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TREFFEN AT THE GREENBRIER VOLUNTEERS—These volunteers made the Treffen experience for Todd and Sheila Benz memorable. Read Todd's account on pages 10-12.

ABOUT THE COVER: John Kline: "I took the 991 for a spin up M-26 in the Keweenaw Peninsula and took some pictures at Great Sand Bay. It was late in the afternoon with the sun low in the sky. No one was around for perhaps its last drive of the year. Kind of sad, but what a beautiful day on one of the best roads in the country."

President's message: It's about time to close this year



Can you believe we are already at the end of 2020? The way this year has gone I'm sure many of you feel like I do that it's about time. Hopefully 2021 will turn out better.

Reflecting on this year, it definitely wasn't what I expected coming in to the President's role for the region. We did

have a few nice events with the New Member's dinner in February and then the Spring Opener in June. Steve and Andrea DeBaker once again opened their winery for members to enjoy a delicious meal and nice, relaxed visiting. And who can forget the region cookout at Road America again this year? Yes we didn't get a lot of chances to meet as a group but we did still get some time to gather and enjoy each other's company.

Unfortunately with COVID we were unable to enjoy the year-end party and announce our 2021 elected officers so I would like to introduce them now.

Stepping into the Vice-President's role is Todd Whitenack. Filling the Treasurer position is Erik Scharinger. Mary Haen is again reprising her role as Secretary and I will again be President for 2021. A sincere thank you to Todd and Erik for stepping into these roles. You will do great. And Mary, thank you for once again filling the secretary role. You rock!

Many thanks to outgoing treasurer Jim Janes who served in that role for many years and to Todd Benz, vice president and past president in 2020 for his time on the board.

The Member of the Year and Enthusiast of the Year are......(drum roll).....going to be announced in the January newsletter. (I can hear the collective groans.) As these are more of a surprise announcement, I want to keep the surprise and present the winners with their plaques so stay tuned for the revealing announcement next month.

That's about it for this month. May everyone stay safe and have a happy holiday season.

Hope to see everyone soon in person in 2021.

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Editor's note: Closing a year no one expected



As I write this, Covid infections are continuing at a crazy and scary pace in Wisconsin. I wish that by simply turning the calendar to 2021 on Jan. 1 we could start a new year with multiple opportunities to enjoy our Porsches. Maybe we can with the right planning for events outdoors and proper precautions. If you have an idea for such an opportunity, contact any board member. It's never too early to start filling the region calendar with activities.

Speaking of board members, I have updated the leadership page in this issue to reflect our new vice president and treasurer. The issue also contains news from Porsche, an accounting of the Porsches that FV members own and a listing of the variety of silver colors Porsche has used over the years. It's an amazing list. If you own such a silver beauty, send me a photo

with the model, year and the official color. Of special note is a report on Treffen at the Greenbrier. It gives us a preview of what Treffen at the American Club that we will host in October 2021 should look like, featuring the beauty of Wisconsin and our amazing roads.

Best wishes to you and your family and friends for a peaceful and safe holiday season. Beverly.jurkowski@gmail.com

Election results: Region members elect officers to lead region in 2021

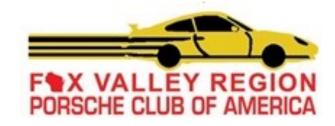
Region secretary Mary Haen reports that 35 primary members and 17 affiliate members cast a ballot to elect the following officers who will serve on the board of directors for

2021: President — Shaun Stamnes

Vice president – Todd Whitenack

Treasurer — Erik Scharinger

Secretary - Mary Haen



WHAT WE'RE DRIVING

Region members own 257 Porsches, according to the membership data at pca.org. Here's the breakdown:

356-9

356 Speedster-1

912-5

914-13

924-7

928-8

944-18

Boxster/Boxster S-36

Boxster GTS-1

Boxster Spyder-1

718 Boxster GTS-1

718 Boxster-1

718 Cayman-1

911-99

911 GT3-5

Cayman/Cayman S, R, GT4-22

Macan-9

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Welcome to our new members

Ryan Vyse, Neenah 2004 911 Carrera Gray

Steven Andrasko, Oshkosh 2010 911 Carrera Black



North American Porsche GT team seals record book after 7 seasons

Source: Porsche Newsroom US

Nov. 17, 2020 — At the 12-hour race in Florida, the Porsche GT Team and its long-standing partner Core Autosport once again made a strong impression: At a spectacular final round of the season, the two Porsche 911 RSRs took the flag in first and second place. The emotional and extremely successful farewell from the fiercely competitive GTLM class contested by numerous manufacturers in North America concludes a seven-year program that yielded an outstanding record: Seven title wins in the IMSA series, five championships in the North American Endurance Cup, 21 race wins and 56 podium results went to Porsche.

When the American Le Mans Series and the Grand-Am racing series merged to become the Tudor United SportsCar Championship at the beginning of 2014, Porsche makes a decision: This new sports car scene would become the playing field for a new works squad and two Porsche 911 GT3 RSR.

Read the entire history of Porsche in the GTLM class here: https://newsroom.porsche.com/en_US/motorsport/porsche-imsa-911-rsr-seven-years-seven-titles-north-america-22924.html

Nothing ordinary about Porsche silvers

Porsche owners are usually obsessive about the color of their car. It's not just "silver" but it is one of these silvers that Porsche painted onto its various models. The numbers in parentheses indicate the years that this color was used.

Lucky you if you have a Porsche in one of the more distinctive silvers that were only available for one model year, noted by * after the year

If you own one of these, let's see it. Send a photo to the editor.

Agate grey metallic - 2011-2019

Aluminum -1959,1960,1961

Arctic silver - 1997-2011

Aztec silver - 1970*

Carbon grey metallic – 2012-2016

Chalk - 2018-2019

Classic silver – 2011-2013

Cosmos silver -1982*

Crystal silver - 1990, 1991, 2003-2010

Diamond silver -1975-1981

Dolphin grey - 1964-1965, 2009

Dolomite silver - 2018-2020

Fashion grey - 1950-1953

Fish silver grey - 1951-1953

Gemini grey - 1984*

Geyser grey -- 2014*

Graphite metallic - 1954-1956, 1985-1987, 2014

GT Silver - 2005-2020

GT Sport silver -2016-2017

Geyser grey -- 2014*

Heron grey - 1960-1963

Ice Silver - 2014*

Iceland Silver - 2006

Inari silver - 1981*

Linen grey metallic - 1989-1990

Marble grey - 1985-1986

Meridian - 2001-2006

Pewter - 1981-1984

Platinum - 1981-1984

Platinum silver – 2010-2014

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Polar silver -1991-2007

Quartzite grey metallic - 2018-2019

Rhodium silver - 2014-2019

Sand grey - 1951-1953

Sapphire metallic – 1983-1986

Seal grey metallic - 2001-2007

Silver -1962-1980, 1982-1983, 1985-1990

Silver rose -- 1988*

Slate grey metallic – 1989-2010

Sports Classic grey -2009-2011, 2016, 2018

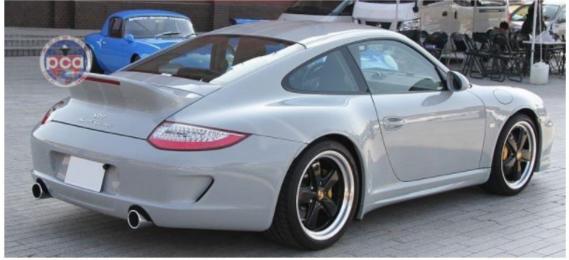
Stone grey - 1957-1959, 1966-1968, 2017

Tin (zinc) metallic - 1981-1984

Umbra metallic - 2011-2017

Volcano grey metallic – 2017-2018

Zermatt silver - 1983-1990



Example of Porsche Sports Classic Grey

Author - TTTNIS

Sports Classic grey earned five paint cans on Rennbow's site for its rarity. The paintcan scale runs from 1 to 5 with 5 representing the most rare of colors. This color was available on the 911 for the years 2009-2011 and 2018) and the Boxster (2016). The color is a throwback to Dolphin grey that was found on the 356 model in 1964 and 1965, the 911 in 1964, 1965, 2011, and the 912 in 1965.



New Inventory

Stock#	Year	Model	Color	MSRP
20147	2020	Macan	Gray	\$64,450
20150	2020	Macan	Blue	\$65,310
20148	2020	Macan	Black	\$65,890
20151	2020	Macan	Red	\$67,730
20163	2020	Macan	Gray	\$77,010
20133	2020	Cayenne	Blue	\$83,520
20072	2020	Cayenne S	White	\$113,550
19397	2019	Cayenne S	Black	\$115,680
20091	2020	911 Carrera S Coupe	Red	\$144,090
20134	2020	911 Carrera S Cabriolet	White	\$146,060
20149	2020	911 Carrera 4S Cabriolet	Blue	\$154,590
19429	2019	911 Turbo S Coupe	Black	\$225,780

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Pre-owned Inventory

Stock#	Year	Model	Color	Miles	Price
T3562A	2003	911 Carrera 4S Coupe	Silver	72,888	\$26,450
T20090A	2016	Macan S	Blue	26,329	\$39,847
13613	2008	911 Carrera S Coupe	Gray	38,397	\$49,824
18293	2018	Macan	Gray	6,008	\$52,996
18378	2018	Macan	Black	6,059	\$52,996
18468	2018	Macan	Gray	7,668	\$52,996
18469	2018	Macan	White	7,473	\$52,996
19269	2019	Cayenne	White	129	\$76,944
18428	2018	Panamera 4S Sport Turismo	Burgundy	149	\$99,954

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Membership corner

December membership anniversaries

Membership milestones

Member	Year joined	Location	Car	Family/Associate member
55 Years Gerald Wetter	1965	Appleton WI		Deborah Wetter
5 years Roberta Vandeveld	2015	Green Bay WI	1974 914 1.8	Jennifer Eis
Bruce Backer	2016	Appleton WI	2017 911 Targa 4S	
Robert Dean	2009	Green Bay WI	2012 Cayman R	Susan Dean
Michael Jurkowski	1986	Boulder Junction WI	2016 Cayenne Diesel	Beverly Jurkowski
Dennis Kepchar	2002	Sturgeon Bay WI	2008 911 Carrera Coup	e Connor Kepchar
Todd Kresheck	2016	Two Rivers WI	1991 911 Carrera 4 Cab	Iryna Kresheck
James Panzer	2019	Freedom WI	1974 914 1.8	
John Pujals	2017	Appleton WI	2018 911 Targa 4 GTS	
Thomas Robl	1992	Palm Coast FL	2007 Cayman	Kathleen Robl
Dennis Timm	2013	Cecil WI	1988 944	Barbara Timm

Is the above data correct? If not, log in PCA.org and your PCA membership record to update your vehicles, email address or mailing address. All membership data is maintained at the national office.

Photo magic



Looking back at 2020

When the calendar turned to 2020 the region board was planning activities to celebrate PCA Fox Valley's 30th anniversary. Before Covid-19 became part of our common vocabulary, we in fact did gather a few times. In February we enjoyed meeting members who live in the Upper Peninsula at a coffee event. We also held our traditional new member meet and greet night. Then we paused activities as we isolated as a protective measure. In July, Andrea and Steve DeBaker hosted the annual potluck at Trout Springs Winery. Our last event of the season was in early September as we picnicked at Road America. Here's hoping we can gather more often in 2021.



GATHERING AT BABYCAKES, MARQUETTE, MICH. Region members left to right Kathryn Savu, Dee Stamnes, Shaun Stamnes, David Savu, Dwight Johnson and Chuck Swanson enjoyed a visit Feb. 15.



NEW MEMBER NIGHT AT GRAYSTONE FEB. 4

Thirty-five region members gathered for a night of good food and conversation and a presentation by John McHugh of Kwik Trip.

Treffen experience recounted

By Todd Benz

Terrific driving tours, an outstanding host hotel, enforced social distancing for personal safety and welcoming volunteers. All that and more sums up our experience at Treffen at the Greenbrier.

Once we found out that our area had been chosen for the 2021 Fall Treffen, Sheila and I decided to attend the Treffen at the Greenbrier in White Sulphur Springs, West Va., so we could learn more about this event. We left on Sept. 12 in our 2016 911 4S with an overnight stop in Erlanger, Ky. The next day we continued our journey on Hwy 60 east through picturesque and twisty roads unlike anything I have

ever been on for hours and hours. The day was beautiful, sunny and with hardly another car on the road; I was grinning from ear to ear.

We arrived at the Greenbrier shortly after 3 p.m. and of course, had to get the car

washed before we checked into the hotel. We were greeted at the security gate with staff checking our temperature and verifying that we had not been exposed to the Covid-19 virus. Once complete, we drove up to the grand view of the Greenbrier. The check-in was smooth and soon we were in our charming vintage room.

A learning experience

Our plan for this trip was to arrive a few days early to get a sense of what was required the week of Treffen. We met several of the local and national PCA volunteers and staff on Tuesday and quickly jumped in to help with packing the Treffen Goodie Bags.

Wednesday was the official day of registration where guests were able to check in the hotel and receive their Goodie Bags. Sheila and I were able to help with the process and get a feel for what to expect in 2021. The registration was followed by a Welcome Reception on the beautiful patio of the main building. Masks were required through-



CIRCLE OF PORSCHES AT THE GREENBRIER

out the hotel except while eating or drinking. I was impressed how everyone took this seriously and complied with the requirement.

Driving tours

Thursday was the first day of the driving tours. We selected the Back of the Dragon which took us

What's a Treffen?

Treffen translates "to meet." For PCA members, Treffens are like mini-Parades minus the competitive events such as concours, autocross and rallies.

Treffens occur over three days and in recent years have been held once in the spring and again in the fall, usually geographically distant to enable attendees the opportunity to participate without having to drive across the country.

Treffen attendees enjoy two days of driving tours as well as a day to explore on their own. Lunch stops are planned as part of the follow-the-leader tours and the evenings include a dinner or social gathering.

Fox Valley and Milwaukee regions will host Treffen at the American Club in October 2021. A committee with members from both regions has been meeting for several months to plan the tours and activities. We know our guests will love their visit. See page 13 for details on how you can volunteer.

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Treffen experience continued

through many twisty scenic roads in the Appalachian Mountains. We left the resort at 8 a.m. and traveled on the interstate for a few miles until we exited to the state highways for the more scenic roads.

With a quick stop at the Back of the Dragon visitor Center in Tazewell for doughnuts and coffee, we were on our Highlands and town of Lexington left around 9 a.m. and we headed to the historic resort of Homestead.

Scenic roads

We traveled the scenic roads and valleys, traversing the Allegheny Highlands, into the southern section of the iconic Shenandoah Valley with sun-

> ny skies and tures. When we arrived at the Homestead resort, we were quickly amazed of the size and beauty of this historic place. After a quick stop and break, we drove off to ington, Va.,



man invited us in to see the house and visit with the family. Sheila was thrilled to be able to see the old homestead and relive some childhood memories. We left after several hours to go back to the Greenbrier where we had our last sit-down dinner with the whole group.

I must say I was impressed with the event as a whole, especially with how well things were done to keep everyone safe. The volunteers were exceptional, the hotel incredible and was well worth the cost. I am excited for our two regions to showcase what we have in Wisconsin and know people will enjoy there time here. I look forward to seeing what we will do with the event and the volunteers who will participate.



TODD AND SHEILA BENZ AT A STATE PARK IN VIRGINIA

way. We traveled the famed Virginia Hwy 16 which connects the two beautiful small towns of Tazewell and Marion, featuring tree-lined roads with incredible switchbacks. We did have some rain and cool weather but that did not dampen the ride. We drove for what felt like hours with a final stop for an excellent lunch at Wolf's BBQ in Marion. After lunch, we headed back to the resort to get ready for dinner at the hotel that evening. We had a BBQ buffet style dinner where we were served a variety of fine foods and dessert. The hotel and volunteers did an incredible job providing a space where we could socially distance but still enjoy the dinner.

On Friday, our tour of the Allegheny

ing private buffet lunch on the veranda of a historic hotel known as the Robert E. Lee hotel. After lunch, we strolled the quant downtown street before heading back to the hotel for a casual social happy hour.

Tour on your own

Saturday was the Navigator's Day Off so we decided to head to Hixburg, Va., where Sheila's mother's family has lived since the 1800s. When we drove up, we saw a man getting into a truck in front of the old homestead and he turned out to be Sheila's cousin. The



NEW RIVER GORGE

Treffen experience



HIXBURG, VA., was a stopping point for . Todd and Sheila on the Navigator's Day Off portion of the Treffen to visit the home where her mother's family has lived since the 1800s.

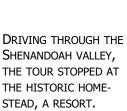


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Treffen volunteers needed to achieve success

By Todd Benz, volunteer recruitment for Treffen tbenz@onesourcetech.net

As you may know, the Milwaukee and Fox Valley PCA regions will be hosting the 2021 PCA Fall Treffen at The American Club in Kohler, Wis., from Oct. 13-17, 2021. This is a tremendous honor and privilege to showcase what our state has to offer to the rest of PCA.

We have formed a Treffen Planning team, made up of members of both regions that will work with the PCA National Treffen staff to help plan the event. Jim Janes is the Region Treffen Chair and I am one of two volunteer recruiters. This event will require many volunteers to create a five -star experience. A minimum of approximately 50-60 volunteers will be needed from our combined two regions. Many of you have already contacted Shaun Stamnes or me with an offer to help and we have documented those inquiries.

Here are some of the areas where we will need volunteers.

Time slots will be created based on the numbers of volunteers.

- Registration (Wednesday)
- Information Desk (Wednesday-Saturday)
- Tour Departure Area (TBD)
- Tour Participation / Lead-Mid-Sweeps (Two days TBD)

If you think you would like to volunteer in some capaci-

ty and have not contacted anyone, please reach out to me and I can provide additional information. I know October 2021 seems like a long way off, but it will go by fast and we want you to be part of this exciting event.





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Vice president Todd Whitenack ttodd_whitenack@yahoo.com



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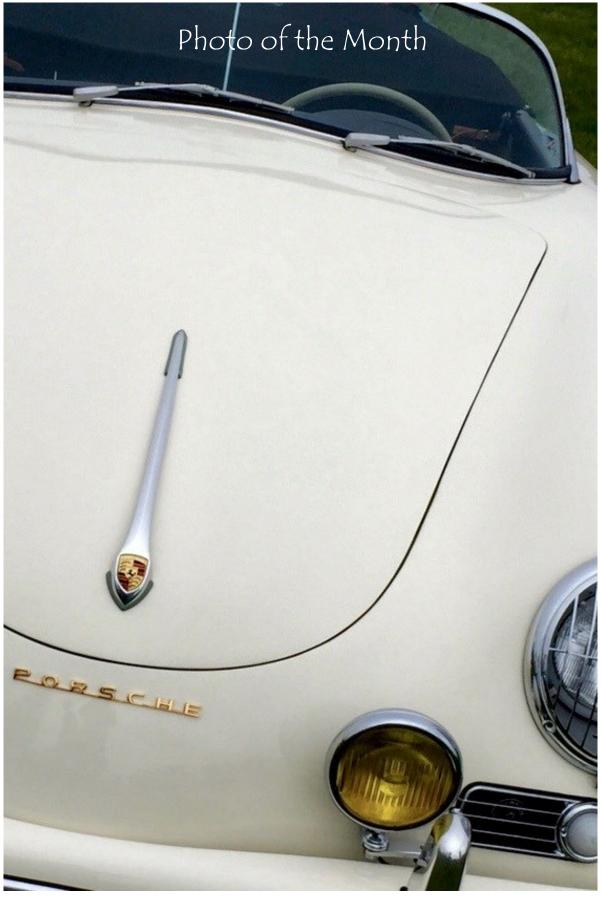




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Dennis and Susan Garrity's 1956 Porsche Speedster, #81231