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-JUSTIN F





## From the Driver's Seat

Well, this is it. My final ramblings. I could recite statistics for the last 4 years, members gained or lost, profit/loss statements, bank account balance, etc. But those are just numbers. Instead I'll tell you what I've gained. Although I've been actively involved with PCA for 20 years in some capacity or another, filling the role of president gives you another perspective. As one of 145 PCA regions, you start to get a better feel for how PCA operates on a National level. During the first part of the year, there is a Zone Presidents meeting where you meet the other Presidents in Zone 3. Zone 3 being most of the SouthEast with the exception of Florida, has 17 Regions. During the zone meeting, you get to know the challenges and successes of the neighboring regions. We share many of the same problems... How to attract the silent members to be more active? How to mentor members into stepping up to take larger roles in the region? Can we pair with other clubs or regions to lower event costs? Twice a year, Region Presidents attend a virtual board meeting to manage the business of PCA on a national level. With 145 Region Presidents along with 20 or so more nationally elected officers and appointed positions, its a challenge just orchestrating the call. Its only through the diligence and patience of the national staff that the calls don't end up with 165 people trying to talk over each other. 165 Porschepassionate voices with 165 different views. Through the business meetings, you soon realize, that while you may not agree with all of them, they are all passionate about what's best for the club. The region with less than 100 members in West Texas has different needs than an 1800 member region in the Carolinas. The common thread that we hold is the commitment by their officers. PCA is a volunteer run organization. And nationwide, those volunteers are fervent about Porsche's and PCA. Dedicated individuals and families that devote countless hours into everything from hosting weeklong events to maintaining the membership rosters. Volunteers who spend an evening quietly edit newsletters

#### Brian Powell, President

or handling a loud, lively auction for charity. Over the last 4 years, I have gained a new appreciation for the commitment your region leaders have for this club. I knew it all along, but seeing it from this side somehow makes it more tangible. I could say that my job as president has been hard. But honestly, I haven't done any work at all. The real hours are put in by those other names and faces you see on the Region Board Page. I know the hours put in by your Area Directors, and the hours if not days put in by the Standing Committee Chairs. I'd like to thanks them as well as Bill, Sadie, Cheryl and Doug who have served on the Executive Committee. Its been my pleasure to serve with all of you. Shane, a special thanks for the windshield time. So I leave the region in good hands with the incoming officers as I swap the President title for Past President. I think its kind of like being a grandpa, another role I've gained. Advise when asked, offer help when needed, and enjoy the fun. Brian



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#### - Fall Tour Summary 12

submitted by Michael Vittorio

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### **New Members and Anniversary Memberships**

#### Recurring Cars and Coffees & Shine and Shows By Area:

#### **Metrolina Area**

**2nd Saturday:** 9 am to **11** am Stuttgart Saturday hosted at Hendrick Porsche

#### **Hickory Area**

None at this time

#### **Triangle Area**

**3rd Saturday Monthly:** 8:30AM, Panera Bread Patterson Place S/C 3603 Witherspoon Blvd Durham, NC 27707

#### **Triad Area**

**2nd Saturday Monthly** 9AM to 12PM Winston-Salem Cars 'n' Coffee at Reynolda Village. April to October.

**3rd Saturday Monthly**: 8am- 10am. Greensboro Cars 'n' Coffee at UNC-Greensboro. 550 Tate St., which is lot 7 behind the Weatherspoon Art Museum. Year round.

#### Upstate

**4th Saturday Monthly:** 8AM to 11AM, Michelin North America Headquarters 1 Parkway South & Pelham Road Next to Marriott Hotel Intersection of Pelham Road and The Parkway at Exit 54 of I-85 in Greenville, SC. The Carolinas Region would like to welcome new members and transferring members. In addition, we would like to congratulate members celebrating anniversary memberships this month for five, ten, fifteen, twenty, thirty, or more years of PCA dedication.

LAST_NAME	FIRST_NAME	City	State	PCA Carolina's Area
Agresto	Sharon	Bethesda	MD	None
Agresto	Richard	Greensboro	NC	Triad
Ambrozic	Chris	Chapel Hill	NC	Triangle
Anderson	Bettina	Seneca	SC	Upstate
Augustyn	Eric	Charlotte	NC	Metrolina
Bryant	Duane	Greensboro	NC	Triad
Carr	Thomas	Greensboro	NC	Triad
Carr	Ryan	Greensboro	NC	Triad
Carrickhoff	Brent	Oak Ridge	NC	Triad
DeVault	William	Easley	SC	Upstate
Flummerfelt	James	<b>Travelers</b> Rest	SC	Upstate
Guthrie	Michael	Simpsonville	SC	Upstate
Hall	Jason	Greenville	SC	Upstate
Harris	Will	Kings Mountain	NC	Metrolina
Jovine Tapia	Elvis	Salisbury	NC	Metrolina
Keily	Lesley	Simpsonville	SC	Upstate
Kirk	Benjamin	Charlotte	NC	Metrolina
Knight	Joshua	Charlotte	NC	Metrolina
Matthews JR	Curtis J.	Rock Hill	SC	Sandhills
McClellan	Matthew	Mooresville	NC	Lake Norman
McCluney	Kevin	Pfafftown	NC	Triad
McNeil	Charles	Greensboro	NC	Triad
Miller	Peter	Seneca	NC	Upstate
Muniz	Frank	Pinehurst	NC	Sandhills
Reichl	Christina	Reidsville	NC	Triad
Reichl	Andrew	Reidsville	NC	Triad
Robinson	Mack	Mooresville	NC	Lake Norman
Schmitt	Manfred	Landrum	SC	Upstate
Shipley	Aimie	Yadkinville	NC	Triad
Siggins	Scott	Fayetteville	NC	Sandhills
Smith	Teresa A.	Cherryville	NC	Hickory
Ward	David	Piedmont	SC	Upstate
Williamson	Norman	Spartanburg	SC	Upstate
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Last Name	First Name	City	State	PCA Carolina's Area
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30 year anniversary				
Good	Scott	Charlotte	NC	Metrolina
Good	Sarah	Columbus	OH	None
Grant	Charles	Hartwell	GA	None
Grant	Angie	Hartwell	GA	None
25 year anniversary				
Kagel	John	Chapel Hill	NC	Triangle
Saville	Robert	Charlotte	NC	Lake Norman
Saville	Nadine	Charlotte	NC	Lake Norman
20 year anniversary				
Rhodes	Dusty	Summerton	SC	Sandhills
15 year anniversary				
Cox	Marcia	Easley	SC	Upstate
Peindl	Paul	Gastonia	NC	Metrolina
Peindl	Darlyn	Gastonia	NC	Metrolina
Simmons	Anthony	Easley	SC	Upstate
10 year anniversary				
Black	Craig	Charlotte	NC	Metrolina
Clark	Neil	Winston Salem	NC	Triad
Clark	Mary	Winston Salem	NC	Triad
Essex	Mark	Greer	SC	Upstate
Essex	Karen	Greer	SC	Upstate
Kim	George	Apex	NC	Triangle
Kim	Katie	Apex	NC	Triangle
Knight	David	Monroe	LA	NONE
5 year anniversary				
Adams	Richard	Ninety Six	SC	Upstate
Adams	Betty	Ninety Six	SC	Upstate
Craig	Ronald	Pittsboro	NC	Triangle
Craig	Joyce	Pittsboro	NC	Triangle
Diaz	Milagros	Charlotte	NC	Metrolina
Hall	Edwin	Salisbury	NC	Metrolina
Hall	Ed	Salisbury	NC	Metrolina
Ramos	Alex	Charlotte	NC	Metrolina
Spiegel	Curt	Monroe	NC	Metrolina
Spiegel	Sue	Monroe	NC	Metrolina
Voorhies	Kurt	Weddington	NC	Metrolina



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## 2018 Calendar

See Area Reports for More Information

For additional information and events outside the Carolinas Region go to: http://www.pca.org/Calendar/PCACalendar.aspx

#### December

1	Regional Board Meeting - Concord, NC
4	Triad Christmas Party @ Wyndham Garden (Greensboro)
7	Upstate Christmas Party @ Greenville Children's Museum
11	Hickory Christmas Party @ Lake Hickory Country Club
13	Lake Norman / Metrolina Christmas Party @ Hilton University Place
January	
20	Mid-Winter Track Seminar @ Carolina Motorsports Park (Kershaw)
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2 - 4 Tri-Region Spring Tour, The Resort at Glade Springs, WV



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- 3) You must provide your current PCA membership number when submitting a classified ad.
- 4) No posting of ads for friends. Immediate family is ok.
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#### MID-WINTER TRACK SEMINAR @ Carolina Motorsports Park (Kershaw, SC)

#### Sunday, January 20th, 2019 from 11:00 am to 1:00 pm

Have you considered participating in Carolinas Region's Drivers Education Events but have not had the opportunity to do so? Or maybe you have some questions: What to expect? Will it damage my car? Who are the instructors and how do they teach me? What do I have to do to my Porsche to participate? – If you have any of these questions or others, this event is for you! This is our annual off-track seminar to introduce the concepts behind the Carolinas Region's Driver Education Program, which is a series of high performance driving schools conducted at local tracks like Carolina Motorsports Park – IT IS NOT A RACING SCHOOL!

You will have the opportunity to casually discuss the program with instructors and club members who have been enjoying "life on the track" for years. We will discuss the operation of a Drivers Ed weekend, concentrating on what you need (or want) to know as a participant. We will also talk about some of the fundamental concepts of performance driving such as turning, braking and accelerating properly, and the vocabulary used to describe track driving. Videos and other materials will be used to give you a thorough understanding of what a weekend at the track entails. We'll discuss the roles of the instructors and how they can help you understand your car and your driving. We will discuss the safety check and tech inspection that is performed on each car to ensure a safe and enjoyable event. Finally, if time and weather allows, we'll tour the Carolina Motorsports Park track.

This seminar is open to all Carolinas Region members who have not participated in a Drivers Education event, or who have very limited experience on the track. \*\*Region members with no prior track experience will receive a \$100 rebate after completing their first Carolinas Region DE event\*\* You MUST pre-register to receive this rebate.

Registration is Free! Space is limited! Please send your registration information including name, number attending (please limit to those actually interested in attending a DE event), address, telephone number, track experience if any, and email address to:

#### John Babinski at driversed@carolinas-pca.com

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## Tri-Region Spring Tour, May 2 - 5, 2019

Introductory video:

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The Hurricane, Carolinas, and Blue Ridge regions have assembled a Tri-Region Spring Tour 2019 in the beautiful state of West Virginia. The Tri-Region Spring Tour 2019 will be a world class gathering of cars, camaraderie, scenic drives, and dinners. We hope to pair the Saturday dinner with wonderful wines chosen by wine expert, Bryan Tucker.

The planning team has arranged for upscale accommodations at a competitive group price in a full service resort facility in the New River area of West Virginia. The location is convenient to drives in both West Virginia and Virginia and is also close to many attractions. For those who do not wish to spend their days driving, the facility offers a full range of recreational and spa activities.

Friday Drives: Two driving options are available.

Group 1: West Virginia to Paint Bank, Virginia and back. This itinerary includes West Virginia scenic roads leading into Virginia. Lunch will be a la carte at the Swinging Bridge Restaurant in the Paint Bank General Store in Paint Bank, VA.

Group 2: Circle drive to Babcock State Park, New River Gorge Bridge and Daniel Winery. This drive parallels the New River for a distance, continues to the grist mill in Babcock State Park for a photo op, stops at the Canyon Rim Visitor Center for a picnic lunch and a stunning view (box lunches available from the resort or you can bring your own), drives on a paved road under the New River Gorge Bridge, and then stops at the Daniel Winery for wine tasting.

Saturday and optional Sunday drives are in the planning stages.

Registration will open in mid-January; watch for announcements with all the details in early January. The resort has allocated their entire 48 rooms in the Lodge for our group. Early registration and hotel reservations will be essential to guarantee participation in this event.











Tri-Region SPRING TOUR

May 2-5, 2019









### **Fall Tour Summary**

by Michael Vittorio



... and a good time was had by all!

Such was the consensus of the 106 members who attended this year's Fall Tour at The Ridges Resort in Hiawassee, GA. The largest Fall Tour to date, it began on Friday morning, November 2 and continued through the following Sunday.

Participants met early on Friday at Porsche of Hickory for registration and breakfast, compliments of the dealership. Porsche of Hickory also provided each participating car with a very nice wine tote by which to remember the event.

Following breakfast and some social time, we reviewed important safety practices and our route master, Bob Futrell, described our route(s) to The Ridges. Since not everyone enjoys the twisty back roads, we also offered folks a scenic but more direct option. Due of the large number of cars (53) involved, they were divided into three smaller groups corresponding to the route chosen. And ... off we went - led by Bob Futrell, Bryson Kiser and Michael Vittorio with Dave Tosi and Jim Buchanan taking up the all important "sweep" positions.



Lined up and ready to go!

We all stopped mid-route for a brief "bio break" and gathered again for lunch at The Waynesville Inn and Golf Club. The Inn did a great job of organizing our lunch buffet so we were able to eat and get back on the road quickly. Cars gathered according to their assigned groups and departed with a short interval separating each. And ... on to the Ridges.

Though the two routes differed considerably in duration and number of turns, both offered some spectacular scenery. The leaf color was at its peak and though the day began with a bit of rain, it eventually cleared to reveal beautiful blue skies.

The "direct" group arrived at The Ridges around 3:00 while the rest showed up closer to 4:30. In both cases, the front desk staff did a great job getting folks checked in and settled in their rooms. Since our visit last year, The Ridges has been completely renovated with all rooms receiving new bedding, furniture, etc. Although participants were quite complimentary of their rooms, they quickly began to gather in the main lodge and its many nooks and corners - perfect for visiting with friends. And ... the beverages began to flow.



Sharing drinks with friends

Cocktails began at 6:00 with dinner served at 7:00 - barbecue pork, beef and chicken with all the fixings'. Folks so enjoyed the meal and company that the wait staff actually had to ask several of us to move along so they could clean up and go home. No worries ... we just moved the party to the lodge and the outdoor fire pit where s'mores and hot chocolate were available.





Around the fire pit

Lunch

Saturday dawned with crisp temperatures and bright "Carolina blue" skies. Folks had a wide selection of activities from which they could choose:

Car show: Twenty-two cars participated in the informal "shine and show". Some even braved the cool temperatures to wash their car prior to the event. At stake was two awards: Managers Choice and People's Choice. Though it was fun to look at the cars, the real enjoyment came from the time spent with fellow participants.



Car Show venue

Day trip: Bob Futrell led a group of thirteen cars on a daylong drive for lunch at the Tellico Grains Bakery and a tour of the Cherohala Skyway Scenic By-Way. There were "twisties" galore and spectacular scenery at every turn. Some folks even found a pretty waterfall or two.



Skyway entrance

Local drive and dine: One of the great things about this venue is its access to a number very pretty small towns in the area - and the great roads to get there: Blue Ridge, Dahlonega, and Helen in GA, Highlands and Murphy in NC. Each has its unique personality but all offer a wide array of dining and shopping opportunities. Of course, there are also a number of wineries in the area where one can sample the produce and enjoy a light snack.



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In the lead

Relax at the lodge: For those who just want a little "down time", the lodge and grounds provides walking trails and seating areas where folks can exercise, relax or visit with friends while enjoying the wonderful Fall scenery.



Takin' it easy

As Saturday evening approached, folks began gathering for cocktails and dinner. After a full day of activities, it was again time to meet with friends, share experiences and enjoy a glass of your favorite beverage. This evening's dinner was exceptional. Beef tenderloin, Tuscan chicken and grilled salmon: by far the best meal we have been served in our three visits to The Ridges. Enjoying dinner with friends

As dinner came to an end, it was time for Car Show awards. Surprisingly, both of our main prize winners had won in prior years. Dave and Bev Tosi again (as they did in 2016) won the Manager's Choice Award for their orange 2008 Boxster "S" and received a two-night stay at the Ridges, compliments of its Management. A repeat from last year, Shane Tisdale and Sandy Liles won the People's Choice Award for their beautiful silver 1969 912. They received a selection of four bottles of European wines (though Shane doesn't drink wine, Sandy assured us that she does!) and \$100 gift card to Maggiano's Restaurants (compliments of Maggiano's and PCA Member/ event participant Antonio Tillery). As People's Choice runner's up, Richard and Elaine Huskins and John and Martha Babinski each received \$50 gift cards from Maggiano's Restaurants.



Dave and Bev Tosi





Shane Tisdale and Sandy Liles

For some years, the Hickory Area (organizers of Fall Tour) has supported The Crossnore School as our chosen charity. To raise money for this charity, we held a 50/50 drawing after dinner. Thanks to the generosity of all those who participated, \$600.00 was raised. Bryson Kiser was asked to draw the winning ticket. He did - his wife, Kathy Kiser, was the lucky winner. She graciously donated her "winnings" to Crossnore resulting in a total contribution of \$600. Thank you Kathy.



Jackpot winner!

On Sunday morning, participants departed at their leisure. A few traveled directly home though many chose to take further advantage of the area to travel some great roads and visit attractions along the way. We had a great time. The feedback provided about the venue and the event in general was overwhelmingly positive with a majority of participants declaring their intent to join us again next year. We hope you will choose to do so as well. November 1-3, 2019. Put it on your calendar.

If you are interested in viewing additional photos from Fall Tour, just "click" on this link or enter it into your browser search window:

https://carolinasregionporscheclub.shutterfly.com/











## **Driver Education:**

VIR DE Report & 2019 Schedule

Weather was a concern for everyone leading up to our season finale DE at VIR on November 16, 17 and 18. After multiple days of rain there was concern that VIR would once again have water from the Dan River overflowing it's banks and encroaching on the track surface and run off areas, as it had done several times this wet summer season, forcing the cancellation of events. Luckily, the rain stopped just in time Thursday evening and while the river did flood creating some challenges for those trying to enter the property from an underwater Race Track Road...it never came close enough to the track proper to give us any issues. By Friday morning's drivers meeting the clouds were gone and the sun was coming out, promising a nice rain-free weekend.

During Friday's drivers meeting everyone was reminded that all the rain resulted in a green track surface with no rubber build-up and that there were still areas of the track that were wet and weeping moisture. The need to "dial it back a bit" and "keep it on the black stuff" was encouraged as going off track onto the wet, soggy and muddy grass would result in an overly exhilarating ride and possibly burying their car axle deep into the mud. Despite the warnings, we had a steady stream of calls from the corner workers reporting drivers pushing too hard, resulting in spins and 4-offs and getting an "education in agricultural driving". Friday is our solo-only qualified day reserved for experienced drivers and provides a special opportunity for our instructors to get on track without the burdens or worries about a student. There is plenty of track time for everyone with just 3 groups and 5 run sessions each. Special thanks to our staff who put in a full 12-hour day on Friday starting with registration and tech at 7AM, drivers meetings at 8AM, cars on course from 8:30 AM until 5PM, and then registration and tech again for weekend participants from 5PM until 7PM. And that was just their commitments on Friday. They were also on site Thursday evening for early registration and tech and again Saturday morning for late arrivals. Great job from the entire team keeping things running smoothly, especially considering the size of this event with over 230 participants.

Thanks also need to go to our sponsors for this event. Porsche of Greensboro and Porsche of Hickory have been our title sponsors for this event for many years and made a generous donation that allowed us to give out nicely-embroidered sweatshirts to all participants. Their new and used car sales, as well as outstanding service centers are used extensively by many Carolinas Region members. A new sponsor this year was Quantum Speed Works, who provides premium automotive services out of their on-site facility at VIR.

Saturday started our formal full five run group DE with a once again sold out event. This event is becoming so popular that we saw 120 drivers register during the first 24 hours after opening and it was effectively sold out a month before the event. Fair warning for future attendees - sign up early as



our VIR event is a season finale event for drivers from all over the country with attendees coming from as far away as Michigan, Texas, New Jersey and Illinois. It's always nice to get compliments from these out-of-region participants telling us how much they look forward to this event and the southern hospitality we extend them.



The weather continued to cooperate with a spectacular late fall day. Light winds, plenty of sunshine and temperatures in the high 50's were ideal. Comfortable for participants but cool enough to gain maximum power out of engines. After a full day on the track, everyone was invited to attend our Social in the Gallery building for beverages and a spread of food that included fruit, cheeses, veggies, chicken wings, meatballs, dumplings, mini sandwiches, BBQ sliders, egg rolls, crab dip, and much more. A great crowd was on hand as we announced Colin Graidage as the recipient of this year's Carolinas Regions Instructor of the Year Award (see sidebar article for details). Our tech inspection team of Les Stabler, Rodney Fossum and Herbert Boehm were also presented service awards recognizing them for their many years of service to the club conducting on-site tech inspections. Their work is invaluable in insuring everyone's cars are in safe condition for track use.





Sunday began by presenting the only weather challenge of the weekend - fog. We had a little of it on Saturday morning, but it quickly burned off during the drivers meeting and was gone by the time we started cars on course. Not so lucky on Sunday as fog would lighten up only to quickly thicken back up. One area of the track would have decent visibility for a few minutes and then get enveloped in fog a few minutes later. This lasted for an hour before finally burning off enough to start the days first run session. After that the sun came out, temperatures moderated and all was good.



One activity we started doing at this event is the ability for non-participants to take a few laps in their own cars at controlled speeds during charity parade laps on Saturday and Sunday during the lunch hour. We send out groups of 10-12 cars with a lead/follow car to keep maximum speeds under control and the group together. Anyone can participate for just a \$10 donation per car and you can load up the car with as many people as it fits as long as they are seat belted. We were able to raise \$760 over the two days for our charity the St. Vincent de Paul Society. They are 100% volunteer run so 100% of our donations go to helping people in need. When added to the \$390 raised at our two DE's at CMP earlier in the year we were able to raise a total of \$1,150 for this worthwhile cause. Thanks to all those who participated.

That concludes the Carolinas Regions DE programs for 2018 but things are already in full swing for 2019. For anyone who hasn't participated in a DE but wants to learn more about the program we have our Winter Seminar scheduled for Sunday January 20 at CMP starting at 11AM. This is a FREE educational classroom experience followed by a few on track parade laps weather permitting. Pre-registration is required and an event flyer with more information is included in this issue of TR. Participants are then eligible for a \$100 refund of DE registration fees after attending their first Carolinas Region DE.

#### Dates for 2019 Events

January 20 Winter Seminar Carolina Motorsports Park

March 15 PCA National Instructor School Carolina Motorsports Park

March 16-17 Spring DE Carolina Motorsports Park

September 7-8 Fall DE Carolina Motorsports Park

November 22 Solo Only DE Virginia International Raceway

November 23-24 Season Finale DE Virginia International Raceway

See you at the track!!







### Instructor of the Year 2018 - Colin Graidage

During the Saturday evening social held at the season finale driver's education event at Virginia International Raceway. Colin Graidage was announced as this year's recipient of the Tom Norby Memorial Instructor of the Year Award. Colin was a well-established red run group DE participant, as well as a club racer, in the Maverick Region and Lone Star Region of Texas, before relocating to the Carolinas. He participated in his first DE with the Carolinas Region in 2013 and attended our National PCA Instructor School in 2014. Since then, Colin has been a steady participant rarely missing any of our events. With his unique accent, quick wit, easy going manner and friendly disposition, he puts his students and other drivers at ease. When Colin first started attending Carolinas Region's DE's, he approached the staff and said he was there to help in any capacity we needed. He always finds a parking spot close to where the staff is setup so we can easily find him when the need arises. We've taken him at his word and have used him as an Instructor Mentor at our school, doubled him up with students at numerous events, utilized him for conducting check rides, had him cover for Instructors who had to leave early and helped with Lead/ Follow duties during Charity Parade Laps. Whatever we ask, Colin is always available and does the task with a positive and professional attitude. He exemplifies all the qualities we look for in a seasoned and experienced Instructor, and we are pleased to have presented Colin with this year's Instructor of the Year Award.



**Shane Tisdale - Chief Instructor** Colin Graidage - 2018 Instructor of The Year John Babinski - DE Chair Steve Barrier - DE Co-Chair











THANK YOU to F & S Enterprises for the on-track photos & Martha Babinski for event photos!!!

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## Autocross: Event #4 Results

Timing By: <u>AXWare Systems</u>

## By Wayne Capwell

Your source For Competition Timing

Carolinas PCA - #4 - AX2018-4 - Sun 10-28-2018 Final Results

#### <u>p04 p03 p02 p01 np8 np4 i03 i02 s03 s02 s01</u>

Pos	Class	#	Driver	Car Model	Car Color	Run 1	Run 2	Run 3	Run 4	Run 5	Run 6	Total	Diff.
1 03.			Sill, Greg	2003 996 C4S	Seal Grey	54.647	52.540	51.506	52.001	49,995	49.239	49.239	-
1T	p04		Orrell, John	2003 990 CHS 2001 Boxster S	Artic Silver	56.761	54.382	57.606+1	89.388+1	54.648	54.120	54.120	
1T 1T	p03	172	Clayton, Ken	1972 914	Gray	53.664	52.465	51.862	52.371	51.287	50.954		-
2T	p01		Gentry, Tracy	1986 944	Red	56.694	57.066	57.200	56.930	57.700	56.824	56.694	
3T	p01	59	Perea, Maurice	1983 944	Red	62.467	58.612	59.037	58.616	59.544	59.024	58.612	
1T	np8	2	Cheek, E Ryan			51.636	51.352	53.465+2	51.152	49.426	48.230		[-]1.032
2T	np8	13	Kaiser, Nathan	Camero	Black	56.774	53,737	51,596	52.657+1	50.162	49.262	49.262	
3T	np8	980	Jones, David	2016 Challenger	GoMango	54.687	53.961	52.030	52.322	52.654	51.622	51.622	+2.360
4	np8	77	Kobes, Peter	2013 M5	White	54.001	53.720+1	52.119	53.503+1	52.819+1	51.997	51.997	+0.375
5	np8	27	Pusker, Steve	2016 Charger	Grey	60.421	58.012	56.178	56.392	54.766	56.533	54.766	+2.769
6	np8	021	Shah, Mayan	1995 BMW M3	gray	56.245	54.826	54.778	60.508+dnf	61.556+dnf	60.130+dnf	54.778	+0.012
1T	np4	72	Pusker, Jackie	2017 WRX	Pearl White	60.603	55.517	56.211	55.108	56.348	53.994	53.994	[-]1.843
2T	np4	7	Onnen, Karine	2017 Golf R	Black	59.685	60.036	55.837	56.066	56.376+dnf	61.630	55.837	+1.843
3T	np4	24	Hartman, David	2017 124 Spider	Silver	60.347	60.167+1	58.462	60.187	58.898	57.157	57.157	+1.320
1T	i03	211	Connarn, Terry	2005 997	Seal Gray	50.263	48.890	48.275	48.244	47.746	49.104+1	47.746	-
1T	i02	71	Shoun, Andy	1986 944	multi	58.066+1	55.092	53.765	56.580	53.144	53.898	53.144	-
1T	s03	9	Gorrell, Matt	2009 Carrera S	Metalic Green	48.047	47.628	47.942	48.776	47.542	50.660+1	47.542	[-]2.942
2T	s03	183	Bridges, Don	2017 911 Turbo S	Blue	52.312	51.297	51.171	52.564	51.194	50.484	50.484	+2.942
3T	s03	123	Wittholt, Richard	2014 Cayman S	Agate Grey	55.462	55.395	68.815+1	53.632	51.944	51.144	51.144	+0.660
4	s03	00	Owens, Rick	2014 Cayman S	Guards Red	57.575+2	54.924+1	52.593	53.928	55.380+1	53.172+dnf	52.593	+1.449
5	s03	6	Hockman, Mikayla	2009 Carrera S		57.036	54.335	54.167	54.661	54.520	53.834	53.834	+1.241
6	s03	011	Shah, Sachin	2001 911 Turbo	silver	60.508	56.990	68.986+dnf	65.440+dnf	66.650+dnf	68.760+dnf	56.990	+3.156
7	s03	101	Shah, Liz	2007 911 C4S		70.107	67.251	55.912+dnf	54.025+dnf	51.620+dnf	51.571+dnf	67.251	+10.261
1T	s02	8	Kirby, Sean	2005 Boxster S	Yellow	50.000	56.793+dnf	49.554	50.421	48.940	49.806	48.940	[-]1.021
2T	s02	98	Kirby, Patrick	2005 Boxster S	Yellow	56.130+1	52.498	51.315	51.540	55.363+1	49.961	49.961	+1.021
3T	s02	718	Roberts, Carl	2017 718 Boxster	Grey, Blue	54.147	52.485	51.594	51.094	51.544	50.892	50.892	+0.931
4	s02	059	Barker, Todd	2008 Cayman S	Black	56.190	56.246	54.739	55.527	54.571	53.386	53.386	+2.494
5	s02	78	Grubel, Roger	2014 911 Carrera	Sapphire Blue	57.773	56.011	56.009	57.224	56.161	54.604	54.604	+1.218
6	s02	1	Hartman, James	2007 Cayman S	Black	60.428	57.467	57.274	56.529	56.020	56.150	56.020	+1.416
1T	s01	10	Harrison, David	2004 Boxster	Blue	52.687	51.532	51.090	50.536	49.783	50.208	49.783	[-]2.581
2T	s01	44	Denegre, Thomas	2003 Boxster	Silver	54.010	54.408	54.282	53.745	52.731	52.364	52.364	+2.581
3T	s01	254	Rutledge, John	1997 911 993	Arena Red	53.311	53.296	52.539	54.264	53.308	53.336	52.539	+0.175
4	s01	45	Long, John	2003 Boxster	Yellow	54.764	52.655	53.189	55.935	53.717	52.877	52.655	+0.116
5	s01	110	Harrison, Alexandra	2004 Boxster	Blue	58.187	59.889+1	57.243	57.748	55.738	55.426	55.426	+2.771
6	s01	145	Long, Caroline	2003 Boxster	Speed Yellow	61.491	59.648	58.841	57.912	57.378	55.644	55.644	+0.218

#### Year End Results

Class	Name	Event 1	Event 2	Event 3	Event 4	Event 5	Total	
p01	Gentry, Tracy	6	6	4	6	6	28	T1
p03	Orrell, John	4	3		6	6	19	T1
s01 s01 s01	Harrison, David Denegre, Thomas Harrison, Alexandra	6	6 4 2	6 4 3	6 4 1	6 4 2	24 22 8	T1 T2 T3
s03 s03	Gorrell, Matt Yeh, Stephen	4 6	4 3	6 4	6	6 4	26 17	T1 T2
i01	Clayton, Ken	6		6	6	6	24	T1
i02	Shoun, Andy	6	3	6	6	6	27	T1
i03	Connarn, Terry	6	6		6	6	24	T1



## Area Updates: December, 2018

### Triad Area By Jerry Kilcrease



Meeting: Third Tuesday of the month at 7:00 PM Location To Be Determined. See Web and TR Contact Jerry Kilcrease, Area Director triad-ad@carolinas-pca.com (336) 476-3120

The Triad Area PCA held its November 20th monthly meeting at Captain Tom's Seafood in Kernersville. While attendance was a little below normal, we were still pleased to have 41 members and guest in attendance. Several members started out for the meeting but were caught up in the massive traffic delays on I-40 and after waiting without much movement, understandably, decided to give it up and return home. We also welcomed and recognized attendees Jason Hausler and Steve Sudler from Porsche of Greensboro. Unfortunately we had technical difficulties with the video equipment and had to re-schedule the "Rennsport Reunion VI" presentation by Rick Huskins until the January meeting. Happy Birthday wishes and a free desert went out to Charles Ruppert, Barbara Lupton and Dave Lumpkin. After discussions including the Triad Area's upcoming Christmas Party and a request for event suggestions for the 2019 activities agenda, our attention moved to the door prize drawing. Door prize winners were Rick Huskins, Dave Lumpkin, Steve Showalter and Tom Mascenik. Jerry Collins was the winner of the 50/50 Charity split the pot drawing and Jerry donated his winnings back to the pot. Thanks Jerry for you generosity. Thanks to all that attended. This is the Triad Area's last official monthly meeting of 2018 and Sadie and I hope that everyone enjoys a safe and Happy Thanksgiving Holiday.



PAST TRIAD AREA PCA EVENTS:

OKTOBERFEST – SHINE & SHOW CHARITY DONATION - All proceeds collected at the Shine and Show Charity Event held during Oktoberfest are traditionally donated to a local charity. This year the charity selected was the local chapter of The American Red Cross. We met with Matt Davis and Steve Sudler of Porsche of Greensboro and with local Red Cross official Brook Westerhoff for the presentation. The Triad Area PCA presented a check for \$500.00 and these funds were directed to assist local Red Cross shelters providing assistance to displaced home owners due to Hurricane Florence. Thanks to everyone that participated in the Shine and Show Charity Event and for the additional donations.





#### UPCOMING TRIAD AREA HOSTED EVENTS:

2019 Triad Area Events agenda – We are currently working on the events schedule for the upcoming year. As always we are looking for input for new and different events that would be of interest to the membership. If you have any thoughts or ideas please contact me and we will discuss. Please remember also that we are always looking for volunteers to step up to help plan and manage all of the activities during the year. The plan is to have a tentative agenda ready for publication NLT the end of January, 2019. Please contact me at jkilcrease@triad.rr.com with your suggestions.



#### NEXT TRIAD AREA MEETING - 15th January, 2019

The Triad Area will hold its first monthly meeting of 2019 on January 15th at Captain Tom's Seafood in Kernersville. We start socializing around 6:00pm and generally begin our business meeting and discussions at 7:00pm. This will be our first scheduled monthly meeting in 2019 so please make plans to join us... hope to see you then.

#### Hickory Area By Michael Vittorria



Meeting: Second Tuesday each month at 6:30 PM Refer to Monthly Area Report for Location/Detail Contact Michael Vittorrio, Area Director hickory-ad@carolinas-pca.com

November was a particularly busy month for many of the Hickory Area members. Fall Tour - planned and organized by the Hickory Area - was held on the first weekend of the month (See our article elsewhere in this month's TR for a recap of this event), the DE at VIR on the third weekend and Thanksgiving, of course, the next. Nonetheless, 28 of our core members met on November 13 for dinner at Fourk Restaurant in Hickory.

Member Jim Buchanan provided the evening's program. He and his son JT recently attended the RennSport Reunion in Monterey, CA. Jim shared some of his most memorable experiences from the event along with photos of many of the cars and personalities he encountered.

Jim seemed particularly impressed by the feeling of "family" and inclusiveness engendered by the event and the incredible amount of time and effort Porsche put into it. Fabulous cars – famous drivers – family atmosphere – Southern California weather - quite a nice way to spend a weekend. Watch for the next RennSport Reunion in four years.



~ 2019 Planning ~ We also took time during our meeting to solicit feedback about 2018 and to initiate planning discussions for the coming year. Some of the feedback received includes:

• Wide spread appreciation for the support provided by Porsche of Hickory and a commitment to doing what we can to support the dealership in return

Members generally like the past few year's mix of restau-

rant and vendor location dinner meetings

• Strong support for another "Poker Run" next year

• Would like to continue the Saturday or even weekday Drive and Dine/Wine events

• Though folks like the combined meeting and Drive and Dine events scheduled on Saturdays, there is a definite preference for mixing in evening events as well

• Folks prefer no more than one event - E.g., dinner meeting, Drive and Dine, etc. - per month

• A variety of suggestions were offered as potential program topics for upcoming meetings

We are most appreciative of the feedback and ideas put forth during the discussion and of the offers of volunteer support for the coming year. If you have other ideas or feedback, please don't hesitate to drop me an email. It is expected that we will be able to present a preliminary 2019 plan and schedule at our January meeting.

~ Charity ~ A sincere thank you to all our Members who chose to support this year's fundraising activities to benefit The Crossnore School (https://www.crossnore.org/). Thus far, we have raised over \$3200.

Should you desire to make further contributions to the Crossnore children at this Holiday Season, please see: https://www.crossnore.org/christmas-wish-list/ for a list of their Christmas needs and desires.

Speaking of fundraising support, Martha Mauney won November's 50/50 drawing and donated \$55.00 to Crossnore.

~ Congratulations ~ As previously noted, the Carolinas Region annual Fall Tour was held on November 3-5. An informal car show is part of this event. Just as they did last year, management at The Ridges Resort (the Fall Tour venue) awarded a Managers Choice Award to the car they believe best represents the "spirit" of the Resort. This year, that award went to Hickory Area members Dave and Bev Tosi for their orange 2018 Boxster. They also received a two night stay at The Ridges Resort compliments of the property's Manager.





~ Next Meeting ~ December 11: Hickory Area Holiday Party, 6:30 PM ~ 9:00 PM - Lake Hickory Country Club, 430 17th Ave NW, Hickory, NC 28601. Please join us for a very special event: An opportunity to celebrate the Season, socialize with friends, revisit highlights from this past year and to recognize Members who have made our Hickory Area Club such a fun group.

Participants will enjoy a delicious buffet dinner including a choice of desserts. Cost is \$30.00 per person (this represents a reduction in actual cost thanks to generous support from The Carolinas Region and our good friends at Porsche of Hickory). A cash bar will be available for those wishing to purchase adult beverages. Dress is business casual.

**RESERVATIONS REQUIRED:** Due to the nature of the event, we must ask all those planning to attend to make advance reservations no later than noon on Friday, December 7.

For additional details and to make your reservation, please visit ClubRegistration.net or go directly to the event registration page at: https://clubregistration.net/events/signUp.cfm/event/9466

#### **Upstate Area** By Robert Rainer



We had a great Nov meeting this past month. Decent turnout and some good conservation did abound. Thanks again to John for giving us an update on the quad-annual Rennfest Reunion out in California. Seems like a pretty cool event, and hopefully it will come to Daytona for the next iteration.

We also heard from John Babinski about the fall DE event at VIR. This is a wonderful regional event that is a sell-out. I remembered to check in on the weather, and it seems like it was another cold one. Also, congratulations go out to Shane Tisdale and Sandi Lyles. They won the peoples choice award at this years fall tour. Their 912 is a great survivor and well kept. I do encourage you to look out for the regional fall tour next year. Michael Vittorio from the Hickory area puts it together, and he does a great job.

So we do not have that many upcoming events, except for our holiday party on Dec 7th at 7:00 PM. If you have not gotten tickets, please do so. We do want to have a decent head count for the caterers. There will be good food, beer and wine. Again it will be at the Children's Museum of the upstate in Greenville. All the proceeds will go to Charity. Here is the link.

https://www.eventbrite.com/e/upstate-pca-holiday-party-upstate-childrens-museum-tickets-51164304813

I also want to thank Porsche of Greenville for their support again this year. It is very much appreciated.

I will talk with some folks at the party and we will plan something in the upcoming months. Our next regular meeting will be Jan 7th at 7:00 PM at Quaker Steak and Lube. I hope to see you there. Also, for the outstanding women who engage with our group, please remember to check in with Kristen who is organizing Por-SHE group. This meets the second Tuesday of every month, and they seem to be having a great time doing some arts and crafts kind of things. Look out for their fine work at the holiday party this year.

Finally, I may have the ability to start some tech sessions as I am going to have to take apart my 996. Looks like my engine grenaded last week, the dreaded "D Chunk" failure. Did not even know such a think was even possible. The wall of a cylinder cracks. So We may have some tech sessions coming up, but people will give me grief, as I am leaning towards doing a LS swap.... Stay tuned.

Take care, - rr







#### Lake Norman Area by Christian Roedlich



Monthly Meeting: River Run Country Club in Davidson on the Fourth Thursday of the month at 6:30 ContactChristian Roledlich Area Director christianroedlich@hotmail.com

Our last regular monthly LKN Area meeting of the year was as usual on the fourth Thursday of the month, i.e. October 25th. It was well attended by almost 30 members and already our seventh time at our new "home", the Peninsula Yacht Club in Cornelius. This meeting had an "Oktoberfest" theme and PCA members were encouraged to show off their favorite Bavarian attire (please see photos). The Peninsula Yacht Club even supported this event with their adaptation of German food - it tasted great and with the exception of the Italian sausages was quite authentic. We also held our usual 50/50 raffle and thanks to the winner and new member Ron Steen (who returned his winnings), the children at Barium Springs will have a better Christmas!

Kathy and Herbert Boehm with the PCA Goodie store set up shop at our meeting and Kathy addressed the group too. Kathy was thrilled about the reception she received. She advised that this LKN meeting was one of the highest grossing area sales events for the Goodie store. A real proof of the LKN members' commitment to the Porsche brand! We are definitely planning on bringing back the Goodie store to one of our meetings in 2019.

We had another Porsche drive on the north side on November 10th to Rickety Bridge Winery in High Point, NC. The drive was again popular with about 10 Porsches as well as 20 participants. The tour leader and PCA Carolinas President, Brian Powell, together with his navigator Angela, did a great job leading the group through some beautiful country and especially winding roads in Central NC. As always, the group met at Waterbean Coffee in Huntersville and ended the drive at Rickety Ridge winery with some "taste and learn" (please see photos).

Our annual Christmas Party will be on December 13th at the Hilton Charlotte University Place (8629 JM Keynes Dr., Charlotte, NC 28262, 704-547-7444) together with the Metrolina PCA group starting at 7 pm. Registration for this great event is open until December 7th at https://clubregistration.net . There will be private, dedicated parking provided (including a security guard), a fantastic dinner (Mahi Mahi, Italian Style Chicken, and Beef Tenderloin), live music (thanks Tracy!), a great ballroom with an attached large outdoor patio with fire pits and great lake view, door prizes, a special Porsche gift for every attendee, and a silent auction.

Event Reminders:

Every second Saturday from 8:00 am to 10:00 am is Cars and Coffee at Waterbean Coffee in Cornelius (at the corner of Catawba Av. and Jeton Dr.). Great local event, about 80 some cars. Also every second Saturday from 9:00 am to 11:00 am is Stuttgart Saturday at Hendrick Porsche.

Cars and Cappuccino, every Third Sunday – (1609 Elizabeth Av., Charlotte, Earl's Grocery, 9:00 am to 11:00 am), for the "European Sports Car".

Every third Friday, Hot Rods and Hops, great family entertainment with brewery and food vendors (10228 Bailey Rd., Cornelius) starting at 6:00 pm, mostly American muscle cars with a few Europeans too.

The next PCA meeting is scheduled for Thursday, January 25th, 2019 at The Peninsula Yacht Club (6:30 pm), 18501 Harbor Light Blvd., Cornelius, phone 704-892-9858 (Christmas Party replaces November and December meetings).



Oktoberfest at the last Meeting



Drive to Rickety Bridge and "taste and learn"



#### Metrolina Area by Doug Strait



Monthly Meeting: Third Wednesday of the month at 7:00 PM, see report for location. Contact Doug Strait Area Director metrolina-ad@carolinas-pca.com

Happy Fall Season to everyone!

I hope that you all have been taking some time to enjoy your favorite Porsche, and cruising the region's back roads, and taking in all of the beautiful fall foliage and striking colors Mother Nature has shared with us.

NOTE: Due to the upcoming holiday season and busy schedules, our normal monthly meeting, falling on the night before Thanksgiving, was changed to meet on Wednesday Nov. 14 at Maggiano's in South Park. Everyone had a great time and enjoyed the tasty menu and hospitality. Many Thanks to Antonio Tillery-Maggiano's Area Director for hosting us.

GREAT TIMES@FALL TOUR!! For those of us who were able to attend the recent Fall Tour, put on by our good friends from the Hickory group and hosted by Michael Vittorio. We shared many past memories and made a new ones with some great new friends along the way and enjoyed many beautiful scenes at the Ridges Resort in Georgia. We had some great day trips driving to the neighboring towns and parks. We all joined in the Managers Choice Car Show, talking cars and sharing stories.

UPCOMING EVENTS: Please mark your calendars for our 2018 Christmas Party on Thursday Dec. 13, at the Hilton University Place. We will be joining the Lake Norman group to share in what will be a great evening of fun, music, great door prizes and recognizing our selected charities. You can sign up at Club-Registration. net, seating is limited so sign up quickly. NOTE: There will be no December meeting, as we will have the Christmas Party on Dec. 13.

PLANNING FOR 2019: If you have any ideas or events you would like us to set up, please feel free to share them with us, and we can feature your ideas at our upcoming meetings. Please submit your ideas to me via email: carerra9972@gmail.com

COMMUNICATIONS BREAKDOWN: I have been getting way to many of my emails kicked back "marked as spam" or those with old em addresses, like all of those with the "Carolina.rr.com" address are marked as undeliverable. If you have an email address that used to use the "Carolina.rr.com" extension, PLEASE SEND ME YOUR UPDATED & CURRENT CONTACT INFORMATION, so you don't miss out on anything moving forward. Also, please check your SPAM FOLDER for missed emails. You could be missing more than just PCA news.

Thank You for your Support! Sincerely, Doug Strait - Metrolina Area Director







## HAPPY HOLIDAYS!



#### Sandhills Area By Marty Barrett



Meeting: Fourth Tuesday of the month at 6:30 PM

Rotating Location - See report below Contact Marty Barrett, Area Director

#### Triangle Area By Adam Morrison



Monthly Meeting: Fourth Thursday of Month Nantucket Grill 5925 Farmington Rd Durham NC Contact Adam Morrison, Area Director triangle-ad@carolinas-pca.com (336) 239-5735

Sandhills Christmas and Holiday party is November 27 at Little No Article For This Month River Resort. Expect at least 60 members and guests! Guest Speaker is Russell Fleurie. Russ works with Porsche dealers to train sales and customer service reps.

Last few weeks have been busy at VIR...private track day Oct 31, Carolinas DE, and another private track day Nov 26. Weather has been an issue getting a good dry track! My GT3 is temporarily retired for some repairs, but Paul Bacon gave me his beautiful '58 Speedster to run around VIR property....a real treat!



Twelve Sandhills members participated in Southern Pines Veterans Day parade on Saturday, Nov 9. Several thousand local residents and folks from Ft. Bragg attended.

As a result of our generous PCA members and local Porsche dealers, we attended the Sandhills Community College scholarship appreciation dinner on Nov 15. This year Sandhills PCA will donate \$4,000 to fund a full automotive technologies scholarship and three awards to help students purchase tools!

Merry Christmas & Happy New Year to All! Marty

#### GIRLS in Porsches By Sadie Kilcrease



Meeting: Rotating Location and Times Contact Sadie Kilcrease sadiek@triad.rr.com 336.847.9293



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## **Porsches & Parts**

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#### **Porsches**

**1973 Porsche 914 2.0:** Zambezzi/Brown. 100,056 miles. Original except: paint, (chrome is painted black - great look), carburetor conversion and battery box. Have known history of the car since 1978. Owned since 2008. Driven very little from 1998 to 2008. Pretty well sorted. Recent RMS and clutch by Protech Motorsports. A daily driver when weather is right. Drive it anywhere. A fun car to drive. \$17,500 Contact: Gary Agardy, Greenwood, SC email: gagardy9@ gmail.com Phone: 864-344-1965

**1999 Boxster:** 80,000 miles. Silver with grey interior. 5-speed, garaged & well maintained. Just completed its annual service. Has current NC inspection. Excellent condition for both body and interior with normal wear and tear. Original cloth top in good condition. Color matched hard top included. Sport exhaust, Eibach suspension with BBS rims. A/C blows very cold. Cruise control in-op. Clear title in hand. VIN-WP0CA2983XU626806. \$10,500 OBO Contact: Martin Sis, High Point or Myrtle Beach email: Martin\_Sis@yahoo. com Phone: 843-360-5022

**1985 Porsche 928S:** Black/Black Leather. 42,xxx original miles. \$20,900. Full documentation to original purchase. Automatic, sunroof, 45K service complete (have replaced parts). Aftermarket radio with Bluetooth (still have original factory radio). Converted cold AC. 3rd owner. New tires. Porsche CoA. Black/silver Coco Matts. Runs and drives great. Contact: Jay Weikel, Jamestown, NC email: jayweikel@gmail.com Phone: 704-905-4210

**2001 Boxster S** Black Metallic, Graphite Grey leather interior, grey top. 55,200 miles. 6-spd manual transmission, sport package, 18" Alloy wheels, car cover. Very good condition, records available. \$11,000. Contact: Daryl Rishforth, email: darylr1@bellsouth.net Phone: 864-918-9737

**2007 Porsche 911 GT:** 28,415 miles, clean Carfax, meticulously maintained with records back to new, no track mods, coolant lines pinned. White with black interior, excellent condition. Car is in the Orlando Fla area. \$91,000 obo Contact: Gary Merideth, Orlando, FL email: merjas127@aol.com Phone: 407-748-1488

**2006 Porsche Cayman S:** 6 speed, with a little over 73 K miles; Metallic Black with leather terra-cotta interior. 18 inch wheels with Bridgestone pole position tires with less than 5k miles. New brakes, rotors, SS brake lines. Recent service with new brake fluid, transmission fluid and maintenance records. Premium audio system, cd changer, heated seats, Porsche PSM system. No IMS or RMS issues. Car came originally from Brumos Porsche and is autographed as test driven and approved by Hurley Haywood.

Car is in excellent condition by 25 year PCA member and is located in Bath NC. \$22,500. Pictures on request. Contact: A. R. Peters, III, Bath, NC email: arp911@centurylink.net Phone: 252-944-3746

**2012 911 Turbo:** Silver/Black & Red Stitching. 68,454 miles. PDK, Sport Chrono Package. Never tracked, just serviced car and mounted new rotors and brake pads on all wheels. Original Florida car, I'm the second owner. Never seen snow, always garaged and kept inside during rainy days. All Porsche required maintenance has been performed. Optioned with full black leather interior & red stitching, red gauges and seatbelts, red brake calipers, a rare find. Heated Adaptive Sport Seats, power sunroof, premium Bose sound system, blue tooth, Xenon headlights. No accidents, no stories. Original MSRP \$138K. Asking \$79,900 OBO Nino Contreras - Winston-Salem, North Carolina

939-640-3820 nino\_contreras@hotmail.com

#### Parts – Parts Cars – Projects

Steve McQueen driving shoes by Hunziker: Size 11.5 US or 44.5 EU men's. Never worn. Includes both spare laces & insoles. Medium brown with tan laces and lacing area. Pics available. New \$145 at Leguna Sega Car Week in Monterey. Now \$110. Pick up or buyer pays shipping. Jim Proper, Chapel Hill, NC 27516. 980-230-9268 mobile. JamesProper@carolina.rr.com



Winter Tires: Pirelli Sottozero Winter M&S; two 235/45VR18, two 265/45VR18; date 2013; for Cayman/Boxster. Lightly used, mileage estimated at 1,000; includes four Audi tire bags. \$200, will share shipping. Located in Charlotte, NC. Contact Andrew Swanson, abaikieswans@gmail.com.

#### **Non Porsche For Sale**



## Porsche Greensboro Certified Pre-Owned Inventory



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\*All prices plus tax, tag, title and \$699 dealer administration fee.

#### **Porsche Greensboro**

I-40 at Guilford College Road, Exit 213 5603 Roanne Way, Greensboro, NC 27409 • 336-294-0200 PorscheGreensboro.com



2016 Panamera Edition Stk# GP1462 • 41,939 miles \$58,486\*



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2015 Cayman S Stk# P7434 • 46,308 miles \$50,993\*



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2016 Panamera 4S Stk# P7536 • 16,167 miles \$71,996\*





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