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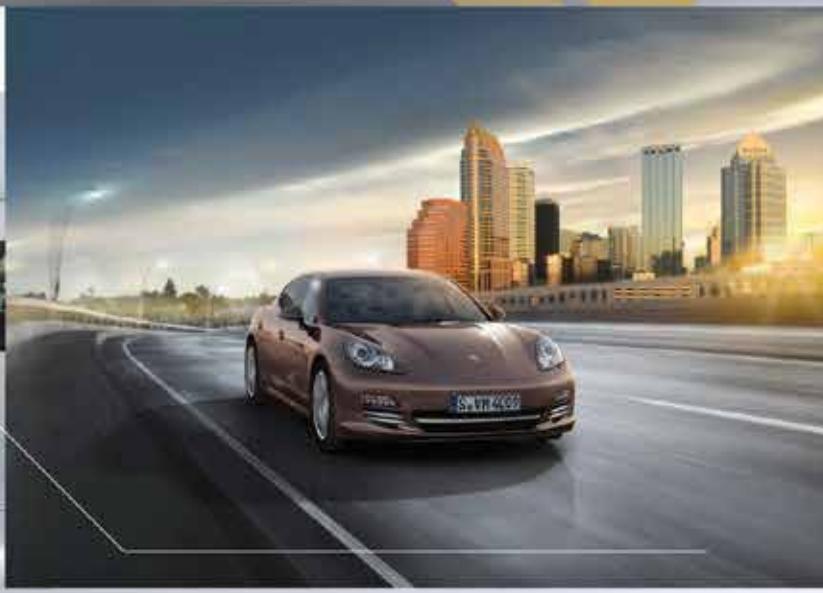
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By JILL PERRY  
2015 Suncoast PCA President

Life is good. There's just no other way to look at it. Even when you face some not-so-fun days, there's so much for which we can be thankful.

You may have noticed that we have a change at the helm of our fabulous publication, the *Porsche Profile*. It is with both excitement and sadness that I view this change. I am excited about the possibilities of what Norm and Penny Sippel are bringing to the table with their unique publishing experience, but sad that Alicia Nordquist is passing on the baton.

Alicia Nordquist has been our editor for over eight years, has published around 90 *Profile* magazines, and brought the publication to a whole new level. She was a taskmaster to those of

# The President's Message



## Summer brings BBQs and more

us who regularly contributed, but we often needed the gentle push! Alicia brought a newsy and delightful angle to the publication and faithfully got the magazine out to you even when her contributors had delays in getting articles and pictures in to her. Although I have the highest regard for her work on the *Profile*, the way in which she resigned has given me a whole new respect for Alicia. What a classy lady! When she approached me to let me know that she could not longer be the editor and that she needed to pass the baton, she came with ideas on how to pass it on. We appreciate and love Alicia and will miss working with her. But don't worry! Alicia is still a member and will continue to participate in all that we offer – so, when you see her, please let her know just how much you appreciate all of the hard work that she gave to us. Thank you, Alicia! We love you dearly!

Long-time member Mike Kwasin is having the Mid-Summer BBQ at his beautiful home on August 15 at 4:00

p.m. Back by popular demand is the "pot luck" aspect of this event. It has become quite fun taste-testing the different dishes, figuring out who made them, and trying to figure out who is judging the dishes for the prizes and bragging rights. Mike is providing the meat and beverages and members will bring all of the side dishes – appetizers, veggies, salads, side dishes, and desserts! Registration is on clubregistration.net and although the club is picking up the expenses and it is free for members to attend, you must be registered to attend. And please bring your best and favorite dish to share with your PCA friends – that is your ticket for entry. Mike has a pool and you're welcome to jump in. It is also a family friendly event. So, jump on clubregistration.net today and sign up!

More events have been added to the calendar for the fall and winter, so check it out and save the dates!

Enjoy the sultry summer! If you're taking a drive vacation, be safe and enjoy the ride. See you in the corners!



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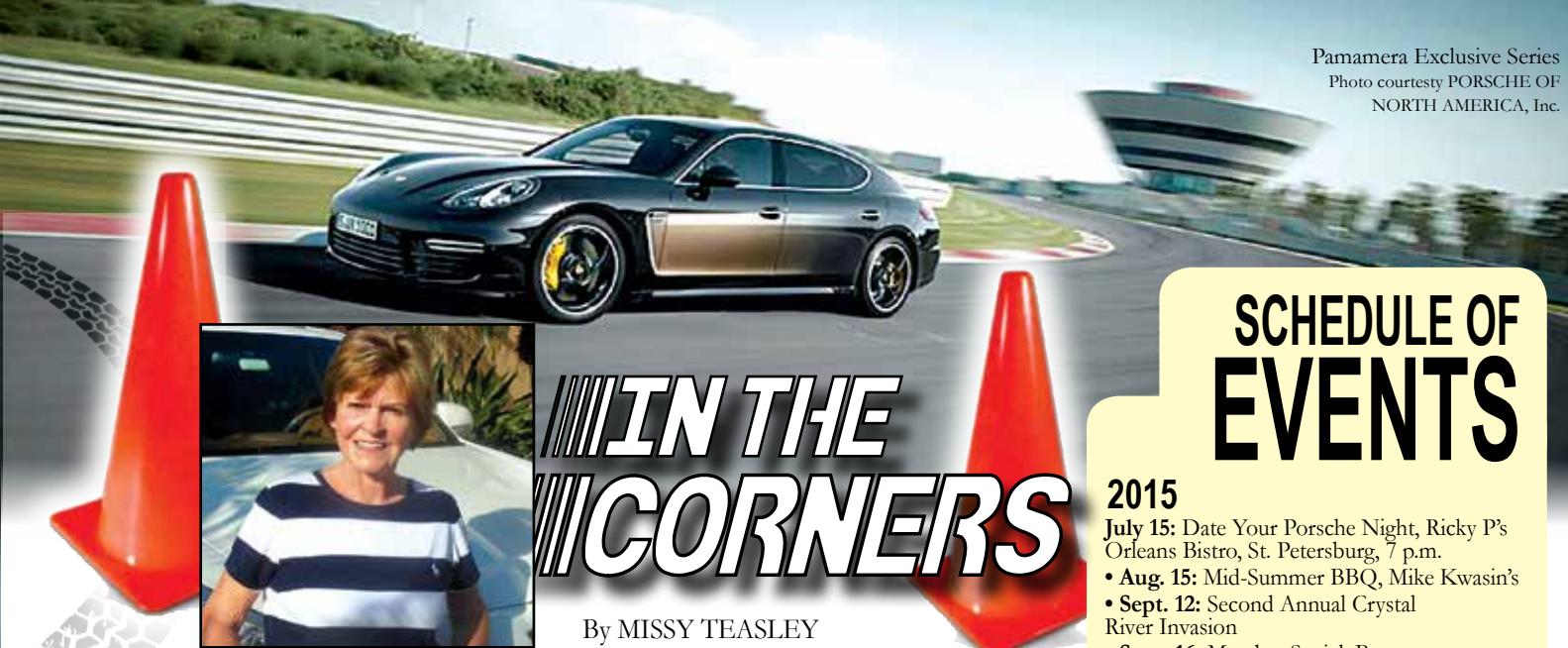
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# IN THE CORNERS

By MISSY TEASLEY

Summer is here. It is hot--south, north, east, and west here in Florida. The afternoon storms seem to come regularly; however, the rain does water our gardens and cool things off a bit for a short period of time. Friends and relatives come to visit and enjoy our company as well as all that the area has to offer for entertainment. We look forward to July as that is when our Grandson Andrew comes to visit from Alaska. A fun time for all involved, and a very busy time that seems to just fly by. The older I get the more I ask myself, where did the time go?

If you missed the Bert Smith Poker Run you missed a totally entertaining day. The run was followed by a delicious lunch and entertainment by a great band. Helicopter rides were offered for those wanting that thrilling experience. There was a large display of automobiles of all ages, sizes, and models. The arrival of the ice cream truck was a welcome sight. We all took advantage of the choices offered. What a great ending to a great day. The staff at Bert Smith did a fantastic job and we do appreciate their efforts on our behalf.

Summer is a time to slow our pace and avoid the heat. It's just too hot and humid for some activities. However we do have a few things scheduled:

July 15 we return to Ricky P's Orleans Bistro for our Date Your Porsche night, 7 p.m. For the menu selections go

to Ricky P's Orleans Bistro.com Address is 1113 Central Avenue, St. Petersburg. RSVP to missyteasley@aol.com

August will be the annual BarBQue. Please see ad on page 18.

September 12 will be the second annual Crystal River Invasion. Weather should have cooled off a bit for this fun event. The drive on Ozello Trail was a surprise and a thrill for those that had not driven it before. Bob refers to this trail as the south's version of a miniature Tale of the Dragon. Sixty-seven curves on this drive. Information and to RSVP, contact: missyteasley@aol.com.

On September 16, the monthly social will be held at Bert Smith. For more information and to RSVP contact missyteasley@aol.com. Space will be limited and it will be necessary for those attending to RSVP.

Take care, stay cool, and enjoy the wonderful things life has to offer.

## BREAKING NEWS! PORSCHE PARADE AWARD WINNERS

Dan Engel and Carol Kelleher accepting overall award for 1st Place in Preparation Class. This award started in 1996 and Dan and Carol are the 20th winners. Suncoast members Gerry Curts has also won the award three times (2002, 2004 and 2006) and Tom Briest won it in 2008. Including Dan and Carol, Suncoast members represent 25% of the winners in this period.

## SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

### 2015

- **July 15:** Date Your Porsche Night, Ricky P's Orleans Bistro, St. Petersburg, 7 p.m.
- **Aug. 15:** Mid-Summer BBQ, Mike Kwasin's
- **Sept. 12:** Second Annual Crystal River Invasion
- **Sept. 16:** Member Social, Bert Smith Porsche
- **Sept. 19-20:** Driver's Education, Sebring International Raceway
- **Sept. 19:** TRSS Teen Driving School, Sebring International Raceway
- **Sept. 20:** AutoCross, Sebring Int'l Raceway
- **Oct. 3:** Porsches and Pints
- **Oct. 11:** AutoCross, Tampa Bay Downs
- **Oct. 14:** Member Social, Reeves
- **Nov. 8:** AutoCross, DeSoto Speedway
- **Nov. 13-15:** Driver's Education and Instructor's Weekend, Sebring International Raceway
- **Dec. 6:** AutoCross, Brooksville Tampa Bay Airport
- **Dec. 12:** Holiday Gala, Museum of Fine Arts, St. Petersburg

### 2016

- **April 3:** Porsches on Parade

*Stay tuned! The Suncoast Region calendar is updated monthly with new events and changes as they occur. For more info, contact:*

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# The Membership Starting Line

By LARRY MENDEZ  
Membership Chair



Boy, the summer months are both boring and hot! We have a couple functions coming up, so remember to sign up early if you want to attend.

I know it's a bit early, but if you have a teen or grandchild of driving age, please remember our Teen Driving School. It will be held again in conjunction with our September Driver Ed at Sebring Raceway. There will be a two-day DE on September 19 & 20. On Saturday we will have the Teen Driving

School and then Sunday will be an autocross. It always works out to be fun filled weekend.

If you have ever thought about driving your car safely at speed this is definitely the place to be. Everyone has a few reservations their first time out but after the second session there is no turning back, you will be hooked. I would highly recommend you come down for the weekend and see if it is right for you. Talk with some of the new students and get their opinions.

## Welcome Our Newest Members

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| Charles Anderson                 | St. Petersburg  | 2001 Boxster              |
| Todd Barrett                     | New Port Richey | 2015 Macan S              |
| Tory Bombard                     | Lakeland        | 2015 Macan S              |
| Emmanuel Cerf                    | St Petersburg   | 2010 Panamera 4S          |
| David Courtney                   | Tampa           | 2015 Cayman               |
| Lynn & Paul Davis                | Valrico         | 2016 Boxsters             |
| John Densmore                    | Apollo Beach    | 2013 911 S Cabriolet      |
| Robert DeSantis                  | Sarasota        | 2005 911 Carrera Speed    |
| Luis Diaz                        | Coral Gables    | 1987 911 Carrera          |
| Angel Digruccio, Raquel Caruallo | Tampa           | 2015 Macan S              |
| Travis Diltz                     | Tampa           | 2015 Cayman               |
| Jason Ghormley                   | St Petersburg   | 2012 911 Carrera          |
| Michael Good                     | Tampa           | 2015 911 GT3              |
| Valerie Hathaway                 | Ellenton        | 2014 Cayman Red           |
| Mark & Diane Kolligian           | Tampa           | 2015 Panamera             |
| David Miller                     | Tampa           | 2015 Macan S              |
| Carmel Monti                     | Holmes Beach    | 1979 911 SC               |
| Claud Person                     | Dallas          | 2013 Boxster              |
| Alan Place                       | Bradenton       | 2005 Boxster S            |
| Vinod Reddy                      | Tarpon Springs  | 2013 Panamera GTS         |
| Karl Ritter                      | Tampa           | 2002 Boxster              |
| Katherine Servidio               | Sarasota        | 2014 911 Carrera Coupe    |
| Gilbert Summerville              | Lakewood Ranch  | 2015 911 Carrera 4S Coupe |
| Billy Vacca                      | Tampa           | 2008 Boxster S            |

## And New Members Who Transferred In

|                       |              |                         |
|-----------------------|--------------|-------------------------|
| Keith & Elise Belcher | Tampa        | 1987 944 Turbo          |
| Luis Diaz             | Coral Gables | 1987 911 Carrera Silver |
| Vincent Morris        | Villages     | 1986 944                |



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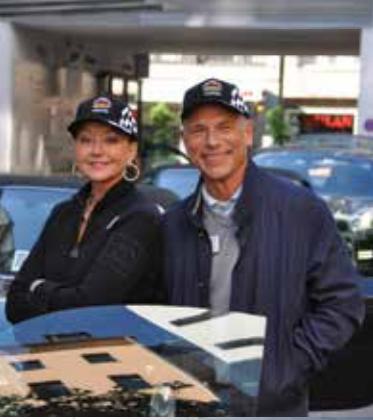
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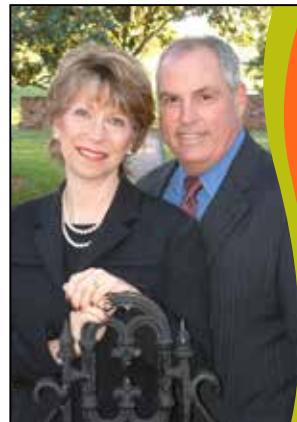
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## Porsche Service Recommendations vs. Reality

By CARLOS DeBONIS  
DE Tech

Servicing our Porsches under the Manufacturer's recommendations can be a bit confusing, especially if you are new to the German Automotive Experience.

Currently, Porsche recommends 10,000 miles between oil services, with intermediate and major services at 20,000-mile intervals. Then, if you don't drive the car 10,000 miles in a year, oil should be changed annually. That's the condensed version.

Back in the air-cooled days, the first service was at 1,200 miles, then every 15,000 miles or annually. Basically, the 1,200-mile service was for changing the oil and filter, adjusting the valves, and a 4-wheel alignment.

An overlooked maintenance point is the brake fluid: Porsche says flush the brake fluid every 2 years or annually in extreme climates. Well, our climate here in Florida with the high humidity qualifies as "extreme." If you track the car, and you do more than 2 track events a year, then flush and

change at least twice a year. I would recommend Castrol SRF for beginners and intermediate students, but for more aggressive driving I'd use Motul 660.

The convertible top is scheduled at 20,000 miles or 2 years. But, if the car sits outside more than inside, then at least annually.

You may get the impression that I believe that these factory-recommended service intervals are too long, and I do, but understand these are minimums required by Porsche for warranty coverage and to keep scheduled service costs down. If you intend to keep the car past the lease or warranty period, I recommend oil services done every 5,000 miles and brake fluid yearly. For those of us that track our cars, maintenance is even more critical! Running at high RPMs for 30 minutes or more will put an incredible amount of stress on lubricants, especially if the lubricants fail: then steel and aluminum don't get along well!

Questions for Carlos? Email [carlosdebonis@gmail.com](mailto:carlosdebonis@gmail.com).



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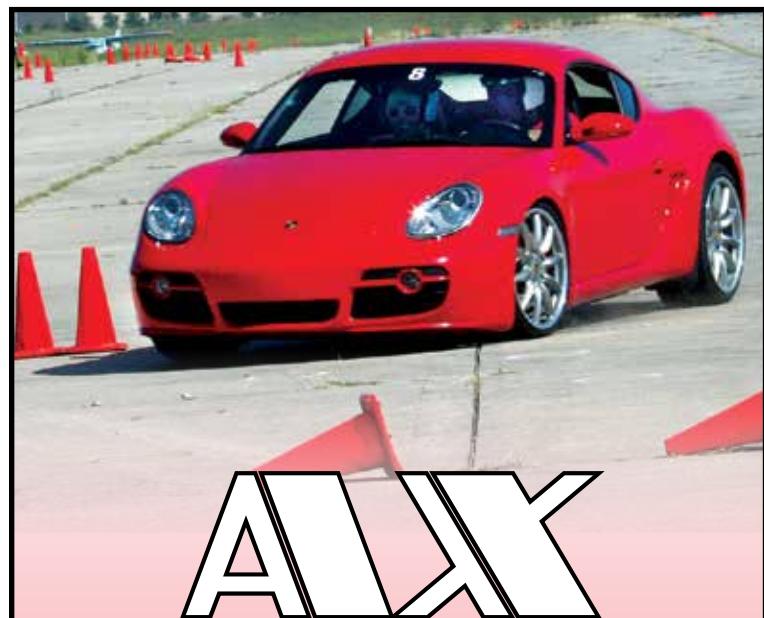
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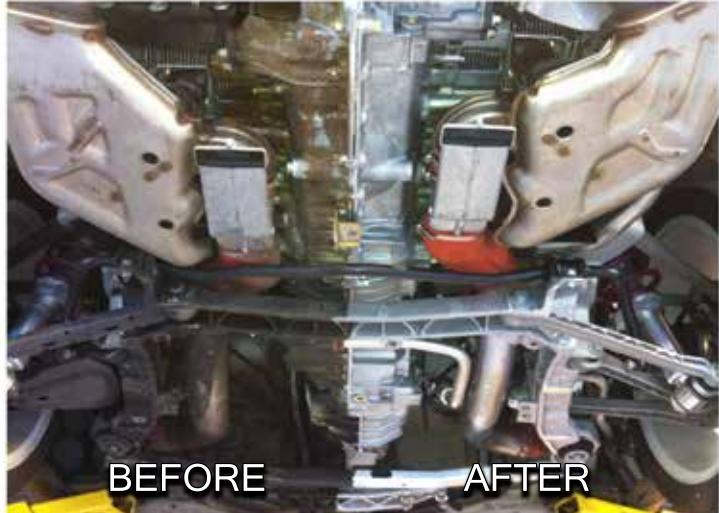
If so, plan to join fellow Porsche fanatics for the second half of the Autocross series, which will begin September 20 when we set up in the paddock area at Sebring in conjunction with our Drivers Education event.

Exercise your Porsche the way it was designed to run, and meet some friendly new folks at the same time! For more info, email Brian West at [bwfst84@gmail.com](mailto:bwfst84@gmail.com) and visit [SuncoastPCA.org](http://SuncoastPCA.org).



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# 'The Driving Event'

By DAN SHIELDS

"The Driving Event." The term could mean a lot of things, but in PCA, it is the historical term for autocross. Long before the club conducted its own club race series, or even Driver Education events on race tracks, the annual Porsche Parade and other multi-event weekends were built around three centerpiece events: the Concours d'Elegance puts the spotlight on the cars, the TSD Rally is all about the navigators, and the Driving Event, or autocross, puts the focus on the drivers.

In the world of motor sports, autocross events are unique in several ways. They are timed events, not wheel-to-wheel. The course, defined by pylons or "traffic cones," generally won't include any straights that are long enough to get the car beyond third gear, rarely even beyond second gear. Because of these

traits, no special safety equipment is required beyond a Snell-approved helmet.

On course, the maneuvers, or "elements," arrive quickly, giving this sport an intensity not found even on big, open race tracks. From sliding right to sliding left, from full-throttle wheel-spinning acceleration to tire-chirping braking, an autocross course requires constant driver action and demands full concentration from the get-go. If you find yourself enjoying five or six seconds of uninterrupted straightaway, you have probably overlooked something. Fortunately, for those of us with short attention spans, you will only have to maintain focus for about a minute per run.

Where else can you drive as wildly as you want, without getting black-flagged?

Each event brings a new course layout. An autocross course is like a sand castle on the beach. Someone spends a lot of time building it, we all enjoy it

for the day, but once the tide comes in, it is gone forever, leaving behind only memories.

Having a new course to learn each time keeps things fresh, and the sport tends to hold the interest of many participants over a long time. Autocrossing is classic seat-of-the pants driving, and learning the course is part of the challenge. No practice is allowed, so the veterans get there early to walk the course and etch it into memory. Learning the course can be challenging to new drivers, but with practice, it gets easier, and you can actually get to the point of visualizing the important cones with your eyes closed. At local events, highly capable autocross instructors are at your service. And only your best run will count for awards.

Fast cars are great, and you can enjoy driving one to the limit at an autocross, but any Porsche in good shape is a capable autocross machine. As autocross T-shirts used to say, "It's not what you drive, it's how you drive it." After all, it is called "The Driving Event."



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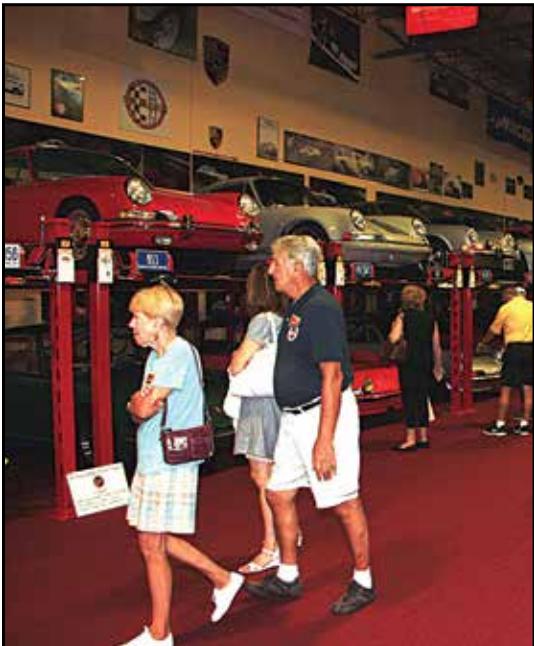
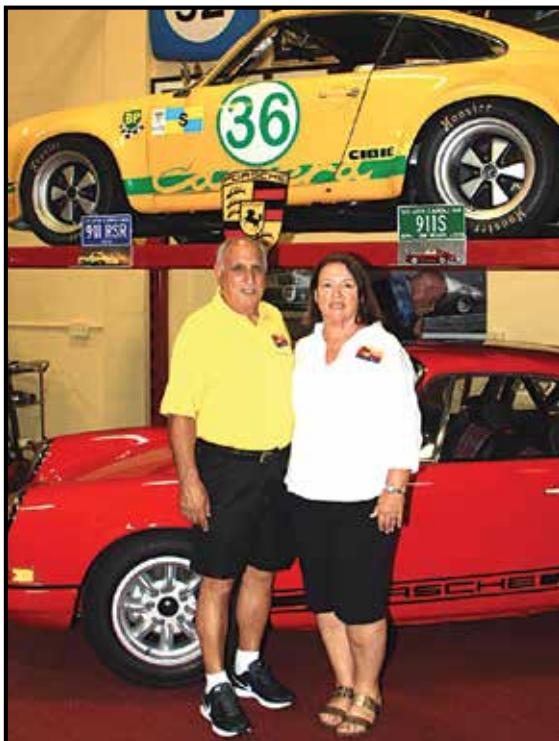
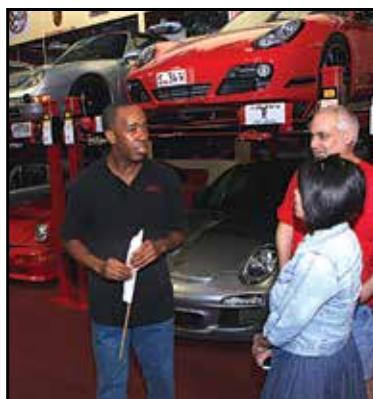
By MARK KREKORIAN

On Saturday June 6th, 51 cars and about 100 members embarked on journeys for a gathering at the Larry Wilson Car Collection in Palm Beach Gardens to view an amazing display of nearly 100 vehicles. This is a private collection that was started less than four years ago.

The morning started out with two caravans, one from the Tampa area led by Mark and Michele Krekorian and the other from the Bradenton area led by Bob and Missy Teasley. The two groups stayed off the major highways and joined together at 2:00 p.m. in Jupiter, along with others who planned their own routes. We then toured over to Lar-

ry's Collection. It was quite a sight with Porsche after Porsche in a half-mile line.

The Collection featured prominent German, Italian, British, and American Muscle-era cars, all displayed in a double-deck fashion in a carpeted warehouse with an upstairs memorabilia deck. (Ed.: Guess who found a copy of "Illustrated Porsche Buyer's



Guide" with his 911SC on the cover?) Many were one of a kind. As Todd, our contact guy said, "Every car here has a story," and were there ever stories. Larry's staff went out of their way to make us all feel welcome and to answer the hundreds of questions we had.

After the viewing was complete, several couples got groups together for dinner and to share their thoughts.

Many spent the night. It was a wonderful day that brought together many new members, relatively newer members, and a few 30-year-plus members, including a group of long-time respected Gold Coast members. Nobody went away disappointed.

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### Are you, or anyone in your employ, a Suncoast Region member?

My wife Bethann and I have been PCA/ Suncoast members for 7 years now and have been to many DE and Race functions. I also race with HSR and SVRA and had the privilege to race a couple years ago at The St. Pete Grand Prix. At the track I mean. Loved it. It's very close and personal. I have a 1984 Targa Carrera I bought from Larry Hoffman; It is now a wide body and 600 lbs. lighter, getting faster. Soon to be a Turbo! We never learn.

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## FROM THE CTI

All quiet on the Sebring DE front lately thanks our HOT summer.

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By AMY RICHES

The Instructor and Drivers Education weekend, will be November 13-15 at Sebring. Friday and Saturday will be open to all current instructors & solo qualified drivers. Sunday will be a regular DE day open to all. For the instructor candidate school you must have been solo for a year or more. Coming for Sunday only, please join us Friday night for the party at the track with food, beverages, and live music outside under the stars.

We welcome feedback from last year's inaugural 3-day Instructor weekend event. What was good, bad, or want more or less of? We're planning to give awards again this year. Nominations are welcome. Do you know participants who would fit the following categories? Instructor of the year; Most improved driver (student, solo, or instructor); Participant of the year- a regular participant who offers that something extra that makes them stand out.

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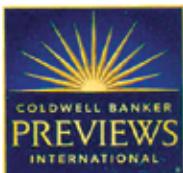


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Those who braved the weather had a great time with Vice President, Mike Mackenzie being our Emcee for the night. Correct answers to tricky questions earned many members Porsche-prizes for their answers. Our hosts Vincent and Warren were generous in their hospitality and prizes.

See Suncoast "Schedule of Events" for the next social. Please be sure to register before the event. And, please, if you don't register, don't just show up and expect to be accommodated. It puts a lot of pressure on the organizer of the event, the facility and the people who did pre-register.

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## Use a Couple of Gewindebolzens with Your Porsche

By BILL CALDWELL

Newer Porsche cars and SUVs (1999 – 2015) have zinc coated wheel bolts, instead of studs and anodized wheel nuts found on older Porsches. Newer Porsches also have larger wheels. For example, our 2012 Porsche 997.2, is fitted with 11" x 19" OEM rear wheels, while our old guy, a 1978 911SC, is fitted with 7" x 16" OEM rear wheels.

If one routinely takes the wheels and tires off of his/her newer Porsche, for either cleaning purposes or maintenance reasons, you quickly discover that an 11" x 19" wheel and its



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mounted tire are more than a ‘handful’ in dismounting and remounting. Unless you are very careful (and muscular in your handling), the wheel/tire combination will slip off the hub, or not go on the center hub, and ‘smack’ either the brake caliper or the brake shield. That ‘smack’ or strike can either inflict a nice gouge in the inner wheel barrel coating, or mar the paint coating on the brake caliper.

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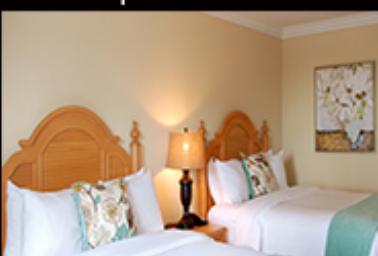
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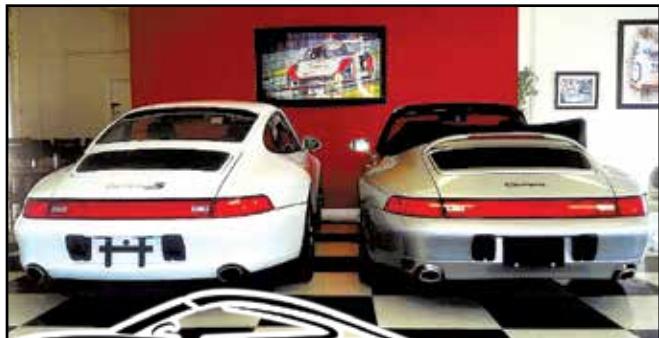
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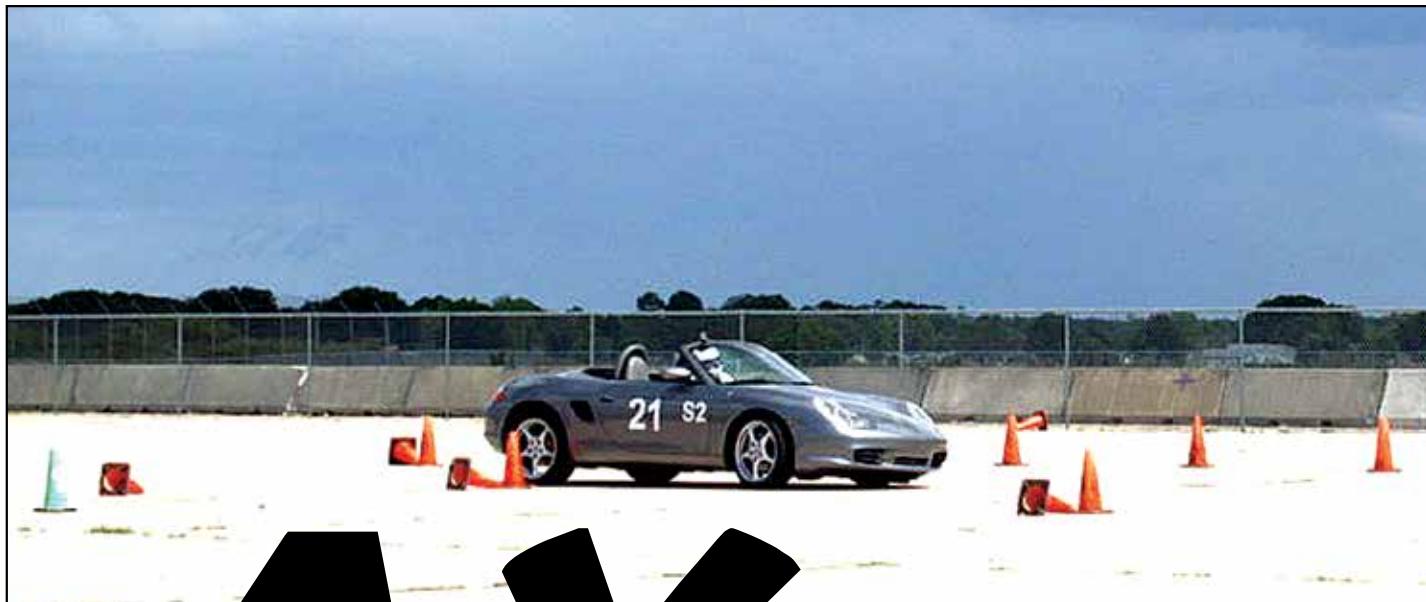
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# AX at Sebring

By BRIAN WEST

Suncoast PCA autocrossers were treated to an exciting final event of the first half of the 2015 season courtesy of Gold Coast Region, who hosted a "Zonefest Makeup" autocross on Saturday, May 16th, in the paddock area of the Sebring International Raceway. Participants from five regions, including Florida Citrus, Everglades, and Space Coast all enjoyed Steve and Dottie Kidd's fun, technical course, complete with lots of sharp turns from gate to gate. Despite the threat of early summer thunderstorms, 58 drivers were afforded eight dry runs each. A track tour was arranged during the lunch break to allow all takers an opportunity to give it a go on the big circuit.

The course seemed to speed up in the afternoon sessions, and times dropped consistently throughout the day. A variety of interesting kit cars and



Suncoast members came out in force to enjoy a great day of autocrossing with members from four other regions. Photo by STEVE KIDD.

other marques joined in the event with many distinctive Porsches, including two 996 GT3s, a Cayman R, various generations of Boxsters and 911s, and even a beautifully restored 1976 912E. At the end of the day, the fastest Porsche time of the day was driven by Tom Kring in his white Cayman R on sticky Hoosiers, followed closely by long-time autocrosser but new Porsche owner and PCA member Ken Marion

in his black 996 GT3 and Danny Shields in his blue 986 Boxster S, both on street tires. Willow Shambeck captured the fastest Ladies' Porsche Time of the day in a blue 987 Boxster on R-rubber.

We are into our summer break during this hot and stormy part of the year, but the second half of the 2015 autocross series is just around the corner. We will be back in the paddock area of the Sebring

International Raceway on Sunday, September 20th, following the Saturday Teen Driving School. We plan to set up a fast course on the grippy concrete that you will definitely want to experience. In the meantime, please feel free to contact me at [bwfst84@gmail.com](mailto:bwfst84@gmail.com) with autocross questions, or just to talk cars while we await the cooler weather and more driving excitement. I look forward to seeing you and your Porsche soon!

# AX

# Results for May 16

| Class   | #   | Name               | Car              | 5/16/2015<br>best time | Overall<br>place |
|---------|-----|--------------------|------------------|------------------------|------------------|
| .Open-R | 43  | Stannard, Jay      | 1969 61J         | 29.464                 | 1                |
| I-2     | 676 | Kring, Tom         | Cayman R         | 31.855                 | 2                |
| S-5     | 60  | Marion, Ken        | 2004 GT3         | 31.947                 | 3                |
| .Open-S | 51  | Ruggles, Jason     | BRZ              | 32.114                 | 4                |
| Expert  | 5   | Shields, Danny     | 986 Boxster S    | 32.123                 | 5                |
| I-2     | 362 | Ponader, Jonathan  | 2002 Boxster S   | 32.631                 | 6                |
| BMW     | 16  | Schnoerr, David    | 2007 Z4M Coupe   | 32.798                 | 7                |
| BMW     | 130 | Casco, John        | 2007 Z4m         | 32.932                 | 8                |
| S-4     | 678 | Drake, Michael     | 991 C2S          | 33.039                 | 9                |
| .Open-S | 221 | Vance, Joseph      | MX-5             | 33.178                 | 10               |
| .Open-R | 908 | Diruzzo, Lauren    | 2005 WRX STI     | 33.193                 | 11               |
| .Open-R | 204 | Levy, Ben          | 2006 B.A.M.F. V5 | 33.347                 | 12               |
| .Open-R | 66  | Wright, Paul       | 2015 Scrap Metal | 33.382                 | 13               |
| .Open-R | 427 | Lanese, John       | 2012 BOSS 302    | 33.399                 | 14               |
| P-6     | 84  | West, Brian        | 996 C4S          | 33.630                 | 15               |
| S-2     | 123 | Tamandli, Bob      | 986 Boxster S    | 33.683                 | 16               |
| I-2     | 32  | Sladek, Jerry      | 997 C2S          | 33.839                 | 17               |
| .Open-S | 12  | Neely, Jerry       | 2000 Spyder      | 33.966                 | 18               |
| P-5     | 28  | Sumansky, Bill     | 986 Boxster S    | 33.982                 | 19               |
| P-4     | 33  | Kidd, Steve        | 944S2            | 33.983                 | 20               |
| S-2     | 2   | Rathbun, Kyle      | 981 Boxster      | 33.992                 | 21               |
| .Open-S | 114 | Myers, Chris       | 2008 135i        | 34.217                 | 22               |
| .Open-S | 107 | young, ed          | 2005 elise       | 34.439                 | 23               |
| BMW     | 274 | Marrero, Carlos    | 2007 Z4m         | 34.457                 | 24               |
| BMW     | 145 | Redditt, Christian | 1997 Z3          | 34.491                 | 25               |
| S-4     | 97  | Adler, Robert      | 2012 Cayman R    | 34.586                 | 26               |
| S-5     | 61  | Covington, Guy     | 2004 GT3         | 34.765                 | 27               |
| .Open-S | 25  | Cabrera, Maykel    | 1991 Miata       | 35.620                 | 28               |

|         |      |                     |                |        |    |
|---------|------|---------------------|----------------|--------|----|
| .Open-S | 161  | Juarbe-Diaz, Soraya | Honda Fit      | 35.625 | 29 |
| .Open-S | 35   | Hargrave, Paige     | 2014 R8        | 35.752 | 30 |
| P-7     | 98   | Pearlman, Stan      | 997 S          | 35.755 | 31 |
| S-4     | 45   | Karnap, Russ        | 2012 Cayman R  | 35.917 | 32 |
| .Open-S | 7    | Guzman, Ian         | 2013 FR-S      | 36.129 | 33 |
| .Open-S | 13   | Sheitelman, Sam     | 1991 318i      | 36.139 | 34 |
| P-3     | 666  | Kooser, Jake        | 911            | 36.191 | 35 |
| S-3     | 107  | Muniz, Juan Carlos  | 997 C2         | 36.369 | 36 |
| S-3     | 9    | Riley, Bill         | 996 C2 Anniv   | 36.442 | 37 |
| I-1     | 44   | Parrish, Steve      | 914            | 36.561 | 38 |
| I-2-L   | 63   | Shambeck, Willow    | 2006 Boxter    | 36.850 | 39 |
| S-1     | 53   | Gerould, H. Taylor  | 1991 964       | 36.997 | 40 |
| .Open-S | 168  | Balani, Karan       | 1991 318       | 37.198 | 41 |
| .Open-S | 712  | Correa, Jose        | 2015 WRX STI   | 37.245 | 42 |
| .Open-S | 1024 | Diaz, Ariel         | 2014 Tc        | 37.636 | 43 |
| S-3-L   | 20   | Ditrichs, Carolyn   | 2006 Boxster S | 37.935 | 44 |
| .Open-S | 260  | Oconnell, John      | 2015 Frs       | 38.062 | 45 |
| .Open-S | 148  | Bjorge, Kendall     | Audi S4        | 38.319 | 46 |
| I-2     | 68   | Collins, Ian        | 987 Boxster    | 38.373 | 47 |
| S-3     | 325  | Oconnell, David     | 2014 Boxster S | 38.438 | 48 |
| P-4-L   | 33   | Kidd, Dottie        | 944S2          | 38.646 | 49 |
| .Open-S | 177  | judd, nancy         | 2005 elise     | 38.718 | 50 |
| P-5-L   | 82   | Lewis, Tori         | 986 Boxster S  | 39.873 | 51 |
| P-4     | 472  | Foster, Bill        | 968            | 40.255 | 52 |
| S-1-L   | 5    | Ericson, Melissa    | 1991 964       | 40.332 | 53 |
| S-1     | 16   | Covington, Brett    | 986 Boxster    | 41.252 | 54 |
| S-1     | 94   | Winters, Jay        | 986 Boxster    | 44.917 | 55 |
| P-1     | 41   | Byrom, Martin       | 1976 912 E     | 54.868 | 56 |
| P-1     | 411  | Chasen, Shirley     | 1976 912 E     | 58.677 | 57 |
| S-1-L   | 49   | Cutcliffe, Sandra   | 986 Boxster    | 62.611 | 58 |

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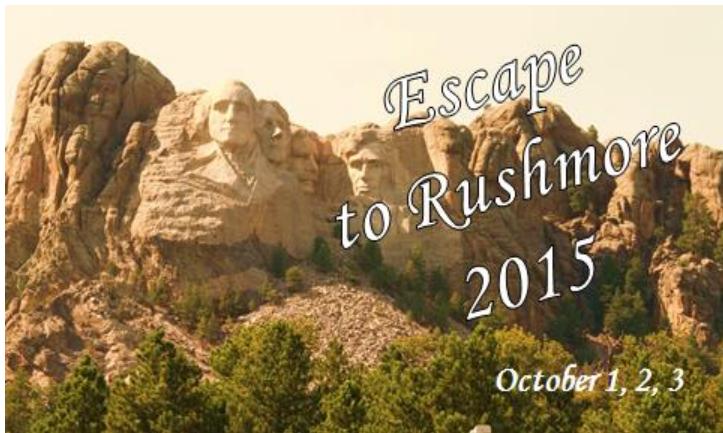
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# EDITOR'S NOTE

By Norm Sippel

Alicia Norquist is a tough act to follow. In her eight years as Editor, she has set a high standard by creating a great magazine that all of us have looked forward to with great anticipation. I know in our home, the question is always, "Is *Profile* here yet?" And, when it arrives, Penny & I will each try to get to it first. I hope I can meet her standard. Thank you, Alicia. I hope your distractions will clear up easily and quickly, and I know I speak for all when I say we'll miss you during the times you are in New Jersey.

I have had the good fortune to be a part of Suncoast Region for a few years now. And, I have to say, this is the most active, most fun car club we have ever been a part of. This is compared to the MG, Alfa Romeo, and BMW clubs--all in both Connecticut and Florida. What sets it apart? The owner passions for the marques are all high. But, Suncoast Region PCA is different. The events

are frequent, friendly, challenging, and somehow incorporate great driving trips in this flat state. The members are welcoming, friendly and helpful. Penny and I thoroughly enjoy our membership. And, the friendships we have made are wonderful. BTW, Penny is my copy editor and proofreader. She has been a book editor most of her career, including a recent Burt Levy tome.

Going forward, I need your input. What is it you would like to see in *Porsche Profile*? Please let me know. You can reach me via email or phone daily between 8:30 AM and 10:00 PM. I work out of an office in my home, so I'm usually nearby except when we travel. *Vintage Motorsport's* bi-monthly schedule allows us a few weeks between deadlines to do that. In that regard, be aware that the deadline for the October *Porsche Profile* will be 10 days early (Aug. 21) as I will be traveling the last



week of August and into September, and I don't know what kind of Internet service I will have in some of the places I will be.

Meanwhile, we're heading for more Suncoast PCA activities. If you want to have fun with your Porsche, join us. Just be sure to sign up ASAP as many events fill up really FAST. And, if you don't sign up, please don't be disappointed if there is no room for you.

You'll notice that Ryan Johnson has signed up some new advertisers this year. Please patronize them, as well as the regular advertisers we have had. And, be sure to mention that you saw their ad in the Suncoast *Porsche Profile*, and that you appreciate their support of our club.

Until next time...

-Norm

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