

News and Calendar updates from around Zone 8

I just returned from the Monterey Motorsports Reunion weekend. First of all, on Friday, Werks Reunion was fantastic! With over 700 cars registered and more vendors than 2014, the field looked great – another win for PCA! (There was some concern that Rennsport would impact attendance this year, but that proved to be unfounded.) Saturday I spent at the track, enjoying our hospitality tent in its terrific location on Turn 5. If you didn't make it this year, be sure to put it on your calendar for next.

A few tidbits of general interest before we get on to the Zone news:

Peter Porsche has opened his own museum. Many of you know that he is a longtime supporter of PCA and regular Parade attendee. His latest project is a toy museum, which he has named Traumwerk (Dream Factory). More info can be found here (if you can read German): <http://www.hanspeterporsche.com/>

Fine Dining at One Porsche Drive! The new Porsche Experience Center in Atlanta has its own restaurant: Restaurant 356. Added bonus: Features coveted views of the all-new world-class 1.2 mile driver development track and the world's busiest airport making 356 a premier dining destination. (*Their words, not mine!*) <http://www.restaurant356.com/>

For a few months now, you may have noticed an invitation in your inbox to a PCA mini-survey. (These are sometimes included in your eBrake news.) These come out twice a month and are designed to be quick and easy to take. The purpose is to help guide club management in providing you with the best car club in the world. I encourage you to participate. They are quick, painless and easy to complete online, I promise.

Rennsport Reunion V: Display Cars Needed

PCA is looking for fine examples of all Porsche models to be included in the Historical 60 Years of PCA display at Rennsport Reunion V. It will be a display representing all 6 decades of PCA. Our goal for this display will be to showcase limited edition models as well as race cars. Our display will be on the grass area near the island. We will need your car for all 3 days, Friday through Sunday, September 25-27. If you have a Porsche street or race car that you would like to be considered, please contact Tom Provasi at tomprovasi@gmail.com and supply a brief description of your vehicle and a photograph of the car.

Zone 8 Competition Rules Changes for 2016

The 2016 rules proposals have been posted and are now available for comment. There are seven proposals for AX, DE & Time Trial and three for Concours. Let your voice be heard! Send your comments to Russell at rules@zone8.org See the proposals here: <http://www.zone8.org/events/rules/proposed.php>

Zone 8 Concours in Las Vegas!

It's been 10+ years, but Las Vegas Region is bringing back a Zone 8 Concours on September 20. This event will be held in conjunction with the Red Rock Concours d'Elegance at the Red Rock Country Club in Las Vegas. Start planning your Vegas vacation today. Amelia Island and Pebble Beach best watch out! Look on Motorsport Reg for registration information:
<https://www.motorsportreg.com/orgs/pca/las-vegas>

Rennsport Reunion Tickets For Sale

The largest Porsche event in the world; see the cars, meet the drivers, watch the races! Rennsport Reunion tickets are on sale; the dates are Sep 25-27. See <http://www.mazdaraceway.com/porsche-rennsport-reunion-v>

If you want to park in the PCA corral – be sure to purchase the corral option. Porsches only! (May be sold out!)

PCA Escape: Mt. Rushmore Oct 1-3

Selling out fast! Experience the exhilaration of driving your Porsche through history. Roam the hills with free-ranging buffalo, mine for gold at an old miner's camp, explore some of the world's largest caves; dine where Calamity Jane and Wild Bill Hickok once called home, tour monuments like Mount Rushmore and Crazy Horse. Escape to Rushmore 2015 is an event that you will not want to miss. More info <http://escape2015.pca.org/>

Phoenix Flight 38

Arizona Region hosts Phoenix Flight 38, their annual Zone 8 Concours on Halloween! With a welcome party on Friday night and an Awards banquet on

Saturday after the show, this is an event not to be missed. A great weekend getaway with your Porsche. See <http://az.pca.org/event/flight-38/> for more info.

Tech Tactics 2015: Nov 21

Save the date! PCNA's annual Tech Session for PCA members is returning on Nov 21. Discover Porsche from the inside out. The latest cars, engines, and technologies revealed by the engineers at the heart of Porsche development. Porsche has typically provided unique opportunities to see new vehicles, new products and concepts not yet available to the general public at these events, so you will not want to miss it. Learn about the Porsches of today and yesterday!

California Festival of Speed 2016

New Dates! The Speedway changed its mind! Save the dates! The 2016 CFoS will now be April 8-10, 2016. The largest Porsche event in the southwest returns once again, promising to be better than ever!

Zone Rep Travel Plans -- Four Week Outlook

(subject to change)

Aug 22: San Diego Region Concours
Aug 29: San Gabriel Valley Region Progressive Dinner
Sep 2: San Diego Region Board Meeting
Sep 12: San Diego Region Autocross

If you are planning on attending one of these events, be sure to say "Hi," I'd love to chat for a while.

Calendar Highlights from around the Zone for August 22 – September 13

A list of weekend events for you to enjoy. For more information visit the Zone 8 website at <http://www.zone8.org>

Zone 8 Facebook site: <https://www.facebook.com/PCAZone8> Like us, and visit it occasionally!

Zone 8 of the Porsche Club of America links 13 southwestern regions in California, Arizona and Nevada. Zone 8 encourages member participation by promoting competitive, social and charitable events. Where can your Porsche take you?

Breakfast Clubs, Cars & Coffee, etc.

These are a very popular and casual way to spend some time with the club with a minimal commitment of time and energy. Stay for an hour or stay for three, have breakfast or just a cup of coffee. Kick some tires and tell lies about your racing prowess. Show off your car, impress your buddies or just hang out.

Aug 22

Golden Empire Region, The Crest Bar & Grill, Bakersfield, 8:00 AM,
<http://gem.pca.org>

Los Angeles Region, Spitfire Grille, Santa Monica, 8:30 AM,
<http://www.pcalosangeles.org/>

Orange Coast Region, Woody's Diner, Newport Beach, 8:00 AM,
<http://www.pcaocr.com/>

Aug 29

Golden Empire Region, The Crest Bar & Grill, Bakersfield, 8:00 AM,
<http://gem.pca.org>

San Diego Region, Carlsbad Premium Outlets, Carlsbad, 7:00 AM,
<http://pcasdr.net/>

Sep 5

Cal Inland Region, Greenhouse Café, Lancaster, 9:30 AM,
http://cai.pca.org/quick_links/lancaster_meeting.html

Golden Empire Region, The Crest Bar & Grill, Bakersfield, 8:00 AM,
<http://gem.pca.org>

Grand Prix Region, Glory Days Beachside Grill, Seal Beach CA, 9:00 AM,
<http://gpx.pca.org/>

Orange Coast Region, Original Mike's Restaurant, Santa Ana, 8:00 AM,
<http://www.pcaocr.com/>

Riverside Region, Grandma's Country Kitchen, Banning, 8:00 am,
<http://www.riversidepca.org/>

Santa Barbara Region, Panera Bread & Johnny Rockets, Camarillo, 8:00 AM,
http://www.pcasb.org/images/2014_Events/2014BreakfastMaps.pdf

Sep 6

Las Vegas Region, Red Rock Country Club, 9:00 AM,
<http://lvs.pca.org/calendar.htm>

Sep 12

Arizona Region, Soul Cafe, Scottsdale, 8:00 AM, <http://az.pca.org/event/porsches-n-pancakes-at-soul-cafe-3/>

California Central Coast Region, Scotty's Bar and Grill, Pismo Beach, 9:00AM, more info: chsdesign1@yahoo.com

Golden Empire Region, The Crest Bar & Grill, Bakersfield, 8:00 AM,
<http://gem.pca.org>

San Diego Region, Krispy Kreme, Clairemont, 8:30 AM, <http://pcasdr.net/>

Santa Barbara Region, Moby Dick's Restaurant, Santa Barbara, 8:30 AM,
http://www.pcasb.org/images/2014_Events/2014BreakfastMaps.pdf

Autocross

August 23, **Orange Coast Region**, El Toro,
<http://www.pcaocr.motorsportreg.com/>

August 23, **San Diego Region**, Instructor Driving Day,
<http://pcasdr.motorsportreg.com/>

September 12, **San Diego Region**, Qualcomm West Lot, *Zone 8 Points Event*,
<http://pcasdr.motorsportreg.com/>

Driver's Ed/Time Trial/Club Race

September 5-6, **Golden Gate Region**, Club Race and Time Trial, Thunderhill, *Part of the West Coast Series*, http://www.pca-ggr.org/event/drivers-education-and-club-race-2/?instance_id=398

September 12-13, **Las Vegas Region**, Drivers' Ed, Spring Mountain,
<http://lvrpca.clubstore.us.com/>

Concours/Concours Schools

August 22, **San Diego Region**, Concours, *Zone 8 Points Event*, (Registration closes 8/19, no registration necessary for spectators), <http://pcasdr.motorsportreg.com/>

September 12, **Santa Barbara Region**, Concours Clinic,
http://www.pcasb.org/images/2015_Events/DetailClinic2015.pdf

Driving Tours (Social events with driving!)

August 22, **California Inland Region**, Trail of 100 Giants Fun Run,
<http://msreg.com/2015Giants>

August 29, **Orange Coast Region**, Hearts & Garages Charity Tour,
<http://www.pcaocr.com/?page=1&e=4134>

August 29, **Southern Arizona Region**, Tour to Ski Valley & Picnic Lunch (reg closes 8/22), <http://www.pcasar.motorsportreg.com/>

August 29-30, **Arizona Region**, Overnight Tour La Pasoda,
<http://az.pca.org/event/la-posada-overnighter/>

August 30, **San Diego Region**, Backroads Driving Tour,
<http://pcasdr.net/2013/?events=driving-tour-starts-at-tbd>

September 12, **Grand Prix Region**, Angeles Crest Highway Tour,
<http://pcagpx.motorsportreg.com>

September 13, **Arizona Region**, Driving Tour to Jerome,
<http://az.pca.org/event/sunday-drive-to-jerome-2/>

Social

August 22, **Santa Barbara Region**, Progressive dinner (sold out),
http://www.pcasb.org/images/2015_Events/ProgressiveDinner2015.pdf

August 29, **San Gabriel Valley Region**, Progressive dinner, for more info email:
mammothfreaks@mac.com

September 6, **San Diego Region**, New member party,
<http://pcasdr.motorsportreg.com/>

Tech Session

August 29, **Grand Prix Region**, Tech Session, Callas Rennsport,
<http://pcagpx.motorsportreg.com>

September 13, **San Diego Region**, Hybrid Technology Tech Session,
<http://pcasdr.net/2013/?events=tech-session-hybrid-technology-at-hoehn-porsche-carlsbad>

Disclaimer: The closer an event is to the date that you read this; the more likely the event may be sold out. Please plan ahead and register early. This information is only as accurate as the individual region websites that it is reproducing and that assumes that I didn't overlook anything. I'm sure any mistakes are my own. For up-to-date information, please contact the region directly.

These are the highlights of what is happening on each weekend around the zone. Most regions have weeknight activities as well that are not listed here. Be sure to check local region websites for complete activities lists on any given date. Go to www.zone8.org for links to each region web site.