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From the Driver's Seat

Brian Powell, President



Angela and I had the privilege recently of joining Sandhills, Triad and Triangle area members on their drive to the pottery mecca of Seagrove, NC. Thanks to Marty Barrett, Jerry Kilcrease and Howard Wasserman for organizing the gathering. It was great to see so many old friends and to greet new ones, members coming as far as Southport, NC. It was a great day for a drive in the country, too. The route from Charlotte took us up through the Uwharrie National Forest, through Biscoe and Star to the meeting location. Star, which has the distinction of being the geographic center of North Carolina, was also home to an early 911 and a Jag E-Type sitting outside of BJ & Sons Motor Company. Those are interesting "barn finds" that you won't discover cruising down the interstates. On the return trip to Charlotte, Angela and I wondered what drew the 70 or so participants to the middle of the state just to have lunch and turn around? Shopping for pottery might have attracted some, but I expect most went home empty handed. Being in a parking lot with 40 other Porsches is cool, but was that worth the drive? Competing in the People's Choice competition would have been something to consider, but I don't think that's the reason most attended. And I don't believe it was the country cooking at the local restaurant either. What we did notice as each group pulled into the parking lot was the warm welcome each group received by those that had already arrived. It was the family reunion where the cousin you haven't seen in months finally pulls in the driveway. It was sitting at the long dinner table, building friendships. Whether your interest is in front engine, mid-engine or rear engine, air-cooled or water-cooled, that may be the Porsche attraction that first brought us together. It's the people that bring

us back together again and again. The club offers up many, varied opportunities for participation. If you haven't attended any event, I'd encourage you to give one a try. Whether it's one with more active participation like an Autocross or Drivers Education, or more social like an area meeting, join in. If you're a regular attendee, find that unfamiliar face and make a new acquaintance. The club has so much more to offer than just a monthly glossy magazine. Take advantage of one and become family.

I've had several queries lately on what's going on in the new regions. With the new region formations, 244 primary and associate members of Carolinas have joined Three Rivers and Appalachian Regions. Carolinas Region now consists of 2762 members. Members who do not expressly change their region affiliation will remain in Carolinas. Even before the new regions formed, over 140 Carolinas members lived outside the Carolinas boundary, from just over the border in Fancy Gap, VA to Arizona and Utah. In fact, there are PCA regions where a majority of members do not reside within the region boundaries. As a PCA member you can be affiliated with any region regardless of where you physically call home. And as a PCA member, you can attend ANY PCA event, regardless of which region hosts the event. For those Carolinas members who now reside inside the new region geographies, we are putting plans in place to make sure you are kept abreast of region communications and upcoming activities. While we firm those up, my door is always open. so to speak. If you have any question on any topic regarding the region, please feel free to give me a call or email.



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Upstate

1st Monday of Month
Quaker Steak and Lube,
Greenville, SC

Hickory

2nd Tuesday of each month @ 6:30
Refer to monthly Area report for location/details OR contact: hickory-ad@carolinas-pca.com

Triad

3rd Tuesday of month,
7:00pm River Ridge Tap
House 1480 River Ridge Road
Clemmons, NC

Metrolina

3rd Wednesday of Month (or
check email updates)

Triangle

4th Thursday of month 6:30pm
Tobacco Road Sports Cafe
1118 Environ Way
Chapel Hill, NC 27517

Sand Hills

4th Tuesday of every odd numbered
Month
Rotating Meeting Location, refer to
Area Report for details

Recurring Cars and Coffees & Shine and Shows By Area:

Asheville

3rd Saturday Monthly: 9AM to 11AM,
Starbucks, 1378 Hendersonville Road,
Asheville, NC

Metrolina Area

3rd Sunday Monthly: 9AM to Noon, Foxcroft
East Shopping Center located at 7814
Fairview Road

Hickory Area

3rd Saturday Monthly: 8:00AM to 10:00
Carmike Theater parking area

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 noon Reyn-
olda Village - Park on the Lawn

3rd Saturday Monthly: (March to Novem-
ber), 8:30am to 10:30am at Jefferson
Village (off New Garden) in Greensboro, NC.

Upstate

4th Saturday Monthly: 8AM to 11AM, Mi-
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way at Exit 54 of I-85 in Greenville, SC.

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2015 Calendar

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May

2nd	Pinehurst Concours D'Elegance
16th	American Children's Home "Porsche Corral"
29th-31st	Sommerfest- Pinehurst, NC
31st	Pinehurst, NC - Sommerfest

June

13th	Triangle Area Drive, Shop & Dine (Pittsboro)?
19th	Roads and Rails Charity Tour
21st	Greenville, SC - Airport Runway next to Michelin Facility

July

11th	Concord, NC ZMAX
18th	Drive/Lunch Camp Hanes King, NC
11th-12th	Sandhills Weekend Tour to Helen, GA

August

8th	Concord, NC ZMAX
14th-16th	In Den Bergen Waynesville, NC (Tentative)

September

5th-6th	Carolina Motorsports Park Drivers Education
12th	Greenville, SC - Airport Runway next to Michelin Facility- Tentative

October

3rd	Greensboro, NC Greensboro Coliseum- Oktoberfest
3rd	Oktoberfest- Porsche of Greensboro
17th	EuroAutofest- BMW Greer, SC BMW & Cars of France Featured
23rd	Fall Tour: The Homestead Resort and Spa, Hot Springs, VA
30th-1st	Club Race- Charlotte Motor Speedway

November

13th-15th	Drivers Ed, VIR Alton, VA
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December

1st	Triad Area Christmas Party
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Event Color Key

Drivers Education or Track Events
Carolinas Region PCA Autocross Series Event
Social, Multiple activity event, Shine and Show, Concourse, Tour etc....
Technical Session
Driving Tour



The Carolinas Region is divided into 6 areas: Clockwise from the upper right, Hickory, Triad, Triangle, Sandhills, Metrolina and Upstate

Want to see photos of recent Carolinas Region events?

Go to:

<http://carolinasregion-porscheclub.shutterfly.com/>

If you want to contribute your own photos send an email to Ron Reed, Regional Media Coordinator, at media@carolinas-pca.com

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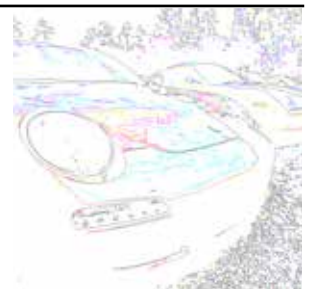


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On the cover:
Distinctive and familiar lines of the 911 are easily recognizable when abstracted. Photo from Tri-Area drive to Seagrove, Ron Reed



April 2015

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.

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New Members

Aaron	Eshbaugh	Mooreville	NC	2001 911 Turbo
Michael	Vowell	Cornelius	NC	2015 911 Carrera 4 Cabriolet
Tom	Barone	Cornelius	NC	2010 911 Carrera 4S Cabriolet
John	Orrell	Indian Trail	NC	2001 Boxster S
Tony	Brienza	Monroe	NC	2008 Cayman S
Roberto	Nanamura	Charlotte	NC	2015 Cayman
William	Parker	Charlotte	NC	2014 911 Carrera S
Linda	Liberty	Rock Hill	SC	1994 968 Cabriolet
Roy	Neal	Pinehurst	NC	1987 944
James	Rohr	Pinehurst	NC	2003 911 Carrera
Charleen	Rohr	Pinehurst	NC	
Sandra	Porter	Mocksville	NC	
Quincy	Bailey	Greensboro	NC	2008 Cayman
Carswell	Jackson	Greensboro	NC	2015 Macan S
Carl	Seager	Greensboro	NC	2015 911 Carrera S Cabriolet
Robert	Fox	Greensboro	NC	1995 911 Carrera Cabriolet
Annie	Hodges	Mebane	NC	
Jennifer	Misenheimer	Apex	NC	2015 911 Carrera S
Rick	Woychik	Chapel Hill	NC	2011 911 Carrera S Cabriolet
Robert	Platt	Cary	NC	2009 Boxster
Sarah	Davis	Spartanburg	SC	
Michael	Tablas	Fountain Inn	SC	1988 944S

20 Year Anniversary

Dan	Middleton	MATTHEWS	NC	1983 944
Max	Middleton	MATTHEWS	NC	
Nancy	Queen	MONROE	NC	
John	Queen	Monroe	NC	2005 911 Carrera S
Bryan	Ohning	GREENVILLE	SC	1985 928S
Diane	Goforth	GREENVILLE	SC	

15 Year Anniversary

Jerry	Kilcrease	THOMASVILLE	NC	2001 Boxster S
Sadie	Kilcrease	Thomasville	NC	
E	Edwards	Greenville	SC	2000 Boxster

10 Year Anniversary

Vallie	Piccirelli	Conover	NC	
Vincent	Piccirelli	Conover	NC	2003 Boxster
Rainer	Kaiser	Charlotte	NC	1991 911 Carrera 2
Ingrid	Kaiser	Charlotte	NC	
Marcus	Hewitt	Raleigh	NC	1996 911 Carrera
Melanie	Hewitt	Raleigh	NC	

5 Year Anniversary

Danny	Rowe	Waxhaw	NC	2001 911 Carrera
Emily	Rowe	Waxhaw	NC	
Robert	Gaskin	Charlotte	NC	1985 911 Carrera
Donna	Gaskin	Charlotte	NC	
Leann	Heustess	Pinehurst	NC	1989 911 Carrera
Stephanie	Geolas	Lexington	SC	1986 911 Carrera
Chris	Geolas	Lexington	SC	
Ollie	Mcadams	West Cola	SC	2009 911 Carrera S
Leslie	Pitner	Columbia	SC	2010 Cayman
Jan	Strifling	Columbia	SC	2008 Cayman

Hysterical Ramblings

By Howard Wasserman



Last Month's Trivia Question

Known for being a practical joker, one night in 1913 he had some guests at his hunting lodge in the Ardennes, and as a prank he hid in some bushes outside the house and mimicked the sounds of a wild boar. It was his last joke as a guest leaned out of a window and shot him dead with a rifle. And so died the winner of the first international motor race to be held in the British Isles. That race was held in 1903, but not on a famous circuit; it was run on country roads southwest of Dublin, Ireland. In 1899 he was the first person to drive faster than a mile a minute, reaching 65 mph in an electric car. For twenty points, who was he? The answer: our wacky Walloon was Baron Camille Jenatzy. Lauren Lopez Boylston correctly answered first (25 points), followed by John Carr, Charles Massler, Tim Scopes, Dixon Johnston and Mark Wishart (20 points each).

Our pop culture entry for the month: For twenty points, can you name the pictured (below) Confederate soldier who was hanged in Iredell County, NC in 1868? Correct spelling counts. The rebel was Tom Dula—see the fascinating story to follow courtesy of Wikipedia and UNCTV.org. Lauren Lopez Boylston correctly answered first (25 points), followed by John Carr, Charles Massler, Tim Scopes, Randall Fritz and Mark Wishart (20 points each).

Someone should figure out why Lauren is always first.



About That

In 1866, Laura Foster was murdered. Impoverished Confederate veteran Tom Dula (Dooley), Foster's lover and probable fiancé, was convicted of her murder and hanged May 1, 1868. Foster was stabbed to death with a large knife; the brutality of the attack partly accounted for the widespread publicity the murder and subsequent trial received.

Dula had a lover, prior to his leaving for the war, named Anne Melton, a cousin of Foster. Her comments led to the discovery of Foster's body, but Melton was acquitted in a separate trial based on Dula's word. Dula's enigmatic statement on the gallows that he had not harmed Foster but still deserved his punishment led to press speculation that Melton was the actual killer and that Dula simply covered for her. Melton, who had once expressed jealousy of Dula's purported plans to marry Foster, died insane a few years after the homicide. Thanks to the efforts of newspapers such as The New York Times, and to the fact that former North Carolina governor Zebulon Vance represented Dula pro bono, Dula's murder trial and hanging were given widespread national publicity. A local poet, Thomas C. Land, wrote a popular song about Dula's tragedy after the hanging.

A man named "Grayson," mentioned in the song as pivotal in Dula's downfall, has sometimes been characterized as a romantic rival of Dula's or a vengeful sheriff who captured him and presided over his hanging. Some variant lyrics of the song portray Grayson in that light, and the spoken introduction to the Kingston Trio version did the same. Col. James Grayson was actually a Tennessee politician who had hired Dula on his farm when the young man fled North Carolina under suspicion and was using a false name. Grayson did help North Carolinians capture Dula and was involved in returning him to North Carolina, but otherwise played no role in the case.

Dula was tried in Statesville, because it was believed he could not get a fair trial in Wilkes County. He was given a new trial on appeal but he was again convicted, and hanged on May 1, 1868. His alleged accomplice, Jack Keaton, was set free. On the gallows, Dula reportedly stated, "Gentlemen, do you see this hand? It didn't harm a hair on the girl's head."

Dula's last name was pronounced "Dool-ey," leading to some confusion in spelling over the years. The pronunciation of a final "a" like a "y" is an old feature in Appalachian speech, as in the term "Grand Ole Opry." The confusion was compounded by the fact that Dr. Tom Dooley, an American physician known for international humanitarian work, was at the height of his fame in 1958, when the Kingston Trio version became a major hit.

In a 1967 interview, the trio's Nick Reynolds recounts first hearing the song from another performer, and then being criticized and sued for taking credit for the song.

The doleful ballad was first sung shortly after the execution and is still commonly sung in North Carolina.

Your Porsche!

This month we hear from Region VP and Club Race Chair Bill Scarbrough of the Upstate SC Area. It's a great story from an accomplished member. In his own words:

"Wow...that was a lot of fun!"

"I have said this very thing many times in my life. As a child growing up in Upstate New York, sledding down huge hills of powdery snow in twilight hours, riding my bicycle with friends through creeks and woods, attending car racing events like the 6 Hours at the Glen and Can Am, and the US Grand Prix in Watkins Glen, NY, and riding with my Dad and my brother in our 1969 Porsche 912, all of these events made me think, "Wow...that was a lot of fun." The feeling I remember was one of joy.

As a high school track athlete, I distinctly remember stepping off the track after winning the New York State Indoor Championship in a close race saying, "Wow...that was a lot of fun." The feelings I recall were relief and joy. As a collegiate track and cross country athlete, I distinctly remember stepping off the track at the Millrose Games in Madison Square Garden in New York City and at the Penn Relays in Philadelphia

May's Trivia Questions

As usual, we have an automotive question and a pop culture question. For twenty points, in a related matter, who was George O'Brien and how is he related (this relationship distinguishes him from all the other George O'Briens)? And for another twenty points, what is the Bonanza Effect?

And, as usual, there is a hint buried in this column to at least one of the questions.

ALL correct answers received by me within 48 hours of the time stamp on the email announcing the publication of this newsletter will earn points. The FIRST correct respondent will earn an additional five points per correct answer. If there are no correct

answers within 48 hours, the first correct answer after then will win 25 points. Can you tell I am hoping to stump you soon? Let me know your guesses at howard@hwasserman.com

Till next time, if these questions seem harder than usual, consider rallying to face this new crisis that has arisen.

after events saying, "Wow...that was a lot of fun". The feelings I recall were again relief and joy. In graduate school, I purchased a 1968 Porsche 911 with my hard-earned assistantship money and drove it everywhere. Even after driving from the University of Virginia in Charlottesville, VA to my parents' home in Upstate New York in a blizzard one Christmas holiday (with an intermittently working heater), I remember saying, "Wow...that was a lot of fun."

I have said this same thing many times in my professional life and many more times as a father and now grandfather. In the 1990s, my "fun factor" rose dramatically. It was then that my younger brother, Jim, bought a 1972 Porsche 911T and joined PCA and began attending events, including driver's education. He would send me photos and tell stories about his track adventures that reminded me of our youth and our conversations

then about becoming racecar drivers. One weekend, he drove his car from his home in Tarboro, NC to Summit Point, WV for a DE event at Summit Point Raceway. At the time, I was living in Northern Virginia with two small children and it was a great excuse to visit with him and see what was behind all of his fantastic stories of the track. Well, this was the beginning of quite an adventure.

Shortly after attending this event as a spectator, I asked Jim if I could co-drive with him at his home track—Putnam Park—in Central Indiana. He agreed (maybe reluctantly at first) and I joined him for one of the most eye-opening weekends I can remember. I was told that the smile plastered across my face every time I stepped out of the car was hilarious (all of you track junkies know exactly what I am talking about). I remember saying to myself each time I stepped out of the car, "Wow, that was a lot



Bill and his son Nick at CMP Club Race weekend

of fun!”

Jim and I travelled to tracks all over the East and Midwest, including Watkins Glen where we relived some good times as boys visiting the track and dreaming of one day driving on that same circuit, Putnam Park, Mid-Ohio, Summit Point, Virginia International Raceway, and Road Atlanta. We did this until 2003 when my wife Dee and I won a fully dedicated track car—a 1983 Porsche 944—in a contest. At this point, my fun factor saw another major increase. I attended lots of PCA DE events as well as open track days at Carolina Motorsports Park (CMP) located in Kershaw, SC trying to learn this car (as I had with Jim’s 911T) and continue to enjoy the big smile driving Porsches gives me.

My DE experience was profound, as I was treated to instruction by some of the best instructors (some of whom are racers) in the United States—many of whom are right here in the Carolinas Region. I committed then to our Chief Instructor that not only was I planning to go racing, but I also wanted to be a nationally certified instructor and help others enjoy the “wow” factor I so enjoyed. After appropriate seat time, instructor school, and approval from the region, I became a national instructor and participated in my first club race at Carolina Motorsports Park in the Spring 2004 (remember the Spring Club Race?). The most vivid memory from my first club race at CMP, other than the great advice I received from Jamie Levy (a racer and national instructor), the “wow” I felt after each practice session, the fun race, and qualifying, and spending time with my then 16-year old son at the track, was being passed in the kink during the 90-minute “enduro” race on one side by Cory Friedman from Autometrics and on the other by Leh Keen, both in Cup cars. I remember saying to myself in the car, approaching turn 11 after catching my breath, “Wow, that was a lot of fun!”

When I look back on my relatively short 13 years of PCA membership, and remember all of the social and driving events I have attended, my stewardship of the Carolinas Region Club Race for the past 4 years, and now serving the Carolinas Region as Vice President, I still have one feeling after attending each event, or after spending time with my Porsche friends anywhere, or even after

attending Carolinas Region Board meetings that sometimes went on for hours with no end in sight, “Wow, that was a lot of fun!” I sincerely hope each of you have your “Wow, that was a lot of fun” moments in the Porsche Club of America. “

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PCA Instructor Profile: Vince Braswell

By John Marshal



car are ready. And more important, come to the track with an open mind. You'll find it to be a "fantastic adventure." And if you get your instructor's email address prior to the event, use it to ask questions and better prepare yourself for the event. His advice for anyone considering instructing? Think about the good and not-so-good experiences you had with instructors as a student to develop your own coaching method. Vince says the real reward for instructors is that moment "when the light goes on" for the student. "They begin to truly understand that smooth is fast... and safe."

His latest adventure was his first Club Race

Talk about a car guy!

2013 Carolinas Region Instructor of the Year Vince Braswell started his sports car affair with a 1980 RX-7 followed by several Corvettes, Audis, BMWs and, of course, Porsches. His current favorite is his 2003 911 Turbo (more on that one later). A Georgia boy, Vince grew up in Rock Hill where both of his parents were professors at Winthrop University. He has been married to Mary for nine years and he says her three kids "adopted" him. Vince owns an industrial supply company.

His very first day as a DE student at CMP was not good. He was cocky, thinking he could drive fast right out of the gate. "Wrong!" he now admits. After a few hours rolling around in the bed that night unable to sleep, he decided at 2:00 AM to follow his instructor's advice and slow down even though that "seemed crazy at the time." He said Bill Williams didn't say a word during the first session the next day as Vince hit his marks, getting smoother and faster. After the session Bill looked him in the eye and asked "What in the world happened to the guy who was here yesterday?" To this

day Vince is thankful that Bill "didn't throw him back after that first day."

He did not jump into instructing without trepidation. At the end of a summer DE at CMP five years ago he talked with five of his buddies about it. The consensus was "Why in the world would we want to get into the car with those crazies coming to do DE's?" But hey, they all realized they were once one of those "crazies." Three of those five track buddies are now instructors.

Vince says instructing allowed him to gain a whole new perspective on high performance driving. It helps him to learn a new track or even find a better way to take a tough turn at an old track. And instructing gives him a chance to make new friendships. He said not a week goes by without getting a YouTube video, email or text about cars. He said there are a lot of other things he loves about instructing, but the friendships are "without a doubt tops on the list."

His advice for anyone considering performance driving is to be sure you and your

at Road Atlanta. He found Club racing much faster and said goodbye to "point bys." The big blue "X" on his bumper let the seasoned racers know he was a rookie and he found them to be very helpful. His next race is at VIR in June.

And about that 2003 911 Turbo... A street/track car, he has put it to the test at Watkins Glen, Sebring and nearly all the tracks in between. He drives it to work a few times a month and on occasional mountain trips. If you're up in the mountains and you happen to see a black '03 911 Turbo coming your way look for the guy with "his hands in the classic 9-3 position on the steering wheel carving the turns and listening to that distinct exhaust note with a huge grin on his face". That's Vince! Our 2013 Thomas J. Norby, Jr. Instructor of the Year.

View From the Back Seat

By Carolyn and Rachel Powell



The Powell's Take on Parade: Hershey, PA

As PCA members, we've been blessed with many memories. Porsche Parades are definitely at the top of the list for awesome experiences we've been able to have because we grew up with a Porsche-crazy dad.

When our father first told us we were going to Porsche Parade, our 12 and 13 year old minds imagined it was a week of boredom, just looking at cars for hours upon hours all in an effort to take a nice family vacation. We loaded up into our trusty mini-van tailing behind our dad in his 1983 911 SC for what felt like the longest trip of our lives (almost 8 whole hours!). As some of you might know from personal experience, the air conditioning in old 911's is, well, non-existent, forcing those who ride in it to keep the windows down in an effort to not melt in the summer heat. One of Carolyn's unfortunate memories of the trip is the sunburn (on only her right arm) from riding in the 911 with dad with the windows down for several hours in the dead middle

of summer. Once we arrived in Hershey, slightly sunburned, we really had no idea what we were in for. But, without a doubt it was one of our most memorable family vacations.

Everyone in our family agrees that our favorite event was the gimmick rally. Driving through Amish country after growing up in suburban Charlotte was like day and night. We enjoyed counting covered bridges and stopping at an Amish market in rural Pennsylvania (Lancaster). We all piled into our family Honda Odyssey, but our lack of turbo power didn't slow us down—not when you've got the 5 Powell's competing!! We took home a 3rd place trophy in the family category. We also all remember the Parade Kids events. As part of the Porsche Parade, Parade Kids offers fun events for the younger participants while the other family members participate in more age-appropriate events (such as autocross or cocktail hour). As preteens, we had a blast participating in some of the events planned, like the family day at the Hershey Chocolate factory. It was so cool to see the

history of such an iconic part of American culture and see how it's all made. Speaking of chocolate, at the Welcome banquet, we got little chocolate Porsche 911's custom made by Hershey. Also at that banquet was the unveiling of the 911 Club Coupe in recognition of PCA's 50th anniversary. Our chocolate 911 happened to have lasted a little under half a decade after we insisted we keep it every time we moved (much to our mother's dismay). Another really incredible part of the 50th Porsche Parade was a very special guest. While in the moment we didn't quite comprehend the significance of meeting a member of the Porsche family, it was absolutely awesome and we still have our name tags autographed by Hans-Peter Porsche himself.

While the telling of the memories of our first Porsche Parade and week in Hershey could go on and on, we look forward to sharing our memories of the Charlotte Porsche Parade with you all next month.



Clockwise from the upper left: Yum! Chocolate 911 from Hershey Chocolate made for this Parade, Hans-Peter Porsche signing autographs, covered bridges of Lancaster County, Pennsylvania.

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Tri-Area Drive and Dine, Shine and Show



By Howard Wasserman



40 Shiny Cars, 70 Smiling People Equals Successful Event

The Sandhills, Triad and Triangle Areas held their second annual Tri-Area Drive & Dine, Shine & Show confluence on Saturday April 18. Wonderful weather, great driving roads and pleasant people more than made up for a lengthy dining experience as we all met in Seagrove, the pottery center of North Carolina.

As is the custom, Shine & Show Awards cover three categories—Best in Show as judged by the attendees—and two mystery categories. This year those were Cleanest Luggage Compartment and Best License Plate. Pictured below are the winners and their Porsches.

Area Directors/Organizers Marty Barrett, Jerry Kilcrease and Howard Wasserman handed out the awards and conducted a Half-n-Half (aka 50-50) raffle with considerable proceeds going to the charity funds of each area. Region President Brian Powell and his wife Angela came all the way from Charlotte to attend the event, deliver a few remarks and draw the winning raffle ticket. Radiant Region Treasurer Sadie Kilcrease was also in attendance. It was good to see half the region's elected officers participating in this event.

Above: Some of the forty cars attending this year's Tri-Area Drive & Dine, Shine & Show,

Below: The happy crowd waving goodbye, wondering what mystery award categories the organizers will dream up for next year's event.





From left to right top and bottom corresponding: Best in Show winners Ron and Stephanie Snyder and their Ruby 993 turbo, Rich Krankoski and his Clean Luggage Compartment Black Boxster S and Ron and Tanya Reed with their Red Boxster S sporting the "ROOM 4 2" plate.



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Area Updates:

April 2015

Hickory Area By Michael Vittorio



Monthly Meeting: Second Tuesday of each month @ 6:30 Refer to monthly Area report for location/details OR contact: hickory-ad@carolinas-pca.com

As you read over the following, I think you will agree there is a lot going on. For folks who are interested in cars and in interacting with fellow enthusiasts, there are opportunities almost every weekend. For some of us, the challenge is to decide which opportunity to pursue. My advice is plan ahead. If you see something you think might be interesting, ask me or other members for additional info. But above all, put it on your calendar! Your fellow enthusiasts are eager to organize events that interest our members. Let's show them through our attendance that we appreciate their efforts.

Our April 14 meeting was hosted by K & M Collision of Hickory. Thirty four members were in attendance. All enjoyed a light dinner provided by our host followed by a discussion of some of the unique repair challenges posed by Porsche's high-tech engineering. Those interested were given a brief tour of the facility and an opportunity to see what's "below the surface" of several cars. Interestingly, K & M Collision is the only Porsche Certified collision repair facility in NC/SC. We are fortunate that they are also tremendous supporters of PCA.

Kathy and Herbert Boehm brought the Goodie Store and appeared to do a brisk business - you can never have too much Porsche apparel!. Lisa Buchanan won both a door prize and the 50/50 raffle from which she donated \$130 to the Hickory Humane Shelter. Thanks Lisa!

Much discussion was had about upcoming events. Of particular note are three car shows with special relevance to Hickory area members - April 26, Trump National in Mooresville; June 26-27, Rock Barn in Hickory; September 12, AutoLawn, Hickory Museum of Art. All of these promise to be fun events in which the Hickory Area PCA will play a part. Put them on your calendar and watch for details in upcoming communications.

~ Next Meeting ~

When: May 12, 2015, 6:30 - 9:00

Where: Black Top Studios, 4937 Duckworth Circle, Morganton, NC 28655

Black Top Studios is a growing automotive restoration shop that specializes in repair and restoration of prewar to modern classic automobile. Their craftsmans' skills include media blasting, panel forming, refinishing, mechanical restoration and service.

What: Light dinner provided by our host. Meeting and hands-on tech session (featuring metal shaping) to follow.

~ Recent Happenings ~

Weekend Away: Though the number of attendees was small, our weekend away to Greenville, SC was a lot of fun. We met at Porsche of Hickory from which we traveled to Lake Lure, NC. After a brief stop and visit, we moved on to lunch in Hendersonville, NC, arriving in Greenville early afternoon. Following a visit to a local "watering hole", we spent a delightfully sunny afternoon explor-

ing downtown Greenville. Saturday evening dinner was at Soby's - great food! - where their fried green tomatoes were big hit. Following Sunday morning brunch at Tupelo Honey, couples went their separate ways and returned to the Hickory area. What a lovely city - tree lined streets, Falls Park, interesting shops, wonderful restaurants. Great place to visit!

Hickory Cars and Coffee: Though hastily pulled together, the Hickory Area's most recent attempt at a well attended Cars and Coffee was a great success. Sponsored by Cosmo Motors and Carmike Theaters, over 150 cars met in the Carmike Theater parking area on Saturday, April 4. There were 17 Porsches along with a wide variety of other vehicles. It is expected that this will be a monthly (third Saturday) charity event benefitting the Children's Miracle Network.

~ Coming Up ~ WOW! There's a lot going on!

May 2: Pinehurst Concours d'Elegance - third annual Pinehurst Concours Friday, May 1 and Saturday, May 2, 2015, with some of the most historic and rare automobiles staged on the fairways of the iconic golf resort. Additional information available at: www.pinehurstconcours.com

May 16: Hickory Cars and Coffee - 8:00AM until noon, Carmike Theater parking area (2000 Catawba Valley Blvd SE, Hickory). Sponsored by Cosmo Motors and Carmike Cinema. A monthly charity event with proceeds going to the Children's Miracle Network. April's event was extremely well attended with over 150 cars. Bring your Porsche, have a cup of coffee and enjoy jaw-boning with other Hickory area car enthusiasts.

May 23: The Vintage: A National Gathering of Vintage BMWs - Old Salem, Winston-Salem, NC. Last year, over 300 vintage BMWs were on display at this event. Additional information and registration available at: www.atthevintage.com

May 29-31: Summerfest - Carolinas Region Multi-event weekend is being held in Pinehurst, NC. Registration is \$120 per couple or \$60 for a single. The weekend includes three competitive events; Concours d'Elegance, Fun Rally, and Autocross School. A welcoming cookout at Little River Club on Friday evening and an awards and closing banquet on Saturday night are included in your registration. Additional information and registration available at: ClubRegistration.net. A competitive autocross will also be held in conjunction with this event.

June 19-21: Roads and Rails - those of you who have not previously participated, this is a fun charity event hosted every year by the Triad Area. This year's event is scheduled for June 19-21. The three-day tour, lead by their member and PBS Producer Rob Van Camp, combines good friends, twisty roads, good food and interesting history of our railway systems. Registration is now open on ClubRegistration.net where you can find additional information. This tour is limited and will sell out quickly so get registered soon if you want to attend.

Here is a link to a TV segment about the railroad. This clip is from Bob's PBS series and provides a glimpse of what you will experience on the trip: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=mgAWXiKen44>

June 26-27: Rock Barn EuroClassic - Inaugural Hickory Area car show sponsored by Rock Barn Country Club and The Mercedes-Benz Club in collaboration with the Hickory Area PCA and the BMW Club. Should be a great event. More details as they are available.

Volunteers. This is your Club. It is a volunteer organization. We need your involvement and help. We have several volunteer opportunities at the Regional level including: Tobacco Roads Editor, Events Coordinator, Communications and Historian. Likewise, we need help to plan/coordinate our Area Member Appreciation Event in December. Please contact me (hickory-ad@carolinas-pca.com) if you would like to help with this event or Brian Powell (president@carolinas-pca.com) if you have interest in involvement at the Regional level. I am eager to hear your feedback, ideas and suggestions. Please keep them coming to: hickory-ad@carolinas-pca.com as they can only help to improve our meetings and activities throughout the year.

Metrolina Area By Greg Konney



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

Our Club Meetings are always on the third Wednesday of every month. We met again at the South Side of Charlotte on April 15th at the Waldhorn Restaurant in Pineville. We had a nice turnout despite the wet chilly weather.

During our monthly meetings we feature a 50-50 charity drawing and it seems everyone really enjoys participating and supporting our local, which is the Second Harvest Food Bank. We always try to have some unique Porsche related prizes to keep the car chatter and buzz going.

Recurring Events

First Saturday of the month - Cars and Coffee at the Carolina Music Factory in Charlotte, parking lot is next to Mattie's Diner.

Third Sunday of the month - Cars & Cappuccino Charlotte - typically held at the Foxcroft East Shopping Center located at 7814 Fairview Road, Charlotte, weather permitting. 9-11 AM. Please check their web site for exact location details as they have been changing lately. <http://carsandcappuccino.com/>

To see these and other upcoming area events make sure to log onto www.carolinas-pca.com for more details. Tobacco Roads is live and on line for more information as well.

Upcoming Events

Metrolina Country Ride - Will be on Saturday the 25th of April. Several email blasts have been sent and there are about 12 cars coming.

Sommerfest in Pinehurst! Registration for this exciting venue just opened so sign up quickly! Sommerfest is scheduled for the last weekend in May so get in early! You can also learn more on our Club web site www.carolinas-pca.org or www.clubregistration.net

4th Annual Roads and Rails - This exciting 3-day event on June 19th ~ 21st is sponsored by the Triad Area and brewing in the background. This is another touring event that has been a real crowd pleaser! Registration will be limited so sign up early!

DE and Autocross Events - check our Regional Calendar for upcoming events at www.carolinas-pca.org we hope to see you at an event soon.

Please remember that we are very open to any and all ideas on how to make our Club even more fun. I understand that everyone has different interests and we are all very busy these days. I have noticed that we may only see our Porsche friends just a couple of times a year at special events. I would love to hear from you on new ideas about things you would like to do with our Club and even possible new events. This is a great group of car enthusiasts and I challenge you all to think outside of the box!

We hope to see you at our next monthly meeting for more good food and Porsche member friendship.



Metrolina monthly meeting at Waldhorn Restaurant, photo by Greg Konney



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Upstate Area By John Budinich



Meeting: First Monday of the month at 6:30pm
Quaker Steak & Lube, 10 Chrome Drive
Greenville, SC

Contact John Budinich, Area Director
upstate-ad@carolinas-pca.com (864) 915-0011

We had another great turnout for the April meeting, as there were 46 people in attendance. We continue to see 1 or 2 new members at each meeting, which is a good sign that the club is continuing to grow. I will be looking for possible new venues for the monthly meeting due to this growth. If anyone has a recommendation in the Greenville area with a room that will hold up to 65 or 70 people and has good, reasonably priced food available, let me know and I will check it out.

Robert Rainer will once again lead a group of Porsches on a fun run. He is looking at May 2nd for a drive starting in Landrum to Lake Lure, lunch at Larkin's on the Lake, and additional driving to Hickory Nut Gorge for those not going home after lunch. Please contact Robert directly (drwhosc@gmail.com) if you are interested in participating.

As I write this we are preparing for the Annual Antique Wooded Boat & Porsche Show, scheduled for April 18th at Hartwell Marina in Hartwell, Georgia. This will be the fourth year that the Porsche Club has been a part of this event. The weather looks iffy but we hope it will stay clear for the event. I will have a complete write-up of the event in next month's Tobacco Roads.

Karla Kuhn has restarted "Ladies Night Out" for those interested in doing something non-Porsche related. They plan to meet on the second Tuesday of every month. In March they met for dinner and then took in a movie. "Ladies Night Out" used to be a big draw in the Upstate Area and it is good to see it making a comeback. If you are interested in joining this group for a night out, contact Karla (karlakuhn@charter.net) for details on their next get together.

Just a reminder that the Autocross season started on April 25 at Z-Max Raceway. The big news is that Round 3 of the Autocross Series is scheduled for June 21 on the runway at Donaldson Center Airport in Greenville. This is the first time the Autocross Series will be in Greenville and it is a great opportunity to observe or participate and get a feel for the event without having to travel far from home. The fun thing about Autocross is that there is not much prep work needing to be done to your car, unlike other "track" events. Check the carolinas-PCA.com website for complete details and how to sign up for this event.

Until next month...

Upcoming Upstate Area Meeting

Monday, May 4 at 6:30 pm at Quaker Steak & Lube, Greenville, SC

Monday, June 1 at 6:30 pm at Quaker Steak & Lube, Greenville, SC

Monday, July 6 at 6:30 pm at Quaker Steak & Lube, Greenville, SC

As always, I would ask members to keep the ideas, suggestions and feedback coming to upstate-ad@Carolinas-pca.com as they can only help to improve our meetings and activities throughout the year.

Triangle Area By Howard Wasserman



Meeting: Fourth Thursday of Month, Tobacco Road Sports Cafe, 1118 Environ Way, Chapel Hill 27517

Contact: triangle-ad@carolinas-pca.com
919.538.0202

We had a great event on Saturday, April 18: Tri-Area Drive & Dine, Shine & Show to Seagrove, NC. Our 21 area members left from Pittsboro and we met up with folks from the Triad and Sandhills Areas in the pottery center of North Carolina—Seagrove. See the story and photos elsewhere in this issue.

Upcoming Events

On Saturday, June 13 we have another drive & dine with a shop stop thrown in. The back roads route, courtesy of Mike Brooks will lead us from Pittsboro over great driving roads to Southern Supreme Gourmet Specialties in Bear Creek (the jams are my favorite) and back to Pittsboro for lunch. See the flyer elsewhere in this issue for more details or contact me—info above.

Following are the Area's recurring events.

Monthly Cars & Coffee on the third Saturday of the month to be held at Panera Bread, Patterson Place, 3603 Witherspoon Blvd, Durham 27707. The next meetup is Saturday, May 16 starting at 8:30 am. Don't let inclement weather deter you—just bring your daily driver.

Monthly Dinner Meeting on the fourth Thursday of each month to be held at Tobacco Road Sports Café, 1118 Environ Way, Chapel Hill, 27517. The next meeting is Thursday, May 28 at 6:30 pm. Some folks will be assembling a little earlier on the lower level ramp of the garage for some car gawk and talk.

To be kept current on Triangle Area events, consider joining our meetup group. <http://www.meetup.com/Triangle-Area-Carolinas-Region-PCA/>. If you're not getting my periodic emails about events, please send your email address to triangle-ad@carolinas-pca.com.

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Sadie Kilcrease @ 336.847.9293.

Sandhills Area By Marty Barrett



Meeting: Every odd month (Jul, Sept, Nov, etc.)
Fourth Tuesday of the month at 6:30pm
Rotating Location- see report below
Contact Marty Barrett, Area Director
sandhills-ad@carolinas-pca.com

Sandhills held our first tech session at Porsche of Fayetteville on March 21. They put on a great tech session on modern Porsche suspensions....including cutaways of the PASM shock absorber and PDCC systems. Andy Coons, one of their Goldmeister techs, did the heavy lifting in the presentation. He is an enthusiast, and you can tell as he speaks our language! We used Sandhills member, Larry Wolff's 997S as our demo car. And Mike Thomas, service manager, worked up a great breakfast buffet for us. You could tell Porsche of Fayetteville intends to be a good partner with PCA.

On March 28, Mike Jones and Mike Rich traveled to Pinehurst to conduct a concours judge training session. We had seven members from Sandhills and Triad areas attend. Bill Ainsley was kind enough to donate use of his immaculate garage at the last minute! Thanks to Mike & Mike for a great presentation. We all learned lots of neat stuff about Q-tips!

April 18 was our Tri-Area drive and Car show in Seagrove, NC. Fabulous turnout for second year of this event....nice weather helps!

May is BUSY! We will 250 cars on the show field for the Pinehurst Concours on May 2. Over 50 Porsches have registered to be in the Fairway Club display at the Pinehurst Resort golf course. In addition to all the awards for the judged classic cars on display, there will be Peoples Choice award for one of the 150 Fairway Club cars!



Then on May 29-31 is Carolinas Region Sommerfest in Pinehurst at Little River Farms golf resort. We hope to have close to 100 Carolinas Region members participate in the dinners and social activity along with a little friendly competition in the concours, rally and autocross. Registration is on Clubregistration.net..... really a great deal at \$120/couple thanks to sponsorship of Porsche of Fayetteville.

Triad Area By Jerry Kilcrease



Meeting: Third Tuesday of the month at 7:00pm, River Ridge Tap House, Clemmons, NC.
Contact Jerry Kilcrease, Area Director
triad-ad@carolinas-pca.com (336) 476-3120

We had a packed house at our April monthly meeting as our guest speaker. Roger Bear gave the group a very lively presentation related to the history and experiences of Hi-Rev Racing. Roger is the Chief Marketing Officer for Hi-Rev Racing and he took advantage of the Internet to set up a "live" question and answer period with one of their drivers, Dane Cameron. Dane currently is one of the three drivers for Hi-Rev Racing and in 2014 won the GT Daytona championship in the Tudor United Sports Car Championship. Kathy had a Goodie Store table set up and Ron Reed displayed current photographs taken at our drives to Chateau Morrisette and to the Tri-Area Shine/Show/Lunch in Seagrove. Fred Bauman also provided photographs that he had taken on a recent trip to Amelia Island Concours. We recognized and sang Happy Birthday to Stan Simm, Jan Walker, Dane Sebastian and Dan Jackson (this was Dan's first meeting). Charles Massler gave the group an update on Roads and Rails Charity drive and Wayne Capwell (Autocross chairman) discussed upcoming autocross events. We also recognized and were pleased to see several of our friends from Porsche of Greensboro in attendance. Thanks to everyone for coming out and joining us. Remember that at our next meeting, May 19th is "Manager's Choice" night so be sure to leave the SUV at home and drive your Porsche.



Emily and Tanya and the doughnut table



Loading up for Seagrove

UPCOMING TRIAD AREA EVENTS FOR MAY, JUNE AND JULY:

Listed below are specific events that will be hosted by the Triad Area during the months of May, June and July, 2015. All Triad Area hosted events are open to all PCA members.

May 16th (Saturday) - American Children’s Home “Porsche Corral” - This is one of our major charity events of the year. The Triad Area PCA will partner with The American Children’s Home in Lexington, NC as they present their 17th Annual Car, Truck and Motorcycle Car Show. Details and registration information is located in this issue of Tobacco Roads and is also located on the Carolinas Region PCA website.

June 19th – 21st (Fri/Sat/Sun) - Roads and Rails Charity Tour – This is the 4th year Robert Van Camp has chaired this event. This year Charlie Massler volunteered to help with planning the activities. The drive will take you to West Virginia for a trip on the Cass Scenic Railroad with lodging at Snowshoe Mountain Resort. All details and registration information is located at www.clubregistration.net. Contact Charlie Massler at charles.massler@gmail.com if you have any questions.

July 18th – (Saturday) – Drive to Camp Hanes – All participants of the Roads and Rails Charity Drive along with all Triad Area PCA members and guests are invited to tour the facilities and lunch at WMCA Camp Hanes. Details coming later.

PAST TRIAD AREA EVENTS:

April 11th (Saturday) -Drive to Chateau Morrisette- Jerry Collins, Chairman, along with help from Tammy and Don Roof planned a great drive up to the Blue Ridge Parkway with lunch at Chateau Morrisette. We had 21 members and guests (13 cars) that departed the parking lot at the Embassy Suites in Greensboro and caravanned up to Chateau Morrisette for a great lunch. Afterwards the group checked out the winery and enjoyed the day. Thanks to Jerry, Tammy and Don...it was a fun day.

April 18th (Saturday) – Tri-Area “Shine/Show/Lunch” – Triad Area had 24 members and guests (18 cars) show up at Seagrove for the 2nd Tri-Area Shine/Show event. Most of our group met up at Porsche of Greensboro for coffee and doughnuts and checked out the new Porsches on the showroom floor before departing toward Seagrove. A detailed write up on this event is located in this edition of Tobacco Road.

NEXT TRIAD AREA MONTHLY MEETING - The Triad Area will hold its May 19th, 2015 monthly meeting at the River Ridge Tap House located at 1480 River Ridge Road in Clemmons. We start socializing around 6:30pm with dinner and a short business meeting starting around 7pm. Remember May 19th is “Manager’s Choice” night so shine up you Porsche so it will be looking good in the parking lot. Please contact Jerry Kilcrease at jkilcrease@triad.rr.com if you need directions or have any questions. Look forward to seeing you then... and remember to bring a friend.



Don, Peg & Stan enjoying coffee before drive to Seagrove



Three photos above: Chateau Morrisette caravan trip!



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Jeff Thomas
1809 Haigler Baucom Road
Monroe, NC 28110

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Event Registration Fee: \$60/registrant (\$122/couple) non-refundable after May 1. A/C event is separate registration on Clubregistration.net.

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SOMMERFEST 2015 Event Agenda

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| Friday, May 29th: | 11:00 am - 4:00 pm | Registration at Little River Resort; Hospitality suite open |
| | 12:00 pm - 4:00 pm | Optional golf at Little River (\$40 green/cart fee; make your reservation) |
| | 5:30 pm - 7:30 pm | Cookout at Little River Resort included in registration (cash bar) |
| Saturday, May 30: | 9:00 am - 12:00 am | Judged or Peoples Choice concours on site (select when registering) |
| | 12:00 pm - 1:00 pm | Lunch on your own |
| | 1:30 pm - 4:00 pm | Fun rally starts at Little River Resort |
| | 5:30 pm - 9:30 pm | Banquet at resort, awards presentation, DJ/dancing |
| Sunday, May 31: | 8:30 am - 9:30 am | Autocross school at Sandhills Community College, FREE to registrants |
| | 9:30 am - 11:00 am | Autocross at SCC: register separately on Clubregistration.net |
| | All morning | Local scenic driving tours or visit Village of Pinehurst |

Notes: Shuttle service from Little River Resort to Village of Pinehurst or Pinehurst Resort spa can be arranged.

Agenda is subject to change. Questions: Contact Marty Barrett, Sandhills-AD@carolinas-pca.com or Jerry Kilcrease, Triad-AD@carolinas-pca.com

Sommerfest 2015 Concours/People's Choice Guidelines

We will be returning to our roots for Sommerfest 2015 and conducting a judged Concours on Saturday from 9:00-12:00 as part of the multi event weekend. We are going to try a new twist and in addition to having a judged show we are offering to all of the registered participants the opportunity to compete for the People's Choice Award. All cars displayed, both judged and non judged, will have the opportunity to compete for the People's Choice Award. Best of Show and individual class awards will only be available to judged cars.

All cars will be displayed on the grounds of the resort. Staging will begin at 7:30 AM and judging will begin at 9:00 AM. So plan on positioning your vehicle early enough to complete your cleaning. Only light dusting will be permitted after judging begins. Anyone violating this policy will be disqualified for trophy consideration. Light dusting consists of what you can remove with a California dust buster and not removing wax or other dirt with a cloth. This will be the case even after your car is judged because we may have some cars judged again for Best of Show consideration. This will be based upon the number of entrants that we have for the judged concours.

All entrants will have vinyl numbers displayed on the center top of their windshield. These will be in your registration packet. These numbers will be used for all events during the weekend. Concours entrants will also pick up judging sheets at the scoring table and complete the upper portion of each sheet prior to being judged. Failing to do so results in 10 penalty points. Plan on using your own pen.

Wash areas will be available at the resort. Judged cars will be inspected in 4 areas: Exterior, Interior, Trunk(s) & Engine. No under carriage or wheel well areas beyond the lip will be inspected. Show up early to complete your cleaning and stage your car. Judging is scheduled to start at 9:00 AM. No cleaning of vehicles is allowed after judging begins except for light dusting.

The inevitable questions:

Boxsters/Caymans and 991's will be required to make their engine bays available for inspection. Since this involves removal of the engine cover or fan shroud this needs to be completed by 5 minutes prior to all judging beginning. This is in line with requirements at Porsche Parade. Owner's can choose to not display their engine but will be assessed penalty points assigned to the engine area. Tools for this task and expertise to do so are the responsibility of the owner. Practice prior to the day of the event and plan on having a friend or fellow entrant that is knowledgeable of the task to assist. Judges will not assist unless requested to do so prior to the event and agree to the request.

Newer cars have fewer items in the trunk

than old cars. We only expect you to show what comes standard with your car; old cars usually spare tire, jack, tool kit and air compressor; new cars can be as little as a tool kit. Penalty points will be assessed for missing or incomplete items.

Originality is not a judged item in our event. Any aftermarket item is acceptable except for a small block Chevy V8. Kit cars are not allowed to participate.

We hope that most of you drive and enjoy your cars. We are not looking for museum pieces or trailer queens. Clean your car and bring it to the event. You learn from every Concours and you will never find all the dirt. You just hope the judges do not either.

See www.carolinas-pca.com for the complete Guidelines and instructions

SOMMERFEST 2015 FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS

What is SOMMERFEST?

Sommerfest is Carolinas Region annual celebration of all things PORSCHE. A concours, a fun rally, an autocross school....and lots of socializing!

Where is Sommerfest?

The location moves around the region every year. This year is PINEHURST. Pinehurst is 1.5 hours east of Charlotte and an hour south of Raleigh. The event site is Little River Farms Golf Resort. littleriver.com

How do I register for Sommerfest?

Event dates: May 29-31. Registration is on the web at: www.clubregistration.net. If you have not used the site previously, you will need to set up an account.

What is included in the registration fee?

The fee to register is \$120/couple or \$60/individual, and is paid upon registration. Participation in all three events, a Welcome Cookout and the Awards Dinner are included. There is a separate registration for the competitive autocross. We are able to offer the low cost thanks to sponsorship from PORSCHE of Fayetteville.

What about rooms/accommodations?

Little River Resort has very nice golf villas. Each villa is set up as 2-bed room, 2-bath unit with common kitchen and living room. Each bedroom/bath is completely private and secure. Cost is \$122/night/couple when the unit is shared. The cost includes all taxes & fees, and includes a hot breakfast buffet in the club. To reserve room call Deanne: 910-949-5004. Most of the chain motels/hotels are within 12-15 minutes of Little River Club.

What about parking for my Porsche?

Secure parking for Porsches only has been arranged. Parking for trailers is also on site. The Concours event on Saturday morning is also on site at Little River, and concours prep areas are available too.

What else is there to do in Pinehurst?

How about GOLF? Little River Club has a great golf facility....\$45 for green fee and cart. The Pinehurst Resort (about 15 minute drive) has 9 courses, full spa facilities, five restaurants, etc. The quaint Village of Pinehurst has shopping, restaurants, pubs, and beautiful areas to walk and take pictures. There is also a large equestrian area within 20 minutes of Little River Club.

What is Sommerfest cancellation policy?

You may cancel your registration by April 30 with full refund; after that you may transfer your registration to another PCA member. Villa cancellations after 4/1 incur a 25% fee, and may not be cancelled after May 1.



GOLF OUTING – FRIDAY, MAY 29TH, 2015

COME JOIN US AT THE CAROLINAS REGION PCA “SOMMERFEST EVENT” AND ENJOY A ROUND OF GOLF AT LITTLE RIVER GOLF AND RESORT. COME AND ENJOY SOME FUN AND FELLOWSHIP WHILE PLAYING ONE OF THE TOP 100 COURSES IN NORTH CAROLINA.

SOMMERFEST GOLF OUTING DETAILS

- **\$45 FEE PER PLAYER**
- **SHOT GUN START AT 1:00 PM - SCRAMBLE FORMAT**
- **PLAYERS OF ALL ABILITYS ARE WELCOME; SIGN UP AS A SINGLE OR AS A GROUP**
- **ALL PLAYERS MUST REGISTER WITH PRO SHOP BEFORE MAY 22ND AT 910-949-5010**
- **TROPHIES AND PRIZES WILL BE AWARDED**
- **PUTTING CONTEST OPEN TO ALL PARTICIPANTS**

PLAYERS WITH QUESTIONS PLEASE CONTACT JERRY KILCREASE AT JKILCREASE@TRIAD.RR.COM OR CALL (336) 847 -9292

FRIDAY EVENING SPECIAL EVENT

AT THE FRIDAY EVENING COOKOUT (5:30 – 7:30) ALL SOMMERFEST PARTICIPANTS WILL HAVE THE OPPORTUNITY TO WIN A \$100 GOLF SHOP CERTIFICATE IN THE CLOSEST TO THE PIN COMPETITION ON HOLE #2. EVERYONE WILL BE OFFERED 2 SWINGS AT \$5.00 PER SWING, CLOSEST TO THE PIN WINS A \$100 GOLF SHOP GIFT CERTIFICATE! ALL PROCEEDS DONATED TO CHARITY.

The advertisement features a photograph of two people's legs and feet. One person is wearing blue jeans and brown leather shoes, while the other is wearing dark pants and brown leather shoes with a watch on their left wrist. The text "CROWN & CALIBER" is overlaid in large, white, serif font. Below the text are two horizontal arrows pointing outwards. At the bottom of the image is a dark blue banner with white text.

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Saturday, June 13

Drivers Meeting 9 AM

Drive, Shop & Dine

Hosted by Triangle Area

All members welcome

**Backroads drive to Southern
Supreme Gourmet Specialties
and return to Pittsboro for lunch**

**Departure point: McDonald's, US15-501, just south of US
64 in Pittsboro. Call Triangle Area Director Howard
Wasserman (919-539-0202) with any questions.**

SATURDAY, MAY 16TH, 2015

TRIAD AREA PCA WILL HOST THE SEVENTH ANNUAL
“PORSCHE CORRAL CHARITY EVENT”
IN CONJUNCTION WITH THE
AMERICAN CHILDREN’S HOME 17TH ANNUAL CAR,
TRUCK AND MOTORCYCLE SHOW

WHERE: ON ACH CAMPUS LOCATED AT 3844 NC HIGHWAY #8,
LEXINGTON, NC 27292

SCHEDULE: - STARTS AT 9:00AM UNTIL 2:00PM
- PEOPLE’S CHOICE VOTING FOR PORSCHE CORRAL
- 3 PLACE AWARDS AROUND 2:00PM

ENTRY FEE: \$20 FOR EACH CAR WITH ALL PROCEEDS GOING TO THE
AMERICAN CHILDREN’S HOME. MAIL CHECK AND REGISTRATION TO:
JERRY KILCREASE, 221 KILCREASE LANE, THOMASVILLE, NC 27360.
CHECKS MADE TO: CAROLINAS REGION PCA.

NAME: _____
ADDRESS: _____
CITY: _____
PHONE: _____ EMAIL: _____
CAR MODEL: _____ YEAR: _____

PORSCHE OF GEENSBORO WILL BE A SPONSOR AND WILL PROVIDE
SEVERAL NEW 2015 PORSCHEs AS THE MARQUEE DISPLAY; FOOD AND
DRINK WILL BE AVAILABLE ALL DAY; OTHER ENTERTAINMENT
THROUGHOUT THE DAY; 50-50 RAFFLE; AND SILENT AUCTION. FOR
QUESTIONS, CONTACT JERRY KILCREASE @ 336-476-3120 OR EMAIL
JKILCREASE@TRIAD.RR.COM.

DIRECTIONS: FROM I-85; TAKE LEXINGTON EXIT # 91 AND HEAD SOUTH ON
HWY #8; DRIVE FOR ABOUT 1.5 MILES, LOOK FOR ACH CAMPUS ON THE
RIGHT. OFFICIALS WILL DIRECT YOU TO THE PORSCHE CORRAL.

Want to buy or sell a Porsche, or Porsche related parts or items?

Guidelines for Carolinas Region Classified Ad Submissions

- 1) All ads should be submitted to Ed Beroset, Classified Ad Coordinator, at:
classifieds@carolinas-pca.com
602 Stonehill Rd
Chapel Hill, NC 27516-9526
Home: 919-942-3838
- 2) All ads will be posted to both Tobacco Roads and to the Regional Website unless otherwise directed. Submissions received by the 15th 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 Classified Ad

- Coordinator at classifieds@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.
 - 8) Pictures will run on the website only.
 - 9) All ads will be subject to editing for consistency and length.
 - 10) Ads should include:
 - a. An accurate description of the item or items (including VIN preferably if applicable).
 - 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:
1964 356 Coupe: VIN 12323456. Champagne Yellow w/ Black interior. 150,100 miles. Very good condition. Paint bubbles on lower door skins. 12 volt conversion. \$42,995 firm. Contact Bob Smith, Hickory NC. bsmith@hotmail.com or (704) 555-1212.

Porsches & Parts

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Additional information on all classified ads can be found by either contacting the seller or checking our website for photos at www.carolinas-pca.com.

Porsches

1985 911 Coupe: White/Black. Runs exceptionally well and reliably. Exterior 8/10, interior 6.5/10 with a minor tear in driver's seat. Bilstein coil over suspension, awesome dual exhaust sound. Car is largely stock except for the exceptional suspension, which is like riding on rails. This 911 will only appreciate. It is a street-legal DE car and highly versatile. It can be returned to street use only, remain a street-track compromise 911, or be converted into a dedicated track car. Wheels are 993 17s with a slightly used set of Bridgestone RE-11As, perfect street-track compromise tires. Aluminum pedals and Sparco steering wheel. 911 Turbo front brakes. Some service records available. Selling because I have acquired too many Porsches and need to thin out the herd. Priced to sell at \$25,000. Contact: Chris Sanders, Charlotte, NC email: chrissandersatty@bellsouth.net Phone: 704-277-7285

2006 Carrera 4S Cabriolet: Midnight Blue Metallic with Natural Brown Full Leather Interior, 25K miles. 6 speed manual with Sport Chrono, loaded with options. All original car, always covered and garaged. Clear bra. The exterior and interior are in excellent condition. New Tires and TPMS less than 1000 miles ago, car needs nothing. Beautiful and unique color combination. \$63,000 Contact: Matt Motteler, Denver, NC email: mmotteler@gmail.com Phone: 704-467-0555

2008 Boxster: VIN: WPOCA2987WU621669 - Low 33,900 miles. Garaged and covered Boxster with PDK in the Guards Red / Luxor Beige preferred color combination ready for summer touring. 40,000 mile service performed with 0-40 Mobil One (from new). Premium BOSE infotainment surround system, 4,000 miles on Michelin Pilot Super Sports, extremely clean interior. This is the car you are looking for. \$33,900. Contact: Brady Lambert, Chapel Hill, NC email: ag_boxster@use.startmail.com Phone: 919-323-0884

2013 Boxster S: Great condition and kept covered in climate controlled garage. Platinum Silver Metallic with black top and black partial leather seats. Options: Sport Chrono, Infotainment, Premium and Light Design packages, PCM, Extend Navigation, Rain Sensor, Auto Dimming Mirrors, Bose Surround Sound, XM Sat Receiver with HD Radio, 20" Carrera S Wheels, Seat Belts in Guards Red, Heated and Cooled Seats, Wind Deflector, 2 Zone Auto AC, Painted Support Safety Roll-bar, Bi-Xenon headlights with PDLs, Porsche Crest on Front Headrests, PDK, SportDesign Steering Wheel. Excellent condition. \$57,500 firm. Contact: Jack Kenley, Chapel Hill, NC email: 3jamesk@gmail.com Phone: 919-201-8178

Parts – Parts Cars – Projects

968 motor complete: 50,000 miles, new timing belt. On pallet. \$3600. Contact: Blair Holden, Jamestown, NC email: 336-884-4594 Phone: Rialb409@yahoo.com

Porsche factory dealer sign, other parts: Porsche factory dealer sign. Porsche crest lights up. Plugs into any outlet. 4 feet tall, 3 feet wide. Once-in-a-lifetime opportunity. \$1500. One factory Porsche collapsible spare tire. Brand-new. Made for and fits in the trunk of any Boxster Cayman or 911 model year 2005 or newer. \$250. One set of four black floor mats for 991. Brand-new. \$60. All items must be picked up. Will not ship. Contact: Doug McKee, Asheville, NC Phone: 828-255-3666

Porsche wheels for sale: 4 Fittipaldi Design wheels 7X15, never removed from boxes; lug nuts and locks; Beautiful. \$300. Photos available. Contact: Jim Hoffman, Ninety Six, SC email: t140triumph@hotmail.com Phone: 864-543-1586

28 years of Porsche Panorama: (328 copies) plus 37 copies of Excellence. Missing only Jan-Apr 1987, Nov 1992, May 1999, Aug 2007, May 2009, May 2010, and Apr 2012 Panorama. Various copies of Excellence from 1991 to 1998. Total of 371 editions for only \$200 including containers. Contact: Gary Blalock, Easley, SC email: gary.blalock207@yahoo.com Phone: 864-238-1795

Non Porsche

2012 Audi A6 Premium w/ Cold Weather Package: Very good condition. All options, including 18" wheels. 31,600 miles. Audi Factory warranty through December plus AudiCare which provides pre-paid 35k and 45k service. 2.0 liter Turbo with TipTronic and paddle shifters. Tires and Brakes are ~70%. Exterior: White, Interior: Black. Exterior is 9/10. Interior is 9.5/10. Very well-maintained. You will not find a '12 in better condition than this one. All records. Both keys. Clear title. Asking \$30,700 but will consider all reasonable offers. Pictures available upon request. Contact: Alan Moore, Charlotte, NC email: 609-578-2673 Phone: Amoore2668@aol.com

Artwork: Liquidating a substantial art collection of a PCA member in order to help with some financial and legal expenses. Artwork with pricing can be seen at www.naroescapemotorsports.com/ artwork Please contact me with any interest or questions. Contact: Bob Saville, Charlotte, NC email: naro@carolina.rr.com Phone: 704-309-5499

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