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Photo by Tom Isley

Vorschall!

Looking Ahead!

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From The Driver's Seat

By Michael Soriano



Greetings from Salt Lake City. Porsche Parade officially began at 9 a.m. on Sunday morning; it is amazing how much we have already done, and it's just the middle of the 3rd day. After registration, Lisa and I visited the concours prep area. We always enjoy

watching those extremely dedicated individuals as they finish up what is usually weeks if not months of painstakingly thorough preparation of their entries. We then explored the Goodie Store, which they graciously opened at 1:30 p.m. on Registration day, rather than making us wait until 9 a.m. on the first day of Parade. I "placed" my order, and then ran over to attend the PCA National Board Meeting; 2 ½ hours later, the meeting ended, and it was time to get ready for the Welcome Banquet. This year's Welcome Banquet was held in a magnificent courtyard within the extremely elegant Grand America Resort. We wound up sitting with a group from Oregon and a couple from Illinois, and had a wonderful time.

The following day was the Concours and Car Corral. This year we had the opportunity to watch some vehicles being judged; it was amazing to see how thorough the judges are, inspecting every inch of the cars including the tool kits. Monday evening was the President's Reception, an invitation only event held at the charming La Caille Restaurant. During the course

of the evening, my friend Paul Gregor introduced me to Dr. Wolfgang Porsche and his son Ferdinand. Dr. Porsche and I spent 20-30 minutes conversing over cocktails. Later in the evening, my friend Michelle Juzeszyn introduced me and Lisa to Detlev von Platen, President and CEO of Porsche Cars North America.

Tuesday, we took a fantastic tour to the Nish Speed Shop. During our visit, we met Mike Nish who holds a record at the Bonneville Salt Flats for driving his family's Royal Purple #998 Bonneville Streamliner 412.515 mph. Nish Motorsports has taken over 30 World Records, and Mike and his father Terry explained that they are working on breaking the record this September with the help of a Chrysler hemi engine that runs 50% nitro. After the speed shop, we travelled to Provo to visit Kirkham Motorsports facility. Dave Kirkham and his brother completely manufacture vehicles out of aluminum or copper. They specialize in Shelby Cobras, but are able to make any type of vehicle; in fact, they created a '40 GT out of pure copper for Ford, which was on display in their shop. Dave thoroughly walked us through the process of how the parts are fabricated in house and how the vehicles are assembled. He then showed us several vehicles in various stages of completion. The entire operation was truly remarkable.

There is still so much more ahead for us this week. The Isleys and Cryans are taking a couple of driving tours,

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while a considerable amount of my Wednesday will be spent at my absolute favorite event of the week: the Michelin Drive and Compare. Thursday, Lisa and I are participating in our 1st Gimmick Rally; we will be visiting the Olympic Training center and Park City. Friday is a visit to an Art Exhibition entitled: Speed: the Art of the Performance Automobile; we also plan to attend several Tech Academy lectures. And on Saturday, we are visiting the Bonneville Salt Flats as well as the Miller Motor Speedway. In the evening is the Victory Banquet, where next year's Parade in Traverse City will be officially announced.

As a reminder, our next social event "Party at the Macks" will be held on Saturday, July 21 in Tiffin. And P2O (Porsches to Ohio) is from July 27-29 in its new location of Granville. Also, we just received an invitation from Rally Sport Region to join them on August 4, for their 3rd Annual Irish

Hills Tour. For more information, look for an Ad in this issue of der Ruckspiegel, on our website <http://mm.pca.org>, or from a social committee e-mail notification.

Volunteers are still needed for our 40th Anniversary Celebration. Events are being planned to be held on Friday, Saturday, and Sunday, October 26-28. This will be the main topic at our next business meeting which will be held on Thursday, August 9 at 7 p.m. in the Vin Devers Conference Room. As always, it is great to see our members enjoying the camaraderie associated with PCA. Please join us for an event, reconnect with old friends, and make new ones. Hope to see you at an event soon.

Thanks,

Michael

Remember to keep the blink alive!!!!!!



Michael and Lisa in a Bobsled at Olympic Park



2012 NOR/IRAC Autocross Schedule

- NOR - April 22 - Autocross School, Lakeland
- IRAC 1 - April 29 – OVR, Kil-Kare Raceway
- IRAC 2 - May 20 – NOR, Lakeland
- IRAC 3 - June 3 – MOR, Columbus Speedway
- NOR – June 17 - NOR, Lakeland
- IRAC 4 - July 1 – MVR, Owens College
- NOR – July 22 - NOR, Lakeland
- IRAC 5 - Aug 12 – OVR, (location to be determined)
- NOR - Aug 26 - NOR, Lakeland
- IRAC 6 - Sept 9 – MOR, Columbus Speedway
- NOR - Sept 23 - NOR, Lakeland
- IRAC 7 - Oct 20 – Allegheny, Beaver Run

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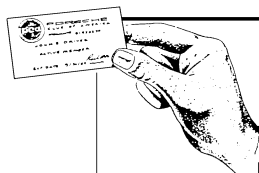
MVR/PCA Membership News

July 2012 - Club Member Anniversaries

Jeff and Lee Anne Snook	26 Years
Richard and Jackie Schwartz	25 Years
Marty and Tina Nine	18 Years
Kathy Schramm and Tim Lehman	17 Years
Craig and Liala Zenil	14 Years
Ernst Mueksch	7 Years
Greg and Angela Bair	6 Years
Diane and James Schoen	6 Years
Ted and Ann Barber	6 Years
Juan Penhos	5 Years
Kelli and Matt Skwiot	5 Years
Shanda and Bobbi Gore	3 Years
Tom Cable	2 Years
Zachary Davis	2 Years
Peter Eagle	1 Year
Gregory and Lisa Runion	1 Year

The Region has a name badge available for purchase. The cost is \$10 per badge. Contact Tom Isley at derruckspiegel@bex.net to place your order. Badges will be delivered at the next event.

If you are not currently receiving Social Event e-mail updates, please contact Lisa at
Mrs.LisaSoriano@juno.com



New Members

Mindlin Lewis of Port Clinton
Driving a 1999 911

MVR members can earn points as part of the activities program as follows. All activities must be confirmed to the MVR Secretary via Sign Up Sheets, Event Chairs, Notice of Participation at Zone 4 event outside MVR or Newsletter Editor.

1 point for attending a MVR event

1 Point for attending any Zone 4 event outside of MVR

2 points for organizing and hosting a MVR event

1 point for assisting in a significant manner at a MVR or Zone 4 event

1 point for any article of at least 250 words (about one page) published in the MVR Newsletter

Point Totals as of 7/1/2012

July 2012

Greg Armstrong	1
Verne Armstrong	1
Gene Aufderhaar	4
Kathleen Aufderhaar	4
Mark Baker	5
Paula Baker	4
Bill Bauman	4
Mark Beck	2
Shannon Beck	2
Judy Bellman	4
Marshall Bellman	4
Rich Brown	1
Susan Brown	1
Lee Burlingame	8
Yvonne Burlingame	6
Mark Burrow	2
Susan Burrow	2
Bruce Butcher	1
Diane Butcher	1
Aaron Byram	1
Becky Cable	2
Tom Cable	2
Mike Calabrese	1
Tony Calabrese	7
Mike Carson	1
Sarah Carson	1
Clifton Ching	1
Pariss Coleman	3
Deb DeHaven	5
Tom DeHaven	4
Billy Edwards	2
Tom Farley	3
Claudia Fischer	2

Keith Franklin	3
Ron Gargas	5
Sharon Gargas	5
Dick Gobba	10
Shirley Gobba	10
J. Craig Griffis	1
Ron Gulliford	4
Ruth Gulliford	4
Bob Harris	7
Kim Harris	5
Chris Heidenreich	6
Mary Heidenreich	2
Alan Kinker	5
Sandra Kinker	5
Chris Krauser	11
Jeanne Krauser	10
John Laube	2
Barb Lederman	8
Rick Lederman	11
Michael Levison	3
Deb MacDonald	2
Pete MacDonald	2
Robb Mack	4
Shellie Mack	4
Jack Mechel	9
Linda Mechel	8
Sarah Mierzwiak	7
Todd Mierzwiak	8
Dana Pearson	3
David Pearson	3
Marie Pendelton	4
Mark Pendelton	4
Colleen Perry	1
Jason Perry	2
Chuck Putsch	4

Bill Roan	5
Linda Roan	5
Greg Runion	3
Lisa Runion	3
Sam Scamardo	1
Chuck Schaub	4
Kristine Schaub	1
Jim Schenk	4
Diane Schoen	11
Jim Schoen	13
Chris Sim	2
Lisa Soriano	18
Michael Soriano	21
Bill Sternfeld	1
Janet Sternfeld	1
Barney Stewart	12
Beth Stewart	7
Alan Summers	1
Cheri Summers	1
Manish Thusay	1
Steven Uhlman	1
Jeff Vollmar	3
Brian Walsh	3
Missy Walsh	2
Jim Wilson	1
Ali Woodruff	1
Millie Woodruff	3
Tom Woodruff	3
Kathy Woodward	6
Marc Woodward	9
Kathy Zacharias	2
Zach Zacharias	3
Craig Zenil	7
Laila Zenil	2

MAUMEE VALLEY PCA AUGUST SOCIAL EVENT

**Saturday August 25, 2012
4 p.m.**

*Non-seafood items
will be available for
those with allergies*

**MVR PCA Crab Fest
Hosted by the Schoen's
24331 Sun Air Blvd
Perrysburg, OH 43551**

Please bring an appetizer, side, or dessert

RSVP:

Jeanne (419) 841-7984

OR

Lisa (419) 215-3333 or mrs.lisasoriano@juno.com

MAUMEE VALLEY PCA SEPTEMBER SOCIAL EVENT

**Saturday September 22, 2012
4 p.m.**

**Hosted by the Mierzwiak's
2553 Olde Brookside
Toledo, OH 43615**

Please bring an appetizer, side, or dessert

RSVP:

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Maumee Valley Region 2012 Calendar of Events

Check our web site at www.mm.pca.org for the latest event information.

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OCTOBER

- 11 Business Meeting
- 14 Cars and Coffee
- 27 MVR 40th at the Zoo

NOVEMBER

- 3-4 MVR Drivers Education
- 11 Cars and Coffee
- 17 Dinner in Findlay

DECEMBER

- TBD Social event

Ottawa Hills Super Fall Weekend Festival and Car Cruise

September 29th 2012



Come share and display your special, exotic, unique and/or classic vehicle 11 a.m. – 5 p.m. on Saturday September 29th at the *Ottawa Hills Super Fall Weekend Festival and Car Cruise*, Geresy Field – (corner of Indian & Evergreen) in Ottawa Hills. While displaying your automobile you can enjoy the Festival's many vendors and local entertainment. For information and free registration, contact Chris Heidenreich at cheidenreich@bex.net or phone 419-754-1460 or fax 419-534 2060

Pictures from Parade

By Tom Isley and Lisa Soriano

Charlotte and Bob Cryan
at Sundance



Roxanne Alban, PCA Treasurer Tom Gorsuch, Michael Soriano, Lisa Soriano, and PCA President Manny Alban



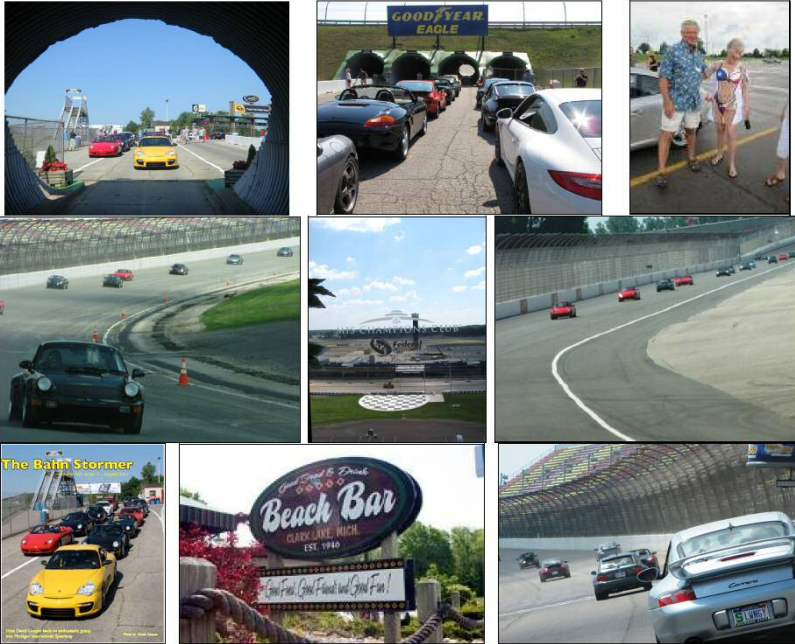
Above - Can you believe a copper bodied Cobra at Kirkham Motorsports?



Left - Porsches line up for a photo shoot above Bear Lake.

More pictures can be found at <http://mm.pca.org/photos.htm>

3rd Annual Irish Hills Tour * MIS Laps * Beach Bar



Date/Time: Saturday, Aug. 4th – 9:30 AM (Rain or Shine)

Hosts: Dave & Norah Cooper

Start/End Location: Meijer Parking Lot, Sect. M, Ann Arbor – Saline Rd., Ann Arbor (Exit 175 on I-94)

Attire: Beach-wear, Swim-wear, Hawaiian Shirt, Speedo, Bikini, etc!

Route: We'll pass by several Irish Hills lakes - then head through the tunnel onto Michigan Int'l Speedway (\$5 cash fee/car) for several laps, followed by lunch (\$13 each cash only) at the famous Beach Bar on Clark Lake.

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Friday Evening

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Saturday

Late Morning Rally

Evening Banquet at Toledo Zoo

Sunday


Concours Brunch

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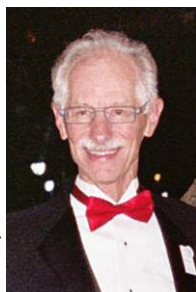
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We have just returned from Parade and had a great time. We saw many of our old friends and made new ones. Parade is always an enjoyable experience. If any of you have ever considered going to a



Parade, next year will be the best chance to attend. Parade is going to be held at the Grand Traverse Resort in Traverse City, Michigan. It will be a short 5 hour drive from Toledo.

While we were in Salt Lake City we were able to spend a lot of time with former MVR members Charlotte and Bob Cryan. As you may recall, they had spent 3 years in Dubai returning last year. They have decided to return to Toledo later this year. We are looking forward to spending even more time with them.

Next month the Schoens will be hosting a Crab Bake at their house. They will have food other than seafood available for those with allergies so there is no reason not to attend.

Flash your headlights at a fellow Porsche owner on the road!! Keep the kindred spirit alive!!

.....the editor

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