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

**January 8, 2007 -** Ted called the meeting to order at 7:02PM at Delta Imports. Members present were: Ted & Gabi Blacklidge, Amber Door, Brenda Hildon, John Kilgren, Kurt Wirth, Colin Carpenter, Rick Riley, Arnie Axelrod, and Bob Friday

Minutes: Approved.

**Treasurer:** Approved.

**Webmaster:** The website was updated January 4.

**Membership:** Amber reported: 2 new members – Alan Anderson, Frankfort MI '74 914, James & Pree Frakie, Grand Rapids, MI 2005 Boxter - 0 transfers in, 2 transfers out, 3 non-renewals, 10 renewals. Primary members: 248. Affiliate members: 209. Total membership: 457.

**Advertising:** John is working on renewals. He has requested updated copy from Delta Imports and Haggerty Insurance for their new ads – both are renewing. He received a suggestion to have the dinner drive restaurants advertised – he will see what can be worked out with regards to rate and if coupons can be offered.

**UBER:** Gabi reported that the January Uber should arrive in the next few days. Marcio and Gabi are looking for story ideas. She is adding VSCDA and Club Racing events to the calendar. Gabi inquired about printing copyrighted material that may involve a charge to reprint. If Gabi and Marcio choose to print a copyrighted article involving a fee, it will be presented to the Board for approval. John mentioned the content to advertising ratio is important.

**Insurance:** Kurt had nothing new to report.

**Driving Events:** No date set for IROC yet. Michiana IROC is Aug. 25. The Collick's Saunter dinner drive is Aug. 25. Grattan will be Sept. 14, 15, 16

**Enthusiast Award Report:** Lina is currently working on ordering the Enthusiast awards.

# **President's Report:**

No report.

#### **Old Business:**

December Dinner Drive: The Friday's Appetizer Party. Once again a great time was had by all – great party, no snow, no stains and Rick took wine home.

New Name Badge Update – Amber called Paul Schweitzer again. The issue is the 25 minimum. Amber will have something put in the Uber requesting she be notified if a new name badge is needed.

### **New Business:**

January Dinner Drive 1-24-07 @ Leo's – Hosted by Rick Riley

February 17 – WinterFest

Other: Spring Up date? Kurrie's to host?
Gilmore event – Gabi will email Larry to get more info
Family Picnic – Amber has reserved a park in Jenison Aug. 4. There will be separate parking for a possible
Concourse.

### **Open Forum:**

Amber has created club business cards.

Racers Ranch will be opening in Texas with an Alan Wilson designed course.

Meeting adjourned at 7:50PM

Respectfully submitted by Brenda Hildon