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Meetings

The AUGUST meeting will be held in the Blue Room of First Federal Savings and Loan Association, 220 Madison Street, Tampa, Florida, at 8:00 p.m., August 16.

Activities - PCA

Somewhere that July picnic is lurking and we'll try to find the devil and get him underway, perhaps the latter part of this month.

Autocross: Yes, we finally had another chance at an honest to goodness autocross in this area. The event was held at the ECI parking lot in St. Petersburg on July 31. For those of you who were not able to attend, let me say that you missed a good event. The course was a medium speed layout, having several cutbacks and a series of slaloms. There was an excellent turnout, with some 31 persons trying their various degrees of skill. The event went smoothly once it was started with almost no difficulties. Even the weather cooperated with us, as we had an overcast day, cooler than usual, with no rain. Our hearty thanks to those who attended and our invitation to these and the others who could not attend to make it a point to make the next autocross put on by this club (Time and date to be announced).

The final standings were as follows:

Place	Driver	Car	Position	Time
1	Charlie Dunning	Porsche 911	1 overall	2:18.4
2	Dave Matthews	Porsche 1800 cc	2 overall	2:19.2
3	Thomas Henry	MG Midget	3 overall	2:23.4
4	Herb Trenka	Porsche 1800 cc	1 Class A	2:23.8
5	Bill Mangold	Porsche 1600 Normal	1 Class C	2:25.4
6	John Plankey	Sprite MKI	1 Class F	2:27.2
7	Bill Both	Porsche 1600 Super	2 Class C	2:27.8
8	Jay Smith	Sprite Mk II	1 Class D	2:29.0
9	Henry Holloman	Corvair	2 Class D	2:29.1
10	Billy Diehl	Elva Courier	1 Class B	2:29.1
11	Steve Maxwell	Volks-Porsche	2 Class F	2:31.6
12	Thomas Syglahski (spelling?)	Elva	2 Class B	2:31.6
13	Richard Sander	Sprite Mk II	3 Class D&E	2:35.7
14	Julian Bruce	Sprite Mk I	3 Class F	2:37.3
15	Ernie Johansson	Porsche 1600 Super	3 Class C	2:39.2
16	Richard Sowery	Volks 1200	1 Class G&H	2:40.6
17	Bob Clarke	Sunbeam Tiger	3 Class B	2:41.0
18	Duke Swan	Opel Kadet	2 Class G&H	2:43.6
19	Paul Job	Porsche 912	4 Class C	2:45.5
20	Jimmie Hallmark	TR-4	5 Class C	2:52.0
21	Bob Brokaw	Mustang	4 Class D&E	2:53.9
22	Michael Knox	VW 1200	3 Class G&H	2:55.5
23	Chuck Hettle	Elva	4 Class B	3:02.5
	Jerry Vetuick	TR-4	DNF	
	James McKee	Sprite	"	
	Thomas Susa	Midget	"	
	William Bledsoe	TR-3	"	
	Milton Litwiller	Porsche N	"	
	George Cornelius	Stingray	"	
	Linda Dixon	Spitfire	"	

EVENT CHAIRMAN - DAVE MATTHEWS

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Last Month's Meeting

The July meeting was held at First Federal Savings and

Loan Association in Tampa. Again, as for the past three or four meetings, there was a program, and, in keeping with the ones in the past, this one was most interesting. Mr. George Cornelius presented a program based on his experiences in SCCA racing. George also had movies of several of the races he had competed in. Our thanks to George for an interesting evening. Maurice Benford then gave a rundown on the recent National Parade in Colorado Springs. Sounds like real fun (just think, we may get our chance at having a National Parade in Florida in the not too distant future). After the meeting, the Red Wood Room was handy for drinks.

Activities - Other Clubs

August 14: TBSCC - Rally to the Annual Concours de Elegance, leaves from Dale Mabry Center in Tampa at 12:00 noon.  
August 28: MSCC - Rally.  
August 14: Martin Sports Car Club (Orlando) Annual Osceola Autocross, Registration 9:30-11:45 a.m.

Third Florida Parade

The Third Florida Parade is fast approaching us. It is scheduled for October 29 and 30 at the Statler Hilton in Ft. Lauderdale. For the benefit of the newer members, let me give a brief rundown of this event. The First Florida Parade was held in Vero Beach in October 1964 at the Driftwood Inn. The event attracted about 30 Porsche devotees from the three Florida PCA Regions (Gold Coast, Central Florida and Suncoast). There were three events, a rally, an autocross and a Concours de Elegance. This first outing was met with such enthusiasm, that a second was planned, this time sponsored by the Suncoast Region. The Florida Parade for 1965 was held at the Coral Reef on St. Petersburg Beach in late October and attracted about 80 Porschers. This time there was an autocross, rally, Concours, and an old fashion "drag race". From the enjoyment these outings gave, the Third and present Parade was planned. It seems that this is to be a way of life for us Florida Porsche owners, and I'll be the last one to complain.

For this Third Parade, there will be 4 events - an autocross, a gymkana, a rally and a Concours. Each event will be scored on a basis of the number of cars entered at the Parade and not for individual cars in each event. There will be different classes where applicable. Entrants will compete within their classes in the individual categories as well as overall in the individual categories, and all entrants will have an opportunity to win the overall trophies.

In addition to the events there will be a cocktail party. As I understand it, this is to be compliments of Porsche Car Southeast. Also on the evening of the 29th, there will be a technical session which will be given by representatives of POAC. The word has reached me that BURT PROPP, NATIONAL PCA PRESIDENT, will attend the Parade.

By the way, be sure to bring a trailer to take home all of the goodies that various firms and manufacturers have donated. As of this date, a very incomplete list reads: Classic Car Products will donate several of their car care kits and will also have personnel on hand to help judge the Concours. Vilem B. Hahn and Lucas Electrical Services have donated driving lights; Car & Driver and Sports Car Graphic have donated subscriptions; Auto Mat donated a set of floor mats; James Auto Specialties will have several pieces of assorted jewelry; Kendall Refining has given 8 cases of GT-1 oil; Competition Press gave us five 1 year subscriptions; Road & Track donated a copy of the New Matadors; Porsche Car Southeast a free cocktail party and six merchandising awards; Sharpe & Co. has indicated they will be agreeable to donating awards, the nature of which will be announced. Other goodies include a woodrim steering wheel and 2 rosewood dashes for the 900 series. Firestone has indicated that they will donate five front-end alignments for Porsches and five road hazard lights. There is also a possibility of having a full set of Tires available as a prize, but this has not as yet been confirmed. Porsche Stuff Engineering will donate several patches and a pair of head rests. I'll have more on all of this in the next issue.

I just received a note the other day from Chuck Wick and Walt Lohman, who passed the word that at the National Parade, the GOLD COAST REGION was awarded the FERRY PORSCHE AWARD FOR THE MOST OUTSTANDING PCA REGION IN 1966. To win this award is quite an achievement. CONGRATULATIONS TO THE GOLD COAST REGION.



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