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### President's Corner By Pat Norris



Just about a year ago we had our last full-blown social, without all the restrictions. Seems like a long time ago.

I know that I have written about Treffen and Parade a number of times in the last few months, and I suspect that's because I miss seeing everyone.

With Parade, often you see folks only once a year. Since people come from regions all over PCA, it's not like you just happen to be in the neighborhood. So once a year, when the opportunity arises, we really enjoy seeing everyone

and catching up on the past year.

Now, that scenario is happening with the local region. We haven't seen folks right in our own region, in most cases, for about a year. Can you imagine what it's going to be like when we can all gather and catch up?

While a year seems like too long to wait, I am willing to wait even longer to make sure everyone is safe and I will see all of them again at many more events in the future.

This month, there is a tour, an adopt-a-roadway event, and a DE. While we are limited on the number of folks that can attend, it will still be a real treat to see folks.

Stay safe, and I hope to see you at one of these events, or a future event down the road.



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Editor's Column

By Debi Norris

I am sorry this issue is getting out a little later than usual. With life slowly beginning to return to a bit of normal, I am discovering my multi-tasking skills

are a bit rusty. I had difficulty finding the time to finish up this issue while returning to teaching in person fulltime! Hopefully, I will plan a little better and get the April issue out on time.

I was so sad to hear of the passing of Tom Sherman. When we first transferred to Southern Arizona from the San Diego Region, Tom was the first person to welcome us to our new club. I fondly remember his warm grin as we attended our first Cinco event where Tom introduced us around and made us feel so welcome. He will be sorely missed and I wish the best to his wife, Connie, in this difficult time.

We actually have some activities to put on our calendar this month. We have 3 events -- a tour on March 6<sup>th</sup>, (which probably has already occurred by the time you read this), an Adopt-a-Roadway event on March 27<sup>th</sup>, and a Driver's Education on March 28<sup>th</sup>. I am looking forward to getting to see some of our Porsche Club Family!

As our beautiful spring weather warms up, with it returns a spark of optimism that perhaps the worst of the pandemic is behind us. Hang in there, everyone. We have been through a lot in the last year but there is finally a faint light at the end of the tunnel!

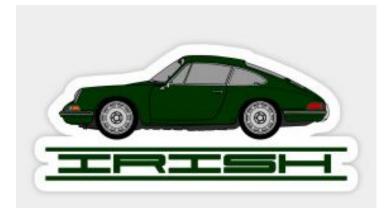
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# **Upcoming Events**





Local events in **Bold** 

### March

02 - Virtual Membership Meeting - check your email for details and a link

06 - Tour to Roper Lake State Park

15 - Driver's Education - Willow Springs -CCCR

16 - Board Meeting

27 - Adopt-a-Roadway

28 - DE at Musselman

29 - Autocross/Driver's Education - Streets of Willow - GPX

### April

03-04 - DE/TT at Chuckwalla - SDR

06 - Virtual Membership Meeting - check your email for details and a link

10 - Driving Tour - check your email for details

18 - Autocross at Autoclub Speedway -RSR

20 - Board Meeting

### May

04 - Virtual Membership Meeting - check your email for details and a link

05-09 Treffen Scottsdale

**18 - Board Meeting** 

### June

08 - Virtual Membership Meeting - check your email for details and a link

22 - Board Meeting

### July

06 - Virtual Membership Meeting - check your email for details and a link

11-17 - Porsche Parade - French Lick, Indiana

20 - Board Meeting

All events subject to cancellation or postponement due to COVID-19 restrictions. Check our website at pcasar.org for up-to-date information.

# Sunday, March 28, 2021 Musselman Honda Circuit, Tucson, AZ

Tentative Schedule: Tech & Registration 7AM to 8AM Driver Mtg: 8:20AM Parade Laps: 8:35AM

First Car on Track: 9 AM

Please join us for our first High Performance Driver Education event of 2021. We will have continuous lapping with a passing zone. The most track time for a one day event in the Tucson Area! All makes of vehicles are welcome. Because of COVID this event is for experienced drivers only. PCA is currently not allowing SAR to provide in car instruction for novice/1st time drivers because of social distancing.

https://www.motorsportreg.com/events/pca-sar-high-performance-driver-educationmusselman-honda-circuit-963275

**Registration Fee: \$175.** 

Registration is limited to 30 drivers so sign up early. No registration at the track.



### What is a DE, Anyway?

Do you want to drive your Porsche at speed in a legal way? Do you want to test the limits of your Porsche in a safe environment? The best way to do both is to join us at a Driver's Education event! The next PCA-SAR DE is coming up at the end of the month. This is your chance to really drive your Porsche the way it was meant to be driven. Below is information from PCA National about what a DE is all about:



"The mission and purpose of the Porsche Club of America's Drivers Education Program is to provide a safe, structured and controlled teaching and learning environment. The PCA DE Program is designed so that participants can

improve their driving abilities and acquire a better understanding of vehicle dynamics and driving safety. Participants will experience first-hand the capabilities of high performance automobiles in a controlled, closedcourse environment and acquire skills that will enhance safer vehicle operation in all driving situations.



**One giant word of caution:** this adventure can become very addictive. Our instructors will teach you to drive your Porsche the way Stuttgart designed it to be driven. PCA DE schools are run in a safe and controlled environment on a closed course. Like any new sport your instructor will guide you into this exciting world of high performance driving. These weekends are great sources of stories for the Monday morning coffee break. You will have dreams about various turns and wake up with memories of your instructor yelling BRAKE or DON'T LIFT. These schools are truly the only safe way to learn the engineering dynamics that went into the development of this famous racing marque. However, it is noted that *PCA DE events are not racing, nor preparation for racing.* No times or placings are recorded, and no awards or prizes are received by the participants of PCA Drivers Education events; just a lot of fun and camaraderie. Any conduct considered by the Porsche Club of America to be either unsafe or inconsistent with the spirit or purpose of the Drivers Education Program will not be permitted. *This approach keeps the events safe for all participants!"* 

(Note, due to COVID restrictions Instructions are limited to Lead/Follow instruction. No in-car instruction is permitted.)

So, go ahead and sign up for our next DE at https://www.motorsportreg.com/events/pca-sar-high-performance-driver-education-musselman-honda-circuit-963275

### Auf Wiedersehen Photos and article by Barb Crowley – Lifetime Member

We are sad to say goodbye to our dear friend, Tom Sherman, who passed away in February of 2021. For many SAR members, Tom was the first person they had contact with in SAR because he was the region's Membership Chair through 2015. He was always there to greet and introduce new members at monthly meetings. He wrote the Willkommen articles for the *ZN* as well as coordinated the acquisition of name badges for new members.

Tom also chaired and organized the club's participation in the Tubac Car Show for many years. He was passionate about promoting this event making it one of the best-attended gatherings of Porsches each year. So many Porsches entered that he was able to convince the organizers (Santa Cruz Valley Car Nuts) to divide the class into two divisions – "1999 and older" and "2000 to the present."

Tom was instrumental in updating the club's By-laws. He was a proofreader for the newsletter. His knowledge of grammar and spelling combined with his attention to detail was epoch. He attended most SAR events and almost every membership meeting and board meeting. He was generous with his time – assisting his wife Connie with SAR charities and volunteering whenever needed. Most of you remember being greeted by Tom and Connie at the check-in table at Cinco and Holiday Party banquets.

In 2005, Tom was awarded the President's Cup. In 2015, both Tom and his wife Connie received the President's Cup. The Sherman's continued contributions to the success of SAR were also recognized by achieving the status of Lifetime Members. Tom was definitely a big part of the SAR family that will be greatly missed. Larry and Rita Dennis shared this message: "We sure miss not being with longtime friends this past year and to lose someone is heart breaking and adds to the loss."

We send our condolences to Connie, and Tom's family, from your SAR family. He will be missed.





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### Adopt-a-Roadway Continues! March 27<sup>th</sup> By Lon Reeder – Committee Chairperson



Our October Adopt-a-Roadway was a big success. While continuing to follow the guidelines from Pima County and PCA on how to conduct events with proper precautions to protect everyone's health, we will continue our community commitment with an Adopt-A-Roadway event on Saturday, March 27th. For many years our club has been committed to this program as a very effective means of demonstrating our continued support to our community. The Adopt-A-Roadway program is part of the nationwide effort of sponsorship designed to help beautify our roadways by facilitating

trash removal and saving

the taxpayers of Pima County approximately \$250 per mile cleaned ... which translates into thousands of dollars saved. Signage along our portion of Orange Grove Road clearly recognizes PCA-SAR's sponsorship.

This is a fun and not too strenuous task that will take about two hours of your time and will make you feel good about your participation in helping clean up our community. The Arizona Department of Transportation website for Adopt-A-Roadway during COVID-19 says to "keep groups to fewer than 10 people" so I need eight more hardy souls to help do the cleanup. Because of the limitation on the number of participants, you can sign up using Motorsportreg (see link below). Look for the invitation in your email box.

Please read the following regulations and sign up only if you are able to comply with them:

- If you are at higher risk for severe illness, or if you are sick or experiencing COVID-19 symptoms such as fever, cough or shortness of breath, stay home.
- Practice social distancing of 6 ft. from anyone not from the same household.
- Masks are required when not keeping a 6 ft. social distance from anyone not from the same household.

I expect great Tucson March weather. We will meet at 8:30 AM at the north area of the parking lot at the southeast corner of Orange Grove Road and Oracle Road. ADOT requires that we wear hard-soled, closed-toe shoes (no sandals) and comfortable clothing. Gloves and hats are recommended. Cold water, safety vests, grabbers, and bags for the cleanup will be provided. I hope to see you there!





### Willkommen, Bonjour, Glad to Meet You By Kathleen Kendler – Membership Chair

It is February 20<sup>th</sup>, 2021 as I finish this article to send off to the editor. We had a banner month for new members in January. I'd like to thank the members who transferred in from other regions. They have chosen to make Southern Arizona their primary region. For us, that means we receive funds to maintain our operations from PCA national.

Again, I want to welcome **all national members who have selected Southern Arizona Region as their region.** There are no local dues charged. The monthly ZN will go out electronically using your mailing address in the PCA National database. I encourage you to keep all information current. PCA National sends me membership reports based on the 1<sup>st</sup> of every month.

Our new members are: John Brock Scott Kinkead Thomas Laniewicz Charles Payne Laura Sullivan Devid Wold

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I hope to see you in the near future. In the meantime please stay safe and healthy.

I can be reached at <u>membership@pcasar.org</u>. I will try to assist you in accomplishing your membership needs.

### **Rutas Deliciosas**

As the beautiful spring weather is upon us there is nothing better than getting our Porsches out for a nice drive. But, where should you go? Well, we have a new feature on our website to help you out!

Lou Hess has gathered instructions for several interesting drives from around the area. Drives as close as Kitt Peak to as distant as Utah and New Mexico are available to give you a chance to get out on the open road and enjoy your Porsche. Check out the link below or go to our website under About Us. Thank you, Lou, for putting together this great list of drives.

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### Save the Date!

# Porsche Parade 2021 is coming! July 11-17 2021

Registration has already opened. Get your spot reserved today!

(Editor's Note - Let's all keep our fingers crossed that it doesn't get cancelled! Pat and I attended the 2015 Parade in French Lick and it was one of our favorite Parades!)







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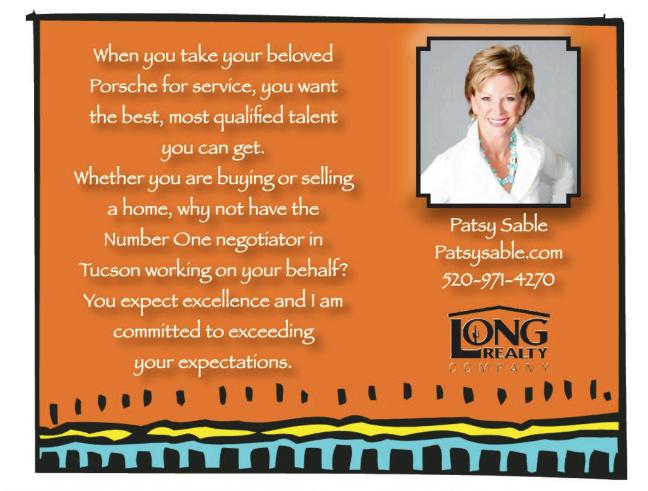
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