I had several small 'sporty cars' cars and, the funniest of all my vehicles, was a 1984 Pontiac red FIERO (remember the plastic toy car?). The other interesting fact is that France's feet could not touch the pedals even when the seat was pulled tight against the steering wheel. Therefore, we had to make a special car seat cushion to allow for her to drive "our" Fiero, which quickly became my daily use vehicle.

The next 'sporty' small car we owned, was a 1988 Honda CRX which was the most fun two-seater vehicle of that era for us. I knew a university colleague who owned an older PORSCHE 914 model and I remember it traveling more often vertically up and down (at the faculty mechanical shop) than horizontally on roads. I did learn quite a good deal on Porsches at that time.

We purchased our Boxster in Milwaukee in May of 2005. The decisive test to purchase this car was for France to be able to drive this car without any 'booster cushion or pedals blocks'...and SURPRISE!, the seat elevates and France now towers over the road reaching 55mph right out of the dealership lot... on a 25 mph city street. She just loved the view and the 'sound' of the engine and, so right there and then, we purchased our seal gray color Boxster.

France and I enjoy traveling and, during our 3-year assignment in China, we spent quite a bit of time traveling in China, Thailand, Korea, Australia, Singapore, Bali and... Hawaii became our favorite spot as it was half way between Asia and North America to meet with our son coming from Canada. We did spend very memorable times in Honolulu.



At home, we enjoy TV, movies and dining out with friends. And we love to attend Porsche events with friends that have this same love in P-cars.

# Denis and France

### FOR SALE & PCA MEMBER ONLY RAFFLE 2008

# Porsche for sale - FROM ONE OF OUR MEMBERS

I am selling my 911 C4 in hopes to buy a new Cayman S. Anyway, just checking to see if you could help me sell it. Maybe you know someone who is looking for one. Its a 1989 Carrera 4. Its Guards Red, has 102,000 mi on it but its in great condition. I'm asking \$23,000. Anyway, if you know of anyone, please let me know. My email is quinn@struckoil.com or my cell is (920)333-0230.

Thank you,

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	Chris & Virginia Broome	Hancock, MI	2001	<b>BOXSTER S</b>
	Martin Gravit	Ashland, IL	1966	912
	Carol and Richard Helstad	Oconto Falls, WI	1991	911
	David & Jody Kadonsky	Oshkosh, WI	1986	944
	Robert Kasten	Schofield, WI	2000	BOXSTER
	Dave Kochinski & Olga Robertson	Appleton, WI	1985	930
	Todd & Melanie Marohl	Green Bay, WI	1983	911
	Doug Neuser	Whitelaw, WI	1977	924
	Greg & Mary Rigoni	Kingsford, MI	1988.5	944 TS
	Dennis Schreiner & son Frederic	Sobieski, WI	1974	914 and
			1981	911SC
	Ronald Sutherland	Manitowoc, WI	2001	911
	Kelly & Phyllis Wechsler	Neenah, WI	1987	944T
	Al & Pamela Kuck	Shawano, WI	1987	930





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