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From the President



We recently returned from a fabulous overnight drive hosted by Clyde and Kathryn Peery. A big thank you to them for coordinating a fun weekend that included good roads with beautiful scenery, some shopping, fellowship and (as always) good food.

Our fourth quarter board meeting will be held on Saturday, October 12, followed by our annual planning meeting, where next year's calendar is created. All members are invited to attend. We would love to hear your input for events to schedule next year.

Our autocross in conjunction with Okteenerfest is scheduled for Sunday, October 13, at Splash Country. This should be a fun event and I hope many of you will be able to join us autocross with the 914s!

Mike Parker and Suzan Bowman are working on the Concours at Knox County Park scheduled for Sunday, October 20. There will be a barbecue lunch served. Please watch your e-mail for more information about this event.

Plans have been made for Fall Fest, a two-day weekend event scheduled for November 16-17 in Sevierville. This event includes a day drive, dinner at Chop House and autocross on Sunday. I hope to see a large turnout this year. It's always a lot of fun.

I hope to see you at an event soon!

Janis
President

HEARD 'ROUND the REGION

- *My wife and I did an Rgruppe event in Snowshoe, WV. Unfortunately, it was the same weekend as Clydes' fall drive out. The event there attracted 31 early 911s. A couple came in from Texas, a contingent came in from the mid-west, as well as the northeast. The activities started Thursday evening, with the final parking lot BBQ on Saturday eve. Great weekend!*

- *Clyde tells me that his drive turned out great, with some great opportunities to socialize with other Porsche owners. I think he told me that he had fifteen cars do the drive! Great turnout.*

- *Had an opp to dine with Tommy and Jill Wilson before they had their stuff packed up for their move to Panama City, FL. By the time you read this, they'll be established in their new home there.*

- *Debbie Cooper and Bob Berry are settling into their new to them, condo. All is good...*

- *If you have an early 911 (1965 - 1973), and haven't heard from me in the last month or so, call me at 865.207.4303. I have news...*

- *Boxster owners...you've got to 10.15.13 to sign*

onto the legal action concerning the intermediate shaft (bearing) on your car. Look up information on the internet, or the current issue of Excellence. This is especially of note to those of you that have had an IMS failure, and paid for repairs.

- *Two super autocrosses coming up, and both are at Splash Country!!! 10.13.13, with the 914 Registry, and then Fall Fest...*

Vic Rola

Vice President



From the Driver's Seat

erfest - an event that Bob Saville and I have been working on for the past several months.

rims. Shoule be fun!

Steve
Editor

We have 46 people registered representing 26+ 914s. With most attendees from Tennessee and NCARolina, there are others travelling from Alabama, SCARolina, and Indiana.

Our drive on Friday has had to be altered due to the fact that the government shutdown has closed off nearly half of our original route! We won't be enjoying the Foothills Parkway, Great Smoky Mountains National Park, or Little River Road. But our new route will still take us on the Dragon, to Fontana Dam for photos, into Robbinsville for lunch, and then to Cherohala Skyway.

The weather looks like it will be fantastic for top-down driving. Yeah, I am excited!

Saturday morning will be the car show followed by lunch and a free afternoon to do as each attendee wishes. The awards banquet in the evening will see some fantastic items given away generously donated by 914 vendors from across the country.

And then Sunday several of us will join the Smoky Mountain Region at Splash Country for an autocross. I was able to procur a set of Hoosiers that I hope to get mounted to some Dan Gurney

When it rains, it pours. The October issue of Smoke Signals has been delayed due to a very busy schedule on my part.

The past couple weeks I have been preparing for TWO car events. The first, a VW show, was held last weekend in Sevierville. Held twice a year - once in the Spring and once in the Fall - this latest event, called Circle Yer 'Wagens, was the 38th showing.

I design the graphics that are then used on the awards plaques and the event t-shirts. I then print both the awards (around 100 pieces) and the shirts and set up to sell the shirts at the event. Been doing this for over twenty years with shows in Sevierville, Pigeon Forge, and Gatlinburg.

My kids grew up going to these events. My daughter Jayde (see photo at right) used to win the Miss Circle Yer 'Wagens "contest" and her five-week-old daughter Eden is following in her footsteps - yep, she was selected as this year's Miss Circle Yer 'Wagens!

And this weekend is Okteen-



My daughter Jayde holding her daughter Eden. The cutie next to them is my 4-yr-old granddaughter Jaisa.

Yes, I am a proud dad and grandpa!



From Ten Until Twelve

(an autocross report)

Report by Vic Rola

The first fall autocross (we're going to have two more) is in the books! Fifteen drivers made the trip out to Pellissippi States' parking area. We've used these two adjacent lots at PSTCC for many years now, and our tip 'o the hat goes out to the PSTCC management we work with to secure the facility.

Course organizers showed up early, and Carol and I showed up at 0745 to assist in course design and pre-registration. As the morning moved forward, Rick Brooksbank broke away from Rick and Janis Berry and I, to begin teching the arriving Porsches.

Our safety/drivers meeting started at 0950, and we essentially had the first car on course at right about 1000. The fifteen drivers were broken up into two



run groups, and if you've been to any of our autocrosses, you know that you both play and work! The second run group started running at about 1115, and by 1200 Noon, we were through, and taking down the course.

Most folks there that have autocrossed at this site in the past, agreed that the designed course was probably the fastest course

we'd had at PSTCC! The runs averaged in the high 50's, and Men's FTD was Rick Berry in his '01 911. Ladies FTD was Carol Rola in her '72 911E. Good job you guys!

Next autocross? October 13th in conjunction with the 914 Registry Okteenerfest. The Sunday autocross will be at Dollywood's Splash Country. Fourteen + acres of pavement ... y'all.

Name	Porsche	1st Run	2nd Run	3rd Run	4th Run	5th Run	6th Run	
RAMSEY, TIM	87 911	56.463	54.285	54.94	54.372	54.231	71.893	
BENSON, JARRETT	02 BOXSTER	57.677	57.328	56.395	57.552	57.005	+155.25	
BERRY, RICK	01 911	52.599	DNF	51.8	DNF	51.794	52.65	MENS FTD
BRINKMAN, KEVIN	03 BOXSTER	65.418	60.126	57.991	59.492	58.731	58.481	
BROOKSBANK, RICK	05 BOXSTER S	56.858	55.292	54.574	54.666	54.048	53.804	
BUNCH, WILL	13 911	DNF	59.96	57.311	54.937	54.28	52.718	
CERRY, CHUCK	02 BOXSTER	59.591	59.741	58.078	57.55	56.42	56.606	
ELLIS, PATRICK	06 CAYENNE	100.287	85.935	77.64	70.659	68.68	64.12	
FARRELL, KATIE	72 911E	72.625	64.751	63.681	62.051	59.856	59.153	
HOAGLAND, JOE	13 BOXSTER	DNF	DNF	65.465	61.504	59.496	60.409	
KLASSEN, BRUCE	930 TURBO	DNF	55.905	+156.87	56.923	+156.239	56.402	+1
KLASSEN, JOSHUA	944 TURBO	70.44	DNF	DNF	63.048	62.908	62.683	
PARKER, MIKE	06 CAYENNE	DNF	DNF	57.591	57.941	55.857	56.253	
ROLA, CAROL	72 911E	DNF	59.275	59.192	57.679	56.686	DNS	LADIES FTD
ROLA, VIC	72 911E	54.185	53.587	DNS	DNS	DNS	DNS	

REPORT: Waynesville Drive

Report by Clyde & Kathryn Peery

Glorious early Fall weather prevailed as fifteen Porsches pulled out for a September 28-29 overnight drive to Waynesville, North Carolina, led by Clyde & Kathryn Peery. Leaving from the Puleo's Grill parking lot at Strawberry Plains, participants drove east on I-40 through Maggie Valley and then onto the Blue Ridge Parkway, stopping for a picnic lunch and beautiful views of the mountains at Water Rock Knob. From there it was a short drive to Waynesville and the Oak Park Inn.

A leisurely afternoon was spent either at the Inn, where several people either watched the UT game on TV or socialized at the Inn's lovely gathering spot un-

der large shade trees. Others hit the street for a short walk to downtown Waynesville and the delightful shopping opportunities offered by local businesses, all decorated for Fall. In the evening, everyone regrouped at Bogart's Restaurant across the street from the Inn, for a fine dinner and relaxing fellowship.

Breakfast the next morning was at the aptly-named Clyde's Restaurant in Waynesville, followed by a leisurely drive up the Blue Ridge to the Mt. Pisgah Inn for lunch and more great views of the mountains. The trip wound up with a visit to the Folk Arts Center on the Blue Ridge, outside Asheville.

Attending this Fall's driveout were Rick and Janis Berry, Carol Dockery, Dale and Mary Nell

Biehler, Donna Davis-Beltz and Buzz Beltz, Bob and Jyme Heilmann, Bob and Cathy Hutchins, Nick and Pat Imperato, Robert and Maryann Jankowsky, Peter and Paula Lepir, Rich and Carol Neubauer, Ashley Peery and Liesl Lanzoni, Beverly Ogle and Liz Der, Lynn Sheeley, Vaughn Smith and Louise Harrison, Bob and Sue Southerland, and Clyde and Kathryn Peery.

Everyone agreed the event was a wonderful opportunity to drive the cars, get together with old and new friends, and enjoy early Fall scenery in the mountains.



PCA members listen to Clyde during the obligatory pre-drive meeting.

(photo by Lynn Sheeley)



This "Porsche Puppy" loves going to the Region's events (and is obviously a Vols fan!)

(photo by Clyde Peery)



LEFT: A drive along the Blue Ridge Parkway is always a joy.

(photo by Clyde Peery)

BELOW: Region members taking a picnic break at one of the many lookouts along the Blue Ridge Parkway.

(photo by Lynn Sheeley)



LEFT: Porsches line the parking area of a lookout.

(photo by Lynn Sheeley)



Water Rock Knob.
(photo by Clyde Peery)



***View from Mt. Pisgah
Inn in Waynesville, NC.***
(photo by Clyde Peery)



We live in such a beautiful part of the country and it is such a treat to gather with friends who enjoy some of the same things - namely... Porsches and driving in the mountains!

(photo by Clyde Peery)



More Smoky Mountain views.

(photo by Clyde Peery)



LEFT: Three lovely ladies - Cathy Hutchins, Sue Southerland, and Kathryn Peery.
(photo by Clyde Peery)

BELOW: The Three Bobs - Bob Southerland, Bob Heimann, Bob Hutchins.
(photo by Clyde Peery)





SMOKY MOUNTAIN REGION PCA Fall Fest 2013

November 16-17

SATURDAY DRIVE/BANQUET:

This year's event will again be centered around the complex of stores/hotels at Exit 407 off I-40. Saturday's driveout will begin at 2:00 p.m. meeting at Smokies Park. This drive will end back in the same area with time for you to freshen up and/or join other members in the lounge at the Chop House prior to dinner, which will begin at 6:00 p.m.

Our banquet on Saturday evening will be at the Chop House at 6:00 p.m. with a menu choice of chargrilled shrimp, filet, prime rib, or Smoky Mountain BBQ combo (pork and chicken). Banquet cost is \$35 per person. You do not have to attend the autocross to join the drive/banquet.

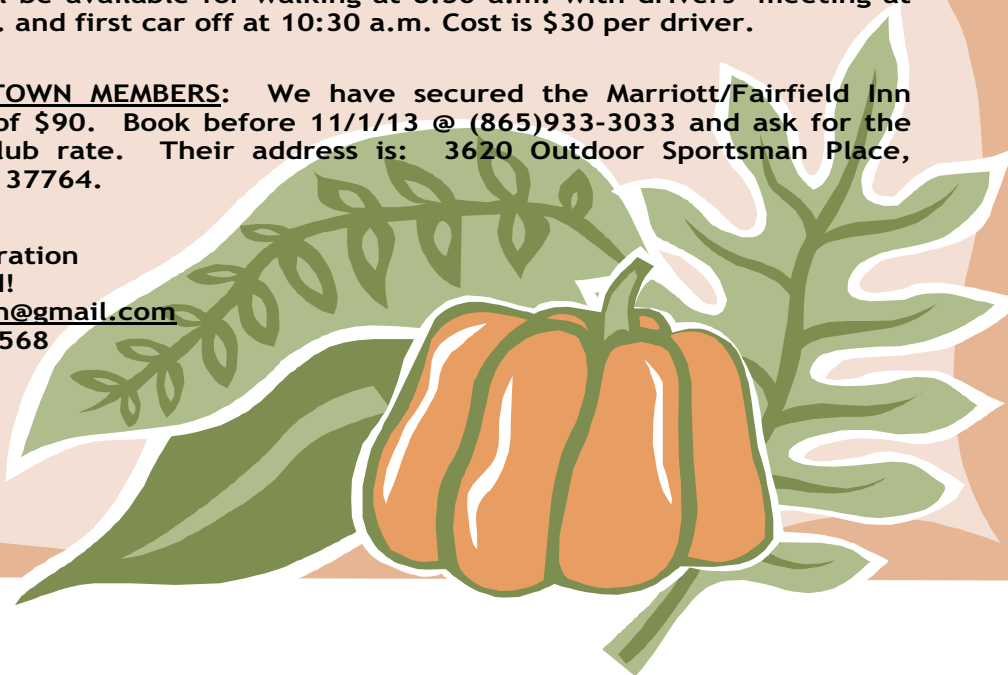
SUNDAY AUTOCROSS:

Will be held at the famed Dollywood Splash Country autocross site. The course will be available for walking at 8:30 a.m. with drivers' meeting at 10:00 a.m. and first car off at 10:30 a.m. Cost is \$30 per driver.

OUT OF TOWN MEMBERS: We have secured the Marriott/Fairfield Inn at a rate of \$90. Book before 11/1/13 @ (865)933-3033 and ask for the Porsche club rate. Their address is: 3620 Outdoor Sportsman Place, Kodak, TN 37764.

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2013 CALENDAR of EVENTS

Date	Event	Location	Time
Oct 9	Monthly Social/Dinner	Mimi's @ Turkey Creek	7:00pm
Oct 12	Board Meeting (Members Welcome)	Shoney's/Western Ave	9:00am
Oct 12	2014 Planning Meeting	Shoney's/Western Ave	10:00am
Oct 13	Autocross with Okteenerfest Group	Splash Country	10:00am
Oct 20	Concours	Knox Cty Park/Wms Bend Rd	12:30-4:30
Nov 13	Monthly Social/Dinner	Puleo's/North Knox	7:00pm
Nov 16-17	Fall Fest	Knoxville TN	Weekend
Dec 3	Holiday Party	Calhoun's on the River	6:00pm



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J.D. Daniels 865-256-4292

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