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June 2012

Successful Spring Waterfalls Tour!
Spyder 918: Evolution Meets Emotion
Cayenne GTS Introduced



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On the cover



Participants in the 2012 FVR Spring Waterfalls Tour stopped at the beautiful George Young Golf Course near Iron River, Michigan and enjoyed special parking privileges while on a lunch break.

From the President

The month of May started off with the clubs traditional Spring opener event at Jim & Linda's, in Pipe, It amazes me each year the large attendance at this event and this year was no different. Al and Pat Utecht hosted a wonderful event, The weather and the lake flies co-operated to make it a great night of socializing and dining, Thanks Al & Pat for keeping the tradition.

On May 19th Greg and Mary Rigoni hosted the Spring Water Fall tour in northern Wisconsin and Upper Michigan, This event is also turning into a club tradition. What a fantastic time we had, great weather, beautiful scenery and great people and friends to spend the day with. What a way to let your stress just float away and enjoy the moment. Greg and Mary, you did a heck of a job putting this together.

A couple of months ago I wrote in one of my articles about taking the engine out of my Porsche and not having worked on the repairs since the removal. Well guess what, I still have not gotten to the repairs. It just seems like everything else takes priority over getting my own car back together, personal, family or business problems have cropped up one after the other, I guess I can be thankful that these problems are not all at the same exact time and not as serious as what some people have to deal with, but they are problems that take priority over my car repairs. So yes I did have to break out my Datsun 240Z for the Pipe run and I had to borrow one of my customer's Porsche 914 for the Waterfall Tour and I did have to take a lot of ribbing at both events because of this. With all this, I still feel lucky and blessed. You see, I feel that something like a car, something that does not have a heart or soul. Has given me the love of so many friends, friends that I never would have known if it were not for my Porsche. Friends that share common interest and enjoy similar passions as I do. All because of my car and getting involved with this club. I never would have dreamed it possible. So look for me at future events with my Porsche or some other Porsche that I may have to borrow. When mine does get back on the road, that will be a club event in its self, or as one of our members suggested, maybe have the engine installation be the Fall Tech Session at the Auto Clinic. But what ever you do, get out and attend some of these club events, as you can see, it is not just the car, its the people that make it all worthwhile.

For June we start off with Coffee and Doughnuts at Bergstroms, hosted by Nick Proctor, Stop in at the Bergstrom Dealership and show your support and see what is new for Porsche. Then we have Jamie and Laura hosting a picnic at High Cliff Park. Lets hope the weather holds out like it did for these past 2 events. This is June 3rd. On June 5th we have John and Jeanne Strublic hosting dinner at Kodiak Jacks in Oshkosh, always a fun night, be sure to check on how to get there around all the road construction. And last we have Laura hosting the Ladies tour, I hear that this is a fun event, but I have never been invited or allowed to attend this. Makes me want to all that much more. I think it is because of the way I dress or something.

Till next Month, I hope to meet some new members enjoying our club as much as I do.

Thanks,

Proud to be your
President; Gordon



FVR Calendar of Events

June	Saturday, June 2, 2012 Coffee and doughnuts at Bergstrom Porsche, hosted by Nick Proctor
	Sunday, June 3, 2012 ****CANCELED**** Picnic at High Cliff State Park, ****CANCELED****
	Tuesday, June 5, 2012 Dinner/social at Kodiak Jack's in Oshkosh, hosted by John & Jeanne Strubic. jjstrubic@centurytel.net
	Saturday, June 23, 2012 Ladies' Only tour - Cedarburg for the 27th Annual Strawberry Festival, hosted by Laura Prellwitz. lprellwitz@att.net ++ Destination Change ++
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
	Saturday, July 28, 2012 Social at Trout Springs Winery, hosted by Steve & Andrea DeBaker brchrivr@centurytel.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
	Friday, August 10, 2012 Milwaukee Region DE event at Road America ++ New Event! ++
	Saturday, August 18, 2012 Door County Sports & Classics car show in Egg Harbor, hosted by Bob Hawley. Call Bob at (920) 252-2544 for further information.
	Saturday, August 25 - Sunday, August 26, 2012 The Milwaukee Masterpiece Concours d'Elegance and car club show on the shores of Lake Michigan
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

Late breaking notice: As indicated above, it has regrettably been necessary to cancel the Picnic at High Cliff scheduled for Sunday, June 3rd.

June 5: Kodiak Jack's Dinner Meeting

Dinner/Social Meeting at Kodiak Jack's

June 2012						
Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
3	4	5	6	7	8	9



When: Tuesday, June 5, 2012

Where: Kodiak Jack's Steak & Seafood
[2059 Witzel Ave, Oshkosh](#)

Hosted By: Jeanne & John Strublic

Details: Please join us at Kodiak Jack's in Oshkosh for the June 5th dinner/social meeting. The turnout for this meeting is always terrific and we always have many favorable comments on the food and service. We will meet for cocktails at 5:00 in the bar with dinner following at approximately 6:30PM. Kodiak Jack's has a wide variety of menu items of all prices. We will be ordering off the menu and please note that the restaurant will add the tip to your bill. They have a wonderful table of snacks in the bar area until 6PM. Our meeting will be in a separate area with our own bar and salad bar so if you come in the main doors turn right to enter the bar and go all the way to the back and you will see the separate area that we will be in. We will be parking in the parking lot at the north end of the building and there also is a door there that will take you close to our meeting area.

Kodiak Jack's is just off of Highway 41 next to the Wal-Mart Super Center. The address is 2059 Witzel Ave., Oshkosh. It seems like every year there is road construction going on for our meeting! At the present time the ramp is closed at Hwys 21 and 41. Therefore, please take the 9th Avenue exit and take the roundabout west towards Burger King. At Burger King take that roundabout to the right (north). You will go past Wal Mart and VanVreede's and come to another roundabout. Take that roundabout to the third street (west) which is Witzel. Kodiak Jack's will be on the left hand side.

Contact: Please email us at jjstrublic@centurytel.net to let us know if you will be attending. We will need to have all responses by Monday, June 4th.

Hope to see you there!!

May 19-20: Spring Waterfalls Tour

June 2012

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

What: **Flag Day Parade!**

When: Saturday June 9, 2012; staging at 1:00pm

Details: For the second year in a row we have the opportunity for the Fox Valley Porsche Club to be in the June 9th Appleton Flag Day Parade! We will again be teaming up with the Cub Scout Pack 3012 from Franklin Elementary on Appleton's north side.

Just like last year, we will have the scouts riding in our cars with us, waving to the thousands of people that will be lining the parade route. The parade limits entries to 7 vehicles per group so while it will be fun to get a good representation of different Porsche models I will be fair and do things on a first RSVP basis so please let me know your interest ASAP!

It was a lot of fun last year, you will see lots of friends and neighbors on the route and will be on TV as the local stations are covering the parade. I look forward to a great day. The parade starts at 2:00pm with staging starting at 1:00pm. I think we were all done last year about 3:30 - it doesn't take long. This year's theme is a salute to the Coast Guard so if you have any gun turrets or red and white stripes that you can decorate your car with all the better :-). I'll give everyone the final details as to where we will meet etc. after I have the RSVP list.

Any questions please call or e-mail me (920) 202-1691 or fwotruba@att.net.

Oh, and don't worry - I make sure none of the kids have any pens or sharp objects in their back pockets :-). They all had a great time last year and are looking forward to it again this year!

Thanks,

Fritz



June 23: Ladies Only Tour

Fourth Annual Ladies' Only Tour



>>>>> New Destination <<<<<<

In consideration of rising gas prices, travel time, and road construction, this year's ladies' tour has changed its destination to Cedarburg for the 27th Annual Strawberry Festival

When: Saturday, June 23, 2012

Details: 7:30 - 9:00 AM - Gather at Laura Prellwitz's home in Manitowoc for refreshments, light breakfast, and social time.

June 2012

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
17	18	19	20	21	22	23

9:00 AM - Depart and head south on I-43. Optional stop at I-43 Park and Ride Exit #120 @ 9:30 to meet any other participants south of Sheboygan. (Some members from the Oshkosh or Fond du Lac areas may prefer to take Hwy. 41 South to Hwy. 23 East, then south on I-43).

10:00 - 10:15 - Arrive in Cedarburg and park in designated lot in Fireman's Park. A free shuttle is provided to downtown Cedarburg. Festival activities include: arts, crafts, wine tasting; 100+ food vendors, many food items featuring strawberries, live music throughout the grounds (variety of styles). More than 100,000 people attended last year's festival. Admission is free.

Festival-goers will enjoy strolling the nine block Historic District which is on the National Register of Historic Places in downtown Cedarburg where the festival is held.

2:00 PM - Meet in parking lot and depart. We will return north on I-43 and stop at Craverie Chocolate Café in Kohler for some social time and maybe a few more indulgences while overlooking Woodlake from the scenic deck.

For more details, check the websites

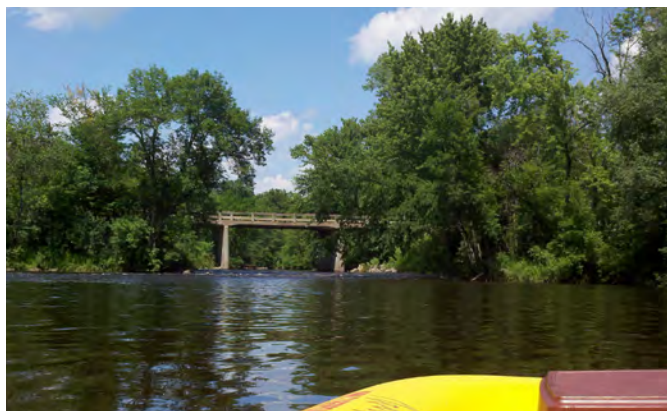
<http://www.cedarburgfestivals.org/strawberryfestival> or <http://www.shopsatwoodlake.com>

From Kohler, participants may take Hwy. 23 West to Hwy. 41 to return home, or take Hwy. 23 East to I-43 North.

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

July 14: Iola Old Car Show & Tubing

Third Annual Iola Old Car Show & Tubing Picnic



July 2012

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
8	9	10	11	12	13	14

When: Saturday, July 14, 2012

Where: [N4975 County Road B](#)
New London, WI (6 miles west of New London, from Wisconsin Highway 54, take Waupaca County B 3/4 mile north of Royalton)

Hosted By: Mark & Barb Wilkinson

Details: We are hosting at our home the third annual cookout / social to coincide with the Iola Old Car Show weekend. For those interested in visiting the Iola car show, it is about 15 miles to the show grounds from our home. The theme of this year's show--geared towards vehicles 30 years old or older-- is "21st Century Orphans -- A Tribute to Plymouth, Oldsmobile, Mercury and Pontiac" making this another great opportunity to get a dose of automotive nostalgia at one of the nation's largest old car shows.



For those that would just as soon kick back, enjoy the weather, friends, food, and refreshment; well - come on and enjoy the party! We have 32 acres on the Little Wolf River, with several mowed trails for taking walks, and shaded seating on the deck. Bring along lawn chairs, lawn games, or other outdoor summertime recreational favorites. Canoeing or tubing down the Little Wolf River is a local favorite in the summer months. "Putting In" about a mile and a half up the road with one of our private fleet of tubes and the optional "Beverage Barge" will float you to our back yard in two to three hours, depending on the rate of flow (I meant the river!). We will supply snacks, dips, roast beef sandwiches, water and a sampling of other refreshments. If you care to bring something along that's OK - but really not necessary!

Contact: Please RSVP to Mark Wilkinson by Thursday, July 12 mark.wilkinson@charter.net

July 28: Dinner at Trout Springs

What: Potluck Dinner & Bocce Ball Tournament

When: Saturday, July 28, 2012

Where: Trout Springs Winery
8150 River Road, Greenleaf, WI
www.troutspringswinery.com
44.2479, -87.9188

Details: Steve & Andrea Debaker, owners of Trout Springs Winery cordially invite the club to join them at the winery on Saturday, July 28 for a potluck dinner and of course, bocce ball in the vineyard. Event to start at 2pm and Steve will be giving a tour at 3pm of the winery and hatchery for anyone interested, with wine tasting to follow afterwards. Please bring a dish to pass; burgers, condiments and dinnerware will be provided by the hosts.

Artwork: Andrea and Steve 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.

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.

Contact: R.S.V.P. by July 20th please to (920) 864-7761 or brchrivr@centurytel.net

July 2012

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
22	23	24	25	26	27	28



A Sample of Goderstad Art

August 18: Door County Car Show

		August 2012						
What:	Door County Sports & classics	Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
When:	Saturday, August 18, 2012 10:00am-3:00pm	12	13	14	15	16	17	18
Where:	Egg Harbor, WI							
Details:	Please join us in the first Egg Harbor car show on Saturday, August 18, 10 to 3. We will have a private “Porsche Park” at the bank parking lot in downtown Egg Harbor. Live music all day and we are show casing four or five cars. So far, we have a ‘58 Aston Martin, an ‘80 Morgan, and a Shelby Cobra. There will be a VIP gathering at Stones Throw Winery the night before on Friday August 17.							
Contact:	Call Bob Hawley at (920) 252-2544 for further information.							



DOOR COUNTY SPORTS & CLASSICS

CAR SHOW



Saturday Aug. 18th 10:00am - 3:00pm
Egg Harbor, Wisconsin

REGISTRATION FORM ON BACK

Door County Sports & Classics Car Show

R E G I S T R A T I O N F O R M

Egg Harbor, Wisconsin Saturday, August 18, 2012 10:00am – 3:00pm

Entry Fee and Deadline: \$10 entry fee by August 1 (\$15 thereafter).

First 150 entrants will receive: dash plaque, collector poster, and a swag bag with coupons and goodies.

Please PRINT Clearly:

Name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

E-mail: _____

Make of Car: _____ Model: _____ Year: _____

Judged Categories: check only one:

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| <input type="radio"/> Sports, contemporary (2000-present), import | <input type="radio"/> Classic, 1950-1979, import |
| <input type="radio"/> Sports, contemporary (2000-present), domestic | <input type="radio"/> Classic, 1950-1979, domestic |
| <input type="radio"/> Sports, 1976-1999, import | <input type="radio"/> Classic, prior to 1950, import |
| <input type="radio"/> Sports, 1976-1999, domestic | <input type="radio"/> Classic, prior to 1950, domestic |
| <input type="radio"/> Sports, 1950-1975, import | |
| <input type="radio"/> Sports, 1950-1975, domestic | |
| <input type="radio"/> Sports, prior to 1950, import | |
| <input type="radio"/> Sports, prior to 1950, domestic | |

Awards: Trophy and Bottle of Wine for winner in each category. Winner of "People's Choice" award receives a framed photo of the owner and car - in addition to trophy and wine.

Raffle prizes: Drawings from 10am - 2pm. **Live music:** all day. Sponsored by the Egg Harbor Business Association (EHBA)

In consideration of this entry, car owner(s) agrees to permit Egg Harbor Business Association the use of their name, picture and pictures of their vehicle for publicity, advertising and commercial purpose before, during and after the event. Also, the acceptance to the right to participants and spectators by execution of this form, release and discharge Egg Harbor Business Association, the Village of Egg Harbor or any other organization or sponsoring bodies and their officers, directors, employees, agents, representatives, and or anyone else connected with management or presentation of Door County Sports & Classics Auto Show of and from any or all known and unknown damages, injuries and/or claims from any cause whatsoever that may be suffered by any entrant to his or her person or property. Further, each entrant expressly agrees to indemnity of all the foregoing entities, firm, person, and bodies of and from any and all liability occasioned or resulting from the conduct of entrants or any participant assisting or cooperating with entrant.

Signed: _____ Date: _____

(Application must be signed in order to be processed.)

Please note that all vehicles MUST be moved or parked in a legal parking space after 5pm the day of the show.

****Confirmation of your registration will be sent by e-mail.****

Mail completed, signed entry form and check made payable to "EHBA":

EHBA
PO Box 33
Egg Harbor, WI 54209



September 14-16: 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: September 14-16 Fall Tour Update

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

13th Annual Fall Tour to Paradise (MI) Fox Valley Region Porsche Club of America



September 14-16, 2012

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you many opportunities to
choose your own adventure,

based on your driving
preferences and personal
interests.

Friday, September 14:

Meet and depart at the Shell
gas station at exit #173 on
Hwy. 41/141 (Lineville Road)
9:30-10:00 AM.

We will head north to Crivitz
where we will take a short "leg
stretch" break, then continue
on to Wallace, MI, for our first
stop at the DeYoung Family
Zoo. Admission is \$12 per
person, cash only. Seniors
age 65+ are \$10 each. We will
arrive @11:30 AM and depart
@ 1:30. Lunch is available at
the concession stands at the
zoo. Hot and cold sandwiches
are available, along with
assorted snacks, desserts and
beverages.

<http://thedeyoungfamilyzoo.com>

After the zoo, we will drive
to Manistique, MI, our final
destination. Arrival time 4:30
PM, EST. After checking in
at the Econo Lodge motel,

we will have a tailgate party
in the parking lot until 6:30
PM. Please bring a snack
item to share and your
own beverages. We will
depart @6:30 to drive a short
distance to Indian Lake Golf &
Country Club for a fish buffet
dinner at 7:00 PM.

www.indianlakegolfclub.net

Friday OPTION:

Drive up on your own and
meet us in Manistique, MI,
at the Econo Lodge at your
convenience.

Evening Entertainment:
The Kewadin Casino is three
miles east of the motel on Hwy.
2. Be sure to check at the front
desk for your free 20 tokens
per night to use at the casino.

For more information about the
Econo Lodge motel go to www.econolodge.com/hotel-manistique-michigan-MI711

**All unreserved rooms will be
released on August 10, 2012.**

September 14-16: FVR Fall Tour



When you have made your motel reservation, please e-mail Laura Prellwitz at: lprellwitz@att.net or call 920-242-1644

Saturday, September 15

Show and Shine "competition" at 7:30 AM!

You will have three options today.

ALL drivers/passengers meet in the parking lot at 8:30 AM. Everyone is encouraged to wear their FVR-PCA or Porsche logo attire today.

OPTION #1

All day driving tour to Tahquamenon Falls State Park, Paradise, and Whitefish Point. There is an \$8 entrance fee for the waterfalls park. An optional \$13 fee for the shipwreck museum admission and \$5 to climb the lighthouse tower. Walking the grounds and observation deck is free at

Whitefish Point. For additional information, go to:

www.uppermichiganwaterfalls.com

www.paradisemichigan.org

www.shipwreckmuseum.com

"Partner swap" in the afternoon!

OPTION # 2

Partial day driving tour to Tahquamenon Falls State Park, (\$8 entrance fee) with option to visit Oswald's Bear Ranch on your return trip to the motel.

www.oswaldsbearranch.com

\$15 per car admission.

OPTION #3

Stay and relax as much as you like at the motel, and/or explore the scenery of Manistique. There are several gift shops, a winery, a 2 mile boardwalk along the beach leading to a local lighthouse, and some historical buildings in the area.

For more information about attractions in the Manistique area, go to

www.visitmanistique.com

Saturday evening:

7:00 PM buffet dinner at the

restaurant in the Kewadin Casino.

Stay and play at the casino after dinner, or return to the motel for some additional social time in the breakfast room.

Sunday, September 16
You have two options today.

Option #1

Sleep in and return home at your pace and leisure.

Option #2

Tour group meets at 9:00 AM to travel to Kitch-iti-kipi, "Big Spring" or Palms Book State Park. Admission fee \$8.

www.uppermichiganwaterfalls.com

Depart based on group's consensus and travel to Escanaba, MI. Stop at Saykly's Confectionary and Gifts. Lunch nearby at Hudson's Grill. Optional stop afterwards at Sand Point Lighthouse (\$3 admission fee) in Ludington Park in Escanaba. The park is beautifully scenic and is free.

Return to the Green Bay/Fox Cities area late afternoon.

****FVRPCA News Flash**** Our Fall Tour Meister has received confirmation that our Zone 13 Representative, Ken Hold, and his lovely wife, Adell, will be joining us on the 2012 FVR fall tour!

PCA National Events

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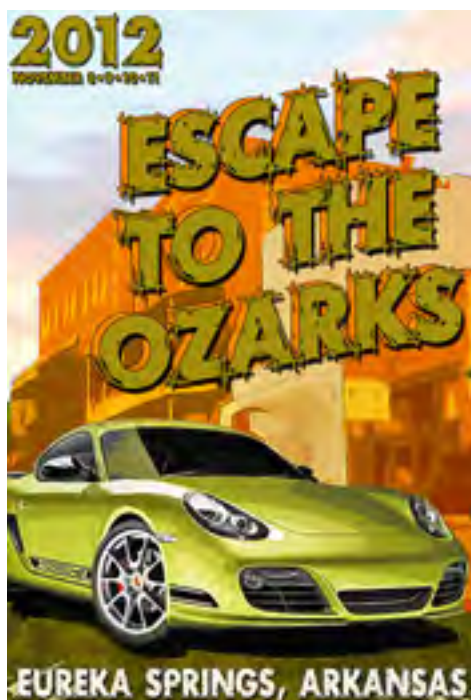
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**Registration
closes
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2012 Escape - Eureka Springs, Arkansas - November 8-11

web site now live - <http://www.pca-escape.org/>

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.

November 8th, 9th, 10th, and 11th Eureka Springs, Arkansas will host the 2012 Escape weekend billed as "Escape to the Ozarks", and we are hard at work finalizing plans for a weekend we're sure you'll enjoy. The event will consist of banquets, driving tours, drives to local area attractions and a "People's Choice" car show. There will be free time during the event to allow you to explore area restaurants and culture on your own.

Editor's note - If you've never been to Arkansas in November, I would recommend thinking seriously about attending this event. In a month when Wisconsin nights--and sometimes even the days--are calling for pulling the covers up and going into hibernation, it can bring great autumn colors and superb weather to the Ozarks. If I can pull this one off, might just be a road trip!

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Sucessful Spring Waterfalls Tour!

Source - Laura Prellwitz

Members of both the Fox Valley and Milwaukee regions joined together for the Fox Valley Region Spring Waterfalls Tour. For the third consecutive year, the FVR spring waterfalls tour took place in Upper Michigan, hosted this year by Greg Rigoni. In total, 24 members in 13 cars, spent Saturday, May 20, exploring several of nature's most beautiful natural displays of rock and water formations in the Iron Mountain, MI area including Long Slide Falls Morgan County Park and Pier's Gorge on the Menominee River.

The weather was sunny with temps in the upper 80's so it was perfect weather for driving our Porsches more than 125 miles on curvy, hilly, back roads. Leaving our cars to explore some of the spectacular scenery up close by briefly hiking in the forest was a great way to spend the day with PCA members from across Wisconsin and Michigan.



Spring Tour group on bridge overlooking Dave's Falls County Park near Amberg (Prellwitz Photo)

Successful Spring Waterfalls Tour!



First stop, Dave's Falls (Prellwitz Photo)



The group assembled at Pine Mountain Resort for the Saturday evening dinner (Prellwitz Photo)

Spyder 918: Evolution Meets Emotion

Source: Porsche AG Press Release

918 Spyder prototypes commence trials

Stuttgart. The Porsche 918 Spyder is on the road: Dr. Ing. h.c. F. Porsche AG, Stuttgart, has taken the driving trials of the super sports car of the future a step further with completion of the initial prototypes. The 918 Spyder will go into production at the end of September 2013 as planned, with the first customers receiving their vehicles before 2013 is out. "What we are doing with the 918 Spyder is redefining driving fun, efficiency and performance," said Wolfgang Hatz, Member of the Executive Board Research and Development of Porsche AG.

The prototypes, their camouflage harking back to historical Porsche 917 racing cars, signal the final touches to the 918 Spyder. The focus is on the interplay between the highly sophisticated individual drive components. The combination of combustion engine and two independent electric motors—one on the front axle and one in the drive line, acting on the rear wheels—poses completely new demands on the development of the operating strategies. "They are therefore a critical component in this vehicle into which we have put all of our expertise and capacity for innovation," said Wolfgang Hatz. These operating strategies and the development of the software to go with them are one of Porsche's core competences. Both of them have a major influence on the extreme driving fun to be had with the 918 Spyder and they make possible a unique combination of minimal fuel consumption and maximum performance. The initial results of the driving trials are in line with the high expectations placed on the 918 Spyder.

The super sports car is designed as a plug-in hybrid vehicle combining a high-performance combustion engine with cutting-edge electric motors for extraordinary performance: on the one hand, the dynamics of a racing machine boasting more than 770 hp, on the other hand, fuel consumption in the region of three litres per 100 kilometres (78 mpg). Moreover, Porsche is breaking yet more new ground with the technology demonstrator with spectacular solutions such as the full carbon fibre reinforced plastic (CFRP) monocoque with unit carrier, fully adaptive aerodynamics, adaptive rear-axle steering and the upward-venting "top pipes" exhaust system. In the process, the 918 Spyder is offering a glimpse of what Porsche Intelligent Performance may be capable of in future.



Porsche 918 Spyder-Prototype (Porsche AG Press Database)

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Cayenne GTS Introduced

Source: Porsche AG Press Release

Porsche showcases new Cayenne GTS at the AMI

Stuttgart. As of tomorrow, Dr. Ing. h.c. F. Porsche AG, Stuttgart, will be present at Automobil International (AMI) in Leipzig with three vehicle premieres. The highlight of the Porsche presence in Hall 3 is the new Cayenne GTS. Porsche is unveiling the open-top 911 Carrera and new Boxster right on cue for the peak convertible season. Both sports cars are models of intelligent lightweight design and are making their debut appearance at a German automotive trade fair.

"The AMI is an ideal venue for unveiling the new products for spring 2012 in front of a domestic audience and only a few kilometres from our Porsche plant in Saxony. The domestic market Germany is a known quantity for Porsche. That is why, with our partners, we are planning to invest more than 100 million euro in the medium-term in existing and new Porsche centres," said Klaus Zellmer, CEO of Porsche Deutschland GmbH at the press conference in Leipzig.

The current sales figures substantiate these plans: in May, Porsche increased customer deliveries in Germany by 24 per cent compared with last year's month to a total of 1.917 units. With more than 750 vehicles sold, the Cayenne continues to be the bestseller on the German market.



Unveiling of the new Cayenne GTS (Porsche AG Press Database)

Cayenne GTS Introduced

The GTS unveiled at the AMI is the latest and most emotional model in the Cayenne model line. Its looks alone leave no doubt as to its sporty focus. The front end with its larger cooling air intakes is borrowed from the Cayenne Turbo, specific side skirts and distinctly wider wheel arches in the same colour as the car shape the side view, the attention-getter at the rear end is the dominant roof spoiler with twin-wing profile. The bonnet conceals a 420 hp (309 kW) updated 4.8-litre V8 engine. The NEDC fuel consumption is a mere 10.7 litres per 100 kilometres (22 mpg). An especially dynamically tuned engine and transmission design reinforces the emphatically sporty characteristics, enabling short bursts of speed at any time.

The Leipzig plant as well will be showcasing itself on the Porsche stand with interesting details on every facet of car manufacturing and the visitor experience programmes as well as the latest job offers and information on the plant expansion. The location is getting its own paint shop and own body assembly line for production of the new Macan model line. Approximately 1,000 new jobs will be created in the medium term.



Klaus Zellmer, Chairman and CEO of Porsche Germany GmbH, presented the new Cayenne GTS (Porsche AG Press Database)

FVR Bits & Pieces

The Milwaukee Masterpiece or Wisconsin's Answer to Pebble Beach

Every August there is a fabulous Concours d'Elegance and car club show on the shores of Lake Michigan at Veteran's Park. The Milwaukee Masterpiece is Wisconsin's answer to Pebble Beach and Meadowbrook coupled with the welcoming blue waters of a truly Great Lake. Some of the finest examples from around the world gather at this annual event. August of 2012 promises to continue the tradition that will be of particular interest to those of us who own or follow German cars. In addition to the traditional "club day" on Saturday (8/25) which is open to all marques to gather on the grounds, there is a special class for the feature day on Sunday (8/26). On Sunday there will be a class for Teutonic Touring and Track Cars. The class will be open to German touring and race cars which are 1973 or older. Eligible marques include Mercedes Benz, Porsche, Audi, BMW, VW, etc. How about a Ford Lincoln/Mercury Capri rally car? Sunday is a by invitation event with those that wish to display their car applying for acceptance. It is really painless. Just send a few digital pictures of the car and a paragraph or two with the background describing what makes the vehicle unique and special. Send the material to either Mike O'Krongly at mokrongly@aol.com or to Ron Pace at ronald.pace@kohler.com. Space is somewhat limited so get your submission in quickly.

See you in August!



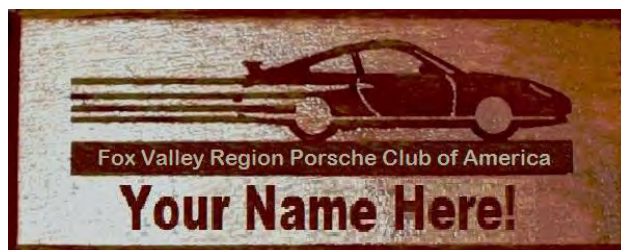
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Member Anniversaries

Name	Location	Vehicles(s)	Member Since
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Tom & Pamela Bracewell	Two Rivers, WI	1980 911	2010
Charles Crotty & Judy Jason	Marquette, MI	1983 911 SC	2010
Dennis & Susan Garrity	Green Bay, WI	1997 Boxster, 1956 356	1990
Randall & Arlene Johnson	Neenah, WI	1983 911S, 1995 993	2007
William & William Kort	Appleton, WI	1985 911, 1985 928	2006
Arleigh & Mary Lueck	Appleton, WI	1986 944T	1991
Phillip & Julieann Petit	Appleton, WI	2001 Boxster S	1998
Gregory & Linda Russo	Appleton, WI	2004 Boxster, 1964 356C	1997
Timothy & Judith St Aubin	Appleton, WI	1999 Boxster	1992

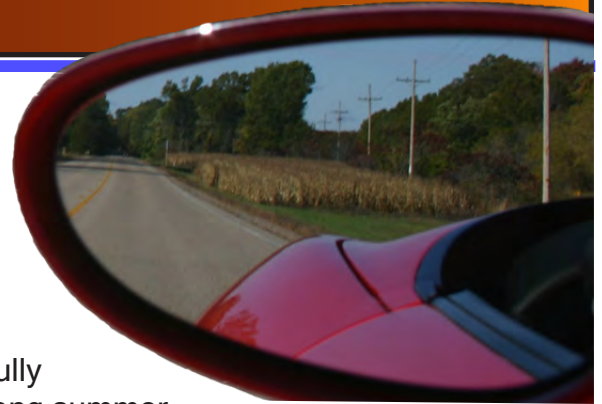
Welcome to our new members of the Fox Valley Region!

Name	Location	Vehicles(s)	Member Since
Al & Kerri Bandola	Suamico, WI	2005 911 Turbo S	2012
Maciej Czechowski & Ewelina Rojek	Manistique, MI	1978 928	2012
Eric & Al Iverson	Little Chute, WI	2004 Boxster S	2012

Our region's current membership is 289 total members; 157 primary members and 132 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



The long anticipated month of June is here, and will hopefully bring us many great things. We are now in the season of long summer days just perfect for a ride in the Wisconsin countryside, preferably with the top down. The reality of life, it seems of course, is that so many “things” get in the way of enjoying that relaxing time behind the wheel of a Porsche. That is certainly understandable, given the adversity so prevalent these days. Work, health, family, financial matters - so many responsibilities, and so little time.

Maybe it is time to re-prioritize a bit, and get back on track. With many great FVR events lined up through the remainder of 2012, and with new ones being added nearly month there are so many opportunities to get out and enjoy some camaraderie with our fellow Porsche enthusiasts. Maybe I'll just call it my late “New Year's” resolution, and put those FVR event dates on my calendar in bigger, bolder font. That is a “must do”.

Just got to get out on the road, radio off, listening to that sweet exhaust note, with the warm sun shining down...

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