



War Bonnet Region War Whoop

News and Events from the Region

June 2015 - July 2015

Calendar of Events

JU	NE				
12	Poker Night	Texas Hold'em with more than one buy in! - 7 pm. Louis Lackey's Poker Table.			
13	Club Meeting	Breakfast at Cracker Barrel ! - 9 am. On I-40 and Meridian.			
20	Autocross	Check your tires and your heater! - 8 am. Sheriff's Training Center - NE 36th and Air Depot.			
27	Rt 66 Drive	Drive out to Dans BBQ on Route 66! - 9 am. Meet at NW 39th and Portland.			
JULY					
8	Board Meeting	Join us at the board meeting! - 7 pm. Steve Pistole's House.			
10	Poker Night	Are Aces Wild ? - 7 pm. Louis Lackey's Poker Table.			
11	Club Meeting	Breakfast with Cimarron Region! - 7 am. Meet at Loves on I-35 and 122nd.			
18	Autocross	This one if just for the ladies! - 8 am. Sheriff's Training Center - NE 36th and Air Depot.			
19	Autocross	This one is for the usual suspects! - 8 am. Sheriff's Training Center - NE 36th and Air Depot.			
25	Car Show	Time for the Twin Peaks Car Show! - 11 am. At the Twin Peaks on Memorial.			
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8	Autocross	Another Saturday Autocross! - 8am Sheriff's Training Center - NE 36th and Air Depot.			
14	Poker Night	Texas Hold'em - 7 pm. Louis Lackey's Poker Table.			
15	Club Meeting	Breakfast at Furrs Fresh Buffet. 9am. 1201 S Interstate Dr. in Moore.			

Another Hooters Car Show! - 11 am.

At the South Hooters on I-240.

22 Car Show

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Editor's Notes

he first Hooters Car Show of the year is behind us and even though we had to reschedule the event because of rain, we still had a nice turnout on the eventual day and what turned out to be a great morning.

After looking at all the cars we went inside for lunch and then the waitresses went to the parking lot to judge the cars. They picked their three top favorites and then a winner was announced. I have included a picture of the winning car here but if you would like to see more pictures of the Hooters Car Show, please go to our website.

Later that day, we held our annual Member Appreciation Dinner. We held the event for the first time at Eldon Lyon Park in Bethany and we had a nice turnout and wonderful weather. Again, for more pictures, visit our website.

Some upcoming events you will need to mark on your calendar is the June 27th Route 66 tour to Dans BBQ. We are meeting up at 9am at NW 39th and Portland on Route 66 and then will follow the leader to some great barbeque.

The July 11 breakfast is a little different in that we are meeting at 7am (I know it is a little early) at Loves on I-35 and



Brian Miller - War Whoop Editor

122nd and will be joining the Cimarron Region for breakfast. We have been wanting to do an event like this for a while and hopefully we will be able to do this again in the near future.

We are all excited for the ladies only autocross on July 18th. We will have some female instructors coming in from Texas and I encourage any ladies who have thought about autocrossing to come out for a good time.

The July 25th Twin Peaks car show has been moved to the Twin Peaks on Memorial instead of Reno as previously noted in the last issue. The car show starts at 11am and we always have a good time at the Peaks!

In closing, I would like to encourage all of you to send me an article or two along with a few pictures. If you attend an event, do a little write up and send some pictures. If you are working on your car, write a tech tip and shoot a picture and send it to me. I am always in need of content. Thank you!





President's Podium

write the article this month as May has come to an end and with it, hopefully, the severe weather and flooding that we experienced. Fortunately we only rescheduled the car show during the month of May and we couldn't have asked for a better day for the rescheduled event to take place. After a month of watching record rainfall and tornados this past Saturday turned out to be a gorgeous day. We held our first car show of the year at the Hooters restaurant on NW Expressway followed by our annual New Member Appreciation dinner. This year we tried something new and I believe it was successful. We generally have our dinner at the Hideaway Pizza restaurant in Edmond but as the dinner became more popular space became a concern. The last thing we want is for new members, which may be attending their first club event, to not be able to sit with other members and get to know people. This year the board decided to host the dinner picnic style at a local park in the Oklahoma City area. We chose Eldon Lyon Park as the location and catered with Chick-Fil-A. The weather was gorgeous and we had a slightly larger turnout for the event. Pictures from the event will be posted on our club website and FaceBook page if you would like to see them. Hosting the larger events is



Grady Buckhalter - War Bonnet President

never an easy task and I would like to thank everyone that helped for making the evening successful.

With June here and the start of summer not far behind, our activities will be increasing for the next few months. The first weekend of every month begins with Cars and Coffee in the parking lot of North Park Mall. The event is not an official PCA event, but it is a great opportunity to see a diverse group of cars domestic and European. Right now, Saturday, 20 June will be one of our Saturday autocross events. Registration begins at 8:00 am and will fill up quickly. Our autocross events are held at the Sheriff's Training Center and with all the rain the entire facility flooded. We have pictures posted on our FaceBook page if you are curious to see how high the water rose on the track.

Last month I wrote about the annual PCA Parade and this year it begins on Sunday, 21 June. We have several members that will be attending this year so pictures will be posted during and after the event to our website and

FaceBook page. In addition you can keep track of the event on the national website: www.pca.org. Saturday, 27 June will be one of our popular lunch drives. This event will be following Route 66 and more details will be posted as we get closer to that date.

July will be a full month with some slight changes to two of our events scheduled. The July 4th weekend will be busy for everyone and Cars and Coffee will be held on Saturday, 4 July. The following week, on Wednesday, 8 July we will have our Board meeting. Board meetings are open to all members and we encourage members to attend if they are curious about how the club is organized. The July board meeting will begin the detailed planning for our annual European Car Show, which will be held in Bricktown on Saturday, 26 September. On Saturday, 11 July our monthly breakfast will be a breakfast drive. At 7:00 am we will meet at the Love's gas station on I-35 and NE 122nd for a caravan to have breakfast with the Cimarron Region in Tulsa, OK. This should be a lot of fun for both groups to interact and see the different vehicles. Louis Lackey will host poker at his home on Friday, 17 July. Saturday, 18 July will be our first Ladies Only Driver's Education event at the Sheriff's Training Center. Ladies, if you've ever wondered why your husband likes autocross so much but have been hesitant to participate yourself, now is a great time to try. We have two special guests coming to give you instruction. Then if you like what you did, the very next day is our

monthly autocross. It will be open to everyone, like normal, but if you participate on Saturday, you will be very confident in your ability to participate. If you are interested please read Matt Herndon's article in this issue. As the event approaches we will be posting more information on the website, FaceBook page and emails from me. Saturday, 25 July at 11:00 am will be our July car show. This July car show will be held at the Twin Peaks restaurant on Memorial. Just like the May show, this is an informal opportunity to meet other members and show off your vehicle. All Porsches are welcome at the car shows and these don't need to be "car show" clean. Just show up and enjoy yourself.

Those are all the events for June and July. At the beginning of the article I mentioned that hopefully the severe weather is behind us, but this is Oklahoma. So please be "weather aware" before heading out to an event. We will post cancellations on the website and FaceBook pages if it is last minute. Or I will send out an email if we make the change early. With that said I want to close this month with a head's up about summer weather. We have many events planned for June through September and often these take place outside. Please consider the event and the weather conditions when you head out and be prepared. I've started packing sunscreen and a hat because I've learned, through experience, that I would rather not have a sunburn. Hope to see you at an event soon!

Between the Cones

hope that everyone is safe and dry after the recent record rains. As some of you know, we are an all-women's autocross drivers education on Saturday, July 19th. Our normal autocross will follow the next day on Sunday.

We have been working hard on getting more families involved in the club's activities. A bunch of us have been talking about getting families more active in the club, because it's not just a 'gentlemen's car' club. After talking to the board several times, we finally came to a conclusion that we should do an allwomen's day at the track. After both Grady and I went to the President's Meeting in Tulsa this past February I met with both Lynn Friedman, which is our Zone 5 Rep and Wendy Shoffit, which is the National PCA News Editor about having a women's only event. After conferring with them about the date and place, they were excited to help out and join us that weekend.

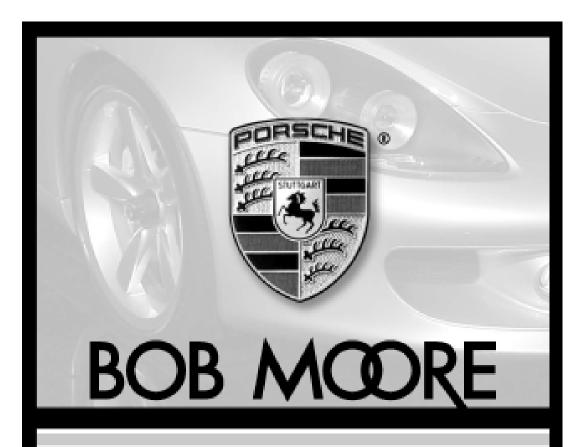
We will start at our usual time which is at 8:00 AM and will last until we are finished, but it is usually over somewhere around noon. Typically at a Driver's Education event we do a couple of different training exercises to help drivers learn to better control their car. There is one driver at a time, with



Matt Herndon

everyone else observing and learning in a safe and controlled environment. We want to start with doing the basics first before we move on to the finer points that reduces lap times. We don't want to start with complicated and aggressive moves and more than likely this event will not have timed laps. There will be men instructors but for the most part the men will not be active. If your husband, boyfriend, or any family members want to attend and watch they are welcome to come but they must refrain from trying to instruct you in any way. We have a message to convey to our women participants and don't want to confuse or distract our women participants.

I'm hoping to see some of the wives and girlfriends at this event The regular autocross participants are encouraged to come out and watch on Saturday. If they enjoy being a spectator then we hope that they will come back the next day to participate in our normal Autocross event for the month of July.



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Treasurer's Tid-Bits

he club treasury continues in sound shape, so my standard opening line is still accurate. We have yet to donate the \$1000 to Sunbeam Family Services for the 2014 car show. That will happen soon.

I have started the process to get my car ready for the 60th annual Porsche Parade held this year in French Lick, Indiana. Every spring I change the brake fluid in my 911 with fresh new fluid. The fluid absorbs moisture from the air and will degrade with age. That moisture will corrode the internal parts of the master cylinder, brake lines and caliper pistons. Swapping the fluid is inexpensive and a fairly simple process on my 30 year old 911. After 157,000 miles the master cylinder is still the one that came in the car from the factory.

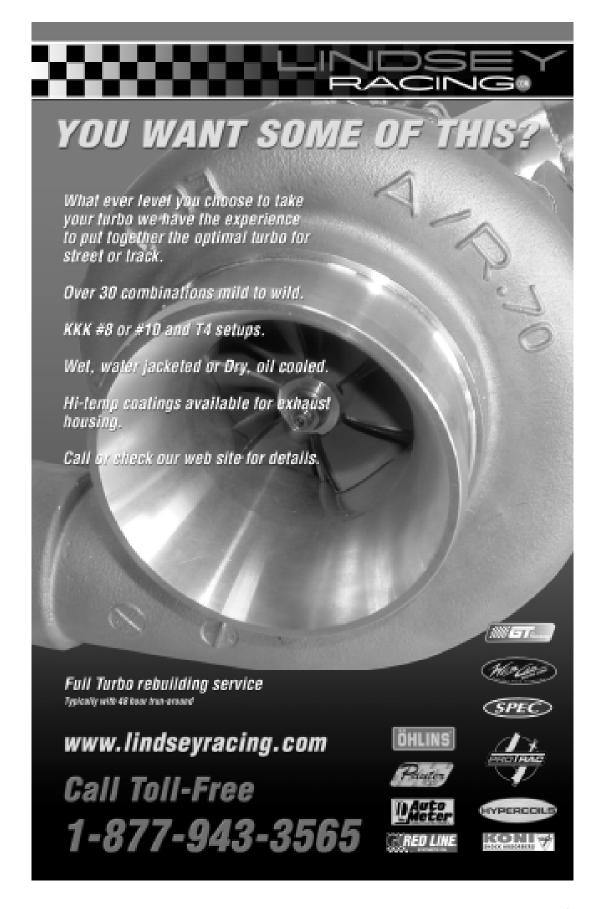


Glen Hoskins - Treasurer

I have refurbished every system on my 911 over the years and everything is working as designed or better. My wife recently mentioned she has not seen me in the garage tinkering on the car. I have to look for items to tinker with.

French Lick should be a lot of fun. I will have a report in the next issue of the War Whoop.





Roster Report

he Member Appreciation
Dinner was a big success. In
the past we held the dinner
at Hideaway Pizza in Edmond, but this
year we decided to try something new
and we held the event at Eldon Lyon
Park in Bethany. We had a great
turnout and plenty of good food from
Chick-Fil-A. The weather held out too
considering all the rain we had and we
ended up with a beautiful evening
enjoying our cars and meeting with all
the members of War Bonnet Region.

Here are the new members for this issue: Christie Byron has joined the



Brian Miller - Membership Chairman

club in a 2013 Boxster S. Michial Woodall is in the club with a 2003 Boxster and Lee Knuth has joined in a 2006 Boxster S. Our newest member is Dean Pennello driving a 2013 911. I would like to welcome all of them to the War Bonnet Region of the Porsche Club!



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The board meeting was held on 5/13 at Randal Goodman's house. A fine smorgasbord of delicacies was served including hamburgers, chips, and queso. In attendance were Randal Goodman, Chad Goodman, Steve Hintze, Matt Herndon, Brian Miller, Glen Hoskins, Grady Buckhalter, John Leaton, and myself.

The group lamented over the rain forcing the cancellation of several activities, including autocross and the Hooters North car show. Not to be denied, the car show was rescheduled for 5/30 and the results can be found elsewhere in this edition.

Club events for most of the rest of the year were identified but the focus was on the Member Appreciation Picnic (formerly known as dinner). After utilizing Hideaway Pizza for a few years we decided to mix it up this year.



Louis Lackey - Secretary

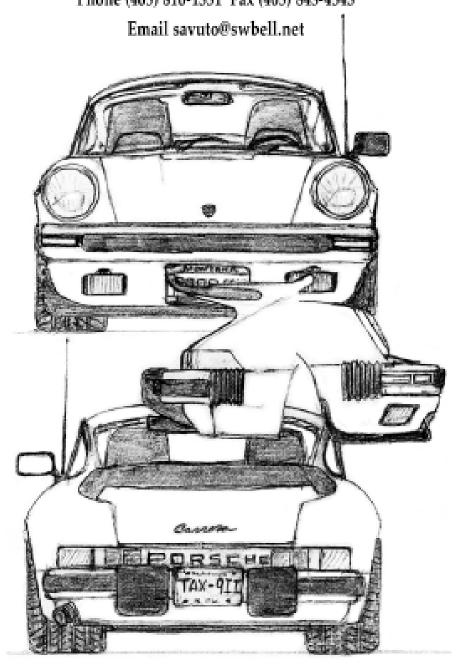
We reserved a pavilion at Eldon Lyon Park in Bethany and catered Chic-Fil-A. A full report and some pictures of the cars (and people) are included in this issue.

As usual, the summer activities increase for the club. Keep a sharp eye on the calendar on the website and also for Facebook notices. We are tech savvy here at War Bonnet!



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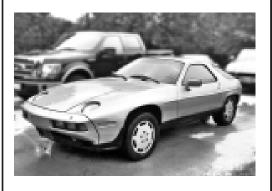
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