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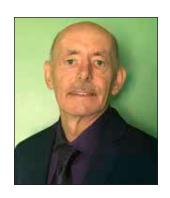


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Multi-Region
Swap Meet
Saturday, April 25, 2020

ON THE COVER:

Fall Color Tour starting location at Boulder Pointe Golf Club.
Photo by Chris Young

President's Column



BY **GRETUS HOOGESTRAAT**

A New Year, a New Beginning

ear SEM Members

I hope you've had a Merry Christmas and a smooth transition into the New Year. 2019 started out a little rough, but great events and our membership made it a successful year. We completed another year of Tech-Sessions, Swap Meet, Street-Survival-School, Drivers Education, Spring Tour, PCA Caravan and Car Corral at the Detroit Grand Prix, Porsche Parade in Boca Raton (FL), Progressive Dinner, Picnic, Ladies Only Drive, Drive-Your-Porsche-Day, Fall Color Tour, Membership Dinner and Holiday Party.

Let's keep this upward momentum going for 2020 and think about new and refreshing events. We cannot make it without YOU. We need your ideas and inspirations to keep SEM fresh and young. Throughout the year I spoke with several club members and they did not know how to communicate with our region's management. Therefore, come to our Brunch sessions.



Progressive Dinner 2019 at the residence of Leo Wanstreet

Have you marked your calendar? January Brunch and Car Show

On Saturday, January 18th, we will meet for a casual brunch in lieu of the PCNA NAIAS Breakfast. The idea is to have some conversation regarding cars, ideas for the club and so much more at a local restaurant in Dearborn. This is also a great opportunity for new members to ask questions about SEM. How does SEM and PCA work? What is going on regional and national level? I have an idea for an event; be it a social gathering, driving tour or other. How can I present my idea to the club? How can I get involved? How can I participate in an event in Texas if I'm there on vacation? We will answer all those questions, just ask.

After brunch, around 12pm, we go over to the Free Car Show "Gateway Classic Cars". It is 3 minutes away from the Brunch location.

February Brunch

On Saturday, February 15th we will have a Brunch two weeks before the Detroit Autorama. Brunch Location is TBD.

March Lingenfelter Collection Car Show and Lunch

On Saturday March 21st we will meet at 9:30 AM in Brighton to visit the Lingenfelter Collection. Inside this P4 issue you find more information about the event. You are very welcome to join us for lunch at a nearby restaurant afterwards.

Please see page 6 for the complete SEM/PCA Calendar. For the most up-to-date information go online at sem.pca.org

Thank you, Gretus Hoogestraat, SEM President

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JANUARY

- 9 Board Meeting
- 18 *Dearborn Brunch

FEBRUARY

- 6 Board Meeting
- 15 *TBD Brunch
- 16 *Gilmore Car Museum Event

with Lori Schutz

28-1 *Autorama

MARCH

- 5 Board Meeting
- 21 Lingenfelter Charity Event Gretus Hoogestraat

APRIL

- 2 Board Meeting
- 4 Munk's Tech Session Chris Braden
- 19 DE-101
- 25 Swap Meet Michael Cohen

MAY

- 2 HPDE #1 AT M1 Concourse
- 7 Board Meeting
- 9 *Devil's in the Details Chris Braden
- 16 Street Survival School Lucas Phan
- 17 Spring Tour Lucas Phan
- 29-31 *Belle Isle Grand Prix

JUNE

- 4 Board Meeting
- 13-20 *North American

International Auto Show

- *Cars r' Stars Packard Proving Grounds
- 20 Summer Drive Lisa Molzon
- 21 *Eyes on Design
- 21-27 *Porsche Parade
- TBD HPDE #2

* = Not an SEMPCA Event

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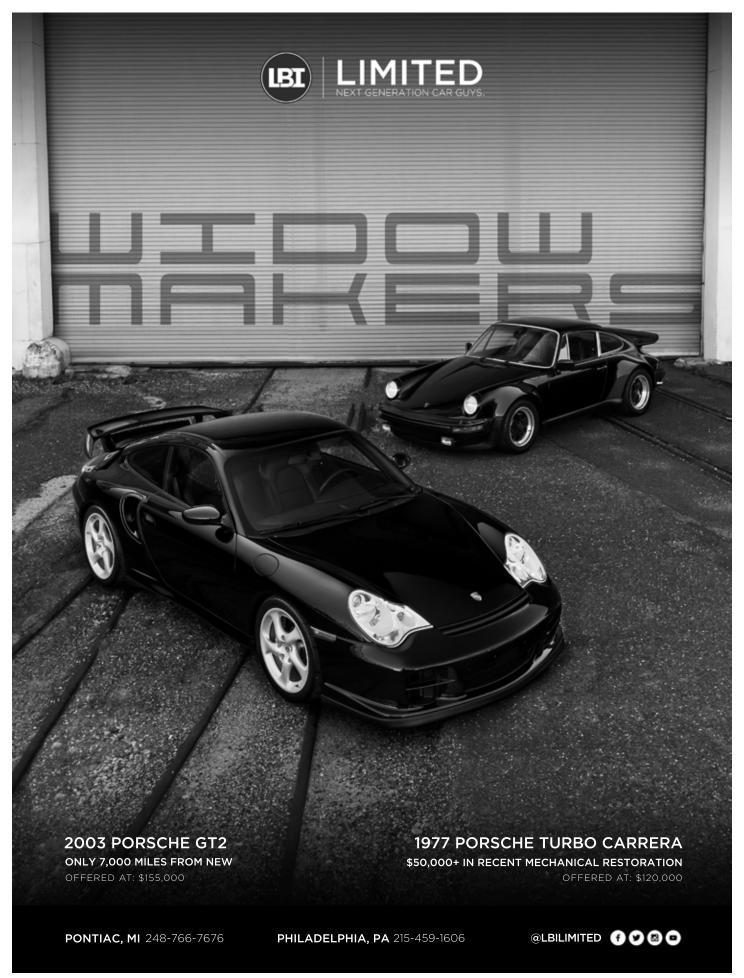
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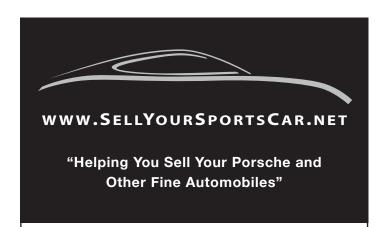
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2019 SEM/PCA Membership Dinner with Eddie Alterman

STORY BY **DAVE MILLER**

PHOTOS BY GRETUS HOOGESTRAAT



Eddie Alterman with our hosts for the evening Debra and Dave Miller

The 2019 Membership Dinner was held on November 8. As keeping with tradition, we held it on a Friday evening in a central location and sought out a guest speaker who could share the Porsche experience from another vantage point. We add to that a delicious dinner and an evening of sharing a favorite beverage and conversation with new and old Porsche friends. Our restaurant of choice this year was Towne Square Food and Spirits (formerly Morton's Steakhouse space) in Southfield. Our private banquet room greeted us with a large charcuterie tray, followed by entrees, accompaniments and finished off with Cheesecake selections. All enough to make a great night.

But wait! There's more!!!!

This year we tried something different. Rather than the "slide show" presentation format, we did a "fireside chat" and the audience was encouraged to participate. This evening is intended to be relaxing and fun. Not a test or lecture, just a nice evening out.



Fireside chat with Eddie Alterman and Dave Miller

Our speaker was Eddie Alterman of Car and Driver Magazine. Eddie's vast experience in the automotive media provided him plenty of material. However, as Chief Brand Officer and a 10 year run as Editor-in-Chief, he has been a "man in demand" due to travel, so it has taken patience over many years to have the opportunity for him to join us. A shout-out to Vic Rivera for encouraging Eddie to spend an evening with us.

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Eddie has seen and done it all in the automotive journalism world. However, his favorite ride is a Porsche. And he explained why, simply put Porsches offer the full driving experience without entering into the danger-zone. Drive em like you stole em! His stories included his adventures on his way to Rennsport in a 918. In his own garage, he has a 911T which keeps him pleased and grounded. He had funny stories as well as insightful views and specifics of where Porsche and others are going in the near future. For example: Electrification. The Taycan is a remarkable vehicle, but how does it compare to the Tesla offerings? Range. Porsche has continued its usual determination to make products that provide the driver's experience in a vehicle that avoids any shortcomings.

I can only scratch the surface of the experiences and wisdom Eddie shared. I highly suggest you put this evening down on your calendar when you see it next year. We really have a relaxing meal and conversation, catch up with those we know or have the opportunity to make some new friends.

Again, a shout out to Viktor and Steve and their staff at Towne Square Food and Spirits for putting together a homemade meal that exceeded expectations.



Jim Williams, Chrissy Crowe, Galen Bulles, Marlene Thay, Michael Cohen plus Roger and Denise Tayloe await their turn at the buffet.



Rick and Imelda Christian, Lucy and Vic Rivera plus Gani Bardha and his quest partake in appetizers before dinner.



Clockwise from bottom: Patti and Jerry Door, Christine and Tom Grabowski, Marilyn and Dale Goby plus Kiro and Paula Trendov enjoy the social hour.

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2019 Fall Color Tour

STORY BY **LUCAS PHAN**

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Finally, we have reached the end of our Porsche driving season. The weather is getting wet and cold, Halloween decorations adorn the houses and streets plus the fall color change reminds us that winter is coming. Our club is anticipating and preparing for our last and best attended driving event of the year – the Fall Color Tour.

Like past years, we divided the tour into two driving sessions with a cider/donut stop in between. We picked Boulder Pointe Golf Club in Oxford as our starting location, Westview Orchard and Winery in Washington as our cider/donut stop and ended at King's Court Castle in Lake Orion for dinner.

Like every color tour, we prayed for good weather and roads. We were blessed with exceptional weather, but not so much on the road condition side. From the beginning of our route planning, we were hit with so much unexpected and unpredictable road construction. We altered the route many times to avoid this construction. The driving route was not finalized until the night before to insure road conditions were suitable. Even with this effort, utility construction popped up on one of our driving routes which some of us managed to get through quickly and others were stuck for a while.



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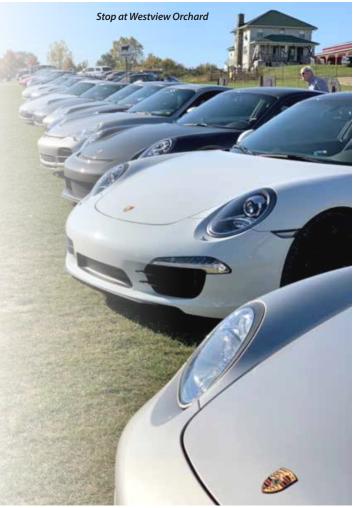
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Good weather brought 68 cars and 114 members out to enjoy our last driving tour of the year. We divided into four groups. We were blessed to have experienced tour leads for each of the groups thanks to Howard Gilson, Michael Cohen/Marlene Thav, Mark/Rene Vander Eyk and Marc/Lisa Molzon.

We also used Google Maps along with traditional paper maps/directions as a route guide. The first half of the driving tour took us from Oxford to Metamora, Allentown, Romeo and finally Washington for the cider/donut stop. The second half of the drive took us from Washington to Romeo, Leonard, Lakeville and ended in Lake Orion.

We saw big smiles from almost everybody as they arrived at the restaurant for dinner and many club members commented on how much they like the drive, multiple lead/groups and Google directions. We arrived at the restaurant around 5:30 PM and dinner was served right after.

So, that's the summary of the 2019 Fall Color Tour and dinner. This is my second time working with our vice president, Walter Crump, on the Fall Color Tour. I am still learning how to put these driving tours together from Walt. It is a rewarding experience as this event allows us as SEMPCA members and families to have fun and enjoy each other's company.





Chrissy Crowe

Chrissy Crowe and her son Megal serve cider and doughnuts to club members at Westview Orchard.

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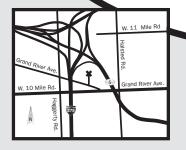
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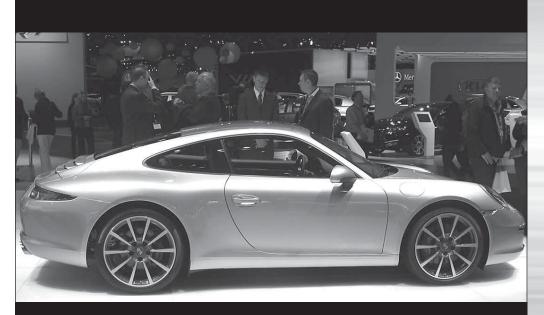
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2019 Holiday Party

STORY BY **GRETUS HOOGESTRAAT**

PHOTOS BY **GRETUS HOOGESTRAAT & LISA MOLZON**



The Heathers Club dining room was beautifully decorated for the holidays



Tith the Holiday Party on December 7 we had our last event of 2019. This year we were able to hold the annual Holiday Party at the beautiful Heathers Club of Bloomfield. The Heathers Club was nicely decorated for the holidays. It provided ample room for the 75 guests and display of Silent Auction items. Despite a slow start to registration we ended with a very good turnout. We had another first rate event and numerous members commented favorably on the food and service. Delicious hors d'oeuvres were served during the Silent Auction accompanied by numerous choices from the bar. We invited Coordinator Maggie Gibson and her husband Cliff from Special Olympics Michigan to be our guests.

In addition to all the usual enjoyment of catching up with fellow enthusiasts, Patti and Jerry Door ran another record setting Silent Auction. Many individuals generously donated items to the Auction. Buyers were active and, as always, generous. SEM always donates 100% of the proceeds from the auction to our charity. Our members enable us to make a very major contribution to the Special Olympics Michigan, which receives no funding from the state.



The Holiday Party is also a time of recognition. Lucas Phan took home the well-deserved Enthusiast of the Year Award. Unfortunately, Lucas was not present at the Holiday Party. He and his family, wife Glenny and daughter Emma, were on the road travelling back home from a vacation. We called him on his cell phone after he passed Atlanta, GA and informed him of the Award after he pulled into a safe place off of I-75.

Throughout the year, SEM Board Member and Past President, Howard Gilson does a lot for our Club. The Board gifted him a jacket from our newly launched SEM-Webstore as recognition for all his work and effort on both a Regional and National level. It was a truly memorable evening!

A few photos from the event are included with this article, but more are posted on our website sem.pca.org

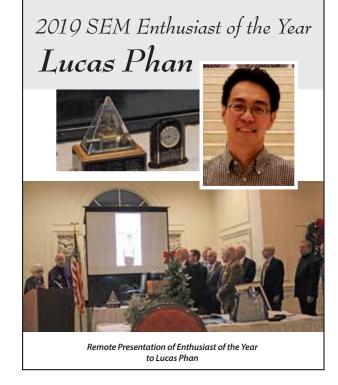




Special Olympics Michigan Special Guests Maggie Gibson and her husband Cliff with Howard Gilson



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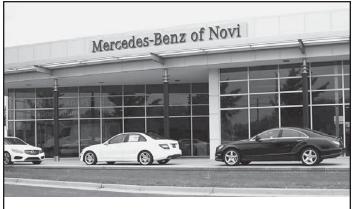
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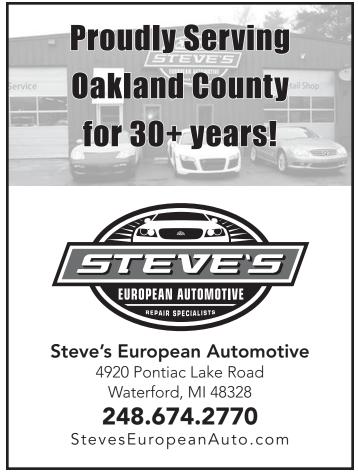
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The Circle of Influence

BY TOM FIELITZ

In the car world you hear a lot about influence as in design characteristics inspired by other designs or carried over from previous generations of design. This in no way implies that designers do not have original ideas. It does imply that consumers, car buyers like you and I, are more drawn to styles and features that we are familiar with rather than a radical new concept. We accept change but in gradual steps. It is the designer's job to push forward the acceptance of new design. The biggest influences in new design are technology and regulations. Another influencing factor is the heritage or lineage of a car line or model. An obvious example of this is the shape of a 911 that has carried over from decade to decade. In some cases a design studio will actually bring in a previous model to directly give visual clues to the design team and influence the design direction of the replacement model.

Influence goes well beyond the external shape of the Cars become known for their driving characteristics as well. The tactile feel of the steering, pedals, levers and even switches become an influence that drives engineering and design. Customers build a knowledge and expectation of the tactile feel and the operation of a certain car line or specific model. There becomes a cross influence between the manufacturer and the buying public. Innovation and change are expected but so is the carry over influence of what the car buyer expects. If a car model becomes too quiet or too smooth the dynamic of the car may shift too far to retain the loyalty of the long term customer. We can see that simple changes like electric assist steering can influence the public perception of the car as well as the efficiency and build and operating costs. In the end every design and engineering change influences the character of the car and its public acceptance.

For good or for bad, engineering and design influence drives change from our total surroundings. As cars evolved they took their clues for design from the times they occurred in. The age of aerodynamics brought us tail fins in the early days but their early streamlining has evolved now into designs that save energy. The current influence of saving energy has created the market for hybrid and battery powered cars. Next the manufacturers have to influence the buying public to accept and create consumer demand for those cars. Perhaps we also can see consumer influence on accepting light emitting diode (LED) in our house hold lighting to demanding the same lighting in our cars in both interior and exterior car lighting.

In 2002 Porsche took a radical change in direction with the introduction of its first sport SUV, the Cayenne. There was plenty of market influence to back this decision. Currently the Porsche SUV has become the cornerstone product that dictates the Porsche marketplace. At the same time BMW had the X5, Mercedes the ML55 AMG, Rover the Range



Rover Sport, all of which had significant sales numbers. Porsche took its engineering expertise and hit the market with instant success. Cayenne almost overnight became the best selling model in the Porsche line and that trend continued, with only minor modification, to the current day models. That success influenced another major change in direction with the Panamera which shared many engineering ideas with the Cayenne. That in turn influenced the Macan which again shows many influential design elements from the previous two models. The bottom line for Porsche is that these three models outsell by a wide margin all of their sports car models combined. Market competition became a major influence in engineering direction and car design. As Porsche becomes successful in a market niche, other manufacturers have to react and are influenced to design and offer competitive models.

Now Porsche has created the Taycan which is a small but heavy four door sedan that is totally electric. It competes against the Tesla which also sells in very small numbers in a niche market. Will this be the car that saves Porsche much as the Cayenne did? Will it herald a major shift in market from gas power to electric power as the Cayenne shifted Porsche from cars to SUVs?

This circle of influence is continual in the cycle of car design evolution. Some influences narrow the design parameters to retain an image for the model line while other influences drive design into new and exciting directions. The winner is always the consumer who has more to chose from and has better engineering that is influenced by its competitors. Who comes first with an innovation that influences other engineering and the marketplace becomes difficult to distinguish in our fast evolving world.







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Gilmore Car Museum Hickory Corners, MI

Sunday, February 16, 2019 3:00 pm - 5:00 pm **

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We have invited Lori Schutz, the daughter of Peter Schutz, as our guest speaker for the Sunday Lecture Series. Peter, was the CEO of Porsche AG from 1981 to 1987. Lori is currently the Zone 4 Representative of the Porsche Club of America and a popular guest speaker at many Porsche club events. Peter was instrumental in turning around Porsche AG during the early 1980s and is credited with saving the 911. Lori will share with us the success stories of her late father at Porsche AG and will bring copies of Peter's book, "The Driving Force" for sale at a discount price of \$25.00 - (portion of proceeds go to the Komen Foundation).



Lori with her late father in the Speedster Prototype...

**Note: This is not a Porsche Club of America or SEM sponsored event.

Business Meeting Minutes* (11/7/19 & 12/5/19) by Fred Young

NOVEMBER 7, 2019

In attendance: Board Members: Gretus Hoogestraat, Marc Molzon, Fred Young, Howard Gilson, Walter Crump, Lisa Molzon, Steve Carbary, and Michael Cohen. Absent with notice: Lucas Phan and Mark VanderEyk. Officers: Jim Williams, and Chrissy Crowe. Guests: Patti Door and Chris Braden.

Call to Order: 8:50 p.m. by President Gretus Hoogestraat Minutes: Moved by W.C. and M.M. to approve. Motion passed. Financial: Jim Williams - Moved by M.M. and H.G. to approve with corrections. Motion passed.

Membership: Lisa Molzon - Slight increase in membership with 730 primary members and 403 associate members.

Insurance: Steve Carbary - None needed. **P-4:** Mark VanderEvk - No report

OLD BUSINESS:

October 20: Fall Color Tour: Walter Crump - It was a great event with over 80 cars on the tour. The good weather evidently contributed to a fantastic turnout.

November 7: Planning Meeting: Before the board meeting but after a terrific dinner served by Patti Door the board set about planning events for the 2020 calendar year.

November 8: Membership Dinner: All set.

December 7: Holiday Party: All set.

Cancellation Refund Policy: Lisa Molzon - will draft a policy to be reviewed at the December meeting.

Charities: Chrissy Crowe - She is in the process of planning charity events for the 2020 year.

Webmaster: Gretus Hoogestraat - He requested color pictures of board members and officers for the website.

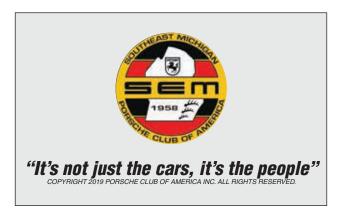
Event Reports: Fred Young - None needed.

Meeting Adjourned at 9:36 p.m. - Moved to adjourn by W.C. and M.M. Motion passed.

Refreshments and Location:

Thursday, December 5 - Chrissy Crowe at Gilson's

= Not an SEMPCA Event Respectfully Submitted: Fred Young - Rev 11-25-19 *Subject to ratification at the next Board Meeting



DECEMBER 5, 2019

In attendance: Board Members: Gretus Hoogestraat, Marc Molzon, Fred Young, Howard Gilson, Walter Crump, Lisa Molzon, Steve Carbary, and Michael Cohen. Absent with notice: Lucas Phan. Officers: Jim Williams, Erik Ohrnberger, Mark VanderEyk and Chrissy Crowe.

Call to Order: 7:15 p.m. by President Gretus Hoogestraat **Minutes:** Moved by M.M. and W.C. to approve. Motion passed.

Financial: Jim Williams - The finance report is to be acted upon at the next meeting. Motion by H.C. and W.C. to approve funds for stamps and record boxes. Motion passed. Motion by H.G. and M.C to set up a Pay Pal account. Motion passed. Motion by M.M. and S.C. to roll over an upcoming CD. Motion passed. Lisa, Walter and Jim volunteered to draft a finance policy to be approved.

Membership: Lisa Molzon - 736 primary members and 408 associate members. Lisa proposed a free PCA membership for new vehicle owners. The club and dealers would split the cost. She will confer with the dealers to gauge their interest.

Insurance: Steve Carbary - None needed.

P-4: Mark VanderEyk -Went over the November/December content along with suggestions for improvements and color enhancement.

OLD BUSINESS:

Fall DE Meeting: Gretus Hoogestraat - He touched on the highlights of the meeting. Electric cars will need special attention and HANS devices should not be loaned by the regions.

November 8: Membership Dinner: Gretus Hoogestraat - It was well attended with an open discussion with the speaker.

December 7: Holiday Party: Gretus Hoogestraat -72 signed up. Motion by M.M. and W.C. to invite two representatives from Special Olympics . Motion passed.

January 19: Brunch: Gretus Hoogestraat - A brunch is proposed monthly on Saturdays.

March ??: Concours Judging School: Fred Young - He is checking into the possibility of a Zone 4 Concours Judging School in the spring.

March 21: Lingenfelter Open House: Gretus Hoogestraat - The event will benefit Special Olympics.

April 4: Munk's Tech Session: OK.

April 19: DE-101 School: Steve Carbary- The date and location are in a state of flux.

April 25: Swap Meet: Michael Cohen: OK as scheduled.

August 16: Picnic and Concours: Howard Gilson: He will see to it that the site reservation is made.

Cancellation Refund Policy: Lisa Molzon - Lisa presented a policy to be reviewed and acted upon at the January meeting.

Board Elections: The five incumbents Gretus Hoogestraat, Steve Carbary, Michael Cohen, Marc Molzon and Fred Young were re-elected.

Charities: Chrissy Crowe - She discussed various possibilities of charitable works and community service. The PCA online store is now available on the SEMPCA website.

Webmaster: Erik Ohrnberger: Continuing improvements are being made. Erik expressed concern about various scams taking place.

Event Reports: Fred Young - None needed.

Meeting Adjourned at 8:45 p.m. - Moved to adjourn by M.M. and L.M. Motion passed.

Refreshments and Location: Thursday, January 9 - Marc Molzon Thursday, February 6 - Gretus Hoogestraat

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Anniversaries are noted by the date the primary member joined PCA. Please let us know if we've made an error or omission.

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George Shade	20	Tony & Christina Amalio	3	Peter Bezjak
Chip Lydy	20	Clifton & Marti Patton	3	Chad Quick
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Aaron Ellis	17	Christian & Lisa Thiele	3	Dan Cutler
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Chris Loewe	13	Chris & Elaine Braden	2	Francesco Maria Fenici
Aaron Link	11	Ahmet Ongun & Haluk Unsal	2	Noel Mack
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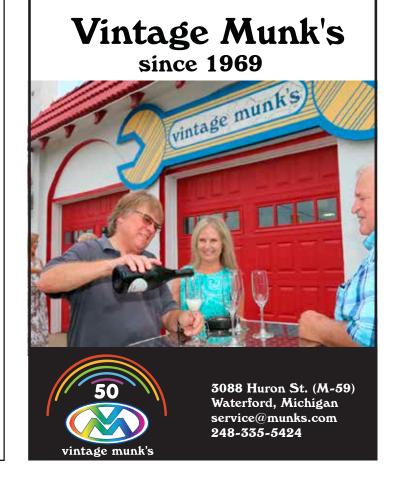
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Gary Sowpel
James Strickland
Jane Trahan
Eric Verdoodt
Ron Willmowitz



Around The Zone



BY LORI SCHUTZ, ZONE 4 REPRESENTATIVE



Hi Zone 4 Porsche Fans,

The month of October is very special to me — Breast Cancer Awareness Month. Those of you who have seen me at various DE events recognize my Pink Ribbon Boxster. I started participating in a very special event called the Breast Cancer 3-Day Komen for a Cure in 2006. The Komen Foundation supports the 3-Day 60-mile walk events in multiple cities each year and I meet up with team mates in one or more cities each summer. I've walked at least one event each year and some years have walked or been on the crew for a 2nd. I raise funds to qualify to walk in memory of my mother who was a 22-year breast cancer survivor and for many other friends and family





members whose lives have been impacted by this complex, horrible disease. This year, my walk was on Oct 18th – 20th in Philadelphia, here I am on the steps of the building where Rocky was filmed with my walking buddies. This is my focus for charity in my life -what's yours? Each region has identified one or more charities and a special event each year where they raise money, including the charity subsidy offered from PCA National. What is your charity focus? Giving back brings so much joy and I encourage each of you to write an article for your region newsletter about your give back experience.

Much of this month I've spent time planning for 2020. We have two premier events that are going to be great experiences for us in Zone 4 and others from surrounding Zones. Preliminary information is available and more details will be coming soon. Mark your calendars to join us:

May 29-31st – Belle Isle Grand Prix Porsche Car Corral – A weekend of spectacular racing featuring the WeatherTech IMSA series and two full IndyCar Races. Porsche Club of America National sponsors the hospitality tent and car corral and the Detroit Grand Prix organization sponsors the police escort caravan from our host hotel, The Henry Autograph Collection in Dearborn. Southeast Michigan, your host region, has arranged for a special low guest room rate and for dinner on your own Friday evening in their premier restaurant. An eBlast will be coming your way soon with registration and volunteer details.

July 31 – Aug 2 – Porsches on the Mac II – Beauty and the Bridge. Hosted by MotorStadt Region, this event comes back courtesy of the St. Ignace Visitors Bureau. Two years ago we had 99 Porsches cross the bridge together on Saturday morning, let's see how many more we get this year. The weekend starts off with a gathering Saturday morning for a police escort to and over the bridge from St. Ignace and then a tour to a lunch location. The afternoon is on your own, and we gather again at the pier in the evening for a hosted dinner and music, capped off with fireworks. There will be many self-guided tours available for you to choose from on the way up or the way home. More details will be forthcoming.

Have a wonderful month - until next time - Lori

Around The Zone



BY LORI SCHUTZ, ZONE 4 REPRESENTATIVE



Hi Zone 4 Porsche Families,

As our year together draws to a close, I want to express my heartfelt thanks to all of our region board members, event chairs, and volunteers who participated in Zone 4 and Region activities in 2019. Your time and dedication to the activities resulted in many smiles and new friendships. I thoroughly enjoyed my travels to attend your events this year. And, as my first term as your zone rep draws to a close, I am very touched and thrilled that the region leaders have supported my appointment from the PCA National Executive Council for yet another two years. I look forward to seeing and meeting more of you in the days to come. What are the regions in Zone 4? Check out the cool map.



Our love of the Porsche marque brings us together and as the PCA saying goes – It's not just the cars, it's the people. As the colder weather comes upon us, even though many of our Porsches are in hibernation until spring, we continue to share stories and experiences, plus plan for 2020. We are in the midst of many holiday and annual gatherings, also getting ready for next year is so much fun. Enhancing the traditional events, as well as incorporating new ideas for how we can share our Porsches is well underway.

I would challenge each of you to try something new. Check out the calendar in your Region's

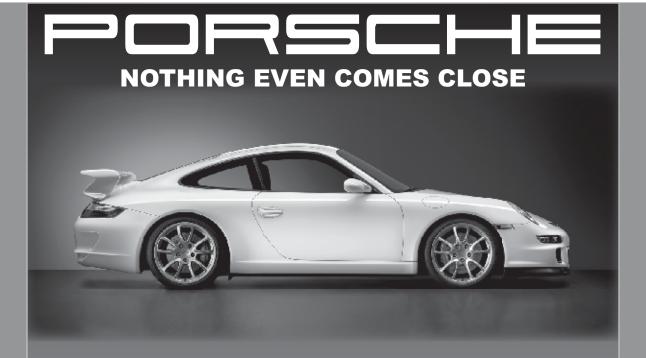
newsletter and/or website and plan to attend a tour, a car show, an autocross or DE event this coming year. Better yet, offer to volunteer to help out at the event. Some of my best friends through the years are a result of trying something new in my Porsche.

Please reach out to me with any suggestions, thoughts and comments - your feedback is important, so that I can do what I can to make your PCA experience the best it can be.

Happy New Year!

Lori

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