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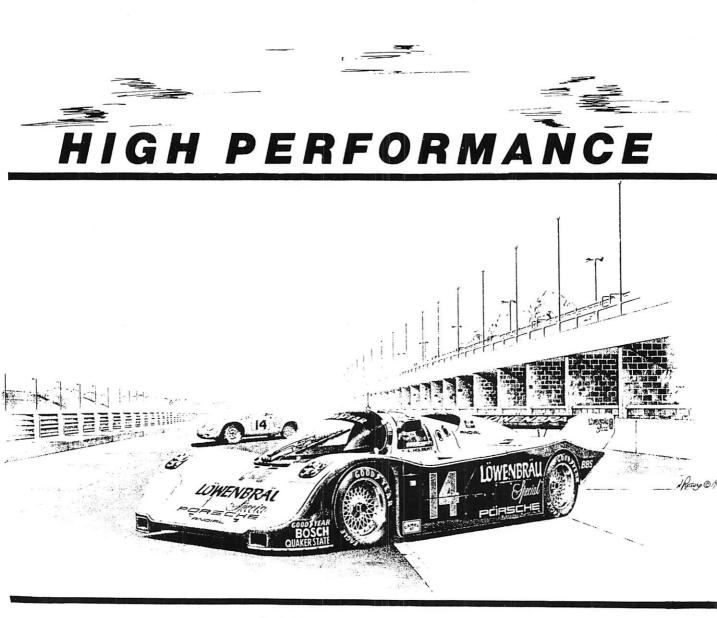


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IN THIS ISSUE FIRST DRIVER'S ED EVENT 5/30-5/31- POCONO SUPERTECH AT DOUGHERTY'S 3/7 JAN. MEETING/PHILA. AUTO SHOW PENSKE TOUR & HOLIDAY BANQUET RECAPS

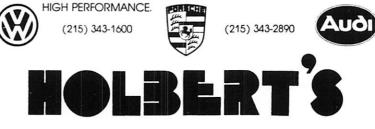
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# **President's Page**

We had a super December - Saturday, December 13<sup>th</sup> was a busy day for Riesentöter. Thanks to everyone who was involved!

### The Great Tour Lottery

The lucky 20 members who won a spot on the Penske Tour started the day at 9:00am with Craig and Nancy Rosenfeld, owners of Vision Porsche, Audi, Volkswagen in Reading, who hosted a delicious breakfast at their cool dealership. Those attending were munching on omelets and blueberry pancakes while roaming around the showroom checking out the fabulous rolling-stock. We all had a chance to chat with old friends and new friends. Long-time member Nagel Bridwell had some great stories about our region and the cars in the early days. (What came before a 356?) As we lined up for a photo session by the Christmas tree, Chip Grimes, Pete Fitzpatrick, Walter Grube and Len Clark led us in a rousing version of "Deck the halls." At 10:00 sharp, the Porsche wagon train pulled out for the Penske Shop Tour led by Bill Frame. (The Tour was so great that we had TWO members write articles about it - Randy Jameson and Mark Winkle. See their articles later in this issue!) If we all bug Craig enough, maybe we can have this become an annual event. Many thanks to Craig and Nancy, the super employees at Vision, the Penske Team and to all the members who participated.

### Vince's Car Makes me Scream!

Saturday, 5:30pm. As we leave for the Riesentöter 40<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Christmas Banquet, I can't help thinking "Gee, I look good in this Boxster" and "Do you think Vince Evans at Holbert's will notice if I keep this neat car?" To heck with the dress and the hair - "I'M DRIVING A BOXSTER!!!!!" Vince and the kind folks at Holbert's lent us a Boxster to display on the portico at the Doylestown Country Club. We thought it was really appropriate for our special 40<sup>th</sup> Anniversary bash. If you came in the front door you saw it! (The problem was, I didn't want to get out of the car...)

In addition to the classy doorstop, Larry Holbert gave the Region a nice check to help sponsor our party. Thank you for your thoughtfulness!

#### The Holiday Banquet was a Blast

Member Rick Newman is the manager at Doylestown Country Club and he did a super job with our special banquet. (Kudos to Judy Mandronico at DCC for her TLC!) Not only did everyone have all the hors d'oeuvres they could handle, the food stations were fantastic and no one went home hungry. The band was terrific, the videos in the lounge were fun and the Stuttgartarita's were great! See my article later in this issue for more on the lovely Holiday Banquet.

As your newly elected president, I will be the first to tell you I have some pretty big loafers to fill. I know all members will

agree that John Heckman has done an excellent job as President of our region for the past three years. John helped to finish the process begun several years ago of making Riesentöter a fun club that welcomes all members and has something of interest for everyone. John has had a real knack for helping people work together for a common goal – improving our club and getting members involved. On a personal note – thanks John, I have enjoyed working with you as vice-president and I look forward to working with you as president. (Also, I have really enjoyed your "spirited" driving at the go-kart track!)

My theme for the year? Let's have fun with Riesentöter! Do you have any suggestions for old, new or expanded events? Did you have fun at an event? Write to the "new" President's Page, c/o Der Gasser. All letters or notes will be published. Do you remember your first? Want to write an article about your first time? (Driving a Porsche) Want to send in a picture of your baby? (Car) Write in! We want to hear from you!

Best wishes to everyone for a super 1998 – see you at the "January" meeting at the Philadelphia Auto Show on February 4, 1998. See the article about the meeting by new Vice President, Nick Hatatski elsewhere in *Der Gasser*.

P.S. My first was a Petrol Blue '79 924 (see photo below).

It's 59° today - the beginning of January. Thanks El Niño for the super cruising weather. (Unfortunately, there is too much salt dust on the road to bring the '72 out.)



Me driving at Summit Point in September, 1991. (Photo courtesy Melissa Plenzick.)

# Down The Pike

# FEBRUARY

- 4 January Meeting at the Philadelphia Auto Show
- 25 Club Meeting, details in the February issue of Der Gasser

# MARCH

7 Supertech, Dougherty Automotive, West Chester, PA 9:00am to 2pm

## APRIL

25 22nd Annual Porsche "Only" Swap Meet, Hershey Park, Hershey, PA 7:30am to 4:00pm

## JULY

19-25 43rd Annual Porsche Parade, Steamboat Springs, CO Hosted by Rocky Mountain Region. Registration opens January 26. See November, 1997 <u>Panorama</u> for registration form.



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# **1998 TRACK EVENTS**

## FEBRUARY

13-15 Sebring (Club Race, Host - Gold Coast/Suncoast) MARCH

28-29 Texas World Spdwy (Club Race, Host - Lone Star) APRIL

18-19 Road Atlanta (Club Race, Host - Peachstate) MAY

- 2-3 Las Vegas (Club Race, Host Intermountain)
- 8-9 Lime Rock (Club Race, Host Conn. Valley)
- 16-17 Mid Ohio (Club Race, Host Mid Ohio)
- 30-31 Pocono North Course (Driver's Ed, Host RTR)
- 30-31 Putnam Park (Club Race, Host Ohio Valley)

### JUNE

- 21-22 Brainerd (Club Race, Host Nord Stern)
- 27-28 Summit Point (Club Race, Host Potomac)

### JULY

- 4-5\* GingerMan (Club Race, Host SE Michigan)
- 17-18 Second Creek (Club Race, Host Rocky Mountain & Alpine Mountain, in conjunction with Parade)

### AUGUST

- 1-2 Mosport (Club Race, Host Upper Canada, possibly July 15-16 instead)
- 8-9 Portland (Club Race, Host Oregon)
- 14 Pocono (Driver's Ed, Host RTR)
- 15-16 Pocono (Club Race, Host RTR)
- 21-22 Indianapolis-IRP (Club Race, Host Central IN)

### SEPTEMBER

- 5-7\* Road America (Club Race, Host Chicago)
- 26-27 Willow Springs (Club Race, Host Los Angeles)

### **OCTOBER**

- 3-4 Thunder Hill (Club Race, Host Sacramento Valley & Golden Gate)
- 10-11 Heartland Park (Club Race, Host Great Plains)
- 31-11/1 Memphis (Club Race, Host Mid-South)

### DECEMBER

- 5-6\* Sears Point (Club Race, Host Golden Gate)
- 5-6\* Roebling Road (Club Race, Host Carolinas)

\* These dates are based on the 1997 schedule; no final confirmation date has been received.

## DER GOODY STORE Jim Foster, Prop.

The Goody Store has RTR decals, hats, T-shirts and sweatshirts. I also have fire extinguishers, racer tape, posters and other great items.

See you at the next meeting!

# **Club Meeting Info**

I hope everyone had a safe and happy holiday season. As your newly elected Vice President, I look forward to contributing to an exciting new year. If you have any suggestions or topics for our club meetings, please feel free to share your ideas with me.

Our first meeting for 1998 will be held at the **Philadelphia Auto Show on Wednesday, February** 4<sup>th</sup>. I urge all members to join us for an informative and exciting evening. We will be meeting at the Porsche banner located near the ticket sales booth at 7:30pm. Please remember to please show your colors by wearing your Porsche/Riesentöter attire. Our business meeting will be followed by complimentary admission to the auto show, thanks to our gracious host and Riesentötor member, Saul Kun. Saul is Chairman of the Philadelphia Auto Show and proprietor of Fort Buick-Pontiac, Inc. in Fort Washington, PA.

If you will be attending the meeting (family members are also welcome), please reserve your tickets by no later than Monday, February 2<sup>nd</sup> via email at vanh@sprintmail.com or leave a message at (610) 269-3467.

Our next club meeting will be held on Wednesday, February 25<sup>th</sup>. Stay tuned for further details in the next issue of *Der Gasser*!

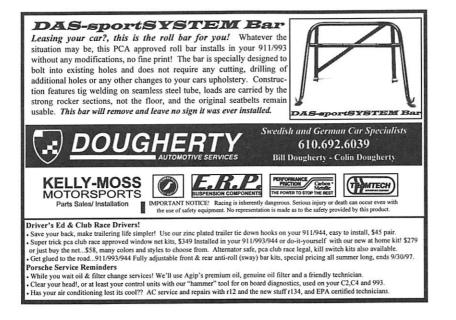
Nick Hatalski Vice President

### **Help Wanted**

We are looking for a Volunteer Coordinator to organize and manage volunteer workers for track events and the Club Race. We really need your help! Please call Melissa at (215) 343-0263 if you are interested.

We are also looking for a Riesentöter member Internet expert, willing to become the new WebMeister. Our current WebMeister (Jim Foster) is doing a great job, but now that he is Der Goody StoreMeister, his time is at a premium. We would like to get a new victim, I mean member, to help our club with this very important position. Call Melissa if interested (215) 343-0263.

Finally, we are looking for a Riesentöter member CPA who will review the club finances and provide assistance in forecasting our income and expenses for the coming year. No salary and no 401(k), but we will feed you pizza when you present your final report. Call Melissa if interested (215) 343-0263.





The Holiday Banquet at the Doylestown Country Club on December 13th was a rousing success. The food, company and music were fantastic. Many thanks to Rick Newman and Pat Tillson for putting on another memorable RTR event.

Everyone attending received a commemorative Riesentöter 40<sup>th</sup> Anniversary glass designed by Fred Bonsall. (The Goody Store will have these available for purchase.) The Club also sponsored a photo of each couple, taken by Dave "Freeze Frame" Newman. Thanks for taking such great pictures Dave! Is it true you have a very special picture of Pat Tillson? Pat did a super job welcoming all banquet attendees, regardless of whether they were with our banquet or the Wedding party in the other room. Thanks Pat for all your hard work! Mike Andrews and the lovely Liz Turner were first on the dance floor leading us all in the Conga Line. Charlie Beidler and his charming partner were also great dancers. Fred and Ginger would have been envious!

We had numerous friends of Riesentöter providing doorprizes for the banquet. They really helped make our evening exceptional. Ed Kress at Don Rosen Porsche/Audi sponsored a full car detail and a limited edition scale model set, John and Tracy Chatley sponsored a bucket o' cleaning supplies, Colin Dougherty at Doughety Automotive Service sponsored several oil changes and alignments, Sheri Graham at Arnolds Karts sponsored several gift certificates for Arnold's, Bud Mauger of Mauger & Co. sponsored several hats and fleece blankets, Jeff Cox at Stuttgart Magazine sponsored a year subscription to the magazine and John and Chris Crowley sponsored a super picture signed by Derek Bell. Thank you all for your participation.

Congratulations to all those who received Awards at the banquet

Riesentöter Award - John Heckman Tattered Helmet - Pat Tillson High Speed Driver - Jim Zelinskie Mighty Nitto - Bill and Debbie Cooper Broken Crankshaft - Jason Mahoney The Door Prize - Randy Jameson Case-Beidler Award - John Heckman

Hope to see everyone at our future events! Don't wait until the next Christmas banquet to come out and have some fun with your club!



Hors d'oeuvres, drinks and mingling before dinner at the Holiday Banquet. (Photo courtesy of Bill O'Connell.)

### 911 Intake Leaks by Bruce Whittier, North Country Region

Vacuum leaks in the intake system of your 911 can be a major reason for rough idle and poor acceleration. Where as a carbureted model has few places in the intake system to leak, a fuel injected engine has many possible areas of trouble.

In my every day work, I find three areas that account for most of the intake leaks in the 911 fuel injected engine. The first is injector seals, these little rubber o-rings can let a large amount of air pass into the system if they are bad.

Next comes the CIS-type injection air box. If the upper and lower chambers are not sealed together tightly, air can seep into the intake. Lastly is the rubber boots that connect the intake runners to the intake box, the clamps may be loose or the rubber boots can be cracked.

All the areas mentioned above can be a source of unregulated air passing into the intake system. This air will change the air to fuel ratio, and this can lead to poor acceleration and rough idle.

# ANNOUNCING

Something that's been missing from the Auto Insurance Market Place: O.N T.RACK C.OVERAGE for the price of collector car insurance!

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Have you attempted applying for one of those other policies but were turned off by all the paperwork? "What am I, a circus animal jumping through all these hoops?"

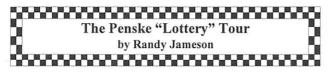
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It started with a phone call on Saturday, December 6<sup>th</sup>. Melissa said I was one of the lucky curiosity seekers chosen from the "Nick's Helmet Lottery System" to find out what actually took place at the Penske racing headquarters in Reading, PA.

On December 13<sup>th</sup>, the day started out at Vision Porsche with a breakfast buffet compliments of Craig Rosenfeld, Club member and proud owner of Vision Porsche-Audi-VW. The sales staff was on hand to show off their selection of new and fine used Porsches. After members were satisfied with Craig's hospitality, all were given maps to nearby Penske Racing, which was less than 10 minutes away. Soon, with a parking lot full of anxious members, the door opened. We were greeted by Tim Lombardi, a Penske Racing staff member since 1976. Tim explained how Roger Penske started out in 1972 with a staff of 20, working in the present location, with a building size of 10,000 square feet. At present, the building has increased to over 35,000 square feet with a staff of 80. Penske Racing also has a location in England that employs a staff of 80.

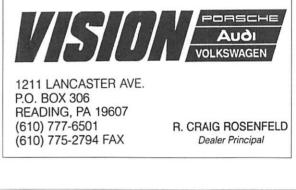
On display in the shop was a 1997 CART (Championship Auto Racing Team) racing car. These cars are built at their England location and maintained here at the Reading headquarters. As everyone took pictures and drooled worse than my 10-month old, Tim answered questions about this high-tech racing machine. As we moved on, Tim focused on each mechanic's work station area. He mentioned how serious Roger Penske was about cleanliness in the work environment. The shop was kept as clean as any hospital operating room. One area that impressed our group was the new "state of the art" computerized dyno room. The room, where engines are tested, can simulate actual race course conditions, thus testing engine demands. This and more, including various climate conditions, can be programmed and controlled from the adjoining sound-proof computer room.

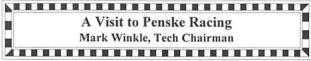
The last part of the tour took us through the paint booth room and into the garage area where the enormous and very clean tractor-trailers sat idle along with other racing equipment. After every race, everyone involved returns to the Penske headquarters for a post-race meeting.

This was a visit everyone would not forget for a long time. We all thanked Tim Lombardi when leaving and for donating his personal time in making this tour a Club event to remember. The Riesentöter Region would also like to thank Roger Penske for allowing the Porsche Club of America in his facility.



The RTR Gang at Vision Porsche before going to Penske Racing. (Photo courtesy Dick Bach.)





This was a real Porsche day. It started out with breakfast at Vision Porsche in Reading followed by a tour of Penske's Indy car facility (OK, this part wasn't exactly Porsche) and ending with the holiday banquet that evening. Craig laid out a nice breakfast spread for the Riesentöter club members among the new Porsches (along with a Ferrari and a couple of twowheeled rockets) in the Vision showroom. We were careful not to get jam on the new models.

It is a short drive to Penske's facilities. We gathered around the door while we waited for everyone to arrive - it was a beautiful, sunny day. I saw that some people had brought cameras and thought that they were being terribly optimistic. I didn't even bother bringing one since I was SURE that they wouldn't allow any photography.

Finally, the door opened and our host gathered us around a '96 car at the near-end of the building to welcome us. It is a large

room with a wide center isle and bays on either side. The first thing you notice is that the place is clean - really clean. No grease, no dust, no tools scattered about, no discarded parts. Everything looks like the cleaning lady just left. Our host claims that is always looks like this. It is hard to believe that they get anything done here. Someone asks "Can we take pictures?" "Yeah, you can shoot anything you see on the tour" he answers. Rats! Next year I will bring a camera.

The car was on an 10-ton slab of steel that was used as the alignment plate in years past. It has been replaced by a portable plate but nobody has figured out how to get the old one out. Everyone stands back at first but then we realize that it is OK touch it. Some of the body panels come off and we get a good look at the front suspension. We spend quite some time here while the group gets a good look at the car and asks questions. Everything from brakes to graphics are discussed. The attention to detail on this car is amazing. These cars are as much art as engineering. It is hard to believe that it was ever on a race track.

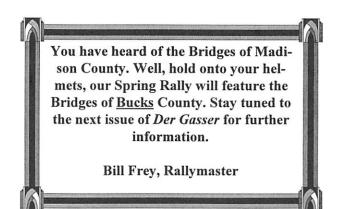
We move down the aisle to a bay with a '97 car set up for road racing. The main difference is in the tail but we noticed others upon closer inspection. Another bay is full of springs arranged very neatly on tables by spring rate. We move into the dyno rooms. An Illmor V-8 is sitting near the entrance of the first room while the dyno itself is in climate-controlled room in the back with a separate control room adjacent to it. Looks like something from NASA. It is programmable to simulate driving on the track under a variety of weather conditions. We move on to the exhaust shop, shock room, and paint room. Even the paint room is clean. We learn that the old paint is stripped from the cars by hand with a razor blade. We get a tour of one of the transports in the truck bays and we are shown how everything in packed into the truck. On the way out our host points out a gym on the second floor for the pit crew. Part of their job is to stay in shape.

This tour gave a close look at the other part of racing - the part you do not see on TV. This was a group of people who enjoy these details and we were not disappointed. It was a rare opportunity to get such a close look at the cars and the facilities of one of the most respected teams in auto racing.

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### SUPERTECH Session

Date: March 7, 1998

Place Dougherty Automotive Services 720 E. Nields St West Chester, PA

Schedule of Events:

9am - 1pm	Bays open for car work		
Noon - 1pm	Lunch		
Noon - 2pm	Tech Discussions : 911 and 944		
	Maintenance Procedures		

Dougherty's will be sponsoring the 12<sup>th</sup> annual SUPERTECH session on March 7 this spring. Their bays will be available from 9am - 2pm for club members who want to bring their Porsches in to do some work. You are also welcome to come in to see what others are doing to their cars and meet some of the other club members.

The Dougherty experts will be around to answer questions and the parts counter will be open just in case you forgot something. Lifts will be assigned on a first come-first serve basis (\$5 fee) and will be limited to 2 hours if things get crowded. Please limit your plans to maintenance and minor repairs in order to stay within the time limits. A lunch will be available around noon and we will start the Tech Discussion as soon as the everyone gets something to eat.

We haven't worked out all the details yet but the general theme will be maintenance procedures for 911s and 944s. Check next months Der Gasser for more details. The Dougherty team will always does a great job at these presentations. This is a great opportunity to get your Porsche ready for Spring and to get aquatinted with others in the club. See you there.

Mark Winkle, Tech Chairman

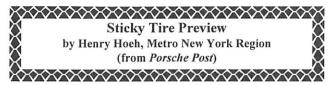
Please welcome the following members who joined RTR during the second half of 1997:

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Thanks to some of my internet connections (no pun intended), I got to see a few words relating to the sticky DOT-tire offerings for 1998. BF Goodrich will be introducing a new high performance tire reported to be called the g-Force T/A R1. It will no longer be constructed using an asymmetric belt pattern that the Comp T/A R1 currently employs. It will come with less tread depth (reportedly only 3/32nds of tread) than the old R1s had and will have a tread block pattern similar to the Hoosier and Goodyear sticky tires, which is to say a non-existent or holographic-like tread pattern at best. It should be available first for 18-inch diameter wheels, which is great news for you twinturbo and C4S owners out there who have had no 18-inch sizes available for the last two years.

I also heard that Hoosier will also be offering their sticky tire in 18-inch sizes for 1998 as well. The other tire manufacturers will follow, I'm sure. So, go ahead and order that new Boxster with the optional autocross-ready suspension and 18-inch, turbo-look wheels. We finally have shoes for you.



## PCNA Relocates Headquarters to Atlanta

ATLANTA, November 4 -- Georgia Governor Zell Miller and Porsche Cars North America, Inc. (PCNA) President and CEO Frederick J. Schwab formally announced the automobile importer's plans to relocate its administrative headquarters from Reno, Nev. to metro Atlanta's North Fulton County at a news conference this morning.

Deloitte & Touche/Fantus Consulting conducted the search for a new corporate headquarters for PCNA, Bob Farley, director of the Atlanta office of D&T/Fantus, said today. Farley said New York, Chicago and Dallas were the other contenders for the headquarters location. He cited five key reasons for the metro Atlanta's win:

- Atlanta's location offers better access to the parent company in Stuttgart, Germany, which in turn allows for better company integration.
- The move places Porsche in "the new center of the U.S. auto industry."
- Metro Atlanta offers good recruiting potential, which is important to a growing company; an excellent business climate that is international in scope; and a superior quality of life.
- The Southeastern U.S. location offers potential for expansion, with the added possibility of providing North American manufacturing capability for Porsche at some future date.
- Georgia is very responsive and supportive to the needs of business.

D&T/Fantus was retained in August 1997 by Porsche to conduct the search for a new corporate headquarters. Final location recommendations were made to Porsche in October 1997. PCNA's national Parts Distribution Center and one of its three Service Training Centers will remain at their Reno locations.

Annual payroll for Porsche in metro Atlanta will be in the range of \$8 million, with an economic ripple effect of up to \$30 million. Porsche expects to employ more than 90 at its Atlanta location when it begins operating from its new 32,000-sq.-ft.headquarters site in early March 1998. The new headquarters site is slated to be in Lakeside Commons (the Georgia 400 -I-285 area off of Hammond Road).

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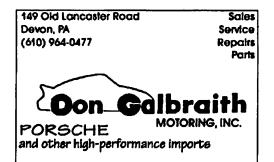
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