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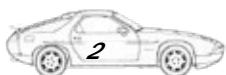
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From the Driver's Seat

Sadie Kilcrease, President



Finally the long awaited paving of Carolina Motorsports Park in Kershaw, SC has become a reality. Many of us have waited years for this to happen. While the new owners had assured us paving the track was their first priority, many comments to me were "I will believe it when I see it." Thanks to Harvey Yancey, enclosed are pictures of the newly paved track. We are on schedule to host our September DE on September 19-20. To comply with State and Local Mandates and PCA Minimum Standards regarding COVID-19, you will notice some changes. The major change is this DE event will be solo drivers only. If you are thinking about attending this event and haven't registered, I recommend that you do so now as we are anticipating a large turnout as everyone is excited to drive on the newly paved track.



A notice was sent to all Carolinas Region Members, Sponsors, and Vendors advising of the postponement of our 60th Anniversary Celebration. Tentative plans are to host the event in September, 2021. Thanks for the emails and phone calls agreeing with this very difficult decision.

The Autocross Chair, David Harrison, has advised he does not anticipate being able to host an AutoCross event this year due to Covid 19 restrictions. An email was sent out to all Carolinas Region Members.

On July 12 I participated in the Metrolina Area Charity Fund raiser held at Morgan Ridge Winery in Gold Hill, NC. Area Director, Doug Strait, did an excellent job with planning and executing the event. Morgan Ridge is a beautiful venue and the food was excellent. It was great to visit with friends and have an opportunity to meet new members....while maintaining social distancing. Zoom meetings help us stay connected along with all the other technology that allows us to keep in touch but there is nothing like person to person visiting. It was a wonderful day...very rewarding.



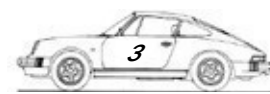
Congratulations this month go out to Tom and Sharon Huecker on their 45 year anniversary as PCA Members. Tom and Sharon joined PCA in July, 1975, and live in Greenville, SC located in the Upstate Area of the Carolinas Region. While they are currently confining themselves at home, they enjoy attending monthly meetings and always look forward to receiving Tobacco Roads.

Area Directors continue to find ways to host monthly meeting while complying with all required mandates. Some Areas are holding zoom meetings, some are hosting outside meetings. Zoom meetings are becoming popular when it is not possible to schedule an onsite meeting. Contact Area Directors for information on meetings you may be interested in attending.

State and Federal guidelines continue to change and many uncertainties remain. All events, meetings, drives, etc must comply with all applicable government and PCA guidelines. Compliance can be challenging but together we can conquer the challenge. Thank you for your patience and understanding as the safety and health of our families, members, sponsors and advertisers remain our top priority. Stay CONNECTED.



Sadie Kilcrease
President, Carolinas Region PCA



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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

TBA

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.

New Members

June

LAST_NAME	FIRST_NAME	City	State	PCA Carolina's Area
Cray	Steve	Belmont	NC	Metrolina
Dargani	Julie	Concord	NC	Lake Norman
Davis	Dale	Greenville	SC	Upstate
Douglas	Dave	Huntersville	NC	Lake Norman
Funkhouser	William	Durham	NC	Triangle
Gates	Spencer	Charlotte	NC	Metrolina
Grady	Gregory	High Point	NC	Triad
Guthrie	John	Charlotte	NC	Metrolina
Jackson	Alice	Landrum	SC	Upstate
Karhnak	Steve	Matthews	NC	Metrolina
Karhnak	Tricia	Matthews	NC	Metrolina
Kirby	John	Charlotte	NC	Metrolina
Kong	Fanjie	Durham	NC	Triangle
Ludden	Brian	Charlotte	NC	Metrolina
Marranca	Joseph	Raleigh	NC	Triangle
Rowntree	Jim	Charlotte	NC	Metrolina
Smith	James	Belmont	NC	Metrolina
Sprague	Raymond	Landrum	SC	Upstate
Stanton-Ludden	Julie	CHARLOTTE	NC	Metrolina
Waring	Brad	Charleston	SC	Upstate
Wellener	Andy	Pinehurst	NC	Sandhills
Wiegert	Joel	Salem	SC	Upstate
Wilson	Allen	Raleigh	NC	Triangle
Zywno	Waclaw	Easley	SC	Upstate



Anniversaries **June**

Last Name	First Name	City	State	PCA Carolina's Area
25 year anniversary				
Blaskovich	Esther	Summerfield	NC	Triad
von der Lippe	Kevin	Oak Ridge	NC	Triad
von der Lippe	Laura	Oak Ridge	NC	Triad
20 year anniversary				
DesPortes	Perrin	Charlotte	NC	Metrolina
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Paap	Martha	ST J	IL	NONE
Paap	Marc	Easley	SC	Upstate
10 year anniversary				
Agres	Robert	Ft mill	SC	Metrolina
Brown	Rod	Summerfield	NC	Triad
Brown	Cyndi	Summerfield	NC	Triad
Carney	Kevin	Charlotte	NC	Metrolina
Carroll	David	Charlotte	NC	Metrolina
Carroll	Mason	Charlotte	NC	Metrolina
Ellington	Jesse	Boone	NC	Hickory
Jacobowitz	Sam	Whitsett	NC	Triad
Jacobowitz	Tomasita	Greensboro	NC	Triad
5 year anniversary				
Campbell	John	Charlotte	NC	Metrolina
Flynt	David	Gibsonville	NC	Triad
Fric	Thomas	Greer	SC	Upstate
Fric	Karen-Marie	Greer	SC	Upstate
Hornbeck	Ryan	Greer	SC	Upstate
Hornbeck	Trishka	Greer	SC	Upstate
Kelly	Phillip	Gibsonville	NC	Triad
Strader	Walter	Denver	NC	Lake Norman
Strader	Suzan	Denver	NC	Lake Norman

Anniversaries **July**

Last Name	First Name	City	State	PCA Carolina's Area
45 year anniversary				
Huecker	Tom	GREENVILLE	SC	Upstate
Huecker	Sharon	GREENVILLE	SC	Upstate
35 year anniversary				
Poehlman	George	Durham	NC	Triangle
Poehlman	Betty	Durham	NC	Triangle
30 year anniversary				
Shearer	Randall	Charlotte	NC	Metrolina
Shearer	Ryan	Charlotte	NC	Metrolina
Helfer	Andrew	COLUMBIA	SC	Upstate
Helfer	Lisa	COLUMBIA	SC	Upstate
25 year anniversary				
Brandt	Beverly	CHARLOTTE	NC	Metrolina
20 year anniversary				
Miller	Joel	HICKORY	NC	Hickory
Miller	Nancy	HICKORY	NC	Hickory
Butler	Deborah	Charlotte	NC	Metrolina
15 year anniversary				
Doyle	James	Charlotte	NC	Metrolina
Doyle	Jennifer	Charlotte	NC	Metrolina
Lowder	Sherrill	Mint Hill	NC	Metrolina
Lowder	Bonnie	Charlotte	NC	Metrolina
Whittle	R	Charlotte	NC	Metrolina
Whittle	Robbie	Charlotte	NC	Metrolina
Maynard	Kenneth	Anaconda	MT	NONE
Earwood	Steve	Marston	NC	Sandhills
Maynard	Nancy	Greensboro	NC	Triad
10 year anniversary				
Bristol	Kenne	Clover	SC	Metrolina
Corbin	Bill	Charlotte	NC	Metrolina
Hess	James	Charlotte	NC	Metrolina
Hess	Nelly	Charlotte	NC	Metrolina
Bristol	Candy	Elmhurst	IL	NONE
Filipi	Bratislava	Ann Arbor	MI	NONE
Gregory	Cyndie	Durham	NC	Triangle
Gunnells	Michael	Durham	NC	Triangle
Filipi	Zoran	Simpsonville	SC	Upstate
5 year anniversary				
Vittorio	Jane	Granite Falls	NC	Hickory
Fenn	Brian	Denver	NC	Lake Norman
Fenn	Betsy	Charlotte	NC	Metrolina
Goldstein	Garson	Hauppauge	NY	NONE
Goldstein	Susan	Hauppauge	NY	NONE
Singleton	John	Kernersville	NC	Triad
Singleton	Jared	Kernersville	NC	Triad
Garner	Mark	Durham	NC	Triangle
Schreier	Phil	Piedmont	SC	Upstate



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2020 Event Calendar

For information about events outside the Carolinas Region go to:

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

August	
15	Triad Area - Drive/Parade Laps & Lunch at VIR
22	Carolinas Region - Board Meeting - Location TBD
September	
4 - 6	Non-PCA - Sandhills Motoring Festival - Pinehurst
12 - 13	Carolinas Region HPDE - Carolina Motorsports Park, Kershaw, SC
October	
3	Hickory Area - Poker Run for Charity
November	
6 - 8	Carolinas Region Fall Tour - The Ridges - CANCELLED
TBD	Triad Area - Oktoberfest
20 - 22	Carolinas Region HPDE - Virginia International Raceway, Afton, VA
December	
1	Triad Area - Christmast Party
5	Carolinas Region - Board Meeting - Location TBD

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 Cell: (336) 577-6838
- 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

- editor@carolinas-pca.com and request an extension. Each extension will be for one additional month.
- 7) All pictures submitted should be in .JPG format and no larger than 800x600. One picture per submission.
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Below is a sample of the format we will utilize:
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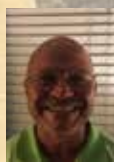
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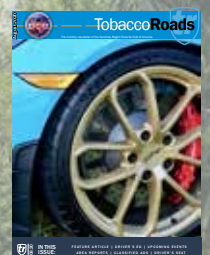


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Area Updates:

August, 2020 (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 held a July 21st monthly meeting at "The Barn at Royal Gait" in Trinity, NC. We starting gathering around 5:00pm at "The Barn" and this month we did not have any rain but it was one of the hottest days of the year. However, our host Bobby Royals had installed a huge overhead fan that kept the sitting area in the open pole building very comfortable. We were pleased to welcome 25 members and guests to the meeting including Porsche Greensboro staff Jason Hausler and Steve Sudler. They also staged a 2020 Porsche Cayenne Coup on the turf in front of the barn for everyone to check out. Steve Sudler was also the guest speaker for the evening and he shared some very interesting details along with an overhead presentation of photographs depicting the history of the Porsche's Indy car project. Birthday deserts and a round of "Happy Birthday" went out to Jerry Kilcrease, Tommie Lauer and Tim Robertson who had birthdays during the month of July. The 50/50 split the pot winner was Jerry Kilcrease and door prize winners were Brad Faircloth, Fran Lumpkin, Rick Huskins, Dick Abbott, Dixon Johnston, Emily Branch, Taylor Wedge, Tim Robertson and Eugene Reeves. Thanks to Rick Huskins, Dick Abbott and Porsche Greensboro for donating extra items for door prizes. Thanks to everyone that came....hope to see you again next time.



ing later.

Status of future Triad Area PCA events and activities will be evaluated as we move forward. Members can keep informed by checking the Carolinas Region PCA website (www.carolinas-pca.com) and in upcoming issues of Tobacco Roads. Also please feel free to contact me anytime at jkilcrease@triad.rr.com or 336-847-9292.

UPCOMING TRIAD AREA EVENTS:

1. August 15th, 2020 – Drive to VIR – Touring Laps & Lunch – The Triad Area is hosting this event and Dixon Johnston is the event Chairman. Registration and event details are in the event flyer located in this edition of Tobacco Roads. The group will meet at Porsche Greensboro at 8:30am for coffee/pastries departing at 9:30am. Please contact Dixon at dixon.johnston@gmail.com or 828-308-2888 if you have questions.
2. October 17th, 2020 – Oktoberfest – Details and location com-

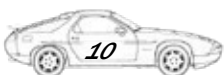
TRIAD AREA MEMBERS CELEBRATING MEMBERSHIP ANNIVERSARIES

Each month the Carolinas Region Membership Chairperson sends Area Directors a listing of members in their area that celebrated an anniversary during the previous months. ...so I am happy to offer congratulations and to announce the following anniversaries:

June, 2020

25 Years: Ester Blaskovich

10 years: Rod Brown



5 Years: David Flynt
 Kevin von der Lippe
 Cyndi Brown
 Phillip Kelly
 Laura von der Lippe
 Sam Jacobowitz
 Tomasita Jacobowitz

July, 2020

15 Years: Nancy Maynard
 5 Years: John Singleton
 Jared Singleton

NEXT TRIAD AREA MONTHLY MEETING: At the July 21st meeting it was announced that there would not be an August Triad Area monthly meeting, however, Bobby Royals again volunteered the use of his facility so an August 18th meeting will be held. Details are as follows:

1. Meeting held August 18th at Royal Gait located at 6495 Kennedy Road, Trinity, NC
2. Start gathering around 6PM ; State/local COVID 19 guidelines will be followed
3. Business meeting/discussions/ around 7PM - 50/50 pot/door prizes
4. Plenty of open parking - Food Truck available or you can bring your own food
5. Tables safely spaced in roofed opened-air pole building with side cross ventilation
6. Hand sanitizing stations available; sinks for hand washing; face mask currently required
7. Bring your own cooler with beer/wine; water/soft drinks available from Food Truck
8. Bring chairs/picnic blanket if desired; plenty of open area for eating/walking
9. If you plan to join us please RSVP to jkilcrease@triad.rr.com by August 15th so we can get a head count for the Food Truck manager

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

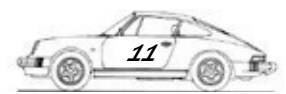
Meeting Summary. Bryson and Kathy Kiser took responsibility for organizing this month's meeting ... and a great job they did! On Tuesday evening, July 14, nineteen Members and friends gathered at Catawba Farms for dinner and some social time with their PCA friends. Catawba Farms, situated on 34 pastoral acres, is a combination winery, brewery and event venue in Newton, NC. We met on the lawn of the property's historic Bed and Breakfast where a number of picnic tables are set up under the heavy tree canopy.

Participants ordered dinner from the food truck also located on the property and enjoyed beer and wine produced on site.



White Iddings won our 50/50 raffle to benefit Crossnore School and donated all \$130.00 to their cause. Thank you White.

Jeff Matthews (Thanks, Jeff!) donated a carved, wooden Porsche crest as a door prize which was won by Jane Vittorio. Additional door prizes were won by Deborah Brown (proud owner of a new Macan "S") and Nadya Scopes.



We also took the opportunity to celebrate White Iddings and Bryson Kiser's birthdays and Bryson and Kathy Kiser's 51st Anniversary. Congratulations to all!

Though folks really seemed to enjoy visiting with one another, the highlight of the evening may have been the homemade (vanilla AND chocolate) ice cream provided by Kathy and Bryson. It was a real treat that some of us – myself included – may have enjoyed a little too much.



Drive and Dine. On Thursday, July 16, a small group of eight people attended our weekday Drive and Dine. Following a brief gathering and driver's meeting at Food Matters in Morganton, participants struck out for Roan Mountain State Park led by Bryson and Kathy Kiser. Bryson always manages to put together a fun – and, at times, challenging - drive and this was no exception. Upon arriving at Roan Mountain, folks dispersed among the available picnic tables to enjoy the lunch each brought along. Following lunch and some social time, participants departed to make their own way home.

Next Meeting. The next meeting of the Hickory Area group will be on Tuesday evening, August 11. Details forthcoming.

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

Activities in Sandhills Area are slowly resuming some resemblance of normal. Twenty-five members attended the last dinner meeting at Pine Crest Inn in Pinehurst. Of course, new seating and serving safety guidelines impact any social gathering these days! Steve Sudler, marketing manager from Porsche Greensboro, presented Porsche's early history which we all really enjoyed!

Also at the dinner meeting, Marvin Waters gave us an update on Pinehurst's Sandhills Motoring Festival, now rescheduled for Labor Day weekend. All sponsors have committed to support the event, including The Village of Pinehurst, which allows us to close three Village streets for the Sunday Concours events. Over

a hundred judged cars will participate on that Sunday, along with several thousand spectators. The Saturday Rally is expected to attract at least fifty cars. Ferrari is the featured marque for all weekend events. Please check out Sandhillsmotoringfestival.com for details...events are free to spectators. All proceeds are donated to Sandhills Community College Automotive Technologies programs.

Local Cars&Coffee events restarted, while observing social distancing. Attendance has been about two thirds pre-COVID levels as folks adjust to the new normal. But, we are seeing a few new faces and new cars!

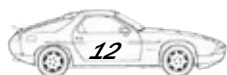
Last weekend six members drove to Holden Beach for lunch and ice cream. This annual summer event is usually done in conjunction with Mike Elder, and a few other Porsche friends from Cape Fear - Hurricane region, but that could not be done this time in order to keep the group small and manageable. Still a fun day at the beach!

Jim Rohr has taken charge of Sandhills Legends group of about twelve guys with air cooled Porsches. It has been a good experience to discuss issues unique to these Porsches with other local members....and go for a drive! Bernie Dennison, Marvin Jennings, Steve Clarke, Bill Ainsley and Fred Apgar have lots of hands on experience with these older cars that they willingly share with those of us who enjoy the fun, and challenges, associated with older Porsches. More on Legends, and other Sandhills activities: Sandhillsporsches.tumblr.com

Planning for events later this year remains "flexible" under current conditions. Looking forward to the September CMP DE on a newly paved 2.3 miles of asphalt!

Stay Safe, Enjoy Your Porsche!

Marty





Triangle Area By Bob Kim

Monthly Meeting: Fourth Thursday of Month
 Nantucket Grill
 5925 Farmington Rd Durham NC
 Contact Bob Kim, Area Director
triangle-ad@carolinas-pca.com (919) 360-8561

No article this month

Metrolina Area by Doug Strait

Monthly Meeting: Third Wednesday of the month
 at 6:30 PM at Cafe Monte

Contact Doug Strait Area Director
metrolina-ad@carolinas-pca.com



Summer fun is heating up.....

If you're like me, you're tired of hanging around the house while working remotely, and having to wear PPE every time you go out in public, just to do the normal day to day things like grocery shop and visit family and friends. But, thank God for the Porsche. What a great way to get outdoors and enjoy a spirited drive with the top down and catch some rays and fresh air.

On July 12, we held our Wine & Shine fund raiser event at Morgan Ridge Winery and Brewery, to benefit the Second Harvest Food Bank in Charlotte. Aileen and I greeted and checked everyone in to get the day started, and what a great sunny day we had, getting to catch up with many old friends and get to meet some new members and make a few new friends along the way. We had 34 cars register for the car show and 68 guests, who all enjoyed a nice buffet style lunch in the pavilion, and some nice live music. We raised \$1340 for the food bank, including the 50/50 Split the Pot which was won by Quinton Brantley taking home a \$110. I want to thank Sadie and Jerry for bringing along many of their firends to join in the fun. It really helped our event to be a great success!! Thanks again Triad P-Nuts.





stay in touch and share any new updates. Stay Tuned.

NOTE: The 60th Anniversary celebration has been postponed until next year. I'm hoping things get better, so we can have our Christmas Party in early December.

STAY COOL..... STAY SANE, STAY HEALTHY, STAY SAFE!!!

Sincerely,

Doug Strait-Metrolina Area Director

Lake Norman Area by Christian Roedlich



Monthly Meeting: Second Thursday of the month at 6:30

Location: The Peninsula Yacht Club (Cornelius)

Contact: Christian Roedlich Area Director



We continue to live in our new normal and hopefully everybody in our LKN PCA community remains healthy and safe.

We had our second "regular" monthly meeting since the pandemic started on July 9th. It was quite a warm day, nevertheless 15 members ventured out and gathered around on their lawn chairs. PYC offered prepackaged hamburgers and chicken sandwiches as well as the usual delicious refreshments... (see photo below).



Just like last month, Cars and Coffee events are still officially closed, however, a few PCA members (and a few others as well) just happened to get coffee on the same second Saturday morning in July at Waterbean Coffee in Cornelius for a lowkey, relaxing car experience and everybody sporting face masks.

On July 15th, David van Epps with Sonderwerks hosted a little wine tasting at his facility. Kevin Buckler with TRG and Cindy Sisson were the resident wine experts and shared their wine expertise (and racing experience) with the group. The hand-crafted wines from the Adobe Road Winery out of CA were quite delicious. Too bad most of us had to drive afterwards...

We had 3 winners in the car show, 1st place-Charlie Branch, 2nd place-Bill Wolfe, 3rd place-Steve Everhart. Bill Wolfes 2012 Turbo sported a very eye catching patriotic hood graphic.



TRG also brought their racing trailer as well as a couple of their race cars and drivers. The two Caymans provided the group with welcome - and these days rare - race car eye candy and contributed to an entertaining evening.

Our next PCA meeting will be again at the Peninsula Yacht Club, on Thursday, August 13th, 2020 at 6:30pm, 18501 Harbor Light Blvd., Cornelius, phone 704-892-9858. As previously, we will meet in the Porsche Corral for food and refreshments. There will be a separate invite.

Please stay safe and healthy! See you all soon again.

FUTURE in person MEETINGS ARE STILL ON HOLD, as we are still confined to small gatherings of 10 people and the restaurants are limited to very small dining areas and 6 people to a table. I may set up another Zoom meeting for August, just to





Upstate Area By Jeff Price

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

Back in July of 1975, Tom and Sharon Huecker joined the Porsche Club of America. This July 2020, marks their 45th anniversary as PCA members!!

WOW!! Congratulations to Tom & Sharon on 45 years of PCA membership.

And to show some of the benefits, the following picture of Tom & Sharon was from the 2015 Parade to French Lick, Indiana, where they won the PCA Victory Banquet Grand Prize of a Trip to Germany. PCA Parade is what you make of it and thus always a good time - even if you don't win the Grand Prize.





July's Upstate Area Meeting was held on Tuesday the 14th at Quaker Steak & Lube, in Greenville. Due to the ongoing COVID issues, we held the meeting outdoors in the parking area.

Attendance was a little lite for our area as we had 14 cars and 20 members brave the July heat. Take-out and Dine-In food was available for those who wanted to grab a bite to eat. Most members brought a folding chair and joined a growing group who had setup in the shade.

We held our 50/50 Charity Raffle, which included (2) \$50.00 gift certificates to the Carolina's Region Goodie Store and 50% of the Raffle pot which totaled \$160.00. Thus we raised \$80.00 for our Charity.



We are planning some more Drives for this coming fall when the weather cools a little, since we would like to keep most events outdoors as this, I am told, greatly reduces the risk of COVID transfer. If anyone has a good idea on a single day Drive or Outdoor Location to visit, please send them in - all ideas are appreciated.



Our next meeting is scheduled for Tuesday, August 11th, 6pm, Quaker Steak & Lube, 10 Chrome Drive, Greenville, SC.

Drive safe,

Jeff Price
Upstate Area Director
PCA Carolinas Region
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Hello Everyone!

We hope that you and your families are staying healthy and safe! The staff here at the Sandhills Motoring Festival would like to remind everyone of the new dates for Labor Day Weekend for the 3rd Annual Sandhills Motoring Festival!

The Sandhills Motoring Festival has been rescheduled for Labor Day Weekend, September 4-6. The venues and run time for the event remain the same – only the date has changed. We thank our entrants, the Village of Pinehurst, and our sponsors, for their dedication to the success of our event. It simply would not be possible without your support.

The Sandhills Motoring Festival website – www.sandhillsmotoringfestival.com – will continue to be the best resource for updates and information, we are also posting updates to our Facebook page - please be sure to follow us! Please feel free to reach out to us via email, the contact form on the website, or via phone at 910-315-2918 with any questions you may have leading up to the event on September 4-6.

We thank you for your support and we look forward to seeing you Labor Day Weekend!



Fall Tour

July is the month we normally begin registration for Fall Tour. Unfortunately, that will not be the case this year. After a great deal of thought and discussion, we have decided to cancel this year's event.

This decision was, by no means, made lightly. As a result of multiple conversations with representatives of the venue, with PCA Board Members, and with past participants, a number of facts have contributed to this decision:

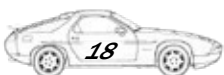
- Based on age alone, many of our Members – especially those who have attended this event in the past - are considered higher risk for severe illness from the virus. As such, they are advised to avoid group activities, especially those held indoors.
- Prospective participants want to “wait and see” what the situation is like closer to the event before making a commitment. Venue management, on the other hand, needs a firm commitment now in order to hold the space for us.
- Though characterized as a “tour”, this is primarily a social event. The venue has been chosen in large part because it is conducive to the social interactions our Members value. Unfortunately, these same characteristics make it extremely difficult to “social distance”. For instance, it will be very difficult, if not impossible, to effectively practice “social distancing” during group meals.
- Federal, State and local jurisdictions continue to revise their guidelines as to how best to respond to the pandemic. The uncertainty as to what these guidelines may look like later in the year make it virtually impossible to formulate concrete longer-term plans.
- Nearly all Members asked have expressed a reluctance to participate until there is a vaccine to prevent contraction of the illness or until effective treatments exist – neither of which are likely by November.

So ... though we feel it prudent to cancel this year's Fall Tour, we do hope you will plan to join us in 2021. Be sure to put November 5-7 on your calendar.

Be safe ... Stay well.

Michael Vittorio
Events Coordinator

Michael Vittorio



It's Not Just the Cars...a Short Story

Last year I attended a DE with Shane and we decided to bring my bicycle so I could be a little more mobile around the paddock. It was late Friday afternoon and I was making my rounds, greeting the "track people" as they arrived. We have members who attend from all corners of our vast Carolinas Region, many of whom we only see 3-4 times a year at the DE's, and it's always good to see them again.

We hadn't brought my bike for the past few events, so I was a little rusty on the stopping part. You really need to have both hands on the handlebars when braking. Lesson learned when I came to a less than graceful stop upon my arrival to call on a couple of friends. I managed to catch myself in time to prevent landing on all fours, but did inflict a rather deep gash on my shin in the process. I recovered very quickly and was acting like nothing happened, when one of my friends pointed out the trickle of blood running down my leg. I then limped back to home base, where we discovered our three new 1st aid kits were still at home and did not make it to the track.

We started asking around for some basic supplies and upon stopping in at the GMP camp, learned one of their drivers was a critical care neurologist. While some may argue that I actually did need a brain specialist, he was kind enough to take a look at my leg laceration and provide some basic care instructions.

We stopped at Walgreens on the way to the hotel that evening for 1st aid supplies and I made it through the night. The next day at the track, I was back on my bike and as I passed the GMP camp, my neurologist friend ran out and flagged me down. He had met another driver who was an ER doctor and might be able to help me. I was able to locate that good doctor in the paddock and after a brief introduction, he cleaned my laceration and applied some glue to close the wound.

Needless to say, I survived the weekend and will probably always have a lovely little scar on my shin to remind me that both hands are needed to safely apply brakes on a bicycle. However, it also reminds me what a great group of people we have at the track and in our club. Truly, it's not just the cars, it's the people!

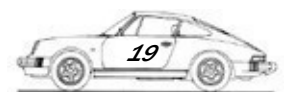
~Sandy Liles~

Greetings from your friendly HPDE Chair this fine August! "What is in the news for HPDE?" you ask.....well, SARS-CoV-2, a.k.a COVID-19. To say 2020 has been a tumultuous year is the understatement of the decade, and its effects have been felt throughout society and the economy, with track programs affected heavily; especially those that include close contact instruction. I know many have been personally affected, and my heart goes out to all those affected whether medically or financially.

In March, as the nature of the pandemic unfolded, I asked myself if it was right or wrong to continue with the event at Carolinas Motorsports Park. Through discussion with other team members we determined we could continue that event with some changes to encourage safety. Hand sanitizer was readily available at registration, we encouraged physical distance at our drivers meeting, and disposable gloves were available at the beginning of the social food line on Saturday. This underscores that Carolinas Region is always focused on the safety of our HPDE participants, and we continue to consider the safety of all participants as we ramp up for the September event.

To that end some of you know that our September event will be solo only this year in order to minimize the possible spread of communicable disease. We have enabled and will be using electronic waivers for those who wish to sign the waivers prior to registration. The link for instructions on accomplishing this through Club Registration is here: <https://clubregistration.net/misc/eSignaturesHow-To.pdf> We will also be streamlining our morning meetings to minimize the time spent gathered together, and will have amplification available so that we can be physically distanced as required. More details will come via event specific emails; just know that your health has always been and continues to be our top priority. For those of you who've never engaged in an HPDE, fear not.....we are working with the National HPDE team to determine the best way to enable instruction for new participants as quickly as we can. On a more positive note, CMP HAS BEEN REPAVED!!! Many of you have waited a long time to read those words in print, but it is true. I have spoken with the CMP team and the entire track was repaved along with key sections of the property, and I am looking forward to enjoying that fresh asphalt. I just keep thinking "I love the smell of fresh asphalt in the morning!" My kids would channel Mater and say "Look ya'!!!! I'm the first one on the new road!!" With the change of format comes additional track time each day, and we will be continuing our focus on hygiene during our registration and technical inspection processes.

I have some fond memories of CMP starting with my first event where my instructor needed the AC running due to the exhaust from another student and the 98 degree heat. The next event my instructor and now good friend kept saying "puddle" every time we went through turn 14. We had been focused the day before on getting over to the apex, so one time through I finally got the apex. I then watched a wave of water spray from the right corner and come straight in the window after turning, soaking him to the bone. At that point all he said was, "I said, puddle!" A later event actually got me a write up in a newsletter when I went out on track in the pouring rain, never exceeding 45 mph and aquaplaning the whole way. I got the honorable mention of being the first, last, and only car on track during that session. CMP may not be VIR, or Road Atlanta, but it carries charm and challenge, and I'd be very happy to see it thrive. Come join us to build your own memories and stories to share. Thank you to the club for the continued support of our HPDE program, and we hope to see you at the track!





Triad Area PCA is Hosting a Drive to VIR, TOURING LAPS and Lunch Saturday, August 15



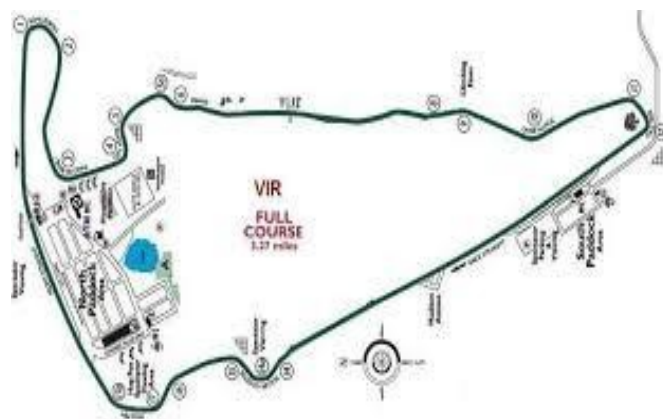
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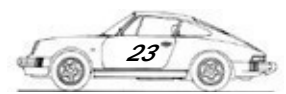
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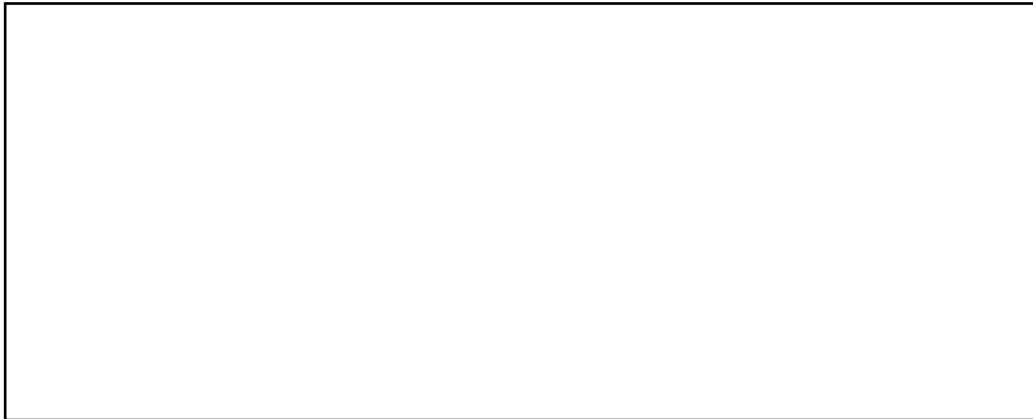


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