

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

**February 3, 2003** - Meeting at Go Porsche started at 7:09PM

Members Present: Brenda Hildon, Chris and Craig Ackerman, Candis Collick, Frank Schaeffer, Val and Arnie Axelrod, Michael Betz, Bob and Lorraine Malone, Kurt Wirth, Frank Koger, John Boockmeier, Carol Friday, Renwick and Annette Brutus.

**Secretary's Report:** Approved as written.

**Treasurer's Report:** Approved.

**Webmaster:** Arnie reported that John N. was continuing the update. Brenda suggested that we should have a sign-up sheet like last year at WinterFest for UBER ACES.

**UBER ALLES Report:** Candis announced that with next month's Feb./Mar. issue we would have new printers and mailers at a reduced cost. She knew there were problems with the mailers on the Jan. issue since quite a few people have either just received their newsletter or have not yet received them.

**Insurance Report:** No activity.

**Activities Report:** Arnie introduced Lorraine Malone as the new chair. Lorraine discussed the success of the January Drive to Dinner.

**IROC Report:** Nothing new. Frank reminded members of MSR's event on the 27th of July. Kurt recommended that ours be held in August; with a tentative date of the 24th. Frank said that the site was undetermined.

### **President's Report:**

Pinckney, MI Rally-Arnie received word from Bill Roe that on Aug. 1, 2, 3 there would be a Porsches to Pinckney Rally involving several surrounding states. He would send out copies to Candis and John N. to post. Out-of-Town Meeting Sites-Arnie would like to finalize at the March meeting our other meeting sites around the state for the rest of this year(incl. Traverse City in June).

### **Old Business:**

January Drive to Dinner-Rick was not present. It was previously discussed during the activities report the very positive aspects of the event.

**New Business:**

WinterFest-Chris A. stated that 75 people have signed up to date and that John B. and Kurt would be calling those who haven't made reservations yet. She said all the committee chairs were doing a great job individually. Brenda talked about brunch on Sunday at Charley's Crab and as the discussion proceeded Candis received the last 4 reservations.

A reminder was given that the March Drive to Dinner is the Turbo Spaghetti at Terry and Dorilee Scheible's house (a full page ad was in Jan. UBER).

**Open Forum:**

Kurt asked for the date of National Parade in Florida in August this year; Candis will e-mail him that date for the calendar at WinterFest.

Annette Brutus brought up the issue of reviving the Porsche Emporium. A general discussion took place and it was decided we would determine whether to go forward with the idea at next month's meeting.

Lastly, Arnie brought up the thought of rotating restaurants and possibly starting meetings at 6:30PM and eating afterwards. After a little discussion, we decided to table this too until the March meeting.

Meeting adjourned at 7:48PM

Respectfully submitted by Sally Nuerenberg