The Kentucky Region Newsletter

Pace Setter SEPTEMBER 2010

MACA Drivers Education

2010 Schedule— June 26-27 & September 18-19 Putnam Park Road Course www.KYPCA.org





WHAT IS DRIVERS ED? - This program is designed to afford participants the opportunity to develop car control and other essential driving skills in an organized manner. People of various skill levels attend these events for a variety of reasons. The common denominator is that they have a great time and learn from their experience. Safety of participants and their cars is our number one concern.

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Current Events!!	JANUARY	FEBRUARY	MARCH	

NEW	APRIL	MAY	JUNE	
LOCATION				
<i>AGAIN!!</i> *************				
	JULY	AUGUST	SEPTEMBER	
September 13th, 2010 Membership Meeting El Tarasco Time: 7:00 PM Contact: Tony Proasi	0027	7.0001	11th—Cars and Coffee (see page 10)	
(see page 16)			13th—Membership Mtg. El Tarasco Restaurant	
			(see page 16)	
September 18th, 2010 Breakfast Social Frisch's Poplar Level Road Time: 8:00 AM-??:?? Contact: Ken Daugherty (see page 13)			18th—Breakfast Social Frisch's—Poplar Level Road (see page 13) 18-19th—DE Event (see page 1)	
	OCTOBER	NOVEMBER	DECEMBER	
NOTES: Contact Information can be obtained in the newsletter on Page 7.	3rd—Concours d'Elegance (see page 5)	8th—Membership Mtg. TBA (see page 16)	13th—Membership Mtg. TBA (see page 16)	
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	16th—Breakfast Social Frisch's—Poplar Level Road			

The 10th annual Drive to Huber's Winery

When: Saturday October 9th

Meet Where: DQ on Bluegrass Pkwy/I-64 next to Bachman VW

Time: departing at 11:30am

It's that time of the year again, to do an autumn drive through the back roads of Southern Indiana and meet up with the Central Indiana Region at Huber's Winery. My hopes are for great weather and a huge showing from the Kentucky Region. An invitation will be given to the BlueGrass Region and the Southern Indiana Region to join up with us. Last year we had over 80 Porsches on the lawn of Huber's. It is Pumpkinfest at Huber's during October and there will be food and music. So plan on spending the afternoon there with all of us. We'll have a drawing for several bottles of wine for those who attend.



If you have any questions email me @ shmc930@hotmail.com

Steve McCombs (Activities Co-Chair)



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President's Report

Tony Proasi—KY Region President

Hello Everyone,

Nothing new to report on my end. We have the DE coming up in September so please come drive your car like it was meant to be driven and have a great time. Also as fall is approaching we need to be thinking about the upcoming election for club officers if you're interested in becoming an officer please let the election committee know.

Thanks, Tony



Louisville Concours d'Elegance

(pre 1960 Rolls-Royce is the marquee badge this year)

When: Saturday **October 3rd**.

What Time: 10:00am

Meet where: Papa John Stadium

main parking lot

Cost: \$15.00/ person

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This Year the Louisville Concours will once again offer a Car Corral in the infield of Churchill Downs. If you're are interested in being part of this, the Club will apply for a Porsche area. We'll need to know how many will be there. So email myself or Steven Rountree and let us know. Your Corral spot will only be assured if you purchase a ticket to the Event before 11 am that morning. I understand you can leave at any time but you will not be allowed to come back with your car.

Steve McCombs email: shmc930@hotmail.com

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2010 KY SCCA Autocross

www.kyscca.org

8:00 am Event Site Opens

8:00 am Registration for Everyone Opens

8:00 am Tech Opens

9:00 am Registration Closes for Walkup Registrants

9:30 am Check-In Closes for Online

Registrants

10:00 am Tech Closes

10:00 am Novice Walk

10:30 am Mandatory Drivers Meeting

10:50-11:00 am First Car Off

Event is subject to cancellation due to weather.

PJCS = (Papa John's Cardinal Stadium)

UPS = (UPS Grade Lane Employee Parking Lot)

<u>Calendar</u>				
<u>Event</u>	<u>Date</u>	Location		
-Autocross	3/06	-UPS		
Autocross	3/21	UPS		
Autocross School	4/10	PJCS		
-Autocross	4/11	-PJCS		
Autocross	5/15	PJCS		
-Autocross	5/29	PJCS		
Autocross	6/12	PJCS 		
Autocross	7/31	PJCS		
Autocross	8/15	PJCS		
Autocross	9/04	UPS		
Autocross	9/19	UPS		
Autocross	10/17	UPS		

CKR Solo Schedule

Central KY Region SCCA Schedule is at: www.ckrscca.org

Central Indiana PCA Calendar cir.pca.org

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- Let's Go Driving
- Want To Sell
- Want To Buy
- Recycler
- Tech Talk
- Make It Shine
- Track & DE
- Autocross
- Club News
- Member Rides (upload your photos)

www.kypca.org/news

(club activities, meetings, or general announcements from KY Region PCA, the latest issue of the Pacesetter (our monthly newsletter), announcements of new models, racing news)

www.kypca.org/information

(club specific documents, upcoming club events, frequently asked questions, mailing list sign-up, Web Links)

www.kypca.org/media

(photos and videos from club events (member submitted or just something we think is really cool and Porsche related))

Having trouble viewing the kypca.org website? Do you have a suggestion on how we can improve it? Please send any feedback you might have to feedback@kypca.org.

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Monthly Membership Meeting Minutes—August

By Chad Rainey, KY Region Secretary

Date: 8/9/2010

Location: Village Anchor Restaurant, Anchorage, KY

Officers Present: Tony Proasi, President; Jeremy Miller, VP; Richard

Darnell, Treasurer; Chad Rainey, Secretary

Board Members Present: Edgar Smiley

Chairs Present: Mark Bos, Website Chair, Steven Rountree/Steve McCombs joint Activities Chair, Belinda Schweinhart, Newsletter

Editor

Attendance: 28 members

It was really loud at the Village Anchor, so no formal meeting was held. We'll call it more of a social gathering!

Here are some upcoming events:

The last Friday of each month is a car get together at Valor School off Bardstown Rd outside the Gene Snyder (it is the castle looking building) and Harvest Homecoming Festival in New Albany in October.

Here are a few of the events for 2010:

Fall Festival HPDE September 17-19. Our fall DE is now in September! Register now at http://kypca.org.

October 3 – Louisville Concours at Churchill Downs. Featured marquee this year is classic Rolls Royce. http://www.concourslouisville.com/

Monthly Cars and Coffee in Prospect. It is at the Java Brewing in Prospect and happens every 2nd Saturday each month from 9am to noon.

For the most up-to-date information, please use the award winning KYPCA.org website. It has ALL the latest information and a new forum to communicate with your fellow members. The website is at http://www.kypca.org





Photos by Steven Rountree

PCA Member Spotlight- Sandy and Tom Provasi

http://www.youtube.com/user/PCAHQ

Meet Sandy and Tom Provasi, Loma Prieta Region members as PCA catches up with them at the 2010 Legends of the Autobahn Concour in Carmel Valley, CA

For pictures from the event, visit PCA Member Rich Tsai's website. http://singlelens.net/monterey/2010/loa2010/

The Family Porsche

By Alec Van Ryan

When I began this column I said that my experience in the Porsche Club has always been primarily centered on the members themselves with the cars nearly always taking a secondary but critical role. Well thanks to a business project that keeps me working on the west coast that concept has never rung more clearly than my recent PCA experience while working in Northern California.

A truly neat guy I work for on that project is a certified car collector and regularly drives a red (naturally) 1958 Alfa Romeo Giulietta Veloce. Thus Richard Weklych's love of fine sports cars led to a middle of the night email from him to me exclaiming that the parking lot of the motel he was staying at in Willows California was filled with Porsches including a black 911 turbo with, of all things, a trailer hitch. "What do you pull with a Turbo?" Guess anything you want!

We made immediate plans to rendezvous in that parking lot at crack of dawn the next morning. Thus begins another adventure in the 'family' of Porsche.

At 6:30 a.m. the parking lot at the Willows Holiday Inn was already buzzing with a symphony of air and water

cooled Porsches including the aforementioned black turbo with a perfectly mated trailer hitch. I parked by trusty black VW rental Bug next to it and proceeded to seek

Warren Gardner at speed in his RS

out the reason for all this wonderful assortment of machines. The very first person we ran into was the very owner of that trailer toting Turbo: Tom Marinshaw of the Diablo Region. At breakfast he explained that Diablo regularly puts on a DE and this was their day to run at nearby Thunderhill Raceway. He said that these DE's usually bring out about 60 Porsches (Diablo limits their DE events to "P" cars only) but because of the 100 plus degree temps this week (sound familiar?) only about 30 or so were participating in this day's round at the track.

Tom went on to tell the story of the trailer hitch and the retired engineer who designed and makes it (http://www.willwoodsystem.com/) and then added those magic words . . . "hey, why don't you and Richard come out to Thunderhill and join us . . . ?"

I looked at Richard . . . I looked at the black VW bug rental . . . and in less time that it takes to dot an 'i' we shifted our work schedule for the day and made tracks that afternoon for Thunderhill.

Then the magic of the 'family' we belong to took over. Upon entering the track and learning I was from the Kentucky Region all doors (including car doors to run on the track) opened up. Interestingly, of the many fine Diablo members we met the one common thread running through our conversations when they found out I was from the Kentucky Region was our very own Richard Collins. Seems Richard was a long standing and well respected former member of that left coast Region and everyone wanted him to know that they said hello and missed him. Sweet. But in all fairness many of those expressing fond memories (e.g. Diablo's communications guru Linda Bartolomucci Boyd) said that



Turbo and Trailer. Great way to bring tires and stuff to a DE!

our Mr. Collins was most missed either because he may have owned them money or, in Linda's case, dinner! I believe she was just kidding but just in case check with Richard next time you see him for his side of the story!

Diablo's Warren Gardner was the chief instructor and he took time to literally walk Richard and me through the complexities of Thunderhill and then match us to cars and instructors for actual track time. Zooming through the hills at Thunderhill in a 911 Turbo; an absolutely wonderful experience and all because of being in PCA.

One final note: while at Thunderhill I called our very own Ken Daugherty about the experience. My phone service was a dud at Willows but Linda and some of her lady friends let me borrow a working cell phone. After my conversation with Ken the ladies wanted to share Richard Collins stories with Ken so they all chatted with him before ending the call. Oh my God . . . what an unexpected reaction. When they put down the phone the ladies literally swooned over Ken's magnificent southern accent saying he was welcome to visit out there with them anytime as long as he brought his wonderful southern speaking style with him! Will we be seeing Ken off to a West Coast Holiday anytime soon?

Cars and Coffee

This is an open car gathering the second Saturday of each month from 9 til 11 am.

There are always interesting cars at this drop-in. You can come by and stay for a few minutes or several hours.

The Location is the Java Coffee parking lot at the corner of River Road and US-42.

The Dates are: Sept 11th and Oct 9th from 9am til 11 am.





KYPCA Members attending August meet Photos by Steven Rountree

Porsches 2 Oxford

The sixth annual Porsches 2 Oxford had another recordbreaking turn-out on July 31.

There were 445 Porsches in attendance out of 480 registered and 33 PCA Regions represented. Approximately ten Porsches from our region made the journey to Oxford, Ohio, and the weather was actually comfortable.

This year \$10,000 was raised for the American Cancer Society.

If you've never made the drive then you should plan for next year because it really is quite a show of Porsches in a beautiful small town setting.

More information and event pictures can be found on their website: www.porsches2oxford.com.

By 6:42 AM many Porsches are already parked and ready. Photos by Steven Rountree





PCA Anniversaries!!

SEPTEMBER

1971 Donald Neel

1980 Maurice (Ty) Hamill III

1992 Pat Kilroy

1995 Curtis Richards

1997 V. Dale Fatland

1998 Mark Lichtefeld

1998 David Sarten

1999 John Rawlings

1999 Keith Hall

2000 J David Smith

2003 Mark Mathis

2003 Wayne W. Evans

2004 Tom Gessel

2004 Fritz Parkins

2007 John E. Sunderland

2007 Michael S. Nethers

2009 Steve Rogers

2009 Sandra K. Arnold

2009 Jeff H. Brooks

2009 Thomas Erickson

2009 Gary Van Zant

(* denotes last issue—time to renew!)

KY PCA Yahoo! Group

KY PCA has available to us Yahoo! Group. This site is available to all members and is secure. John Campbell and John Howe are the moderators for the site. The site contains a KY PCA Calendar and is a forum for communicating events and event changes as well as a place for members to ask questions.

To join, or subscribe to the Yahoo! Group go to:

http://autos.groups.yahoo.com/group/kypca/

Click on Join this Group!.

Welcome New Members!!

AUGUST 2010

Kevin N. Alexander

Bowling Green, Ky

1995 993

Rick Heath and Merrily Orsini

Louisville, Ky

2008 Cayman

Kenneth Rabeneck

Louisville, Ky

1969 912

Clarence J and Donna Rode

Louisville, Ky 2006 Boxster S



REMEMBER!



Deadline for newsletter articles is the 15th!!

article@kypca.org

Ken's Ramblings....

Starting to get caught up. Selling some 356 parts and thinning out the excess...

Plans are to offer the 1961 Karman Coupe (notchback) project for sale. It is a complete car but needs restoration. Many folks are cutting the top off and converting a 'notchback' to a cabriolet. Cabs are more valuable than a Karman coupe but the cost to convert is pricey and the serial number always reveals its origin. I would never suggest removing the notchback top to make a cab.

Progress is slow on the '59 cabriolet project. Andy is hand fabricating the entire bottom 5" of the chassis. Many of the repo parts we bought are not quite exact and are generic. As the chassis of the 356 developed, Porsche changed the stampings and Andy is altering the repo panels to exactly match the original styles. Hopefully he can get it off to Paul to be painted sometime this fall. While it is at the paint shop we will go thru all of the mechanicals and have them ready to be refitted to the finished body. At that time we will send the plating out for fresh chrome and the seats and interior to Autos International. As Murphy will surely come into play, there is a problem lurking somewhere.

TV is getting boring. We have cable and many channels and still nothing to watch. Monday its 'Two and a Half Men' (kinda raunchy but funny). Tues its NCIS and NCIS LA. Wednesday its 'The Unit' on Insight cable channel 10 at 8 and a second episode at 9. (It's a mix of McGyver and Mission Impossible with a military twist.) Then its channel surfing the rest of the week.

Another thing I have noticed on TV is when they have the 'disclaimer' in fine print at the bottom of an ad, there is not a chance in H*** that it can be read. Its very small and only on the screen for a second or two. This is especially noted when they give the lease terms for cars. And often I will want to see who a character was in a program and the credits move too fast to read them.

One thing we have noticed, and the good thing about growing old and possible onset of Alzheimer's, is that we can watch a rerun and while it may be familiar we must watch the entire story to recall the ending:-)

The news is heavy with the reports about the Mosque in NY... Yes they have the right to build, but it is very insensitive to families of the 3000+ folks that lost family members on 9-11. It's interesting to read that a Greek Orthodox Church that was actually destroyed on 9-11 still cannot be rebuilt. The Greek Church is tied up in 'paperwork' but the Mosque is on the fast track.... Guess how many Christian places of worship there are in Saudi Arabia?

On another subject...I think that the fellow on WikiLeaks who released the documents should be added to a hit list. The soldier that fed him the information should be tried for treason. Remember what happened to folks like that in WWII? They were tried, and if convicted in a military court, they were tied to a post, given a last cigarette, a blindfold and shot.

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There is a law called 'Stolen Valor'. Basically it is 'wrong' to claim to be a war hero. The most egregious example is Xavier Alvarez (Google for details) who claims to be a war hero, his picture with a chest full of medals and he also claims the Medal of Honor. Investigation finds that he has never served a single day in the Service. Recently he was charged and the 9th Circuit exonerated him claiming that it violated his freedom of speech and that the Stolen Valor Law is unconstitutional. It is an insult to all who have served and those who gave their lives so some lying SOB can claim what he has not earned and be rewarded for lying. But I guess it is ok to lie, what's new, Congress does it all the time...

One last thought. Facebook...Personally I think it is absolutely stupid to post your innermost thoughts for all to see. I hear reports of teen girls posting suggestive pictures of themselves. One day in the future these same girls will be applying for a sensitive job and these pictures will come to light as a total embarrassment. One last thought about Facebook. I sure hope there are no pictures of Hillary, Elana Kagen or Janet Reno out there.

Recently I asked for suggestions for meeting sites. The one I liked best was Logan's across from Oxmoor. A central location.

Ken Daugherty kend356@insightbb.com

Saturday Morning Breakfast Social

The Saturday morning Breakfast Socials are held the first Saturday after the monthly KyPCA meetings. They are at the Frisch's just off the Watterson (I-264) and Poplar Level Road (exit 14) here in Louisville, first coffee is at 8am.

The only purpose is to get together with other Porsche owners for a very informal breakfast and BS session before starting the Saturday 'Honeydoos'. Sometimes there is a Saturday drive or event and this can be the start place. Or maybe we will visit someone's garage for a check on a recent project, being it a car restoration or other project of interest.

The breakfast buffet at Frisch's is pretty good or you can order off the menu and they keep the coffee coming.

Mark your calendar for the monthly meetings AND the Saturday Breakfast. If you are not a 'meeting' kind of person, surely you can join us for breakfast.

Don't forget to drive your Porsche, as we often have parking lot 'tech and admiration' sessions.

No reservations required, just show up....Any questions or comments, feel free to contact me.

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THE MART

The Mart Rules

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Parts & Misc...

Aftermarket floor mats for Carrera S and Carrera 4S as well as a Porsche custom car cover for a 997. Fred Hardin, (502) 298-2092.







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Contact: Richard Hughes, 981 Dunbarton Ave, Bowling Green, KY 42104, CELL 270-991-4848

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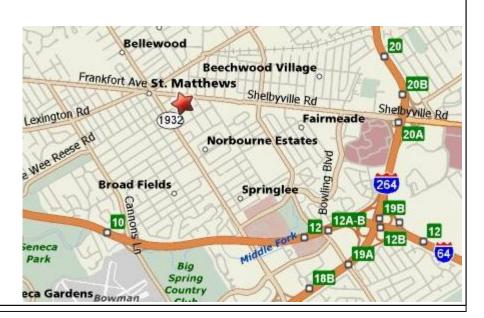
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