

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

March 7, 2011 - Delta Imports, Grand Rapids, Meeting was called to order by Dan Phillips at 7:00 pm. Members present were: Dan Phillips, Ted and Gabi Blackledge, John and Marshall Walters, Amber Door, Brenda Hildon-Kaempf, Rick Riley, Eric Spross, Len Gawron, and Arnie Axelrod.

Minutes: Approved.

Treasurer's Report: Approved. Amber is calculating WinterFest expenditures. Tax work has been completed.

Membership Report: 234 Primary Members, 188 Affiliate Members – total 422. New Members – 0. Transfers In – 0. Transfers Out – 0. Non-renewals – 0. Renewals – 13.

Uber Alles Editor's Report: The March issue was sent to the printer last week Wednesday; should be in the mail Friday/Monday. April issue to be submitted to the printer by March 22.

Webmaster' Report: The site is up-to-date.

Insurance Report: We will need insurance for the April Tech Session, May Dinner Drive and the Memorial Day Road Trip.

Old Business:

- Winterfest & Morning-After Brunch – 56 attendees at WinterFest, and 13 Attendees at Charlie's Crab. Great food and camaraderie enjoyed by all.
- HPDE Insurance – High Performance Driving Event insurance was plugged in the March Uber.
- Charity Ideas for 2011 – Key elements must be: Local and of clear benefit to our region, effective and efficient, non-partisan/apolitical, avoids proselytizing. Ted and Gabi presented a proposal from Craig Ackerman regarding naming Century Driving School as our 2011 charity. The board requested additional information for consideration.
- No March Tech Session (cancelled due to time conflicts) – Amber is working on possible dates and locations for the April Tech session. There will likely be a tech session in Aug/Sept at Euro Autowerks.

New Business:

- Region Continuity Forms/Membership Rebate – the form is being corrected and will be resubmitted. Once complete, we will receive the rebate for last quarter.

- April Cook-off – Ad went in March Uber and is on the website. Hosted by Terry and Dorilee Schieble. Whale Tale Pasta – bring your favorite homemade sauce.
- May Dinner Drive – May 21. Hosted by John and Marshall Walters. Info will be in the next Uber and on the web.
- May Memorial Day Road Trip – Henry & Edsel Ford Experience – Ad went in March Uber. Hosted by Len and Bonnie Gawron. An agenda will be put on the web.

Meeting was adjourned at 7:48pm

Respectfully submitted by Brenda Hildon-Kaempf