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PRESIDENT'S COLUMN

Hey! No hurry. Take your time in April to finish your spring cleaning, yard work, and car prep. We've only got two BGR events scheduled for the month. Gary Hackney has another dynamite breakfast drive planned to Natural Bridges State Park with a cruise through the Red River Gorge. And, we have our monthly Social meeting scheduled for April 23 at Portabella's.

So plan on taking care of the other business in April so that you can jump back in to P-car fun heavy in May. We've got our annual cruise to Nashville on May 19/20 to attend the Tennessee Tubs B-B-Q and car show. This has been a great activity for us over the past two years. We drive to Bowling Green on Friday and meet with several of the local PCA members for the evening. On Saturday we hookup with 30-50 Kentucky Region members and cruise on down to Nashville for the show. It's a blast to do the drive and

meet new folks from other regions! Getting up close and personal with those 356 beauties from the past is also a real kick.

Tim McNeely will be exposing us to a new winery in May. He's making the arrangements and scoping out the drive. With Tim in the lead and Trish providing second seat support, you can bet it will be a fun drive. You just got to love those red P-cars!

As you know, this is the time of year when P-car activities can "spring up" so be sure and check your e-mail for messages from Chat. If you aren't on Chat, keep an eye on the Events section of our BGS website.

See you at an event soon.




Still there for the fun of it!

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Editors Column by Ed Steverson

Do you have a door ding on your Porsche that you would REALLY love to have removed? Well, I just might have your answer. I have been in contact with The Dent Magician and I will be scheduling a visit to a social meeting sometime this summer. Chris, the Magician has offered to donate one dent removal for demonstration purposes. Everyone will have the opportunity to place your name in a hat and someone will win a free dent removal that will be done that night. More details to come. So check out the activities calendar on the web at bgs.pca.org for the latest. If you have an activity in mind please contact me and we can plan it. Suggestions and/or comments can be emailed to: rumble@abracadabra-graphics.com or I can be reached by phone at 502.320.2655

Drive it,
Ed



Membership by Tim McNeely

We remain 112 strong...a few transfers out, a few non-renewals, but four new members as well. Please join me in welcoming:

Paula Hollingsworth of Lexington	2000 Boxster S
Tim & Chris Howard of Lexington	1989 944
Rex & Deborah Lantz of Jonesville, VA	1979 924
Stan Sloan of Danville	1974 911

So how old are the P-cars are members are driving??? While I don't have data on those lucky members who own more than one Porsche, following is what the database says:

29% are models from the new millennium
24% are models from the 90's
28% are models from the 80's
14% are models from the 70's
4% are models from the 60's

And the oldest Porsche driven by one of our members is a 1959 356 driven by Brad Smith of Frankfort...and it is SWEET!!!

Upcoming Club Events

Board Meeting, May 1st

Board meeting, 6:30pm Cooking by George Lexington. For more info contact Ken Hold 859.396.3502

Tennessee Tubs, May 20th

Let's go eat Bar-B-Que! If you want to have a great time, see some fantastic Porsche's, and meet more Porsche car nuts, come with us to the Tennessee Tubs Bar-B-Que on Saturday May 20. This is an event the Bluegrass Region has attended for the past two years and it's a BLAST! The show (and food!) is at Cal Turner's Farm in Kingston Springs, TN. We will be leaving from Keeneland on Friday evening, May 19 and driving to Bowling Green, KY. There we will meet up with several P-car nuts for a fun filled evening of comraderie and dinner. We'll spend the night in Bowling Green and in the morning hook up with a large contengent of Porsches for a super drive to Nashville.

There will be a judged gathering of 356's and an opportunity to view Cal's collection of very rare Porsches. And, we'll have some fantastic BBQ! After the show we will do a drive back to Lexington.

Don't miss this event. It's a good one! For details contact Ken Hold at kendell-hold@insightbb.com or 859.396.3502.

Let me know if you plan to attend so I can coordinate the trip.

Ken Hold

Membership Meeting, May 21st

Come join us for our March Membership meeting, Great food, great fun, and great cars! 5:30pm Portabella's Richmond Road Lexington.
For more info contact Ken Hold 859.396.3502

On the cover



Photos by: B.J. Miller

B.J. Miller's
1990 911 Carrera 4 Cabriolet

Recent Club Events

Drive your Porsche on KY Speedway, by Richard Lane

March 25th was the club's second drive your Porsche on the KY Speedway event. The weather was a little drury but five Blugrass members still made the trip to the Speedway. There was two 911's, a GT3, Boxster and my 968. While one the track we had to follow the pace truck. My speedo only reached 95, although the picture below looks like 118. Following the run on the track, we caravanned to Belterra for lunch together How many opportunities do you get to run your Porsche on a speedway for only \$40 bucks? Two a year and the next time will be in November.Hope to see you then.

Drive it,
Ed



Track Action by Gary Hackney



Four Bluegrass members--Ken Partymiller (driving his "new" GT3R, with Larry Woods and Jim Brandon as crew), Mike Shepherd, BJ Miller, and I--enjoyed a sunny, snowy, sunny, and sleety day at Putnam Park on 3/25. The track ranged from good to undriveable, and in fact the event ended about an hour early after twenty minutes of rain & sleet made it unlikely that the track would dry out. Then after the storm I reinstalled my street tires under bright sunshine. That's March weather for you.

This was a Lee Grimes event; We had only 40 drivers and got lots of track time. Lee has another Putnam lapping day on August 5th; his website is <http://www.100-speed.com>.

My next event is also at Putnam, CIR's Spring Brake April 21-23. This event is full and has a waiting list, although the "Intro to DE" may have openings.

Kentucky Region is organizing a three-day DE at Putnam Park on June 16-18. By the time you read this their website will have the details and the registration information. Support our neighbors!

Do you know how to shift? Of course. But do you rev match? Do you heel-&-toe? There's a excellent article on the hows and whys of shifting on the Kentucky Region website at <http://ky.pca.org/Articles/Shifting-Tech.html>. This is actually the article I learned from, found in a different place several years ago.

The SCCA Autocross season has started; the 3/19 event had five Porsches entered, four of them Bluegrass members. Ron Bernot took 1st and Jack Strifling took 5th in B-Stock, David Ratliff finished 2nd in Super Stock against a slew of Corvettes, and Robbie Poindexter came in 5th in E-Stock.

Check the CKR website at <http://www.ckrscca.org> for upcoming events, either to enter or watch.

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Upcoming Driving Events

Apr 15-16 Ohio Valley @ Mid-Ohio
Apr 21-23 CIR "Spring Brake" @ Putnam Park
May 5-7 Potomac @ Mid-Ohio
May 12-13 Mid-Ohio @ Mid-Ohio
May 19-21 1st Settlers @ VIR
May 29-30 Chin Motorsports @ Mid-Ohio
Jun 10-11 Peachstate @ Road Atlanta
Jun 16-18 Kentucky @ Putnam Park
Jun 16-18 Alabama @ Barber Motorsports Park
Jul 22-23 Mid-Ohio @ Putnam Park
Aug 5 Lee Grimes @ Putnam Park
Aug 19-20 Peachstate @ Road Atlanta

Visit the respective regions' websites for more information. Keep in mind that many events have a "start of registration" date two or three months in advance of the event, and they fill up quickly.

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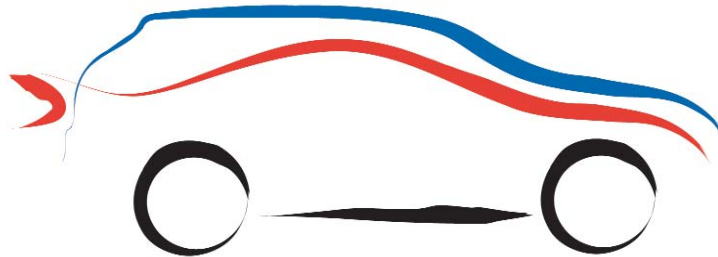
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2006 Cayenne Turbo

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Pre Driven Porsche

2005 Cayenne V-6, Nav, 9k \$44,750

2004 Cayenne V-6, 16k \$39,750

2002 Carrera C2 Coupe, 6 speed, 34k

\$49,750

2002 Boxster, 6 speed, Black/Tan, 41k

\$24,750

2002 Carrera Cabriolet, Tiptronic, 30k

\$56,750

Demo Porsche

2005 Cayenne Turbo, Silver, 7k \$85,000

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1. In the late fifties Porsche raced a center-seat car for the first time. What model was it?

- a. RSK Spyder
- b. 356A
- c. Speedster
- d. None of the above

Excellence, Vol.1, page 244-a

2. The 908 provided Porsche with its first Makes Championship in:

- a. 1968
- b. 1969
- c. 1970
- d. None of the above

Panorama 12/01, page 25-b

3. In the September 2002 issue of Panorama there was a tribute to the legendary Al Holbert. Mr. Holbert's first Porsche racecar was a model:

- a. 911R
- b. 911S
- c. C-production 914/6
- d. None of the above

Panorama 9/02, page 24-c

4. Which item was not a main technical feature of the Porsche 959 when it was first announced?

- a. Four-wheel drive with variable torque split
- b. Six-speed gearbox
- c. Tiptronic transmission as an option
- d. Four shock absorbers per wheel

Porsche 911 Story, page 296-c

5. Which of these Type 964 variants was not available in 1994?

- a. RS America
- b. America Roadster
- c. Turbo
- d. Speedster

The Porsche Family Tree, PCA, page 18-b

6. The 30th Anniversary of the 911 took place in the penultimate model year of the Type 964 version of the 911.

True or False

Excellence, Vol. 3, page 1125-T

Tech Quiz continued

8. The 1990 Carreras both C2 and C4 were available with all body styles including the Targa.

True or False

Excellence, Vol. 3, page 1139-T

9. In 1951, Porsche introduced a larger 1.3-liter engine for the 356 known as Type:

- a. 959
- b. 987
- c. 506
- d. 904

Excellence, Vol. 1, page 54-c

10. What was the front/rear weight distribution of the early 4-cylinder 914?

- a. 75/25
- b. 50/50
- c. 46/54
- d. 30/70

Excellence, 1st Ed., page 558-c

11. The 924's solid propeller shaft kept rotating inertia to a minimum, thereby reducing the extra burden that the shaft placed on the transmission's synchronizers. This same design was used on the _____.

- a. Pontiac Tempest
- b. Mini
- c. Ferrari Testarossa
- d. Mercedes 250C

Excellence, Vol. 2, page 753-a

12. The use of balance shafts was not without controversy at Porsche. Such shafts had first been proposed by Briton Frederick Lanchester before WWI. Porsche ultimately decided to pay royalty fees to _____ instead of the added costs of their own design.

- a. Triumph
- b. Mitsubishi
- c. Elva
- d. VW

Excellence, Vol.2, page 944-b

Region News

Rumble Cover Cars

URGENT!! UPDATE, I only have a TWO cars left to use for the covers. So If you have a photo of your Porsche and would like to see it on the cover of a future Rumble, send it to me at rumble@abracadabra-graphics.com.

Rumble News

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New ones have been printed and are available by contacting Ed Steverson, Ken Hold, or attending a BGR function. Please place a couple in your wallet and hand them out to Porsche's you come across in you daily activities.

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