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On the cover

Zebra graphics are featured on the number 22 Porsche GT3, at the Autódromo Internacional Miguel E. Abed near Amozoc, Puebla, Mexico in 2010. I have found a recent interest in Zebras, and have developed an appreciation for whimsical caricatures.

From the President

One month down and just a few more to go before we get in our Porsches and drive them. Do not get me wrong, I love coming home after work and going in my garage, uncover a portion of my car, maybe rub my hands along the fender and admire the beautiful piece of art that these cars are. But the real thrill and excitement for me is driving down the open road and listening to the exhaust sing to me as the stress and worries are left behind, it just does not get any better than that. O/K enough of my artistic writing skills, but I do enjoy driving my car's and enjoy all the members and friend's that I meet at our events.

We have already had a couple of fun events, Dinner at Victoria's, hosted by Larry Rogers. Thanks Larry for a great evening. And the movie night at Barlow theater showing the movie "Senna", set up by Jim Stephenson, hosted by Jim's friend Jim Perry. I was not able to attend and it sounds like I really missed a great event. Nick Procter our club dealer liaison filled in for me, he stated that the movie itself was awesome and that alone was worth seeing, but it was even better to see in a theater environment where everything was in life size form and the surround sound system just made you think that you were there, it really added to the experience. Nick also was kind enough to fill in for me on presenting the club's appreciation plaque to Jim Perry, Thanks Nick And thanks to Jim Stephenson for setting this whole event up.

Upcoming events to watch for, Jim and Lisa Stephenson are hosting a dinner social at the Plum Hill Cafe, this is always a fun night of socializing and great food in a relaxed environment as it seems the club basically takes over the cafe, the owner's of the cafe really caters to our club that night. Please RSVP to Jim at sspeedster356@new.rr.com

John Beck is hosting the Chicago Auto Show bus trip, This is a great day event to spend some time with club member's, relax, read a book or watch a movie on the bus trip there or back home, and get to see the spectacular show of new cars at the auto show. If you have never been to the Chicago Auto Show, it is a huge and exciting show. This is a big undertaking for John to head this event and I thank him for taking this on. Feel free to invite friends and family for this all day event. RSVP to John or send your check to Larry.

Well the Packer's are done for this season now, what a heartbreak! I guess I will just turn all my attention to my Porsche and count down the days till summer.

Look forward to seeing some of you at future events;

Your club President; Gordon



FVR Calendar of Events

February	Tuesday, February 7, 2012 New member dinner at Plum Hill in Kaukauna, hosted by Jim & Lisa Stephenson. sspeedster356@new.rr.com
	Saturday, February 18, 2012 Chicago Auto Show FVR-PCA bus trip, co-hosted by John Beck and Jim Stephenson. pizzafiend@hotmail.com Also see http://www.chicagoautoshow.com
March	Tuesday, March 6, 2012 Spring Tech Session at the Auto Clinic, hosted by Gordon Skog. gord240z@live.com
April	Tuesday, April 3, 2012 Dinner/social at the Lorelei Inn in Green Bay, hosted by Jamie and Laura Prellwitz. lprellwitz@att.net
May	Tuesday, May 1, 2012 "Spring Opener" dinner/social/car show at Jim & Linda's in Pipe, WI, hosted by Allan and Pat Utecht. allanu@walsdorffroofing.com
	Sunday, May 20, 2012 Fox Valley Road & Track Classic - XII, sponsored by Roy Fine
June	Saturday, June 2, 2012 Coffee and doughnuts at Bergstrom Porsche, hosted by Nick Proctor
	Sunday, June 3, 2012 Picnic at High Cliff State Park, hosted by Jamie and Laura Prellwitz. lprellwitz@att.net
	Tuesday, June 5, 2012 Dinner/social at Kodiak Jack's in Oshkosh, hosted by John & Jeanne Strublic. jjstrublic@centurytel.net
	Saturday, June 16 - Sunday, June 17, 2012 UP Tour - Marquette area and waterfalls, hosted by Al Curran arcllc@gmail.com
	Saturday, June 23, 2012 Ladies' Only tour - Tour to the "Taste of New Glarus" festival, hosted by Laura Prellwitz. lprellwitz@att.net
July	Saturday, July 7, 2012 Coffee and doughnuts at Bergstrom Porsche, hosted by Nick Proctor
	Sunday, July 8 - Friday, July 13, 2012 PCA Parade Salt Lake City, Utah
	Saturday, July 14, 2012 Iola Old Car Show, tubing, and potluck, hosted by Barb & Mark Wilkinson. mark.wilkinson@charter.net
August	Saturday, August 4, 2012 Coffee and doughnuts at Bergstrom Porsche, hosted by Nick Proctor
	Tuesday, August 7, 2012 Dinner/social at Bavarian Inn, hosted by Larry & Pat Rogers
September	Saturday, September 1, 2012 Coffee and doughnuts at Bergstrom Porsche, hosted by Nick Proctor
	Monday, September 3 - Labor Day Picnic, hosted by George Payne
	Friday, September 14 - Sunday, September 16, 2012 Fox Valley Region 2012 Fall Tour to Paradise, Michigan, hosted by Jamie and Laura Prellwitz lprellwitz@att.net
October	Tuesday, October 2, 2012 Fall tech session at Auto Clinic, hosted by Gordon Skog
November	Tuesday, November 6, 2012 Dinner social at Mackinaw's (tentative location) Host: TBD
December	Saturday, December 15, 2012 Holiday Party at Holiday Inn Neenah Riverwalk. Host: TBD

Upcoming Events

What: New Member's Dinner and Social

When: Tuesday, February 7, 2012

Where: Plum Hill Cafe
313 Dodge Street, Kaukauna, WI 54130

Hosted By: Jim and Lisa Stephenson

Details: The Tuesday, Feb 7, 2012 New Member's Dinner will take place at Plum Hill Cafe in Kaukauna. This event is one of the newer additions to the FVR gatherings, and due to its success, appears destined to become another long-lived annual tradition.

All members are encouraged to attend, especially those who haven't attended a FVR PCA event before. Bring a spouse, bring a friend! If you have never before experienced The Plum Hill Café, it is a great venue for this event as it provides a casual atmosphere perfect for conversation, along with an exceptionally high quality dining experience.

Contact: sspeedster356@new.rr.com

February 2012						
Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
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Andrea and Steve DeBaker are working diligently on scheduling for an event at Trout Springs Winery in Greenleaf this year. They would like to remind FVR members that the plan for having a local artist on site who could produce original artwork featuring the Porsche of a limited number of participating members is in place. The minimum start bid for an 11 by 14 is \$300 and would take about 4 hours to complete; please see the artist bio and sample of his work.

Artist bio - Paul Goderstad

Turning the scenic outcasts into beauty is the attraction that drives Paul Goderstad's artwork. Colorful and bold renditions are created from otherwise overlooked and forgotten places and subjects. Around the corner, behind the shed is where Paul finds subject matter, believing that a good design can yield pleasure for the viewer in an unexpected way.



A Sample of Goderstad Art

Primarily self taught but taking workshops from artists Ken Dewaard and Bonnita Budysz have given Paul fresh insight into his bold and colorful expression.

Organizational affiliations include:

Water's Edge Artists (WEA), 2009-present

Lakeshore Natural Resource Partnership (LNRP) juried calendar inclusion 2011 and 2012.

Auto Show Bus Trip Update!

FVR-PCA Chicago Auto Show Bus Trip Saturday, February 18, 2012

Please join fellow FVR-PCA members, family and friends for a bus trip to the Chicago Auto Show.

\$28.50 per passenger covers the bus service and a tip for the driver. CAS event tickets, sold separately, are \$11 per adult and may be purchased in advance online or on site at the door.

The bus will stop for a quick buffet breakfast at Bublitz's in Lomira, and for dinner at Mirabell, featuring German cuisine, in Chicago on the way back. Everyone is responsible for the cost of their own meals. See the schedule below for more detail.

6:45am	Meet at Park and Ride on Ballard and US 41 in Appleton
7:00am	Bus departs Appleton Park and Ride
7:35am	Bus stop at Park and Ride on US 41 and WIS 26 (Oshkosh south)
7:40am	Bus departs Oshkosh Park and Ride
8:00am	Stop for breakfast at Bublitz's Restaurant and Ale House
8:45am	Bus departs Bublitz's
9:15am	Bus stop at Park and Ride on US 41 and Lannon Road
9:20am	Bus departs Germantown Park and Ride
12:00pm	Arrive at Chicago Auto Show
4:00pm	Bus departs Chicago Auto Show
4:15pm	Stop for dinner at Mirabell Restaurant
5:30pm	Bus departs Mirabell
8:00pm	Bus stops at Oshkosh Park and Ride
8:30pm	Bus arrives at Appleton Park and Ride

Note the addition of the Germantown Park & Ride pickup point. Also, Chicago Auto Show Senior tickets (62 and older) are available for \$7 when purchased from the organizers online! If interested in learning more about the bus service, please check their [Frequently Asked Questions online](#).

To reserve your seats, please RSVP prior to February 6 by mailing a check payable to "Fox Valley Region PCA" in the amount of \$28.50 per person to:

John Beck
2718 Independence Court
Appleton, WI 54914
920-560-1811



Reservations will be made on a first come, first served basis until the bus is full. We expect the 56 seats to fill up quickly, but in order to secure the bus, we require that at least 50 people are signed up by February 6. If you have any questions, please contact John Beck at pizzafiend@hotmail.com

Spring Tech Session

Spring Tech Session at the Auto Clinic



When: Tuesday, March 6, 2012

Where: Auto Clinic of Neenah
1495 County Road II
Neenah, WI 54956

Hosted By: Gordon Skog

Details: For this year's Spring Tech Session we will continue to keep it light and simple,

Gordon Skog, owner of Auto Clinic will discuss what to do in getting your Porsche's out for the first run in the Spring and demonstrate the steps of an engine removal for a Porsche 911.

Of course, the floor will be open for discussion, with questions on on any topic welcome.

**All members and friends welcome, No RSVP needed, just show up when you can!
Join for free pizza and drinks and a relaxing event. Great Door Prizes!!!!**

Contact: Gordon Skog gord240z@live.com
Shop (920) 722-7990 Cell (920) 428-6954

March 2012

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
4	5	6	7	8	9	10

Picnic at High Cliff

FVR Picnic at High Cliff State Park



June 2012

When: Sunday, June 3, 2012

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
3	4	5	6	7	8	9

Where: High Cliff State Park
N7630 State Park Road, Sherwood, WI 54169

Hosted By: Jamie and Laura Prellwitz

Details: FREE State Park Admission and FVR Picnic at High Cliff!

Sunday, June 3, will be a great day to go for a Sunday drive! Members are encouraged to take a leisurely and scenic drive of their own choosing to High Cliff State Park, Wisconsin's only state park located on Lake Winnebago. Additionally, June 3, is FREE ADMISSION day to all state parks, so an entry sticker or fee is NOT required.

Jamie and Laura Prellwitz will have grills going from 11:00 - 1:00 PM. Hot dogs and brats, buns, condiments, table ware, etc. will be provided. Please bring your own beverages and a dish to pass (appetizer, salad, or dessert). You are welcome to arrive early and stay late to enjoy the many features of the park.

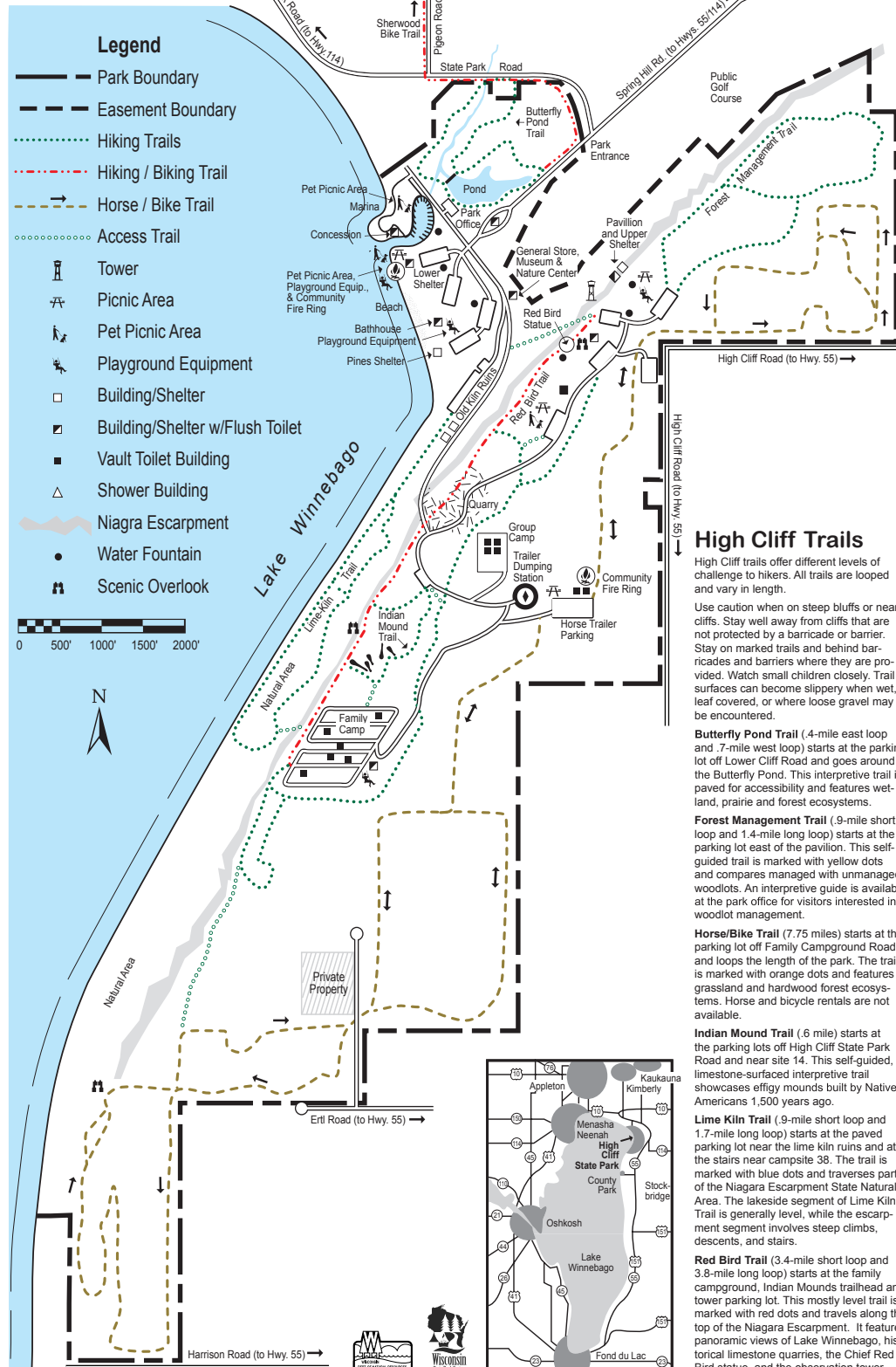
Unfortunately, picnic sites cannot be reserved. Therefore, we cannot guarantee where we will be in the park. However, we hope to set up at the picnic and lower shelter areas near the marina. See the map on the next page. If we are not there, please check the map for the other picnic sites.

For more information on the park go to <http://dnr.wi.gov/org/land/parks/specific/highcliff>

Contact: RSVP's due to Friday, June 1 to lprellwitz@att.net

High Cliff Map

High Cliff State Park



2012 Ladies Only Tour

Fourth Annual Ladies' Only Tour



June 2012

		Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
When:	Saturday, June 23, 2012	17	18	19	20	21	22	23
Where:	Taste of New Glarus Festival New Glarus, WI							

Hosted By: Laura Prellwitz

Details: Ladies of the FVR-PCA, mark Saturday, June 23, as YOUR day to drive the Porsche! Please join us for our annual ladies' only tour. This year's trek will take us 28 miles south of Madison to New Glarus, "Little Switzerland", WI, for their annual "Taste of New Glarus" festival.

Meet at Gordon Skog's Auto Clinic at 1495 Winchester Road, Neenah, 7:30 - 8:00 AM. We will depart promptly at 8:00! It will be a scenic and casual drive to New Glarus, and we will avoid the Madison/metro area. It is approximately 150 miles, or a three hour tour (a three hour tour.....but at least we're on land and not in a boat!)

If Neenah is not a convenient place for you to meet with us, we will be passing near these locations: Oshkosh, Waupun, Beaver Dam, Columbus, Lodi, and Prairie du Sac. Please let me know if you will join us from one of these locations instead.

The festival is in downtown New Glarus. The featured events are a craft fair from 9:00 AM-5:00 PM, "Taste of New Glarus" 11:00 AM - 4:00 PM, and wagon rides from 11:00 AM - 5:00 PM. For more details go to www.swisstown.com/tasteng.shtml

We will depart New Glarus at 4:00 PM for the return trip back to the Fox Cities.

Contact: Please RSVP to Laura Prellwitz by Thursday, June 21 to lprellwitz@att.net or call 920-242-1644.

2012 FVR Fall Tour

What: Fall Tour to Paradise 2012, or "Choose Your Adventure"

When: Friday, September 14 to Sunday, September 16

Where: Manistique, Michigan

Hosted By: Jamie and Laura Prellwitz

Details: It's never too early to start planning ahead!
Next year's fall tour is already scripted! It
just needs YOU to join us to make it fun.

September 2012						
Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
9	10	11	12	13	14	15
16	17	18	19	20	21	22

The general tour route will be a departure Friday, September 14, at 10:30AM from the north side of Green Bay to Wallace, MI, with a stop at the DeYoung Family Zoo. From there we will travel to our final destination, Manistique, MI. Or, you may drive up on your at your leisure and we'll meet you when you arrive.

On Saturday, you will have three options of driving tours; from minimal, to moderate, to long-distance hard core (traveling to the town of Paradise and Whitefish Point, coming within 17 miles of where the Edmund Fitzgerald sank in 1975). You will have several choices on Saturday about where you want to go and what you want to see, and if you want to be on your own, or be with a larger group. Destinations offered include waterfalls (with optional boat rental), a zoo, a lighthouse(s), shipwreck museum, a microbrewery, wine tasting, shopping, a bear ranch, beaches, scenic overlook(s), a two-mile boardwalk, gambling, or spending quality time with your significant other at the motel. Of course, there will be a tailgate party Friday late afternoon, "Show and Shine" early Saturday AM, a spouse swap Saturday afternoon, and everyone is encourage to wear their FVR-PCA or Porsche logo clothing. If you'd like more details about the trip ahead of time, I can send you a script of the tour for your review.

Sunday's return route will generally be on your own, with several suggestions for points of interest along your return trek. Some of us may travel together to common destinations. We are staying at the Econo Lodge motel at 1101 East Lake Shore Drive (Hwy.2). Because we are returning guests (from five years ago) and the entire facility has been booked by our club, the managers have given us an outstanding discounted rate of \$65 per night for ANY room. All rooms are non-smoking. There are two handicapped accessible rooms, and two rooms that are pet friendly. The motel has free Wifi, includes a hot breakfast, has a whirlpool and fitness center, and all rooms have outside entrances. Rooms are very large and clean. Choices of rooms are: 2 queen beds, 2 double beds, 1 queen, 1 king, 1 queen whirlpool, 1 king, 1 king whirlpool. YOU MUST CALL THE MOTEL DIRECTLY to book a room. Tell them it's for the "Fox Valley Porsche Club". If you have any problems, ask to speak to one of the managers, Al or Pat, or let Laura Prellwitz know (so she can get on her broomstick!). The phone number is 1-906-341-6014. You may start reserving rooms now. Once you have booked a room, send an e-mail to lprellwitz@att.net so a roster can be kept. There are 30 rooms max. August 13, 2012 is the cut-off and any unclaimed rooms will be released to the public. If you call after that day, you will pay the regular rack rate.

Travel with us to Paradise September 14 -16, 2012! [Show on Google Maps](#)

Contact: Sincerely,
Your tourmeisters, Jamie and Laura Prellwitz lprellwitz@att.net

Fall Tour Update!

September 14-16 Fall Tour Update

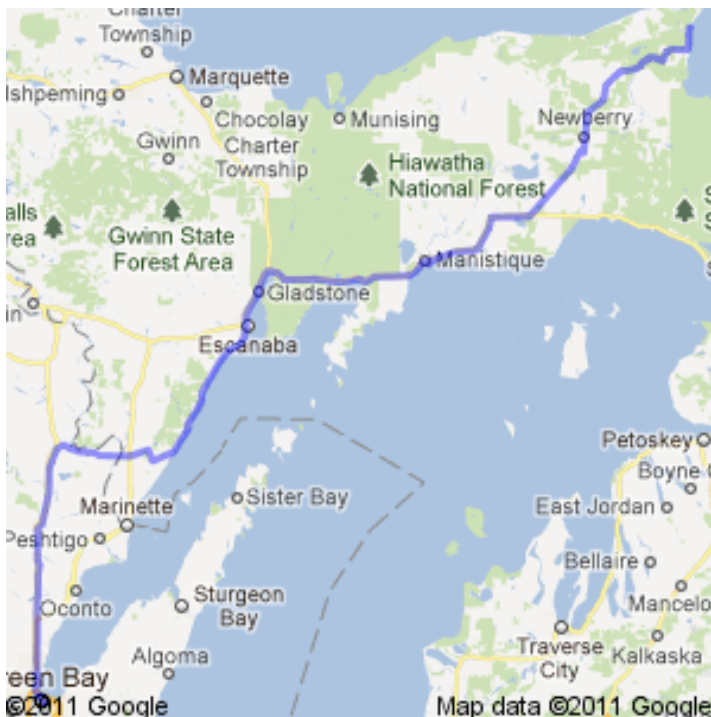
Accommodations at EconoLodge Manistique, MI, \$65 per night, any room until 8/15/12. Call the hotel directly 906-341-6014 to make your reservation ("Fox Valley Porsche Club")



Tahquamenon Falls, just one of the beautiful scenic stops we will visit on our tour to Paradise!



Yes, there really is a Paradise!



However, we can't have
F_ N if we're missing U!

Please join us on our thirteenth
annual fall tour.

For more specific details or to make
an RSVP's by August 15, 2012
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2012 Escape - Eureka Springs, Arkansas - November 8-11

Escape is one of the “big” Porsche Club events of the year. It’s often the case that the Parade is on one coast or the other, and not everyone has the time or budget for a trip like that, perhaps all the way across the country. Escape provides you with another option.

Escape, like the Parade, moves around each year and is typically held on the opposite side of the country from the Parade. It is a multi-event weekend, with a national attendance list. While the Parade has a competitive focus, Escape is purely non-competitive. It is a socially oriented weekend focusing on camaraderie and friendship. It is a great opportunity to show off your car, see old friends, make new ones, and enjoy the good will and fellowship of other Porsche owners. All this without the pressure of: “Did I miss that speck of dirt?” or “Is this the fastest line through the track?” or “Was that a rally landmark?”

Typically a long weekend, such as Thursday through Sunday, Escapes usually consists of banquets, driving tours, drives to local area attractions and perhaps a “People’s choice” car show. Other activities may include an “off road” event for our Cayenne enthusiasts. There may also be organized group lunches or free time (either day or evening) to allow you to explore area restaurants and culture on your own. Memorabilia of the Escape or the local region may be available for purchase at a goodie store. The primary goals are to provide a fun venue for club members to congregate and show off the highlights of a new part of the country.

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FVR Dinner at Victoria's

On Tuesday, January 3, 2012 a gathering of Fox Valley Region members was held at Victoria's Restaurant in Appleton, starting off with some social time and cocktails in the bar followed by dinner in private dining room. This event has become a favorite way to kick off the New Year among many FVR members. From the looks of the smiles of those attending, many thanks are due to Larry and Pat Rogers for hosting this annual event.



FVR members and guests enjoyed an evening at Victoria's in Appleton (Jamie Prellwitz photo)

The New Boxster

Source: Porsche AG Press Release

Lighter and more muscular, more distinctive and more fuel-efficient
The new Boxster generation - the mid-engine roadster from Porsche

Stuttgart. Never before in the history of the Porsche Boxster was a change of generation so comprehensive. The open-top two-seater car is being marketed with a completely new lightweight body and a completely revamped chassis. Considerably lower weight, longer wheelbase, a wider track and larger wheels significantly enhance yet further the mid-engine sports car's driving dynamics, already far and away the best in its class, supported by the new electro-mechanical power steering. The new Boxsters boast superior performance and are also up to 15 per cent more fuel-efficient. Depending on model, they get by with significantly less than eight litres of fuel per 100 kilometres.

The new Boxster thus delivers what the fundamentally changed styling with shorter overhangs, significantly forward-shifted windscreen, flatter silhouette and expressive edges promises. The passengers are enclosed by the completely redesigned, fully electric hood, which now dispenses with a convertible top compartment lid. The interior concept offers the occupants more space and reflects the new Porsche outline with the raked centre console, which, originating with the Carrera GT, ensures further improved ergonomics in all models.

The new sports car generation makes its debut in the classic Porsche pairing of Boxster and Boxster S. Both models are powered by flat-six engines with direct petrol injection, the efficiency of which is further enhanced by electrical system recuperation, thermal management and start/stop function. The base model's new power unit delivers 265 hp (195 kW)



Porsche Boxster S, Porsche Boxster (Porsche AG Press Database)

The New Boxster

from a 2.7 litre displacement - ten hp more than its larger displacement predecessor. Technically, it is now based on the 3.4-litre engine of the Boxster S. This now delivers 315 hp (232 kW), which is five hp more than before. Both models feature a manual six-speed gearbox as standard with the seven-speed Porsche Doppelkupplungsgetriebe (PDK) available as an option. Both sports cars achieve their best fuel consumption and acceleration performance with the PDK. The Porsche Boxster's fuel consumption with PDK is 7.7 l/100 km and 8.0 l/100 km for the Boxster S. With gear changes without interruption to the power flow, the Boxster sprints from zero to 100 km/h in 5.7 seconds, the Boxster S in 5.0 seconds.

To enhance driving dynamics yet further, Porsche offers the Sport Chrono Package as an optional extra for the Boxster, featuring dynamic transmission mounts for the first time. Also new in the Boxster is Porsche Torque Vectoring (PTV) with mechanical rear axle differential lock.

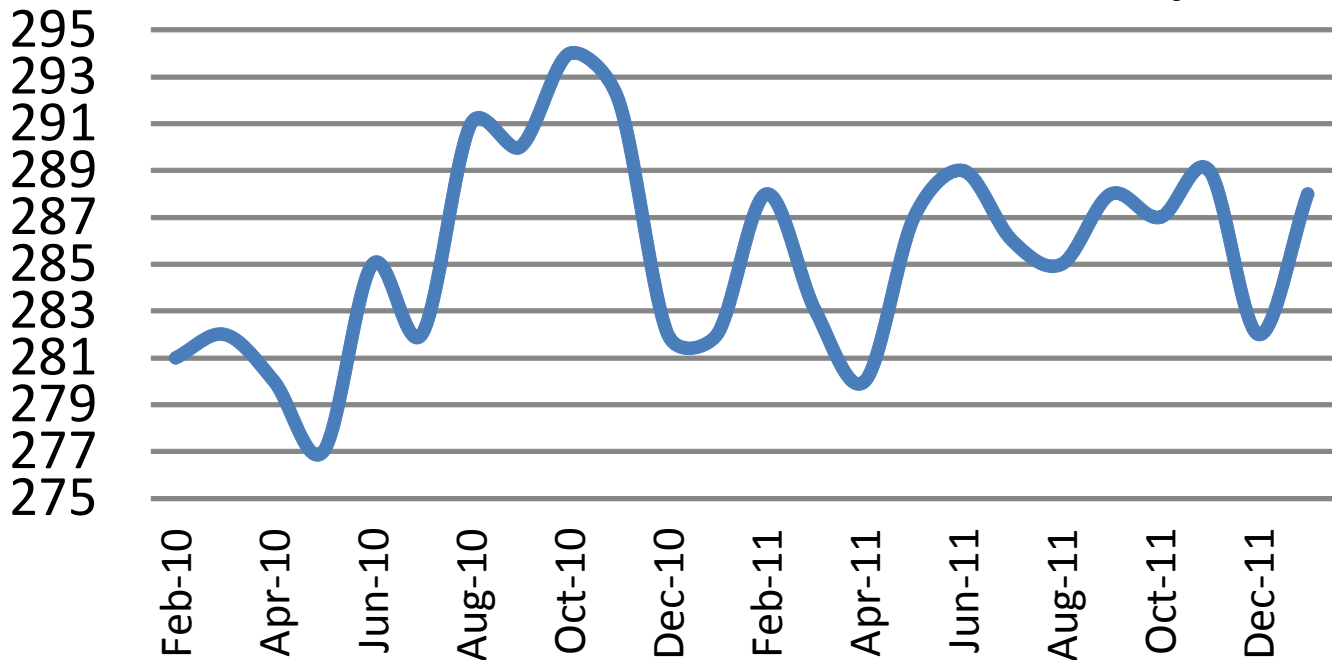
The market launch of the new Boxster generation will be on 14.04.2012. The basic list price in Germany will be 48,291 euro for the Boxster and 59,120 euro for the Boxster S, including 19 per cent value added tax in both cases.



Porsche Boxster S (Porsche AG Press Database)

FVR Bits & Pieces

Previous 24 month FVR total membership



HELLO MY NAME IS

If you have been to a club event, undoubtedly you have seen others at the meeting with the attractive and classy engraved wood name tag, which is a great alternative to the press-n-peel name tag.

Now, you will no longer need to be embarrassed when you forget to take it off and go somewhere else afterwards - this FVR logo name tag rocks!

Larry Rogers has the solution for you! Our region has very attractive and professional name badges that are laser-engraved with our region's name, and

most importantly, your name for about \$12 each. You can order either a pin-on style or magnetic style. Please contact Larry at fvrpca@sbcglobal.net to order yours now. You can have it in time for our upcoming events.



Membership Milestones



Member Anniversaries

Name	Location	Vehicles(s)	Member Since
Steve & Andrea DeBaker	Greenleaf, WI	1984 911	2006
Richard Elrod	Appleton, WI	2006 911, 2005 Boxster	2006
David & son Ian Johnson	Suamico, WI	1999 911 996	2000
Brian & son Joshua Liesch	Green Bay, WI	1999 911	2006
James & Marlies Lowey	Keshena, WI	1985 Carrera	2009
Darrell Lubenow	Pulaski, WI	2011 911	2011
Michael & Kathleen Mayhew	Marquette, MI	1972 911	1973
Gary & Hally Rosenbeck	Sherwood, WI	2004 Boxster 550, 1997 993	2003
Tal & Keri Sellers	Neenah, WI	2002 911	2005

Welcome to our newly transferred in members of the Fox Valley Region!

Name	Location	Vehicles(s)	Member Since
Michael & Beverly Jurkowski	Hales Corners, WI	1990 911 C-2	1986
Jerry & Lisa Wachowiak	Kohler, WI	2002 Boxster, 2000 Boxster, 1973 914	2006

Our region's current membership is 288 total members; 159 primary members and 129 affiliate/family members. Thanks to all of you who continue to promote our club to fellow Porsche owners! Thank you also to our loyal members who continue to renew their membership with us annually. Your continued support and participation is greatly appreciated.

From the Editor



The Learning Curve

Please note the updated information in this month's Whaletales regarding several events on the horizon, both near and far. The Chicago Auto show bus trip, organized by John Beck, has some added and updated information in the ad on page 6 of this issue. Please act soon to reserve your seat on this tour, and to ensure that a sufficient number of interested parties are signed on to reserve the bus. Please respond by February 6th to John at pizzafiend@hotmail.com

Also, note event details added for the Sunday, June 3 picnic planned at High Cliff State Park. With free admission to the Wisconsin State Parks on this day, it sounds like a perfect reason to celebrate! And Ladies of the FVR, Saturday, June 23 looks like a great day to cruise to New Glarus, "Little Switzerland", WI, for their annual "Taste of New Glarus" festival as the Laura Prellwitz hosts the 2012 Ladies Only Tour. See page 10 for details.

And on pages 11-12, you will find the straight scoop on the Fox Valley Region's signature event, the FVR Fall Tour. This year, the tour participants will head for Paradise, Michigan on a three day excursion for what will surely be a great time. And it seems as if "Paradise by the Dashboard Light", perhaps best remembered as performed by Meat Loaf and Ellen Foley, has become the unofficial theme song. Friday, September 14 through Sunday, September 16 are the days to mark on your calendars for that event.

As I had mentioned in the opening paragraph, we also have events very near on the horizon, and a very special event is the New Members Dinner and Social hosted by Jim and Lisa Stephenson on Tuesday, February 7 at Plum Hill Café in Kaukauna. Please, contact sspeedster356@new.rr.com immediately to reserve a spot for this fast approaching event. For more details, see page 5.

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