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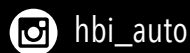
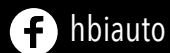
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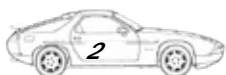
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From the Driver's Seat

Sadie Kilcrease, President



June is behind us and we are now into the second half of 2019. Time is passing too quickly. June was a non-stop month with several graduations and lots of club activities. I visited the Hickory Area meeting on June 11 and Michael and all the members gave Jerry and I a warm welcome and made us feel right at home. However, I don't think I will be invited back for a while.....I won the 50/50 pot and a door prize. There was a lot of fun and laughter but Michael got us back on track for the business part of the meeting. We met several of the Hickory members that we had not previously met and visited with friends we haven't seen in a while. Porsche Hickory had 3 Macans on display for the attendees and treated all attendees to a desert after the meeting. I would like to extend a big THANK YOU to Porsche Hickory for their support of the Carolinas Region PCA. We are looking forward to attending another Hickory event.

Most of you know that the Triad Area is my home area so I attend all of the Triad Area meetings and events. The Triad Area held their annual Roads and Rails Charity Event in June. This event is the Triad Area's largest charity event and while attendance was off this year, funds were raised to send 10 kids to a week of Summer Camp at Camp Hanes YMCA. It was a fun-filled weekend chaired by Robert and Jillian Van Camp. There were lots of curvy roads and too much food. Lodging was at the Pisgah Inn on the Blue Ridge Parkway and our Friday night dinner was at Pisgah Fish Camp located on Hendersonville Hwy., Pisgah Forest, NC. The parking lot was marked off in advance for us. But the big surprise came at the end of our dinner meeting. When the owner, Dana Hawkins, was told by the waiter that we were raising money for Camp Hanes YMCA, he came out and made a cash donation. So if you are ever in or near the Pisgah Fish Camp, take the time to visit. The food is delicious and the service was great. Let Dana and the gang there know that you are part of the Carolinas Region PCA. The business just celebrated 51 years in business and by the same owners. They have also posted a picture on their website of our Porsches in the parking lot. Saturday lunch was served on the Great Smokey Mountain Railroad as we traveled up the mountain on the train. We would like to extend a big THANK YOU to Porsche Hickory, Porsche Greensboro and HBI for their support of the event, to all the attendees for your donations and support and to Dana Hawkins, owner, of Pisgah Fish Camp for his donation.

Our Zone 3 Rep, Rod Johnson, has been working hard with all the Presidents and DE Chairs in Zone 3 to establish dates for the 2020 High Performance Driver's Education. While we are somewhat restricted with our dates by the Tracks involved, the goal is to get all dates within Zone 3 on the Zone 3 Calendar as soon as possible and perhaps eliminate events being held on the same dates within Zone 3. Our first conference telephone call involving the DE Chairs was very successful and started conversations between each

of the Region's DE Chairs. Along with event dates, PCA requirements and other issues and regulations involving the HPDE Events were discussed.

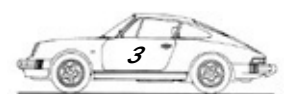
For upcoming events in your area and around the region, check the calendar in Tobacco Roads and on the website. The June 9 AutoX event #2 was cancelled due to weather conditions but has been rescheduled to September 14. Event #3 is scheduled for July 14 in Greensboro. Our Fall DE at CMP is September 7-8.

The 60th Anniversary Committee is working hard on plans for our 60th Anniversary Celebration to be held in 2020. Hopefully by next month, we will have the date and location confirmed. If you have suggestions for the 60th Anniversary Celebration, now is the time to let us know.

On Wednesday, July 17, I will be visiting the Metrolina Area for their monthly meeting at Maggiano's South Park Mall. We are looking forward to visiting with all the folks in the Metrolina Area.

Your comments, suggestions, complaints are always welcome. If you are interested in getting involved, let us hear from you. While we do not currently have any positions open, now is the time to let us know what area you may have an interest in getting involved with. Hope to see you around the region but in the meantime, get the PORSCHE out, drive and enjoy.....

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Recurring Cars and Coffees & Shine and Shows By Area:

Metrolina Area

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

Triangle Area

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

Hickory Area

None at this time

Lake Norman Area

2nd Saturday: 8:00 - 10:00

- Waterbean Coffee in Cornelius

- Stuttgart Saturday - 9:00 - 11:00 at Hendrick Porsche

- 3rd Sunday: 8:00 - 10:00 at Maggiano's

Triad Area

2nd Saturday Monthly 9AM to 12PM

Winston-Salem Cars 'n' Coffee - location to be determined - 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.

New Members and Anniversary Memberships

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
Barden	Chance	Burlington	NC	Triangle
Bassetti	Roger	Pittsboro	NC	Triangle
Berreth	Krisla	Oakridge	NC	Triad
Black	David	Garner	NC	Triangle
Brown	Rebecca	Lake Wylie	SC	Metrolina
Crawford	Jackson	Charlotte	NC	Metrolina
Crawford	W. Kirk	Charlotte	NC	Metrolina
Davidson	Ken	Asheboro	NC	Triad
Doyle	Matthew	Charlotte	NC	Metrolina
Dubois	Ryan	Huntersville	NC	Lake Norman
Engelmann	John	High Point	NC	Triad
Gacevich	Kenneth	Charlotte	NC	Metrolina
Gaenzle	Chris	Chapel Hill	NC	Triangle
George	Matthew A.	Pinehurst	NC	Sandhills
George	Jennifer	Pinehurst	NC	Sandhills
Hantjis	Bill	Pelzer	SC	Upstate
Headberg	Dennis	Pelzer	SC	Upstate
Headberg	Barbara	Pelzer	SC	Upstate
Jackson	Darrell	High Point	NC	Triad
Jackson	Kellie	High Point	NC	Triad
Mauldin II	Thomas	Winston-Salem	NC	Triad
McGill	Patrick	Jamestown	NC	Triad
Merritt	Tanner	Charlotte	NC	Metrolina
Montesanto	Jason	Southern Pines	NC	Sandhills
Montesanto	Gretchen	Southern Pines	NC	Sandhills
Paul	Mark	Chapel Hill	NC	Triangle
Perdue	Barry	Southern Pines	NC	Sandhills
Stephens	Mike	Concord	NC	Lake Norman
Sundman	David	Littleton	NH	NONE
Sutton	Karen Ann	Simpsonville	SC	Upstate
van Wandelen	Christiaan	Arden	NC	Hickory
Vlahos	Mary	Mocksville	NC	Triad
Wallace	Hubert	Charlotte	NC	Metrolina
Walsh	Chris	Southern Pines	NC	Sandhills
Wells	Debbie	Greer	SC	Upstate



Last Name	First Name	City	State	PCA Carolina's Area
30 year anniversary				
Brown	Alan	MAULDIN	SC	Upstate
25 year anniversary				
Helgesen	John	Rock Hill	SC	Sandhills
Helgesen	Tonya	Rock Hill	SC	Sandhills
Swart	Carl	Mooresville	NC	Lake Norman
20 year anniversary				
Saunders	Marlene	ALBEMARLE	NC	Metrolina
15 year anniversary				
Fortenberry	Nancy	Charlotte	NC	Metrolina
Fortenberry	David	Charlotte	NC	Metrolina
Holbrook	Ralph	West End	NC	Sandhills
Holbrook	Derrick	West End	NC	Sandhills
Holquist	Gary	Charlotte	NC	Metrolina
Holquist	Amy	Charlotte	NC	Metrolina
Keeley	Robert	Simpsonville	SC	Upstate
Keeley	Pamela	Simpsonville	SC	Upstate
Peacock	David	Lexington	SC	Upstate
Peacock	Heidi	Lexington	SC	Upstate
Skarpalezos	Charles	Gastonia	NC	Metrolina
Skarpalezos	Virginia	Gastonia	NC	Metrolina
10 year anniversary				
Lowman	James	Valle Crucis	NC	Hickory
Lowman	Brenda	Valle Crucis	NC	Hickory
McPherson	James	Bowie	MD	NONE
McPherson	James	Chapel Hill	NC	Triangle
Mulica	Robert W.	Cornelius	NC	Lake Norman
Smith	Michael	Winston Salem	NC	Triad
Smith	Kelly	Winston Salem	NC	Triad
Tannehill	Susan	Cornelius	NC	Lake Norman
5 year anniversary				
Doran	Anita	Hickory	NC	Hickory
Festa	Jerome	Charlotte	NC	Metrolina
Kirksey	William	Duncan	SC	Upstate
Kirksey	Edna	duncan	SC	Upstate
Poppe	Marc	Greer	SC	Upstate
Poppe	Claudia	Greer	SC	Upstate
Russo	Joseph	Charlotte	NC	Metrolina
Sampson	Allen	Charlotte	NC	Metrolina
Straw	Andrew	Hickory	NC	Hickory
Vicenik	Thomas	Pinehurst	NC	Sandhills
Vicenik	Mary	Pinehurst	NC	Sandhills
Zastrow	Craig	Charlotte	NC	Metrolina
Zastrow	Rebecca	Charlotte	NC	Metrolina



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2019 Event Calendar

For information about events outside the Carolinas Region go to:

<http://www.pca.org/Calendar/PCACalendar.aspx>

July	
14	Autocross #3 - Greensboro
20	Porsche Corral - Children's Home in Lexington, NC
August	
18	Autocross #4 - Michelin Proving Grounds in Greenville, SC
September	
7-8	Fall DE - Carolina Motorsports Park (Kershaw)
14	Autocross #2 - Michelin Proving Grounds in Greenville, SC (reschedule of event #2)
14	Regional Board Meeting - Charlotte or Concord at 11:00 am
October	
12	Oktoberfest
12	Autocross #5 - Greensboro
November	
1-3	Fall Tour - The Ridges (Hiwassee)
22	Solo Only DE - Virginia International Raceway (Alton)
23-24	Season Finale DE - Virginia International Raceway (Alton)
December	
3	Triad Christmas Party
7	Regional Board Meeting - Hickory Kia at 11:00 am

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Go to:

carolinasregionporscheclub.shutterfly.com/

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- 2) All ads will be posted to both Tobacco Roads and to the Regional Website unless otherwise directed. Submissions received by the 23rd of the month will be posted in the following edition. Web and print classifieds work on the same monthly cycle.
- 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.
- 5) No commercial ads. All commercial ads must be purchased. Contact TR Editor for pricing.
- 6) **Ads will run for two months.** If the item is not sold within that time frame the seller will need to contact the Editor at

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 - b. Price (Ads will not be accepted without pricing).
 - c. Where you and the item are located.
 - d. Contact information including name, phone number, and/or email address.

Below is a sample of the format we will utilize:

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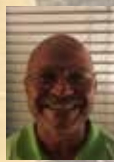
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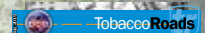


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“PORSCHÉ CORRAL CHARITY EVENT”

WHERE: AMERICAN CHILDREN’S HOME CAMPUS LOCATED AT 3844 NC HIGHWAY #8,
LEXINGTON, NC 27292

SCHEDULE: - STARTS AT 9:00AM UNTIL 2:00PM

- PEOPLE’S CHOICE VOTING FOR PORSCHÉ CORRAL

- 3 PLACE AWARDS PRESENTATION AT 2:00PM

ENTRY FEE: \$25 FOR EACH CAR WITH ALL PROCEEDS GOING TO THE AMERICAN CHILDREN’S HOME. MAIL CHECK AND REGISTRATION (NAME, ADDRESS; MODEL) TO: JERRY KILCREASE, 414 FOX CREEK DRIVE, LEXINGTON, NC 27292. MAKE CHECKS PAYABLE TO: CAROLINAS REGION PCA; REGISTRATION WILL BE AVAILABLE AT EVENT; PORSCHÉ GEENSBORO IS A SPONSOR AND WILL PROVIDE MARQUE DISPLAY; FOR QUESTIONS, CONTACT JERRY KILCREASE @ 336-847-9292 OR JKILCREASE@TRIAD.RR.COM.



Drive ...

Scenic route through the NC and GA highlands to Hiawasse, GA - a distance of approximately 230 miles. Plan includes personal breaks in the morning and afternoon with a stop for lunch at the Waynesville Inn and Golf Resort

Lodging ...

The Ridges Resort on Lake Chatuge. Located on the peaceful shores of Lake Chatuge and surrounded by the picturesque Blue Ridge Mountains, **The Ridges Resort on Lake Chatuge** (www.theridgesresort.com) offers an intimate, relaxing setting to visit with friends and enjoy the fall colors. Special discounted PCA Rate of \$169/night (+\$10.00/room/night resort fee).

Reservations for your stay at The Ridges must be made prior to Sept 1, 2019 in order to assure special pricing. Upon registration for Fall Tour, you will be provided with a special rate code to make your reservation at The Ridges.

Entertainment/Activities ...

Included:	Friday:	Driving Tour
	Friday evening:	Reception
	Friday evening:	Outdoor Barbecue buffet
	Saturday morning:	"People's Choice" Car Show
	Saturday afternoon:	Scenic drives; sight seeing/shopping
	Saturday evening:	Group dinner

Registration ...

\$175.00 per couple; \$89.00 single - Includes Friday evening reception and dinner on both Friday and Saturday. See: www.ClubRegistration.net for additional information and to register.

Register **NOW!** Participation in this event is limited to 50 cars and generally sells out early. Due to contractual obligations with the Resort, registrations cannot be accepted after August 30, 2019.



Area Updates:

JULY, 2019 (check website for event updates)

Triad Area By Jerry Kilcrease



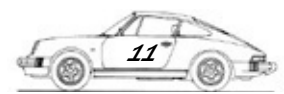
Meeting: Third Tuesday of the month at 7:00 PM
Location To Be Determined. See Web and TR
Contact Jerry Kilcrease, Area Director
triad-ad@carolinas-pca.com (336) 476-3120

THE TRIAD AREA PCA had a great turnout with 58 members and guests for our June 18th monthly meeting at Capt. Tom's in Kernersville. We also were pleased to welcome new PCA members and/or first time attendees including John Mauldin, Audrey and Matt Rutten and Stephanie (no last name). June was a very busy birthday month for our members as Tanya Reed, Rebecca Abbott, Jillian Van Camp, Evan Trudeau, Matt Rutten, B J Craven and Tom Mascenik celebrated birthdays during the month and were treated to a free desert but they had to endure the group serenading them with our version of "Happy Birthday". During our announcements from the membership, Steve Showalter announced that his playing partner, Larry Cantley, had a hole-in-one during their round of golf earlier in the week and everyone joined in to congratulate Larry. We held discussions regarding upcoming and past events, including the past Regional Event, Sommerfest, recently held in Pinehurst, NC. Quite a few Triad Area members attended the sellout event and during Sunday's Concours held in Pinehurst Village, Triad Area members Robert Van Camp, Dick Abbott, Serge Ayache and Rick Huskins walked away with some very nice trophies. Also at the meeting we handed out a "manager's choice" award to the owner of the Porsche selected from the parking lot. Capt. Tom's manager picked a Black, 718 Cayman S and the prize was awarded to Joe Furfaro. The 50/50 pot winner was Sadie and door prize winners were Serge Ayache and Ron Reed. Thanks to all that came out and joined us, especially the first time attendees. We look forward to you joining us at our next meeting, July 16th at Capt. Tom's. Please remember that Kathy (the Goodie Store Chairman) will be bringing the Carolinas Region Goodie Store to the meeting.



PAST TRIAD AREA HOSTED EVENTS:

Saturday, June 1st - "30 minutes on track at VIR" - Dixon Johnston, event chairman, planned all the details including meeting up at Porsche Greensboro on Saturday morning for coffee and pastries, then caravanning up to VIR for parade laps and lunch. Dixon had 32 cars registered and 49 members and guests making the drive from Porsche Greensboro to VIR. Upon arrival we staged all cars inside the paddock area then when



the track manager was ready, we lined up and ran the course at "lead-follow-no passing" speeds. After our time on track expired we exited and drove up to the Red Barn where we all enjoyed a catered lunch. Afterwards most of our members drove back into the paddock area and observed the DE activities in progress. Thanks to the management at VIR, the THSCC DE chairman and especially to Dixon for chairing this event. (add photos as space permits)



UPCOMING TRIAD AREA HOSTED EVENTS:


Saturday – July 20th, Porsche Corral at the American Children’s Home in Lexington, NC. The Triad Area PCA will be hosting the Porsche Corral charity event in conjunction with the American Children’s Home Car Show on Saturday, July 20th, at the American Children’s Home Campus located at 3844 NC Hwy #8 in Lexington, NC. Porsche Greensboro is a sponsor of this event they will be providing a ‘Marquee’ display of new Porsches. Complete details and registration information is on the Event Flyer located in this issue of Tobacco Roads. Please contact Jerry Kilcrease by email at jkilcrease@triad.rr.com or telephone at 336-847-9292 if you have any questions.

Triad Area Events agenda – Below is the remaining listing of Triad Area events scheduled for 2019. Please look them over and note the dates on your calendar and contact me if you have any questions at jkilcrease@triad.rr.com.

- July 20 – Porsche Corral/American Children’s Home Car Show
- Sept 21 – Greensboro Cars & Coffee – Triad Area is Featured Car Club
- Oct 12 – Oktoberfest – Porsche Greensboro
- Dec 3 – Triad Area Christmas Party

NEXT TRIAD AREA MEETING – Tuesday, July 16th, 2019

The Triad Area will hold its next monthly meeting at Captain Tom’s Seafood in Kernersville on Tuesday, July 16th. We start socializing around 6:00pm and generally begin our business meeting and discussions at 7:00pm. Please make plans to join us as we will have the Carolinas Region Goodie Store at the meeting displaying a large variety of shirts, tee shirts, caps, and many other items for sale at great prices.

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

The Hickory Area’s June membership meeting was held at Fourk Restaurant in Hickory. Thirty-six Members and friends attended. Porsche Hickory chose to use this gathering of Porsche enthusiasts as their official introduction of the 2019 Porsche Macan. Consequently, we were joined by several of their customers (and potential PCA Members) along members of the sales team.

Four examples of the new Macan were on display at the restaurant and available for our inspection. Bob Smith of Porsche Hickory gave a brief presentation outlining some of the features of the new vehicle and answered Member’s questions about the new Macan and other Porsche products.

We were also joined for dinner by our Madam President, Sadie Kilcrease and spouse Jerry. Sadie spent a few minutes providing an update on Region issues and activities and fielded a few questions from our Membership. She also won our 50/50 drawing (\$105.00) donating her “winnings” to Crossnore School. Their luck continued as Jerry won one of our door prizes – a Griott’s Garage Wheel Cleaning Kit – which he has promised to use to keep Sadie’s car looking sharp. As always, Sadie was delightful and we appreciate she and Jerry traveling to Hickory to be with our group.

Though the meeting was decidedly low key, we all had a lot of fun and an opportunity to meet some new friends.

Next Meeting:

- July 20: Membership Meeting, Drive and Dine. Shatley Springs



Restaurant, Crumpler, NC. We will meet at Porsche Hickory at 8:45 for a light breakfast and brief Membership meeting - departing for Shatley Springs at 9:30. So as to help the restaurant best accommodate us, please let us know you plan to attend. See: <https://www.signupgenius.com/go/508044DAEAA22ABFB6-july1>

The following Hickory Area activities are just a few of the events available to Carolinas Region Members. To learn about other events and activities in our Region please see the current edition of Tobacco Roads.

Upcoming:

- June 26 (Wednesday): Weekday Drive and Dine – 8:30 to ???, Porsche Hickory,

1205 S. Center Street, Hickory NC. Bob and Judy Futrell will lead our first weekday Drive and dine of the 2019 season. We will meet at 8:30 at Porsche Hickory for a light breakfast compliments of the dealership. Following a brief driver's meeting, we will depart at 9:15 for a leisurely drive to Abingdon, VA where we will have lunch at the Peppermill Restaurant. This of you who have dined previously at the Peppermill know that the food and service a top notch. I hope you will choose to join us. In order to let the restaurant know how many people to plan for, please RSVP by June 24 using the following link: <https://www.signupgenius.com/go/508044DAEAA22ABFB6-drive>

Down the Road:

- August 10 (Saturday): Tour/Tech Session/Lunch – 10:30 – 1:00 @ Paramount Classic Cars, 3030 Falling Creek Rd, Hickory, NC. Come tour Paramount's collection of classic and exotic cars, learn a bit about Porsche mechanics and enjoy lunch compliments of Porsche Hickory. Put this on your calendar - should be a fun day. Details to follow.
- August 13 (Tuesday) - Monthly Membership Meeting - 6:30 – 8:30 @ Fourk Restaurant, Hickory
- August 20 (Tuesday) – Ladies in Porsches - 11:30 to 1:30 @ Fourk Restaurant, Hickory, NC
- August 21 (Wednesday) – Weekday Drive and Dine – 9:00 to ???, Porsche Hickory to TBA
- Nov 1-3: Fall Tour 2019, The Ridges Resort on Lake Chatuge. Registration opens on July 1. See www.ClubRegistration.net for details.

Upstate Area By Robert Rainer



Meeting: First Monday of the month at 6:30 PM
Quaker Steak & Lube
10 Chrome Drive Greenville SC
Contact Robert Rainer, Area Director
upstate-ad@carolinas-pca.com

No report this month.

Lake Norman Area by Christian Roedlich



Monthly Meeting: Fourth Thursday of the month at 6:30
Location: The Peninsula Yacht Club (Cornelius)
Contact: Christian Roedlich Area Director
christianroedlich@hotmail.com

As usual, we conducted our last meeting on the fourth Thursday of the month, i.e. on May 23rd. We had about 25 PCA members from the Lake Norman area attend our monthly meeting at the Peninsula Yacht Club in Cornelius.

The PYC staff set up a beer vending station in our Porsche parking corral (see photo). The weather was great and members were able to enjoy a cold beer while chatting it up amidst their beautiful four wheeled companions – how can life get any better?!? As you can imagine, it was hard to ask the group 45 minutes later to move inside so that we may finally start our actual meeting ...

Scott Brooks with LiquiMoly was our featured speaker. He gave us a brief overview of the company's origins after WWII. Did you know that their corporate headquarters are basically equidistance from Porsche, Mercedes, Audi, and BMW? How about that for German efficiency? This fact affords LiquiMoly the opportunity to quickly test new formulations. Best of all, Scott brought very useful goodies for every attendee as well as a few great raffle items.

As always, we conducted our 50/50 raffle at the end of the meeting and generated \$335. The winner of the cash prize, Carl Dearnley (featured below), donated the money to the children at Barium Springs, ensuring that all the money raised goes to people who need it. Thank you for your generosity Carl! Of course, there were plenty of other great prizes, some purchased from the Goodie store, some donated by LiquiMoly.

We scheduled our next drive on the north side for Saturday, September 7th, so please mark your calendars. As usual, Brian Powell, our past PCA Carolinas president, is putting a fantastic drive together, this time it will take us pretty much straight west into the NC mountains.

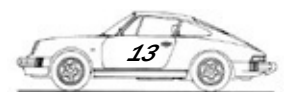
We want to continue keeping our monthly meetings interesting for our PCA members. Therefore, we are always looking for suggestions and ideas for speakers as well as events we may want to plan for the LKN area. As you know, the Upstate Area has been conducting a very successful chili cook off for years (to raise money for charity). We are still looking for one or two volunteers who want to spearhead a similar project in our area!

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 cars.

Also every second Saturday from 9:00 am to 11:00 am is Stuttgart Saturday at Hendrick Porsche, free coffee and donuts/crepes for participants.

Cars and Cappuccino, every Third Sunday – (New Location: South Park Mall in front of Maggiano's, 8:00 am to 10:00 am), for the



“European Sports Car”. This has grown into a rather sizable event. The next PCA meeting is scheduled for Thursday, July 25th, 2019 at The Peninsula Yacht Club (6:30 pm), 18501 Harbor Light Blvd., Cornelius, phone 704-892-9858.

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

SUMMER FUN IS HEATING UP!!

Metrolina is turning up the heat, with a lot of great drives and events this summer. Our June meeting at Maggiano's saw a great turnout with 40 P-Nuts in attendance. Our guest speaker, Mr. Spencer Gates of Hagerty Insurance, told us about all of the coverage options offered for our car collections and driving events.

John Zumbrunnen won a cool \$150 in the 50/50 split the pot raffle, Bonnie Sheehan won a nice pair of Porsche socks and Claude Simms won a nice Porsche coffee mug and backpack.



The June 23 drive to Raffaldini Vineyards for the Euro Car Show was a great time, with a spirited drive led by our favorite “Schnell Meister” Rich Wittholt. We had 17 Porsches on our drive and 23 Porsches represented, dominating the exhibit, and representing the Porsche brand in force.



UPCOMING EVENTS & SCHEDULE: JULY 17, PCA MEETING: Wed. July 17, at Maggiano's South Park mall. Meet & Greet in the bar at 6:30 PM. Dinner and meeting starts at 7 PM. **PRIVATE PARKING** for club members is in the Valet Parking lot just behind the pick-up lot across from the entrance. Look for a Porsche SIGN to mark our spot.

JULY 6th, CHRISTMAS IN JULY: Bud Oerhli is organizing a drive to West Jefferson NC, to join in the fun day enjoying craft beers, food and Christmas items. More details to follow later in June.

JULY 13, CORE AUTOSPORTS TOUR: Join the Metrolina Area PCA on Saturday July 13th at 10AM... for a tour of the Core Autosport race shop. Meet Michael Harvey, the GTLM team manager, at the Core Autosport complex, 483 Lakeshore Parkway, Rock Hill, SC, 29730

****See the new Porsche mid-engine #912 and #911 RSR GTLM race cars and the Nissan DPi prototype.**

Core Autosport was named official partner to operate Porsche's GTLM factory team in the IMSA SportsCar Championship series in 2014. Currently the Core Autosport GTLM program is top of the IMSA/WEC race series championship points.

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. If you would like to set up a drive, let me know and we can put together a team to help make it happen.

COMMUNICATIONS UPDATE: If you're not getting emails about our meetings etc. please send me a note to my personal em: carerra9972@gmail.com so I can update our database.

Thank You for your Support!

Sincerely,

Doug Strait-Metrolina Area Director

Coming up later this month is our dinner meeting at Filly&Colts on June 25, and a drive & dine organized by Larry Wolff on June 29th. In July we will be joining Cape Fear PCA in Holden Beach for a lunch and ice cream meetup!

Marty



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

Most of us took a week off to recoup from Sommerfest/Sandhills Motoring festival! Lots of pictures are posted on the event web site: sandhillsmotoringfestival.com All participants and sponsors were very happy with the event. Our charity, Sandhills Community Foundation, will receive all the proceeds of about \$7000. Plans already initiated to do it again next year.

June 8 took us to Derby airport, a private facility near Pinehurst, co-owned by one of our members, Chuck Peterson. The group of about 50 enjoyed a pancake breakfast, some great stories, and celebrated Chuck's birthday. Beautiful morning, great venue!


Cars&Coffee at Pine Scones attracted about 30 local car guys, and a few gals.





Triangle Area By Bob Kim

Monthly Meeting: Fourth Thursday of Month
 Nantucket Grill
 5925 Farmington Rd Durham NC
 Contact Bob Kim, Area Director
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races taking place, they offered 3 hours of open track time to advanced drivers on Sunday afternoon for much less than the usual cost for a HPDE. I have only positive things to say about the track time. It was just the right amount and I hope they offer it again next year!

Unfortunately, I was unable to attend our monthly cars & coffee in June because of family commitments. But, I do look forward to seeing everyone in the coming week at our monthly member dinner at Nantucket Grill in Chapel Hill.

We have had several new members join our Meetup group this past month. The most I've had since becoming Area Director. I'm excited to meet our new participants, and I'm excited for them to meet our great members!

Have a wonderful month!

Bob

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Robert Kim

rotokim@gmail.com



The month of June started with Cars & Coffee at Southpoint Porsche in Durham. The event was very well attended by both Carolinas and Hurricane Regions' PCA members. It's always great to see the beautiful Porsches, including an Amelia Island concours winning 1955 356 to the newest Panamera! But, most of all, it's the members of the PCA that make these events so special. I had a wonderful conversation with Bob Ingram at the event. If you don't know him, he has one of the finest collection of Porsches in the world and he is very active in our local PCA. He said that he has never experienced a more dedicated and passionate customer base than Porsche. I have to agree.

More recently, I just returned this evening from a 3 hour Advanced Driver HPDE (High Speed Drivers Education) at Virginia International Raceway. I haven't been back to VIR since last summer. But, even after driving the track for almost 10 years, I never grow tired of being there. In the past, Zone 2 PCA has hosted HPDEs that ran between PCA club races at this time of year. The race is called the Rumble at the Oaks. But, the attendance has dwindled over the years and they decided to try something different this year. Instead of a 2 day event where you might not get all of the track sessions you had hoped to have due to the



Driver Education:

by Steve Barrier



Greetings and salutations my extended Carolinas Region family! As some of you may know, I have taken on the role of Driver Education chair for our region, giving John the freedom he needs to realize some well earned retirement plans. It has been a pleasure being a participant, then later an instructor, and now the chair for the DE program. Sitting down to write this article I am struck by my lack of experience in the endeavor, but here goes!!

If you've not participated in a DE event and want to learn more about you, your car, and what you can do together, I encourage you to come participate! When I got connected with our DE program through a work friend, I did not even own a Porsche and brought my 2006 Infiniti G35 sedan. I realized very quickly that while I understood how to navigate the public roadway in a safe manner, I had no idea about the capabilities of my car or how to drive it when things became interesting. This simply should not be pursued on public roads.

After my first event, I chose to pursue the purchase of my first Porsche, which turned out to be a 1987 944 Turbo of questionable provenance. There is a story there too long for this article, so if you come to an event feel free to ask. It turned out that learning to drive properly was a more daunting task than I had initially thought. What made it possible was the caliber of instructors our region has available. The depth of knowledge, experience, ability to adapt, and especially patience, kept me involved and ultimately led me to join those instructor ranks. Each instructor brought a new perspective while also meeting me where I was in skill and goals. When PCA says "It's not just the cars, it's the people", that includes our DE program, and is what kept me coming back to PCA events both within and outside of our region.

Your journey to a full and immersive automotive experience can be started this September the 7th and 8th at Carolina Motorsports Park in Kershaw SC. Registration is open on www.clubregistration.net as of July 8, and we would love to have you come join all of us in continuing to learn to drive. We once again have HBI Auto as our sponsor. HBI Auto is your dealership alternative for service, repair, fabrication, performance, and track preparation of all Porsches as well as all other makes and models. You can find out more about HBI Auto at www.hbiauto.com or by calling them at 336-978-8818. They're located at 137 Southpark Place, Mocksville, NC 27028.

As a reminder for the veterans of the DE program on HANS requirements, PCA National requires the use of a HANS whenever 5 or 6 point harnesses are used, for both passenger and driver. For those with OEM seatbelt equipped cars there is no change (unless it came from the factory with harnesses and you plan to use them). From a safety standpoint this only makes sense to ensure a complete system of protection and to comply with equal restraint rules already in place. I've attached a YOUTUBE clip showing the difference between a driver with harness but no HANS versus his navigator who is wearing a HANS device. While the harness keeps the driver from moving you can clearly see the extended movements of his head which can cause life threatening basilar skull fractures (BSF).

https://www.youtube.com/watch?time_continue=7&v=g40YatgE_CE

So check out the program guide at https://www.carolinas-pca.com/Driving/CAR_DEGuide_V2.pdf, get your car inspected, register, and come on down to the track. No track experience required!

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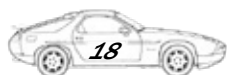
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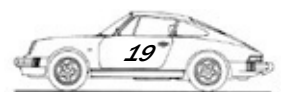
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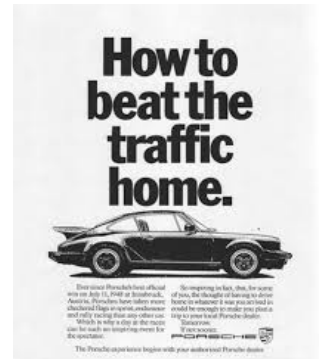
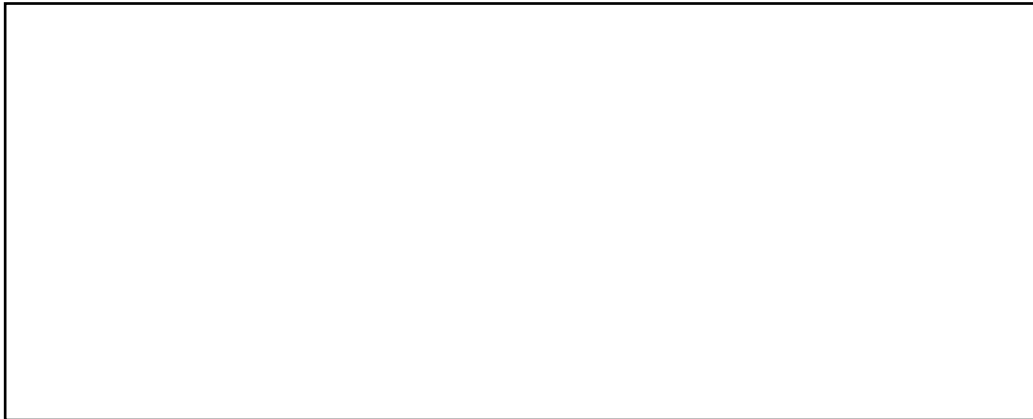


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