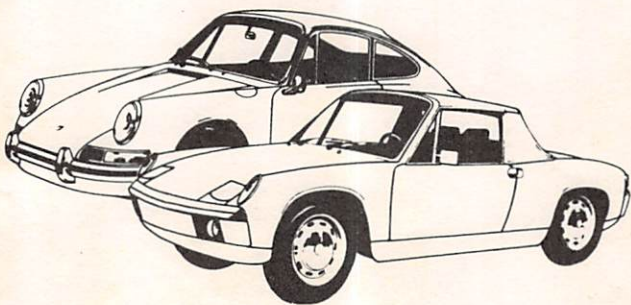


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President's Message

It is amazing to me how time passes so quickly. It seems like just yesterday that the new slate of Suncoast officers took office. Well, enough of the past and on to the future.

I want to thank the Suncoast Region for giving me the opportunity to preside over the clubs affairs this year. I think we all learned a lot and will use our new knowledge to go on to bigger things in 1973. I know everyone will give their full support to the new officers next year.

I would like to see everyone come out for the Christmas Party being held in Sarasota on the 9th of December. Many thanks go to John Menard and Ron Collins for arranging this years party. It really sounds like a fantastic party, with afternoon activities followed by dinner and a cocktail party. Please plan on attending.

Since this will be the last newsletter this year I would like to wish everyone the best for the upcoming holidays.

Bill Erler

Technical Report

Did you know that national character is an important criterion for tire design? That Italians require softer (stickier) rubber than the French? By nations - the Swedes and French are converted 100% to radials. The Germans, English and Italians are well over 50% on radial, but fewer than 5% of American made cars are fitted with these superior tires.

With over 90,000 miles on my car I have become a firm believer in the virtues of Moly (Molybdenum disulfide) lubricant. I have used no other lubricant for packing wheel bearings and lubing the front end. Consequently the car has never needed alignment, replacement of any suspension member, front end overhaul or new wheel bearings. The bearings have never needed adjustment since application of the Moly. Also, I used it to coat the clutch cable when I replaced it. Of course I can't really be sure whether these results were obtained through use of Moly or my constant loving care.

Lynn Hannon

October Minutes

The October meeting, held at Temple Porsche-Audi in Tampa, was brought to order by Vice President Jack Breit as business commitments out of town kept Bill Erler away. John Menard mentioned that a slate of nominees for 1973 would be mailed out by the nominating committee for a November vote. John also reported that the November meeting would be held at the Executive Building on South Pasadena in St. Petersburg. The December meeting will be a dinner meeting to be held December 9th in Sarasota.

Tech Chairman Douglas Hannon discussed, on request, his technical article of last month concerning top oils. In closing, he told the members that the specific oil mentioned, Val-Do, could be purchased from him at a substantial savings over the retail price.

After giving his treasurer's report Gustav Koch reported on the Gold Coast Region's Florida Parade, held at the St. Lucie Hilton. Gus said it was a great event, and from his description of the events, it sounds as though everyone should put this one on their calendar next year.

After the meeting was adjourned, everyone moved on to our next meeting place, the Pizza Hut on Hillsborough Avenue, for a cold beer.

CHRISTMAS PARTY

The 1972 Christmas Party will be held at the Executive House Apartments in Sarasota, Florida, on December 9, 1972. We've made it an all day affair if you're interested--

The address is:

Executive House Apartments
1026B - 1000 North Lockwood Ridge Road
Sarasota, Fla.

If you get lost call -- 366-3243

Agenda:

12:00 Noon	Arrival
Activities	Tennis
	Billiards
	Sauna Bath
	Swimming
	or visit Ringling Museum
	Bellum Car Museum, etc.
6:00 P.M.	Dinner-Zinn's Restaurant
9:00 P.M.	Cocktail Party-B.Y.O.B.
	Rec. Hall of Executive House
	Apts. Set ups provided

If you care to spend the night in Sarasota, here are two suggestions for accomodations:

Cabana Inn (955-0195)
2525 South Tamiami Trail (US 41)
\$12.00 to \$16.00

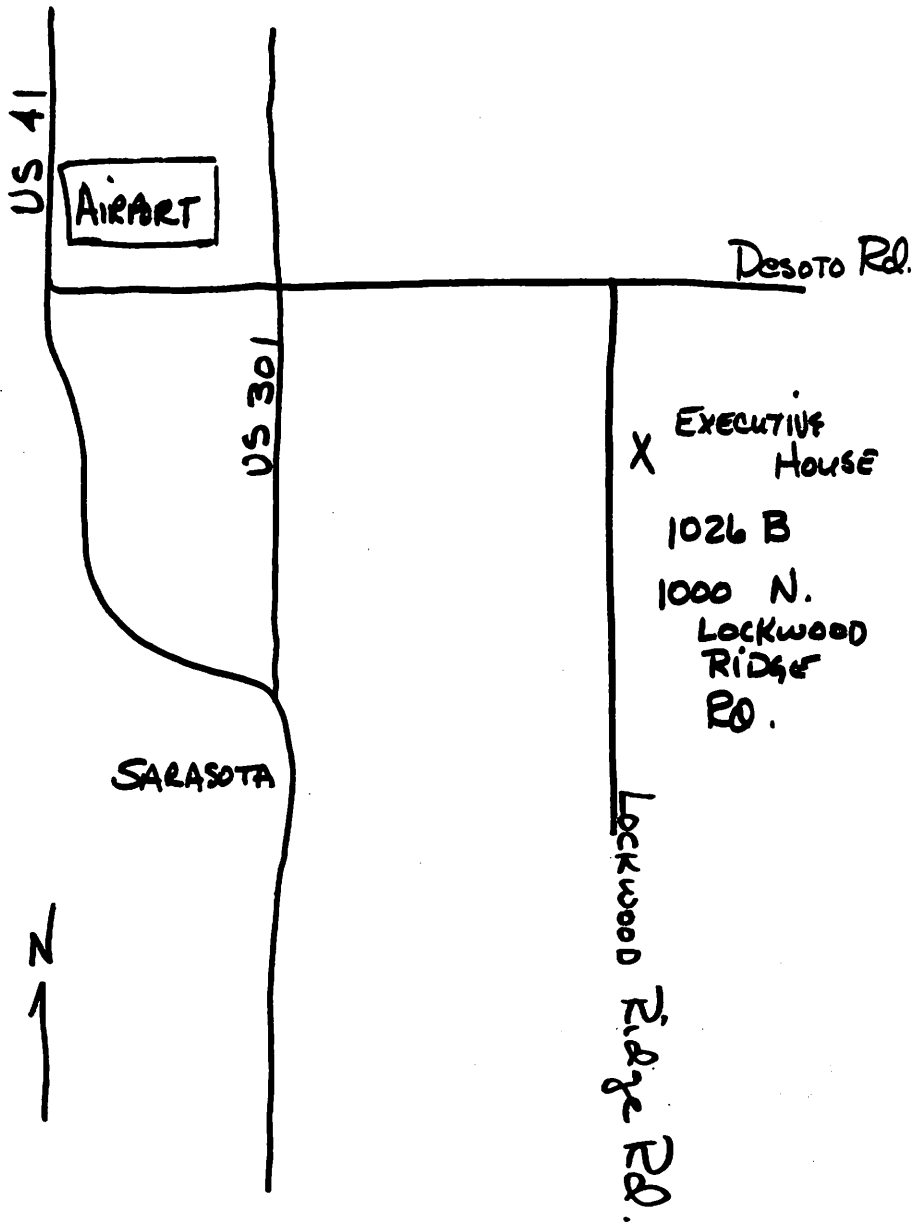
Martines Quality Motel (955-9841)
1425 South Tamiami Trail (US41)
\$12.00 to \$16.00

R.S.V.P.

John Menard

879-7150

MAP TO SARASOTA



I. According to Bob Cornell, PCA's legal advisor, a new procedure has been developed for getting proper value from insurance companies for damaged Porsches. To obtain a copy of this procedure, send a self-addressed, stamped envelope to Bob Cornell, 234 Walnut St., Brookline, Mass. 02146.

A related matter presented at the National Board Meeting was the offer by a New York company of "stated value" insurance for Porsches owned by PCA'ers. This means you can state the value of your Porsche (this must be substantiated) and the company will insure it for that value. Coverage is only for physical damage, not liability, and even this is named "peril coverage," not "all risk." Rates are 4% of stated value in cities under 100,000 population and 5% in larger cities.

II. In Texas there is a 10% discount in insurance rates available to anyone completing a one-day Defensive Driving Course sponsored by the National Safety Council. Write your Congressman?

III. I informed the Lone Star Region that we might order the various volumes of UP-FIXEN-DER-PORSCHE with them to obtain a better rate. Volume I, covering all Pano technical articles prior to 59, will be reprinted by National if 300 firm orders are received from the combined regions in the next few months.

I haven't heard from them yet, but would like to hear from members to get some idea of how many are interested. These are very good books regardless of your limitations or expertise, whichever. Volume III, covering '66 on is coming out soon.

IV. Last rumor on the relocation of Sebring is that it will be run at Road Atlanta in 1973. The President

of Road Atlanta said that two 6-hour heats will replace the 12-hour race. There will be two days action, a 6-hr. race for street machines on Saturday, and a 6-hr. race for racing sports cars on Sunday. The Sunday race would be an FCA sanctioned race for World Manufacturer's Championship.

In the Georgia-move the customary March date will be moved to April. 'Tis better to be merely wet, than to be wet and cold.

Lynn Hannon

FOR SALE

1970 911E/5 2.2 coupe #9110200910, metallic green/black interior, all tinted glass, fully heated rear window, steering wheel spacer, Blaupunkt Boston, Recaros, 14mm stabilizer bars front and rear, 6J x 15 factory alloy wheels w/ Dunlop VR 70's, Koni shocks rear, excellent condition, 25,000 careful miles, driven trips & weekends only, garaged. \$6,500.00
Brooke Ballagh, 8422 Woodhurst Drive, Tampa, Fl.
(813) 884-7669 after 7 P.M.

September Minutes

The September meeting of the Suncoast Region was held at Harris-Upham & Co. in St. Petersburg. After the meeting was brought to order by Vice President Jack Breit, Rallymaster Norm Miville outlined the results of the Big Brother Rallye on September 16th. It was a very successful event, through excellent "Rallye Country" and was enjoyed very much by the drivers as well as the young navigators.

Jack Breit mentioned that nomination of officers would be held at the October meeting, with the election scheduled for November. A Christmas Party was also discussed, with firm plans and dates to be announced later. Tentatively, it is to be held in Sarasota, and possibly the Canaveral Region will be invited. The October meeting will be held at Temple Porsche-Audi in Tampa, hopefully to meet the new owner, Charlie Birdsong and General Manager Jim Cramer.

At the conclusion of the meeting, members and guests adjourned to Murph's to continue their discussions and partake of some cold "suds".

NOVEMBER MEETING

HARRIS - Upham & Co.

3303 - THIRD AVE N.

ST. PETE

Time: 7:30 P.M

DATE: NOVEMBER 21ST

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