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## The European Auto Garage TSD Rallye

Clyde Peery, and his able assistants Mike Parker, Allan Cox, and the 'local', Larry Slattery, put on another great TSD (time...speed...distance) rallye for the group. Almost all the cars registered for the rallye, actually causing some concern for the rallyemaster Clyde, who needed some check point workers! The rallye immediately took the participants away from busy Pigeon Forge, onto some great back roads, with great vistas, and neat turns...all courtesy of Larry who knows the area like the back of his hand. All who ran the rallye seemed to enjoy themselves immensely...at least all came back with smiles on their faces! Results follow, but the big winners were Tom and Sharon Huecker taking first and the DALBF (Dead Ass Last But



**RALLYE WINNERS**



Editor's note: this article was omitted last month.



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**Porsche 911 SC seats**, from a 1981 SC vinyl is in good shape but fabric is old and split. Sliders still work fine. Reduced to \$100  
**Race tires**, two 205X50X17" A6 Hoosiers – scrubs with plenty of autocross/DE life left in them. \$120 pair.  
**Boxster floor mats**, gray, "PORSCHE" embossed. \$50  
**1981 911SC Front valance** painted Pacific Blue Metallic. with lights \$200  
**Whale Tail**, 100% rubber from 911SC lid for \$450. All items call Tommy @ 423-333-5899 or pcasnake@gmail.com

### FOR SALE: Recaro Topline Sport seats

FS \$1600 for both. Original price \$3200 for seats, \$144 for sub adapters. Heated, ventilated, black leather and suede. Wired for quick install in 997 GT3. Sub adapters for harness, and 3 point seat belt receptors. I used these when driving to track days. Frank Prout



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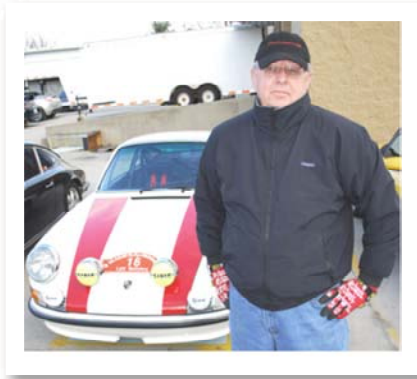
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For Sale, '86 944 Turbo non-sunroof coupe. Only 25K of the 944 turbos were produced world-wide (all years) and a much smaller number (10 – 15%) came without the sunroof (called the 'sunroof delete' option). Same PCA owner for 12 years, all service up to date. The car was on the dyno on 2/12/09 and ran ~220 horsepower at the wheels. All books and records since new, including the original bill of sale, ~\$30K in 1986. PCA valuation form that I received in 10/08 had a range of \$8290 to \$14,970 and an average of \$11,630. Many modifications, but still looks and drives like a street car. Asking \$8500. Call 865-376-2720





## HEARD ROUND THE REGION BY VIC ROLA

Carol and I were privileged to be invited to, and attend, the wedding of Clyde Peerys' son, Ashley, to the lovely Katie. Beautiful setting, beautiful event, beautiful kids. And...yes...Clyde and Kathryn were beaming!

Saw one of the areas most competent wrench turners at the Peery wedding. Daniel Paransky and Ms. Barbara looked well. Cutting back in their business venture, allowing others to service Ferrari's etc., holding on to some old time, good clients. Was good to see them! Also saw PCA'ers Tim + Sandy Carpenter there (is there a new Porsche in their future?), as well as Mike Parker + Suzan Bowman (the wedding planner).

Understand that T. Wilsons' 911SC is for sale. Looking for a great ride in a mid 70's 911? This is it! Call Tommy...

Eurotech is getting ready to release my 911E from several weeks of being an inmate at their facility, checking out a strange and intermittent 'noise' from the heart of the beast. Need to get started on prepping the car for the Parade in Savannah, GA!

The areas' 356 guys had a picnic on the 15<sup>th</sup>. Understand that they may have had as many as twelve cars there. I was invited, but with the car still at Eurotech, I didn't make it.






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# EDITOR'S EXHAUST

This is the last newsletter Jill and I will produce. It has become more and more difficult for us to gather the information

and that forces us to "abuse" some members when I call and tell them I need a quick report on something. We surely appreciate the fact that we have always been able to count on Vic Rola for a column and a report on any event he may have attended. Greg DeBord is always quick to get the latest edition posted to the web site. Jim and Vicky Marsh have been troopers in getting quarterly printing and mailings done. I also want to mention Jeff Russell, who, while ill, made sure there was a column from the Region's President while he held that position. Mary Nell keeping us up to date on the social events was a big help too.

My dad would always say, "The road to hell is paved with good intentions." I guess he is right when it comes to my membership. I had intended to participate in every autocross and make a try for a end of the year award --- that would be second place to the Folds. Personal issues and a couple things with the car kept me from getting that done. Meetings in the middle of the week does not allow us to attend the meetings. Bottom line, we simply can't do as much as we had hoped in respect to participation.

I will still try to write a few things for the new editor (yet to be named) and send a photo or two when I have them.

I can report I sold my 911 to a nice young man,

Adam Sloan, and gave him the application for membership along with the keys. I hope he has turned that in.

Right after that, Jill and I drove to Alabama to look at a 2001 Boxster S. It was a two purpose visit, since we have a friend of many years living very near the home of the owner of the Boxster. That visit was a good visit with our friends but the car was not something I could work with.

As soon as we got back home I went on the Internet to see if there were any new Boxster S models available in my price range. The first car I saw was a Speed Yellow 2000 Boxster S. For those of you who do not know, I sold a Speed Yellow Boxster to Jeff Russell, a little over a year ago. To top it off, the car was on the lake near Jeff City and near the home of Vic and Carol Rola.

Vic has somehow been involved in every Porsche I have ever owned and this was not to be an exception. He road over with me to take a look at the car. The car was in excellent condition and really just what I was looking for. The guy was very particular about his cars and wanted everything working and looking perfectly at all times. Just the guy I was looking for!

So, now Jill and I own a 2000 Speed Yellow Boxster S. I add Jill to that because she did not want much to do with the 911 since it was pretty close to a race car and had no heat or air. Just not her thing.

See you around the next turn.

## SMOKY MOUNTAIN REGION 2011 CALENDAR

| DATE         | EVENT                   | LOCATION                     | COMMENTS |
|--------------|-------------------------|------------------------------|----------|
| 06/25        | Autocross               | Pellissippi State Campus     |          |
| 07/12        | Membership Meeting      | TBA                          |          |
| 07/16        | Autocross               | Pellissippi State Campus     |          |
| 07/31-08/1-6 | Porsche Parade          | Savannah, Georgia            |          |
| 09/2-5       | Rennfest Peach State    | Brasstown Resort, Georgia    |          |
| 09/13        | Membership Meeting      | TBA                          |          |
| 09/17        | Fall Driveout (one-day) |                              |          |
| 09/24        | Autocross               | Splash Country, Pigeon Forge |          |
| 10/11        | Membership Meeting      | TBA                          |          |
| 10/15        | Autocross               | Splash Country Pigeon Forge  |          |
| 11/12-13     | Fall Fest               | Pigeon Forge                 |          |
| 11/15        | Membership Meeting      | TBA                          |          |
| 12/13        | Membership Meeting      | TBA                          |          |

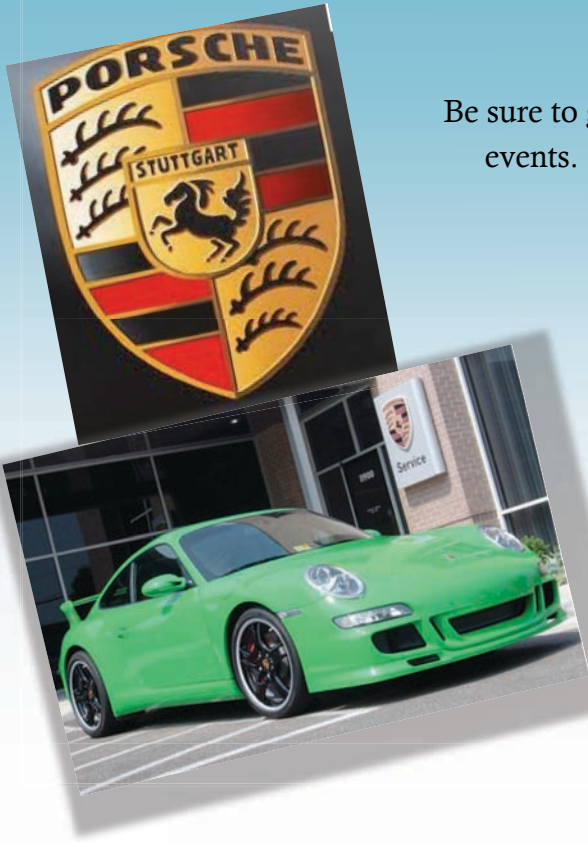
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Be sure to go to the monthly meetings to learn more about the club and events. Information is available online at the club's website 24/7

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## June Membership Dinner Meeting

June membership dinner meeting will be held on June 14, 2011  
7:00 PM at Puleo's on Merchants Road.



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