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Porsche Club of America, Western Michigan Region

August 2011

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Vom Schreibtisch des Präsidenten

Dan Phillips
President, Western Michigan Region

This month, our cover colors are an homage to the Flying Lizard Motorsports team, one of the strongest teams in the ALMS GT class. A few of us gathered on Sunday, July 10 to watch the ALMS at Lime Rock race on ESPN2, and what a great race it was! And what fun it was to watch a Porsche race with fellow Porsche enthusiasts. I can hardly wait for the return of the ALMS race to Belle Isle in 2012! You can bet we'll be filling up the Porscheplatz with WMR members.

There is so much going on this month that it truly is hard to cram it all onto these few scant pages...there's just so much fun to be had if you're a car nut in Michigan in the summer. Not only is there everything you see listed here in our newsletter, but there's the Woodward Dream Cruise in Detroit, multiple car shows at Gilmore, the hot rod show in Kalamazoo, and the Harbor Springs Car Festival coming up on August 11th (Google it for more info).

Please don't overlook the great things happening on Page 10...one of our advertising partners, German Auto Service, is hosting an open-house on Saturday, August 13th. It's a cool little local bastion of German car mania in Grand Rapids, with a car show and everything. Stop on down and meet our friends at GAS, see their shop, and have a bite to eat too!

Our Webmeister Michael Betz is helping organize this year's inaugural Kalamazoo Car Fest, also to be held on Saturday, August 13th. Downtown Kalamazoo has so much to offer, and it's a beautiful place to be in the summer as well. Watch as the streets of Kalamazoo fill up with some of the area's most incredible car collections...better yet, be a participant, and show off your baby! Get on over to www.CarFestKzoo.com and spend the measly \$10 to register. It's sure to be a blast!!

If competitive driving is your thing, we hope you can make it out to Michiana's IROC II Autocross on August 21st, our IROC III Autocross on September 3rd, and to our biggest driving event of the year, our DE at Grattan a week later.

We wish you a safe and happy summer, and we sincerely hope we get to see you at a Porsche club event soon!

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Upcoming Events: Red Barn Spectacular

06 Aug

Gilmore Car Museum Red Barn Spectacular & Porsche Car Corral

Hosts: Amber Door & Jerry Arens

WMR PCA will again be joining over 500 other car enthusiasts for the annual Red Barn Spectacular. This event is billed as West Michigan's 'Grand Daddy' of antique, classic and special interest car show. The event includes a swap meet, food booth, judge's concours and people's choice concours.

The Porsche Club will have a car corral at the event located on the north end of the track (located on the west side of the museum grounds). You may also enter your 1980 and older Porsche in the People's choice category. (Feeling the need for detail – enter it in the Judges Choice category, open for 1983 and older vehicles! You must register separately for this portion of the event.) Fees are \$15.00 for show cars (includes admission for car and 2 people), free for children under 11



The organizers of the event would like a car count in order to provide us adequate corral parking, so please RSVP by Wednesday August 3, 2011 to Amber Door at Amdoor242@aol.com.

Date & Time: 06 August 2011, all day; 9:00 am general admission, gates open at 7:00 am
Location: Gilmore Car Museum, 6865 Hickory Road, Hickory Corners, MI 49060

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Upcoming Events: August

20 Aug

Blacklidge Gimmick Rally & Ackerman's Backyard Bash

Hosts: Ted & Gabi Blacklidge, Craig & Chris Ackerman

You know you've been waiting for the 2011 Gimmick Rally with baited breath...well, wait no longer. The rally has been combined with a fun new event and will end with a Patio Party at Craig & Chris Ackerman's beautiful newly-landscaped back yard!

To kick off the Gimmick Rally, please join us at an entrance to Johnson Park, 4223 Butterworth SW, Grand Rapids, MI 49534 on Saturday, August 20, 2011 between 2:30-2:45. The drive is available as a fun gimmick rally or just a pleasant drive to the country.

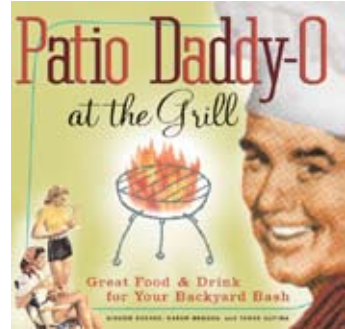
Afterward, enjoy some kick-back time after the rally...adults only!!! Please bring your own **booze...chair...dish to pass...swimsuit & towel** (skinny dippin' optional!)...(just kidding!)

Craig and I are furnishing the brats and Angus burgers, along with all the fixin's. If you forget any of the above, not to worry...our house is pretty well stocked. A game of Bag-O or pool basketball may be in progress also. Plan to stay late...after dark, our yard has been dubbed as an alternative airstrip for the Sparta airport close by. Hope to see a great many of you for our first but not last Backyard Bash!

We need to know how many cattle need rustling, so please RSVP no later than 15 August, to either Craig at (616) 866-1905 or Chris at (616) 293-0833. (Email pcaackerman@aol.com, or mcsunrays@aol.com)

Date & Time: 20 August 2011, between 2:30 and 2:45 pm (until late night!)

Locations: Johnson Park, 4223 Butterworth SW, Grand Rapids, MI 49534
The Ackerman Home, 10085 Edgerton Ave NE, Rockford, MI 49341



26 Aug

Annual 28th Street Metro Cruise at Delta Imports

Hosts: Charles VanWyk and Ryan Coe, Delta Imports

On the afternoon of August 26, Delta Imports welcomes you to the annual 28th Street Metro Cruise.



After 5:00 pm, join us at Delta Imports, 6025 28th Street SE, Grand Rapids, MI. Park your Porsches on our lot along 28th Street, and enjoy an outdoor barbecue on us. Enjoy the sights and sounds of local classic and exotic cars cruising down 28th Street as this car enthusiasts' weekend gets into gear!

27 Aug

Tech Session: Pre-Track Day Tech Session at Euro Autowerks

Hosts: Dan & Ren Phillips

Join us on Saturday, August 27th at Euro Autowerks for a pre-track day tech session with Porsche expert and ASE-certified Master Technician Tim Thatcher. Tim will help answer your questions and address your concerns about driving your Porsche on a track. Notice anything about the timing? Yes, it's one week prior to our annual Autocross at the Ionia Fairgrounds, and two weeks prior to Grattan. Don't miss it!



When: Saturday Morning (*exact time TBD*), 27 August 2011
Where: Euro Autowerks, 9240 Belding Rd, Rockford, MI 49341

Upcoming Events: IROC II and III Autocross Events

21 Aug IROC II Autocross at The Tire Rack (South Bend, IN)

03 Sep IROC III Autocross at Ionia Fairgrounds (Ionia, MI)

Our IROC (Inter-Regional Race of Champions) is a cheeky name for a very fun event, a series of autocrosses we run with our friends from the Motor-Stadt and Michiana regions of PCA. These events help you learn how to properly maneuver your car around a course of pylons in a parking lot. Instructors and helmets are available and we always welcome and encourage new drivers!



You run against a clock and there is only one driver on the course at a time - so it is as safe as you make it. This is a wonderful opportunity to better learn the limits of your car and your own driving skills.

Sunday, August 21, 2011 - IROC II - Michiana Region - @ The Tire Rack (South Bend, IN)

Saturday, September 3, 2011 - IROC III - West Michigan Region - @ the Ionia Fairgrounds (Ionia, MI)

We welcome and encourage you to try autocrossing! It's a cheap (\$25 per driver), fun, and educational experience. If you have any questions, email Duane Weed at duane@dwvideo.com or call (231) 937-4867.

In Review: July Dinner Drives

Text & Photos by Amber Door and Dan Phillips

Unlike the very wet 2010 drive to the Old Boy's Brewhouse (with only a few interpid participants), a large group of WMR PCA members gathered on Saturday July 9th for a very pleasant and dry drive through Ottawa County to our final destination in Spring Lake. Once the group arrived for dinner we were met by several more members to enjoy the rest of the evening with about 30 great Porsche friends. Randy & Lin Portoluri who organized the event led the way in their daily drive Subaru (the Porsche was in the shop), and Gary Buth and Bette Toliver left their Porsche at home, instead arriving in style in their boat!



The very next day, 6 Porsches rallied through the hills of Cannon Township on a gorgeous Sunday afternoon, arriving at The Score on Northland Drive to watch the American LeMans Series race at Lime Rock together. Not only was the weather perfect, but the Flying Lizard team made a 2nd-place finish in the GT class, putting Porsche on the podium one more time. Congrats from WMR!



August Anniversaries: *Glückwünsche!*

1 year (2010)
Ron & Casey Cheney
Doug Smith
Lane VerSchure

15 years (1996)
David Cramer

New Members:

Willkommen!

Scot Ferris - Grand Rapids, MI
2007 Porsche Cayman
Steven Johnson - Rochester, MI
2011 Porsche Cayman
Jon & Sue Kinne - Traverse City, MI
1959 Porsche 356A
Alan & Fran Westerholm - Traverse City, MI
2008 Porsche Cayman
James White - Grand Rapids, MI
2009 Porsche Cayman

2011 Calendar

Porsche Club of America

Western Michigan Region



July	31	Concours d'Elegance of America (Meadowbrook) - Plymouth, MI <i>Non-PCA Event</i>	
	31	Porsche Parade 2011 - Savannah, GA <i>PCA National Event</i>	
Aug	1-6	Porsche Parade 2011 - Savannah, GA <i>PCA National Event</i>	
	6	Red Barns Spectacular Car Show & Porsche Corral - Gilmore Car Museum, Hickory Corners, MI <i>Hosts: Amber Door and Jerry Arens</i>	
	13	Downtown Kalamazoo Car Fest - Kalamazoo, MI	
	13	German Auto Service Open House - Grand Rapids, MI	
	8	Monthly Board Meeting - Delta Imports, Grand Rapids, MI	
	20	Gimmick Rally and Backyard Summer Bash - Rockford, MI <i>Hosts: Craig and Chris Ackerman</i>	
	21	IROC II Autocross (The Tire Rack, South Bend, IN) <i>Host: Michiana Region PCA</i>	
	26	28th Street Metro Cruise - Delta Imports, Grand Rapids, MI <i>Hosts: Charles VanWyk and Delta Imports</i>	
	27	Tech Session - Euro Autowerks, Rockford, MI <i>Hosts: Dan & Ren Phillips</i>	
	September	3	IROC III Autocross (Ionia Fairgrounds)
		9	3rd Annual WMR Golf Outing <i>Hosts: Arnie and Val Axelrod</i>
10-11		Grand Prix of Grattan DE - Grattan Raceway, Grattan, MI	
9-11		Boxstoberfest 2011 - Fredericksburg, TX <i>Non-PCA Event</i>	
12		Monthly Board Meeting - Delta Imports, Grand Rapids, MI	
15-18		PCA Escape 2011 - Flagstaff, AZ (<i>visit 2011escape.org</i>) <i>PCA National Event</i>	
24		Leelenau County Fall Driving Tour - Traverse City, MI <i>Host: Bill Brown</i>	

For more PCA National and Inter-Regional events, visit <http://www.pca.org/Activities.aspx>.

For the full PCA Club Racing Schedule, visit <http://www.pca.org/Activities/ClubRacing/Schedule.aspx>.

2011 Grand Prix of Grattan Driver Education

Ted Blacklidge, Driver Education Chairman

Sign up today for the annual WMR-PCA Drivers Education event to be held at Grattan Raceway – September 10 and 11.

REGISTRATION IS NOW OPEN at

CLUBREGISTRATION.NET

This will be a two-day event at our favorite home track. We will have several instructors available for the new DE drivers and I promise you a rewarding experience. You can not appreciate the Porsche feel until it is on the closed circuit of a track like Grattan.



For those of you who wish to participate in DEs and Autocrosses this summer, I recommend you contact your insurance company regarding coverage. It appears that coverage from most companies is rare. Autocross is usually very safe and I would not be concerned about hurting your car. Drivers Education events have a higher potential for incidents; however, in the 9 years I have participated in DEs (over 20 track days), not only have I not had a car-damaging event, but I have not even witnessed one. DE events are safe because we have very strict rules that must be followed.



If you want added insurance coverage for your car, please go to www.pcahpdeins.locktonaffinity.com for information on single event coverage.

Special Notes on Helmets for the 2011 DE Season:

All helmets used in PCA Driver Education (DE) events must be 2005 or later Snell Rated (SA or M). Non-Snell rated helmets will not be allowed. (Note: Snell 2000 helmets are no longer allowed at PCA events.)



Special Reminders on Car Preparation:

Roll-Over Protection: Roll-over protection is required in all convertibles, either the factory/OEM roll-over protection device, or an aftermarket roll bar/cage. 986/987 Boxster roll-bars and 996/997 911 Cabriolet pyrotechnically-deployed rollbars are acceptable. All non-factory roll-over protection devices must meet the 'broomstick rule' as shown.

Brake Fluid: The technical inspection requires that your car's brake fluid be changed not more than 2 months prior to the event. A lot of participants forget about this...don't get nailed at tech inspection! Don't take chances with your brakes, change your brake fluid now if you haven't already done so.





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Event Information

Registration is open at ClubRegistration.net

If you have a computer, please do NOT use this form! Please register online!

Two days of Driver Education at the 2-Mile Grattan Raceway, a winding, hilly, complex assortment of almost every conceivable corner imaginable for a road course.

10-11 September 2011

Saturday & Sunday: \$310.00 (\$340 after 8/29)

Saturday Only: \$ 170.00 (\$200 after 8/29)

Registration Form

Car Owner/Driver Information:

_____	_____	M	F
First Name	Last Name	Gender	

Address			

City	State	Zip	
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Phone, Day		Phone, Evening	

Email			

PCA Membership #	Region		

Driving Experience:

Grattan Experience Scale (1-10): _____

Other Track Experience Scale:

Track #1:	_____	# of Events:	_____
Track #2:	_____	# of Events:	_____
Track #3:	_____	# of Events:	_____
Track #4:	_____	# of Events:	_____
Track #5:	_____	# of Events:	_____

Requested Run Group:

1	2	3	4	5
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Emergency Contact Information:

_____	_____	At Event?	_____
First Name	Last Name		
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Phone, Day	Phone, Evening		

Medical Information:

Physician:
 Dr. _____

 First Name Last Name
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 Phone, Office Phone, Evening

Known Allergies: _____
 Known Medical Conditions: _____

Car Information:

_____	_____	_____	
Year	Make	Model	

Color	Cylinders	Displacement	
Automobile Modification Levels:			
__ Stock	__ Improved	__ Modified	__ Race Car
Estimated HP: _____			

Notes and Contact Information

Notes:

- Your check reserves your space.
- Student space is limited to one per automobile and a maximum of 12.
- Students RSVP by 8/20, all others 8/29. (\$30 late fee)
- Select only one Participant Day Combo.
- Cancellations must be in writing by 8/29. Refunds will be charged a \$30 Cancellation Fee.
- We reserve the right to refuse any application.

Please register online at: <http://clubregistration.net/>
If you absolutely can not register online, mail this form to:
 Amber Door, Grattan Registrar
 645 Summerset Drive, Jenison, MI 49428

Direct all inquiries to:
 Ted Blacklidge, Grattan DE Chair
 Ph. (616) 866-4143, or email sgrafex@chartermi.net



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2011 Calendar Porsche Club of America Western Michigan Region

October	3	Monthly Board Meeting - Delta Imports, Grand Rapids, MI
	8	Annual Fall Color Tour (West Michigan Lakshore - Arcadia Bluffs) <i>Hosts: Jim and Ardis Schaaf, with Len & Bonnie Gawron</i>
	14-16	Rennsport Reunion IV - Mazda Raceway Laguna Seca, Monterey, CA (visit www.mazdaraceway.com/pages/Porsche_Rennsport_Reunion_IV)
	16	Porsche Race Car Classic - Quail Lodge Golf Resort in Carmel, CA (visit www.2011porscheracecarclassic.com)
November	7	Annual Planning Dinner (Location TBD)
	16	Dinner Drive (Location TBD) <i>Hosts: TBD</i>
December	5	Monthly Board Meeting - Delta Imports, Grand Rapids, MI
	TBD	Annual Appetizer and Wine Party (Location TBD) <i>Hosts: TBD</i>

Upcoming Events: Zone 4 & National Calendar

<u>Region</u>	<u>Region Name</u>	<u>Dates</u>	<u>Event (Web Address)</u>
AR	Allegheny Region	July 23-24	Pittsburgh Vintage Gran Prix (http://www.pvgp.org/)
MOR	Mid-Ohio Region	July 29-31	Porsches to Oxford (P2O), Oxford, OH (http://www.porsches2oxford.com/)
N/A	Non-PCA	July 31	Concours d'Elegance of America (formerly Meadowbrook) (http://concoursusa.org/)
PCA	PCA National	July 31-Aug 6	Porsche Parade, Savannah, GA (http://parade2011.pca.org/)
PAG	Porsche Motorsport	Aug 5-6	ALMS at Mid-Ohio & Porscheplatz (americanlemans.com)
SEM	South-East Michigan	Aug 11	DE @ Waterford Hills Raceway, Waterford, MI
356	356 Registry	Sep 1-4	356 Registry East Coast Holiday 2010, Greensboro, NC
N/A	Non-PCA	Sep 9-11	Boxstober Fest 2011, Fredricksburg, TX (http://www.boxstoberfest.com/)
PCA	PCA National	Sep 15-18	PCA Escape 2011, Flagstaff, AZ (http://escape2011.com/)
SEM	South-East Michigan	Sep 24	DE @ Waterford Hills Raceway, Waterford, MI
N/A	Cincinnati VW Club	Sep 25	20th Annual VW-Porsche Reunion @ Cincinnati, OH (http://www.cincyvwclub.com/Reunion.aspx)
N/A	Non-PCA	Oct 14-16	Rennsport Reunion IV, Laguna Seca, Monterey, CA
N/A	Non-PCA	Oct 16	Porsche Race Car Classic, Carmel, CA

For more PCA National and Inter-Regional events, visit <http://www.pca.org/Activities.aspx>.

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More Upcoming Events: August & September

13 Aug Inaugural Downtown Kalamazoo Car Fest (non-PCA event)

Downtown Kalamazoo's inaugural CarFest invites owners to display their specialty cars of all kinds, side-by-side, throughout downtown Kalamazoo. Hundreds of cars are anticipated and a full schedule of family fun activities is planned. Fill out a registration form describing your car, request your favorite display area, and pay the \$10 registration fee, at www.CarFestKzoo.com or call Downtown Kalamazoo, Inc. at (269) 344-0795.



Downtown Kalamazoo is perfect for our amazing community of automotive enthusiasts to enjoy a festival of their own. Be a participant of this inaugural event, which we hope will become an annual downtown Kalamazoo tradition.

To be held on Saturday, August 13. Sign-in begins at 7 a.m. on South Street. Cars will fill out seven downtown Kalamazoo areas including Bronson Park, Arcadia Creek Festival Place, Kalamazoo Mall (Water Street to Lovell), Arcadia Creek Walkway, St. John's Place and Academy and Church Streets. Cars will be on display from 10 a.m. to 8 p.m. Security will be provided from 8 to 11 p.m. so CarFest participants can enjoy Kalamazoo's wonderful stores and restaurants.

13 Aug German Auto Open House (non-PCA event)

German Auto Service invites you to our third annual open house and car show. The event will take place on Saturday August 13th 2011 from 10:00 am to 2:00 pm at our Grand Rapids facility. We will be hosting a car show again as part of the open house. We had 30+ registered vehicles and quite a few others who arrived too late to be voted on. Any European car is welcome so tell all your VW/Audi/BMW/Mercedes/Porsche/Volvo/Saab/Whatever friends. If you'd like to enter your car in the show, be sure to pre-register by emailing us at benz@germanautold.com.

The entire event will also be 100% free. There is no cost to participate in the show, spectate or for food. (We will be grilling up some lunch for everyone) The community has been good to GAS over the years. This is our opportunity to give back. In addition, there will be door prizes and a raffle.

For more information on this event, please visit http://www.germanautold.com/Home/Open_House.aspx.



09 Sep Third Annual WMR Golf Outing

Hosts: Arnie & Val Axelrod



Men and women are encouraged to sign up for this fun event at Egypt Valley Country Club. This is one of the finest golf courses in this part of the country. For 10 Years, EVCC hosted a PGA Champions Tour Event, and last year hosted the USGA Junior Men's tournament. The course is in great shape, so come out and join us and your West MI Region friends for a great round of golf. For those who wish, the patio will be open for dinner and/or drinks when we finish. Order off the menu with separate check. Cost including cart is \$80.00 per person. Credit cards only - sorry, no cash.

Reservations to Arnie at amaxelrod@att.net, or call (616) 676-1330 by 9/2. Limited spaces available. Late participants on a best-effort basis. Make your reservation early.

Time & Cost: Tee Times begin at 2:00 PM.
Where: Egypt Valley Country Club, 7333 Knapp Avenue NE, Ada, MI



In Review: All Air Cooled Show at Gilmore

Text & Photos by Bob Clark



While many WMR members headed north to Traverse City for the Spring-Up event on June 18, a few of us (with other commitments during the weekend) headed south, to the Gilmore Car Museum in Hickory Corners, MI (gilmorecarmuseum.org) to attend the first annual All Air Cooled Show, put on by the H.H. Franklin Car Club (franklincar.org).

Kurt Wirth, Rick Riley, and myself took our usual back way down through Praireville for a very enjoyable drive. Once there we ran into Terry and Dorilee Schieble, and Greg Calahan and his son.

Franklin automobiles were manufactured from 1902 through 1934. Their club has a new building at the Gilmore

Car Museum in the style of a Franklin dealership of that era.

The show was held in front of their building. Their open invitation to all air cooled cars brought in the usual VW's, Ghia's, Corvair's, Porsche's, and an unusual Citroen, and a French built Vespa coupe.

We signed in and received a goody bag with a dash plaque, other miscellaneous stuff, and most importantly a coupon for free ice cream at the Blue Moon Diner. They drew for a few nice door prizes, and awarded the most interesting in show to the Vespa. The trophy was appropriately a desk fan from the 30's.

After we had cashed in our coupons for the free ice cream, we scored a free ride on a 1935 Austin taxi cab that the Gilmore had circulating the grounds. I thought, but didn't mention, that it had more grunt off idle than a 356. A nice drive home completed a beautiful day.



Franklin



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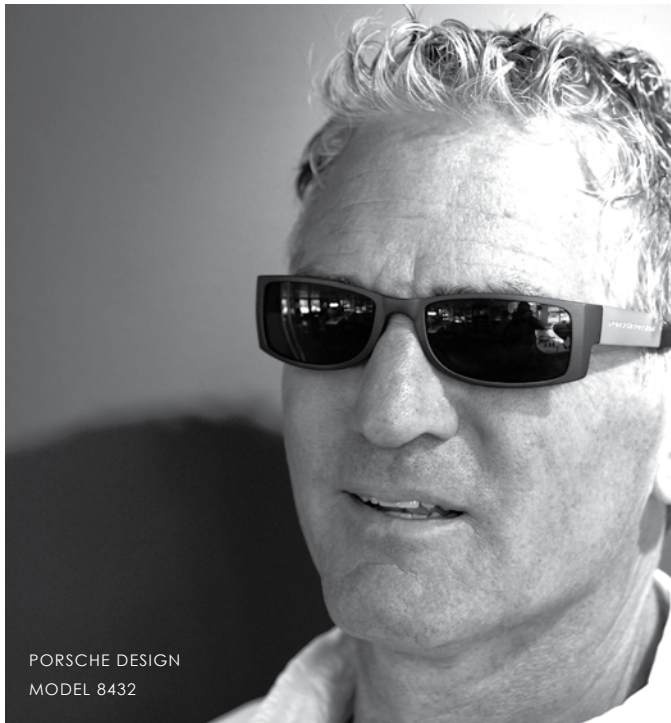
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WMR Meeting Minutes, 11 July 2011

Delta Imports, Grand Rapids, July 11, 2011 – Meeting was called to order by Dan Phillips at 7:00 pm. Members present were: Dan Phillips, Amber Door, Rick Riley, Marshall Walters, John Walters, Craig Ackerman, Ted Blacklidge, Gabi Blacklidge, Kurt Wirth, Arnie Axelrod

Minutes: Minutes from June meeting approved.

Treasurer's Report: Approved.

Membership Report: 227 Primary Members, 176 Affiliate Members – total 403, New Members – 5, Transfers In – 0, Transfers Out – 0, Non renewals – 6, Renewals – 12

Über Alles Editor's Report: July Über – in mailboxes today. August publication is in process.

Advertising Report: No report.

Webmaster's Report: No report

Insurance Report: Insurance for Red Barn Spectacular; Gimmick Rally, IROC, Grattan DE

Old Business:

- Spring UP
- Gilmore Gathering / Dill's lunch in Middleville
- 09 July DD - 29 participants at Old Boys Brewhouse
- 10 July DD – 5 vehicles for the drive – a nice event to watch the ALMS race
- EOTY Trophy Update: Timeframe estimation – still targeting July/August completion
- Member Nametags & merchandise effort – John Walters (Juergen Lorhrke as resource)
- Charity: Century Driving - Non Profit organization has been established. Additional information will be forthcoming by the end of the month regarding formation with formal article to follow.

New Business:

- 06 August: Red Barns Spectacular: Porsche Car corral
- 13 August: non WMR events: German Auto Open House
- 13 August: Kalamazoo Downtown Inaugural car fest
- 28th Metro cruise – Working on planning event at Delta on Friday 8/26/11. More information to come.
- Regional events – will try to get blasts out for those who may be going and may want to travel together – P2O, Parade, Pittsburgh Vintage Grand Prix
- Friday 9/9/11 – Golf Outing

Meeting was adjourned at 8:00 pm

Respectfully submitted by Amber Door



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1989 PORSCHE 911 CABRIOLET – Red, new black top, 5-speed. Professionally maintained, great condition, 64k miles. \$27,000. VIN is WPOEBO913KS170582. Call Dave Cramer (616) 822-3348 (mobile), (616) 534-0550 (work), or email Dave@DrDaveCramer.com. (June 2011)

1987 PORSCHE 911 TURBO CABRIOLET – Factory slant-nose (one of 216 real 505 factory built and documented), pristine all-original condition, black on black, with Porsche certificate of authenticity. Contact Frank Berris at (616) 887-0956 or email fgberris@americango.biz (July 2011)

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1977 PORSCHE 911S – Previous PCA member owned with lots of service records. White with black Recaro seats. Nice daily driver or entry level Porsche. Priced aggressively at \$11,900. Pics and more info at www.wheelzinc.com. Call Christopher Hoexum at (616) 813-2175 (mobile), (616) 285-3308 (work), or email chris@wheelzinc.com. (June 2011)

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