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About the cover: Region members on the Sunrise to Sunset tour enjoyed this view at the overlook of the "Lake of the Clouds" in the Porcupine Mountains Wilderness State Park in Michigan. Photo credit: Todd Whitenack.

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#### **New Inventory**

Stock#	Year	Model	Color	Price
18293	2018	Macan	Gray	\$62,510
19356	2019	Macan	White	\$65,840
18461	2018	Macan	Black	\$65,910
19365	2019	Macan	Blue	\$65,950
19371	2019	Macan	White	\$65,990
18442	2018	Macan	Blue	\$66,300
19366	2019	Macan		\$67,150
19372	2019	Macan	Black	\$76,120
18456	2018	718 Boxster	Black	\$80,110
19359	2019	Cayenne	Quartzite	\$84,090
19269	2019	Cayenne	White	\$85.390
19374	2019	Cayenne	White	\$85,430
19146	2019	Cayenne	White	\$87,820
19346	2019	Cayenne	White	\$87,940
18428	2018	Panamera	Burgundy	\$138,650
19186	2019	911 Carrera	Black	\$164,610

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#### **Pre-owned Inventory**

Stock#	Year	Model	Color	Miles	Price
D3585	2016	Cayenne	Gray	63,914	\$41,324
T19354A	2014	Panamera	Gray	31,822	\$42,934
18378	2018	Macan	Black	6,029	\$52,996
T3558	2016	Cayman	Silver	6,000	\$95,708
T3555	2018	911 GT3	Red	2,021	\$169,947

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### What's happening...you should join us

**Nov. 5 — Mackinaws annual dinner.** See page 6.

Nov. 18 - Night at the Movies. See page 8

Nov. 28 - Thanksgiving

**Nov. 30 — Holiday party.** See page 7.

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Jan. 11 - Winter autocross series 1 at Road America

Feb. 1 - Winter autocross series II at Road America

March 7 - Winter autocross series III at Road America.

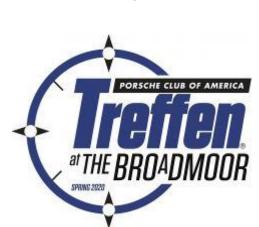
Winter autocross at Road America: https://www.roadamerica.com/experiences/get-on-track/autocross/general-info.html

**April 29-May 2 — Treffen** at the Broadmoor. Registration for the event will open on Wednesday, January 22, 2020 at 3 p.m. (EST).

**June 21-27 — Porsche Parade** in Palm Springs, Calif.

**July 31 - Aug. 2 — Porsches on the Mac II** — see page 12

**Sept. 16-19** — Treffen at the Greenbrier





We know. It's too early to show Porsches in the snow.

If you drive your Porsche in the winter, tell us about the tires you run. The editor will write an article for the next issue with your responses. Send your thoughts about winter driving in Wisconsin and Michigan to:

Beverly.jurkowski@gmail.com

Include your name and the model you drive in the winter, along with the brand of tires.



### President's message

It's the time of year where the skies are grayer, the temperatures cooler and the days shorter - a sure sign that winter is coming. I hope everyone has enjoyed this year with all the different activities we have had with our fellow PCA enthusiasts. With our son off to college, it's been a little quieter



around here, although our new puppy, Maui, is keeping us on our toes. Our October has certainly been busy. We have been able to attend several Badgers games and spend time with Justin when we go to Madison. I was fortunate enough to spend 6 days in southwest Florida playing golf with some great friends. Fall is my favorite time of the year, but it was also nice being where it was warm and sunny, although a bit humid.

We finished September with a two-night, three-day driving tour to Silver City, Mich., in the Upper Peninsula of Michigan. We had 10 cars with 19 people. It was a little brisk, but the weekend was fantastic. The month of October started out a bit wet, but it did not dampen the spirits of our club as we started out the month with a wonderful Door County Fall driving tour hosted by Dennis Kepchar. I was not able to attend due to a family wedding, but I heard it was another great tour that went very well. Also, Bergstrom had a reveal of the all new 992 911 on Oct. 19.

I would like to remind everyone of our upcoming board member elections. If there is any interest in participating on the board as an elected board member, please feel free to contact Mary Haen. In addition, please take the time to vote when the official ballot comes out. I also welcome **Steve Groddy** as our new dealer liaison. If you are interested in learning more about getting more involved as an appointed chair or co-chair of our different positions, please feel free to call or email me.

To kick off November, we will be having a social at Mackinaws Restaurant on Nov. 5 starting at 5 p.m. with dinner at 6:30 p.m. Please RSVP to Jim and Mary Haen at mehaen@sbcglobal.net. Also, mark your calendars and RSVP for our annual Christmas Party on Nov. 30. We have a movie night on Nov. 18, too. Details for all of our November activities can be found in this newsletter.

I would like to ask all our members that if you have an interesting event or experience that you would like to share, please send it to whaletalesFRV@gmail.com by the 20th of each month and we will try to include it in the next edition of the newsletter for all to enjoy.

In closing, I just want to say thanks to everyone who has hosted an event or who has participated in one of our events that make it so much fun. As we always say in our club, "It's not just the cars, it's the people that make this club so great!"

Happy and safe motoring,

Todd Benz, President Fox Valley Region Porsche Club of America 920-217-9564

Email: tbenz@onesourcetech.net

#### The editor's desk

Did you enjoy the cover of this issue? I did. Thanks to Todd Whitenack for submitting several great photos from the Sunrise to Sunset tour. Shaun Stamnes also



submitted images. I am grateful for all submissions. See page 11 for a report on that event including members' comments.

If you participated in the new 911 reveal at Bergstrom and took photos, send them. If you did the Door County tour, send photos

and tell me what you enjoyed most about it.

Thanks also to Randy Johnson who submitted a vertically oriented photo for use as Photo of the Month on the back cover. You can see your Porsche there if you send me a .jpg. Just remember to turn the camera so the shot is vertical.

-Bev

Beverly.jurkowski@gmail.com 414-232-4869 2016 Cayenne Diesel

### Social events

#### Annual Mackinaws Dinner Night @ Mackinaws Grill and Spirits Nov. 5

Time: 5 p.m. - 9 p.m.

Location: 2925 Voyager Dr., Green Bay

Please join us Tuesday, Nov. 5, at Mackinaws Grill & Spirits in Green Bay for dinner and social time. We'll gather between 5:00 and 6:30 p.m. in our own dining room for some conversation and sharing of stories with dinner from the menu at 6:30.

For those of you new to Mackinaws, you're in for a real treat. It's conveniently located just off of I-43 at 2925 Voyager Dr in Green Bay. If you want to take a peek at their site just to preview their wonderful menu, you can find them at <a href="http://www.mackinaws.com">http://www.mackinaws.com</a> (Jimmy's favorite is still the Elk Stroganoff.)

The hospitality of the staff at Mackinaws has made this an enjoyable and well attended annual event. Please send your RSVP to Mary and Jim Haen at <a href="mehaen@sbcglobal.net">mehaen@sbcglobal.net</a> by Oct. 31 so we have a head count for adequate seating. We hope you can join us.







## HOLIDAY PARTY

DATE: Saturday, November 30, 2019

PLACE: Radisson Hotel & Conference Center, 2040 Airport Drive, Green Bay

TIME: 5-10 PM, Reception 5-7 pm, Dinner at 7 pm, Cash Bar

MENU: Braised Mushrooms and Burgundy Beef Tips; Oven Roasted Maple and Cinnamon Cured Sliced Pork Loin with Apricot and Cranberry Reduction; Salmon Fillet with Creamy Lemon Dill Sauce; Wild Rice Blend Pilaf; Homemade Creamy Whipped Potatoes and Gravy; Sautéed Vegetable Medley. Coffee, tea, iced tea, salad, rolls and assorted desserts.

COST: \$17 per member (FVRPCA is subsidizing \$15/member - please send payment by Monday, November 25 to: Jim Janes, Treasurer, 5866 Harbour South, PO Box 175, Buttes de Morts, WI 54927

ROOM RESERVATIONS: 800/333-3333 or 920/494-7300 – ask for Fox Valley Porsche Club Room Block. Room Rate: \$109 – please reserve by Fríday, November 15, 2019.

SILENT AUCTION: If you will be donating any items for the silent auction, please email <u>dstamnes@netnet.net</u> with details.

BACK BY POPULAR DEMAND: ugly Sweater Contest!!





#### Let's all go to the movies — Nov. 18

The Fox Valley Region Porsche Club of America is hosting a movie night.

(Shhhhh – We are renting an entire screen all to ourselves.) Ford v Ferrari – The Battle for Le Mans Rated PG13

Friends and family welcome - seating is limited

When: Monday Nov. 18

**Showtime:** 7 p.m. Seating starts 30 minutes before showtime. First come / first served seating.

**Where:** Marcus Theater Ashwaubenon outside the Bay Park Square Mall. Marcus Cinema 755 Willard Dr Green Bay, WI 54304

**Cost:** \$11.75 + tax per person. Payable upon arrival at the box office.

FV-PCA Members will receive a \$5 coupon toward concessions

**RSVP** to: Erik Scharinger @ <u>erik27@gmail.com</u>
Let Erik know if you are coming and how many guests you will bring as a courtesy.

Academy Award-winners
Matt Damon and Christian Bale
star in FORD v FERRARI, based on
the remarkable true story of the visionary American car designer Carroll Shelby (Damon) and the fearless British-born driver Ken Miles
(Bale), who together battled corporate interference, the laws of physics, and their own personal demons
to build a revolutionary race car for
Ford Motor Company and take on
the dominating race cars of Enzo
Ferrari at the 24 Hours of Le Mans
in France in 1966.



### Membership paddock: Welcome to our new members

Nick Behnke, Appleton 2007 Cayman S Arctic Silver Randy Tess, Green Bay 2007 911 GT3 White

Connor Ruberry drives a 2020 Porsche Carrera S (992) with Gentian blue exterior and black interior. "I took delivery of the car on Monday, Sept. 23, 2019.

"Ever since I was a little boy, I've been obsessed with cars (especially, high-performance sports cars); so I've always dreamed of one day owning one (hopefully several!) of my own. I came across the car on Autotrader, after I per-



"A couple of things attracted me to Porsche ownership. The first being the reliability of the vehicles that Porsche manufactures; I don't think many other luxury car manufacturers can say the same. Another thing that has always attracted me to Porsche is the timeless look and design of the 911. I just love the lines of the car; the whole shape just flows together, no matter which angle you look at it. It's beautiful! I would also

be remiss if I didn't mention that I also respect Porsche in that they don't try (or need) to recreate the wheel whenever they produce a new model. Instead, they keep refining and striving for perfection, and their cars just keep getting better and better because of it.

"This is my very first Porsche. So, if anyone has any advice, etc., I'm all ears.

"I look forward to meeting everyone in person, sometime," he said.

Transferred: Brian Smith has transferred to the Central Indiana region.

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### Membership paddock: Welcome to our new members



**Tyler Hoffman,** of De Pere drives a 2015 Boxster GTS Racing Yellow with black and grey interior. He has owned it for 2.5 years.

"I knew I wanted a Manual GTS with Porsche Torque Vectoring... which was harder to find than expected but worth the wait. This replaced my 2008 (997) 911 Carrera S.

"I have always loved a great driver's car with the right amount of visceral feedback to make every drive an experience to remember. Having started with BMW M cars, I quickly fell in love with Porsche's ability to create a lighter, tighter, more agile ultimate driving machine," he said.

#### **Porsche Motorsports**

#### Ammermüller wins 10th race and title in the Mobil 1 Supercup

A perfect end to the Porsche Mobil 1 Supercup season for Michael Ammermüller: On Sunday, Oct. 27, in Mexico City, the German won the tenth and final race. "That was an incredible weekend with two pole positions, two wins and, of course, the title. I lost the start against Güven, but I was ultimately faster than him and managed to push through," said Ammermüller (BWT Lechner Racing). Behind his 485 hp Porsche 911 GT3 Cup, Ayhancan Güven (TR/martinet by ALMÉRAS) and Porsche-Junior Jaxon Evans (NZ/Fach Auto Tech) crossed the finish line. Big cele-

brations for Roar Lindland (N/pierre martinet by ALMÉRAS) in the ProAm class: Third place in the race was enough for the Norwegian to take home the title in his class.

After the start, Güven initially led the field after the 21-year-old squeezed past pole-sitter Ammermüller at the first corner. However, the newly-crowned champion underlined why he is the measure of all things this year. Corner by corner, Ammermüller reeled in his opponent to finally sweep past



him in the fourth lap. The 33-year-old then pulled clear of his pursuers and, after 16 laps, took the flag in first place for the fourth time this season. The new rookie champion Güven concluded his maiden season in the international one-make cup with his fifth podium result. "Michael Ammermüller was simply faster than me. Second place overall in my debut season is a super result," said Güven.

### Porsches follow the sun on weekend tour

Region members Jim and Cindy Janes led a Sunrise to Sunset tour at the end of September.

Here's what some participants had to say about the tour: "We enjoy seeing new places, new experiences, and having fun," said Todd Whitenack, who was accompanied by his wife Sandy. "Oh, I also very much like driving. The Sunrise to Sunset tour was the perfect mix of all these things. We had a great time. Side note, this is was the first overnight trip we have ever taken in our 2000 Boxster. Only day trips so far," he said.

Jim Mollon writes: "Jim did an outstanding job at putting the venue together. Thanks again Jim for all your efforts. Highlight of the tour for Linda and me was trying to keep up with Jim and Cindy in their 911. I was the first car behind Jim for the two days of touring and have to say Jim likes putting his car through the paces as I do so bring on the curves. To me this is what it's all about belonging to the club driving your Porsche with the other members and being proud of your ride and the people who share the same feeling," he said.





Sunrise Sunset



### Membership paddock

#### November membership anniversaries (data maintained at PCA.org)

Milestones				
Member	Year joined	Location	Year/model	Family/associate
<b>10 years</b> Rieck Beiersdorf	2009	Plymouth	2009 911 Carrera 2005 911 Carrera S	Noemi Beiersdorf
<b>5 years</b> Keary Kautzer	2014	Sheboygan	2001 Boxster S	Jane Kautzer
Members	Year joined	Location	Year/model	Family/associate
Joel Aberg	2003	Eau Claire	1998 911 Carrera	-
			2006 Cayman S	
Dennis Brierton	2012	Pewaukee	2010 Boxster	Nancy Brierton
Laurence Langohr	2013	Neenah	1989 911 Carrera	Philip Langohr
Andrew Opicka	2005	Green Bay	2003 911 Carrera	Elise Opicka
			2008 Cayenne S	
Peter Preston	2010	Oshkosh	2006 Cayman S	Heidi Heath
Chris Schmidt	2017	Larsen	2003 Boxster	Pamela Topel
David Schwerbel	2010	Menasha	1983 944	
David Stank	2005	Appleton	1982 911 SC	Tyler Stank
Chuck Swanson	2018	Marquette	2006 911 Carrera Cab	
Geof White	2018	Appleton	1988 928 S4	

#### Save this date — dinner with Hurley Haywood

You're invited to join Milwaukee region members as they celebrate the region's 60th anniversary closing event.

Here are the details.

Date: October 24, 2020

Location: Harley Davidson Museum, Milwaukee. 400 W. Canal St.

What: Buffet dinner, cash bar and guest speakers Hurley Haywood, famed Porsche race team

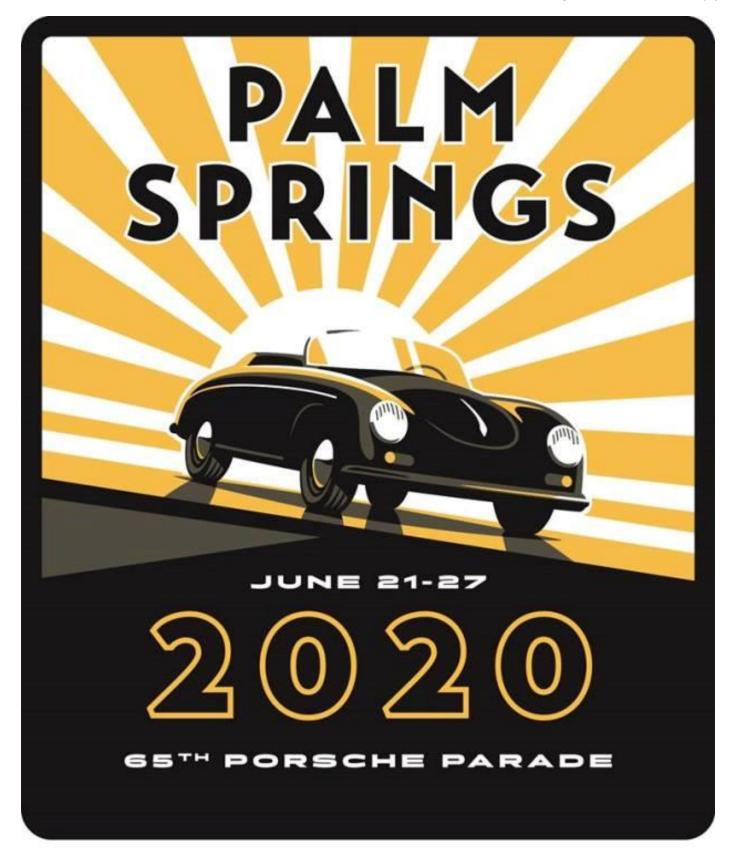
driver, and Sean Cridland (author).

**Time:** 5 p.m. to ?

Milwaukee region cordially invites all Fox Valley region members and their guests to join in the celebration which will also include an informal Porsche car show on the grounds of the museum, which is located just south of downtown Milwaukee at 400 W. Canal St.

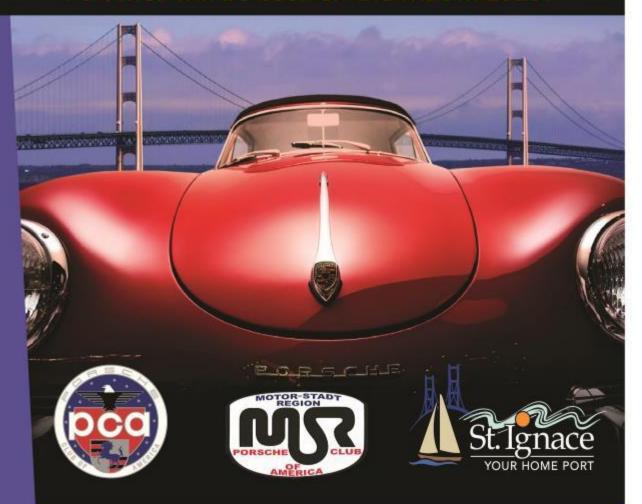
Full details including cost and how to sign up will be published in 2020.

Save the date. Any questions? Contact the 60th committee: alan.wagner@wi.rr.com.



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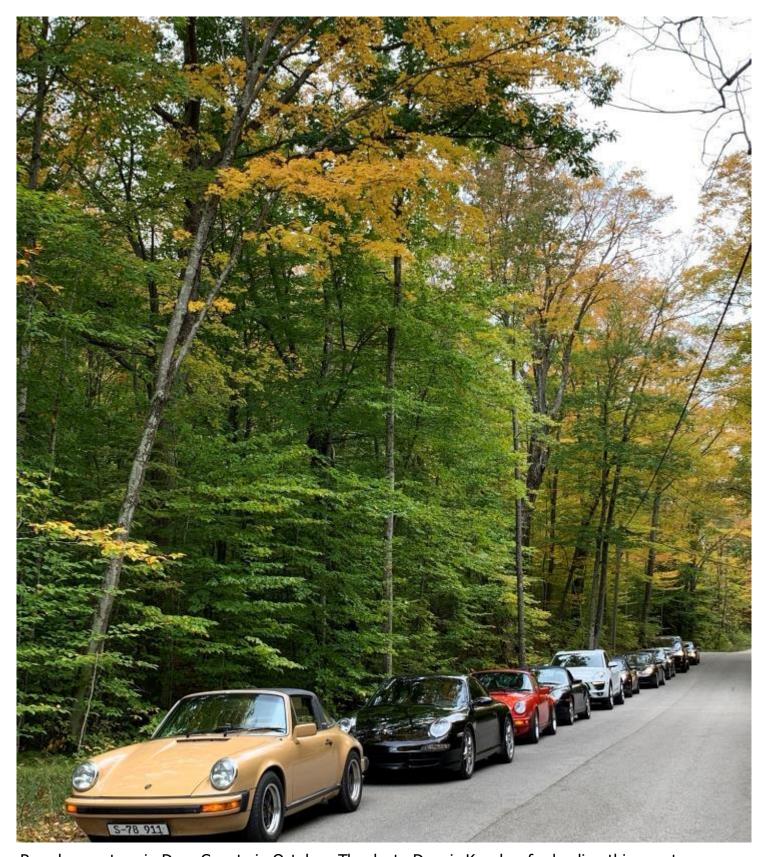
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### Members and their Porsches — what are you driving?









Porsches on tour in Door County in October. Thanks to Dennis Kepchar for leading this event.

### Classifieds

#### FOR SALE: 1973 914 2.0

1973 Porsche 914 2.0, appearance package, Florida car, no rust or accidents, second owner for ten years, one respray, 66k miles, factory sway bars, Fuchs, original radio, turbo tie rods, recent shocks and tires, Triad West exhaust, original fuel injection, new injectors and fuel pump relocated to front. \$23,000 or best offer. Bob Hawley 920-252-2544 call or

text.



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#### Check out the PCA Webstore for wearables with the region logo

Region vice president Shaun Stamnes has set up an online store through PCA featuring shirts, vests, jackets and hats with the region logo. A variety of colors is available and there are options for how you want the logo displayed. Access the webstore from the link on the upper left section of the region website. The region receives a rebate on every purchase. Direct any questions to Shaun at <a href="mailto:stamnes@netnet.net">sstamnes@netnet.net</a>.

PCA Webstore: <a href="https://tinyurl.com/y6x2cxyg">https://tinyurl.com/y6x2cxyg</a>



#### Classifieds

**FOR SALE: 2004 911 Carrera w/ 6 speed manual.** Well optioned car with striking Natural Brown leather. 98,800 miles. Maintenance up to date, new rears etc. An all around great car to drive. Asking \$27,500. Call, text or email is fine. Jim Niemeier, De Pere WI. 920-629-2281 jim.niemeier@gmail.com.





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FOR SALE: WeatherTech All-Weather mats for Cayenne Tan Front and Rear (2 zone rear heat) Floor Mat set that will fit a 2011 through 2018 Cayenne. Excellent condition with about 1 year of use. WeatherTech part number 45333-1-2. New cost from WeatherTech is \$189 + shipping. Asking \$75. Call or email me at 920-740-1029 or jemupr@sbcglobal.net



### Region directory

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