

Minutes of the Western Michigan Region – Porsche Club of America Monthly Meeting

August 4, 2008 - Meeting was called to order at 7:02 pm by President Ted Blacklidge. Attending: Ted & Gabi Blacklidge, Amber Door, Dan Phillips, Kurt Wirth, Rick Riley, John Kilgren, Val & Arnie Axelrod

Minutes: approved as printed in Uber Alles

Treasurer's Report: approved and filed

Webmaster: no report

Membership: Primary Members: 257; Affiliate Members: 210, Total: 467.
Transfer out: 2. Non-renewals 9; Renewals 18

Advertising: John will check on two accounts for follow-up on ad copy.

Uber: There was discussion on the possibility and cost of color printing.

Insurance: Kurt is working on the paperwork for the Picnic, Saunter, IROC and Grattan.

Driving Events:

- Amber reported on the Grattan registration numbers.
- There is a possibility that Delta will provide all or part of the commemorative tee shirts as a donation.
- Gabi presented a draft of "Grattan Charity Guidelines", which was discussed and revised. The club is taking applications for a new Charity Chairperson to provide breakfast at the Grattan DE event.
- Ted informed the Board that a new IROC Chair will be needed for next year.

Old Business:

- Dan & Ren's event, ALMS at The Score was well attended.
- Ted & Gabi's Gimmick Rally was also well attended.
- Nametags are still in the planning stage.

New Business:

- Amber & Jerry's Picnic & Concours is August 9th.
- Candis & Barry's Saunter to the Shore is August 23rd.
- Dan suggested an organized club appearance at Delta for the 28th Street Metro Cruise.

- The November Planning Date is Monday, Nov 3rd. It was agreed that the location will be the same as last year – Pietro's on 28th Street.
- After discussion, the location for WinterFest '09 will remain at Bridgewater Place. Date to be determined.

Meeting was adjourned at 8:00 pm

Respectfully submitted by Gabi Blacklidge, Uber Alles Editor