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PORSCHE RACING NEWS

PORSCHE WINS LE MANS WITH 919 HYBRID IN 1-2 SWEEP

(By Damon Lowney – E-Brake Porsche Club News June 16, 2015 edition)

Two LMP1-class Porsche 919 Hybrids were faster and outlasted the competition at the 24 Hours of Le Mans, winning the race with a 1-2 sweep and clinching the automaker’s 17th overall win. The #19 car driven by Earl Bamber, Nico Hulkenberg, and Nick Tandy finished first, followed by #17 driven by Timo Bernhard, Brendon Hartley, and Mark Webber.

Today’s overall win was the first since 1998, when Porsche made a 1-2 sweep with the 911 GT1. It also ended Audi’s five-year winning streak.

With more than 15 hours left in the race and Nico Hulkenberg at the wheel, #19 took the lead and never gave it up. During his stint, he made a pit stop during a caution for a full service, which included rear bodywork, rear wing, tires, and a driver change. When the car went back out it maintained the lead.

“It made sense to get the car in for a full service, including a driver change,” Hulkenberg said. “It was another good period of the race. The car is still really good and I felt very comfortable.”



The #17 919 led the race early on, but Brendon Hartley received a one-minute stop-and-go penalty after passing under yellow. The penalty dropped #17 to fourth position, though the drivers eventually closed the gap from fourth to second position, helped in part by a long pit stop for the #7 Audi R18 e-tron quattro LMP1 car.

“I had no problems,” Mark Webber said, “the car ran very well with quadruple stints. There are still a few hours to go. I want to compliment car #19. The crew is doing an excellent job.”

The 919 Hybrid, #17 driven by Romain Dumas, Neel Jani, and Marc Lieb, finished fifth behind two Audi R18s.

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Drive and Dine to Isle of Palms Wrap Up

by Jennifer Mills

For those that missed out on our Low Country Drive and Dine of Sullivan's Island and the Isle of Palms with lunch at the Morgan Creek Grill on Saturday June 13, event organizer Dave Derecola has supplied a link to view the video shot during the event:

<https://vimeo.com/131130190>

Despite the heat and humidity typical of June in the low country we had 30 cars participate representing nearly every era of Porsche history (model designs) started out at Cars and Coffee in Mount Pleasant before heading over to the Isle of Palms

and then down through Sullivan's Island on a scenic leisurely tour of these beautiful beach communities before returning back to the Isle of Palms for an enjoyable lunch at the Morgan Creek Grill.



We'd like to thank the sponsors of the event for providing some super awesome prizes, 944Cup.com, European Road and Racing, Envy Salon & Boutique, Lynda Wilkes Realty and CO. Thank you to Karl Troy for braving the heat and humidity to give a tech session after lunch. A special thanks to Morgan Creek Grill for providing reserved parking right in front of the restaurant.

A special Thanks to Dave Derecola for proposing and organizing this event. I know we all had a great time and thoroughly enjoyed spending a few hours in our beloved Porsches and mostly, spending time with all our great, super awesome friends.



PALMETTO PORSCHE CLUB MINUTES

By Roseann Boxx

Meeting was held at Toast Restaurant, Summerville, SC. with 23 members in attendance.

Al Trego reported 13 new and transferred members. Tug Mathieson, former Club Treasurer, won the Piccolo Spoleto Poster Award this year. Al has signed prints for sale at \$20. each.

Saturday Drive in Dine leaving Mt. Pleasant Cars and Coffee at Atlanta Bread Co. after 10 and driving to Sullivans Island and Wild Dunes. Lunch will be at Morgan Creek Grill.

Sunday is Myrtle Beach's drive and dine.

Saturday July 25 will be Anniversary Party at Charleston Rush. Go cart racing begins at 10am with lunch at noon. Members are requested to sign up on website.

July 14 meeting is to be held in West Ashley.

Oktoberfest is being planned for Oct. 10 and 11 at Daniel Island. Jennifer Mills is heading up this event.



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THE ART OF LOCKING KEYS IN AND THEN RETRIEVING FROM A PORSCHE 928

(by Pete DeJong)

It seems that members of the Palmetto Region have become very adapt professionals at locking keys in their cars while attending Porsche events away from our home region. We all remember the famed incident where Steve Kemp inherited the nickname "Trunk" during one of Tail of the Dragon trips. Boy, was that the talk of the trip. It appears that Steve is no longer in the "Lock Your Keys in Your Porsche" Club. Pete DeJong's better half Janice decided to join this esteemed club while her and Pete were attending the annual Sharks in the Mountain event with their 928.

Those of us that were blessed to have witnessed the trials of getting keys out of a very determine 911 (determined NOT to let us get them) there is a much easier (well maybe) way of retrieving the keys from a 928.

Those of us that own a 928 know it is a formable beast. When the beast decides it's in need of your keys

this is what happens:

Human opens the rear hatch

Human closes the driver's door

Human opens the passenger door

Human closes the rear hatch and lock the car with the key (in the hatch). You don't normally turn the key backwards to lock the hatch, but you can. This will lock the doors too and set the alarm as well.

The human is now enticed to throw the keys into the car Now the human closes the passenger door carefully- only till the first latch. Don't completely latch the door, because the alarm will sound.

That's all, now you're locked out of the car. The "beast" now has your keys and is laughing at you.

According to Pete here are the steps you need to take to retrieve your prized keys form this formidable

beast: No need to try this with the driver's door: when it is open, the locks will not stay in. 30 others tried to open my car with their keys, none worked. Nobody was able to open the car. I finally pulled a quarter window out. That took about 5 minutes. Should have done that right away.

We DON'T recommend that you test your skills against your 928 and feed them your keys if they ask.



BOOK REVIEW by Jackie
PORSCHE 911 RED BOOK, 3RD EDITION

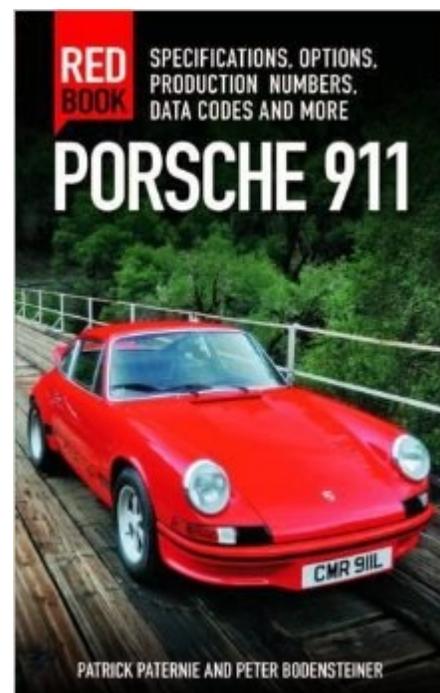
(By: Patrick Paterine and Peter Bodensteiner)

For all our 911 enthusiasts and die-hards this is a must book to add to your Porsche book library.

Starting from the first 911 of 1964 all the way up to today's modern 911 this book offers all the data and details the 911 enthusiast love and need. You'll find all the different 911 versions, including Turbo's and GT's, as well as limited production versions.

The small size of this book, don't let it fool you, allows you to take this book anywhere your 911 goes. So if you want to know ALL the details (models, Chassis Serial numbers, Engine Serial Numbers, how many of each were produced, vehicle options such as color, carpet colors, etc, engine specifications and a ton of other information) then this is the book you want. It's small in size but packed with more details than you think possible.

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Tue, Jul 14 7:00 PM Monthly Social Gilligan's, Johns Island
Join us at Gilligan's (160 Main Rd, Johns Island, SC) for updates from the officers, to talk about upcoming events, and to socialize with your fellow Porschephiles.



Sun, Jul 19 11:30 AM Drive & Dine Myrtle Beach Area
Monthly Drive & Dine from the Myrtle Beach Area. We will gather at Ollie Bargain Outlet, Carolina Forest (2100 Oakheart Rd, Myrtle Beach) at 11:30, drive starts at noon.



Sat, Jul 25 10:00 AM Palmetto Region Anniversary Party Charleston Rush, N CHS
The Annual Anniversary Party to celebrate the establishment of the Palmetto Region PCA will be held at Charleston Rush on Saturday, July 25. Please see details for the kart racing to start at 10 am on <http://www.pcapalmetto.org/>. Lunch will be served at noon. Please RSVP by July 21!



Tue, Aug 11 7:00 PM Monthly Social TBD
Join us at TBD for updates from the officers, to talk about upcoming events, and to socialize with your fellow Porschephiles.



Sun, Aug 16 11:30 AM Drive & Dine Myrtle Beach Area
Monthly Drive & Dine from the Myrtle Beach Area. We will gather at Ollie Bargain Outlet, Carolina Forest (2100 Oakheart Rd, Myrtle Beach) at 11:30, drive starts at noon.



Sat, Aug 22 4:00 PM Summer BBQ Milbrandt's Home, North CHS
Join us on Saturday August 22nd at 4pm for a summer BBQ and socializing with your fellow Porsche friends. The Milbrandt's have graciously offered their home in N. Charleston to host a BBQ for the club. So we have an accurate count for food, we just ask that you RSVP online.

Sat, Sep 05 Sun, Sep 06 Driver's Education at Roebling Road Florida Crown Region PCA

The Driver's Education program provides a safe, structured, and controlled learning environment for your high performance auto. Track near Savannah, GA. Register at www.clubregistration.net.



Sat, Sep 19 Drive Your Porsche Day Worldwide
A celebration of Ferry Porsche's birthday, get that car out and enjoy it!

Sat, Sep 19 Sun, Sep 20 Driver's Education at Roebling Road Coastal Empire Region PCA

The Driver's Education program provides a safe, structured, and controlled learning environment for your high performance auto. Track near Savannah, GA. Register at www.clubregistration.net.

Sat, Oct 10 Sun, Oct 11 Palmetto Region Oktoberfest Charleston, SC

SAVE THE DATE!! Palmetto Region PCA Oktoberfest will be held in Charleston for 2015. We'll have a Gimmick Rally in the afternoon and German themed dinner Saturday night. Optional Cars & Coffee and lunch on Saturday plus brunch on Sunday.



Sat, Oct 31 6:00 PM Hilton Head Concours Dinner TBD
Coastal Empire Region PCA will hold its annual dinner in conjunction with the Hilton Head Concours d'Elegance at Hudson's Seafood House. Bob Ingram will be the featured speaker plus expected guests from PCNA and Porsche Motorsports. Dinner will be ordered on an individual basis off a special menu. Please RSVP to Ned Kight at nedkight@aol.com.

Breakfast with Dr. Bob, Sunflower Café, West Ashley, 8 am.

Monthly Social, Second Tuesday of each Month, Location TBD. Check website for details.

Note: Calendar events in bold type earn points toward the Palmetto Region Competitor of the Year Award.

For additional information and events outside of the Palmetto Region go to: <http://www.pcapalmetto.org/calendar/>

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Palmetto Region Anniversary Party



The annual Anniversary Party will be held Saturday, July 25. We thought it would be a nice time for a little friendly competition with your Porsche friends and BBQ! We'll be doing some kart races and have lunch at Charleston Rush off Ashley Phosphate.

The annual Anniversary Party to celebrate the establishment of the Palmetto Region PCA will be held on Saturday, July 25. At Charleston Rush (3550 Ashley Phosphate Rd, North Charleston), we'll have a grand prix electric kart qualifying/racing against the clock for those that are interested. The karts portion of the day is scheduled to start at 10 am so that we can do the kart racing by ourselves. The facility cannot shut down for private party on a Saturday or Sunday, but will open early so we can have some fun without public distractions. Their karts are set up where you race the clock, not each other. It will be structured with qualifying and then a final race. Anticipating each person to drive at least 3 races. Even if you don't want to participate, all are welcome to come watch the fun!

BBQ lunch will be served approximately 12 pm for those that do not want to do karts with the group. Pulled pork, 2 sides, tea, lemonade, cokes, and banana pudding. After lunch, you can choose to do more karts or laser tag on your own (\$8 per person).

Before we play, Charleston Rush will provide each participant a helmet, neck brace, and will do a safety talk before we start. If you plan to do the karts, when you RSVP, you'll be asked to enter your "name" to be displayed on the timing board. Get creative! Sounds like a set up for some good clean fun.

The cost of the event is \$15 per person which includes your lunch. The cost of participating in the kart competition is \$30 per person.

RSVP is required by July 21! <http://www.pcapalmetto.org/news/317-palmetto-anniversary-party-july-25th>

Summer BBQ – North Charleston

Mike and Karen Milbrandt have jumped right into the Palmetto Region arranging the Accent on Wine event earlier in the year and now wanting us all to hang out at their home! The Milbrandt's have invited us over on Saturday, August 22nd at 4 pm to socialize with your Palmetto Region friends. To assist with the food prep, please RSVP online if you plan to attend.

<http://www.pcapalmetto.org/news/320-porsche-club-summer-bbq-august-22nd>



Oktoberfest 2015

SAVE THE DATE: OCTOBER 10, 2015 WEEKEND!!!!!! As much as we have all loved a fall weekend in Myrtle Beach the last few years, the Board has decided to mix it up a bit and do the 2015 Oktoberfest in Charleston. The details are still developing, but a hotel block for rooms at \$139 per night has been reserved at the Hampton Inn on Daniel Island (160 Fairchild Street, Charleston, South Carolina) with rooms available both Friday, October 9 and Saturday, October 10. You can reserve your room online via this link:

<http://hamptoninn.hilton.com/en/hp/groups/personalized/C/CHSDIHX-PRP-20151009/index.jhtml>.

A German themed dinner will be held on Saturday, October 10 at The Islander on Daniel Island (right across the parking lot from the hotel for those that like a little German brew with their dinner). Jennifer and Ken are working on the Gimmick Rally for Saturday afternoon. Once the final cost is worked out, the official RSVP link will be on the Palmetto Region PCA website. Hope to see you at Oktoberfest!



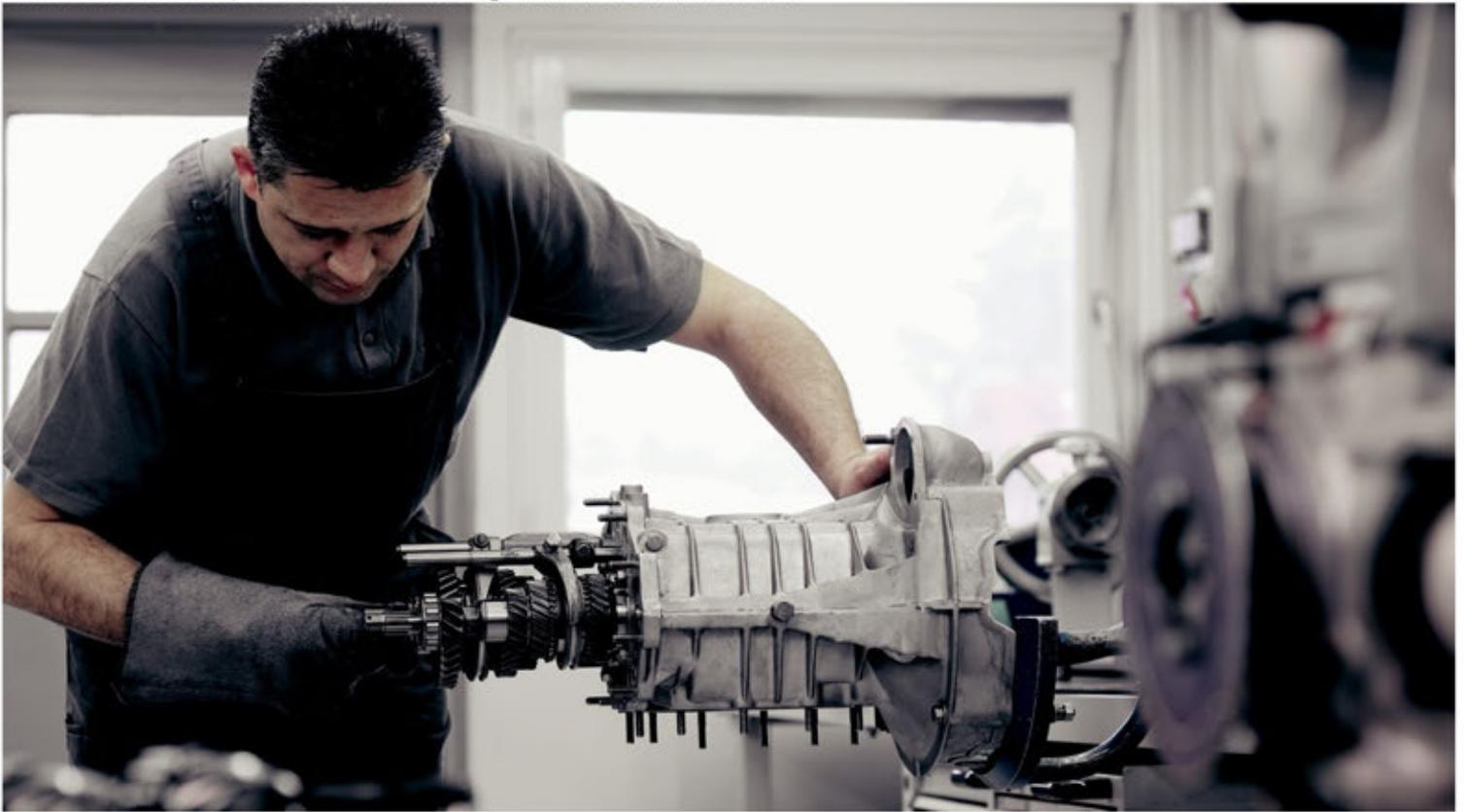
Hilton Head Concours d'Elegance – CERPCA Dinner

On Saturday, Oct. 31, 2015 CERPCA will hold its annual dinner in conjunction with the Hilton Head Concours d'Elegance. The dinner will be held at Hudson's Seafood House on the docks, which is located off Squire Pope Rd. on the left, just past the traffic circle.

Bob Ingram, from Durham N.C., a noted collector of Porsches dating back to the original Gmund, will be our featured speaker. We expect guests from Porsche Cars North America and Porsche Motorsports. In addition we are inviting out of town people who are exhibiting their Porsches at the Sunday event.

Cocktails are at 6:00, dinner at 7:00. Dinner will be ordered on an individual basis off a special menu.

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Turn 9

By Joe Mills

Coastal Empire Region held their first DE of 2015 over the June 6-7, 2015 weekend at Roebing Road Raceway. Despite the threat of rain and the fear of scorching temperatures, the weather held out nicely. Temperatures topped out in the low 90's and I only saw a few sprinkles during one of my sessions. The track stayed dry, so we never had to adjust our driving.

Todd and Nicole Confarotta, JB and Nicole Lefebvre, Herman and Michelle Porter, Elliott Barrow Jr., and Elliott III, Hark Barnette, Jennifer and Joe Mills, Conner McIntyre, Paul Kemp, David Wertan, and Bob Newman were attending from the Palmetto Region. Nicole Confarotta was driving on track for the first time and shook off early nerves to have a great weekend. Elliott Barrow and his son (Elliott) were also driving for the first time on track sharing their 997S. They each drove a day in the blue and green group since they were sharing a car and made great improvements over the weekend. Todd Confarotta and David Wertan continued driving in the blue group.

JB and Nicole Lefebvre, Paul Kemp and Michelle Porter were out together in white group. Unfortunately, the Porters had a mechanical issue with their car early on Saturday that was not fixable at the track. Herman continued to instruct for the remainder of the weekend, but wasn't able to drive. Conner McIntyre drove in the white group muscling a BMW ex-Chump car on its farewell track event.

Bob Newman, Hank Barnette, Jennifer and I were driving in either the instructor or advanced group. Jennifer was driving for the first time in open passing and after a few butterflies quickly adjusted to the faster speeds and additional passing and had a blast. She said that she can't remember the last time she had that much open track. Steve and Mary Ann Kemp made a surprise visit on Saturday. It was good to see Mary Ann out and about after her recent arm injuries.

I had a blue group student in a first generation Mazda Miata. Typically, the event organizers try to pair instructors with a students with a similar type or handling car. All of my seat time on track is in a Miata, so this was a great pairing. My student had attended a couple of prior events at Roebing, so we were not starting from scratch. By Saturday afternoon, he was driving the line consistently, so I got to work with him all day on Sunday on how to get the most out of his 100 horsepower Miata. We had a great time passing all the "faster" cars and I expect he will be driving solo at the next event.

Overall, it was a great weekend and I hope to see you at the track at one of the next upcoming events as either a driver or spectator. Florida Crown Region will be hosting an event September 5-6 at Roebing Road and Coastal Empire's next event is also at Roebing Road the weekend of September 19-20.

LOW COUNTRY RECIPE *HOME TOWN BBQ COLLARDS*

(Aaron Siegel, Fiery Ron's Home Team BBQ, Sullivans Island, SC – The State Hometown Cookbook Series – South Carolina Hometown Cookbook)

Collards done right! I started Fiery Ron's Home Team BBQ in the style of an old Mississippi juke joint right here in South Carolina. Originally from Atlanta, then moving to New York, the Aspen, Colorado and then back to the South to South Carolina. I combined my culinary education, knowledge, and experience into a unique Southern fare. This is a hometown recipe that is full of flavor.

INGREDIENTS:

1 gallon water	3 cups cider vinegar
¼ cup hot sauce	½ cup brown sugar
¼ cup kosher salt	
2-3 shoulder bones or smoked ham hocks	
2 pounds collard greens, cut into 2-inch strips	
1/ pound smoked pork shoulder, chopped or pulled	

PREPARATION/DIRECTIONS:

Bring water to a simmer in large stockpot. Add cider vinegar, hot sauce, brown sugar and salt. Add bones or ham hocks for flavor, and simmer 25 minutes. Add collard greens and smoked pork. Simmer lightly for 2 – 3 hours or until tender.





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Palmetto Region 911 Charity Raffle



We will be raffling off a 2015 Porsche 911 Carrera S¹ with tickets priced at only \$1.00 !!!!!

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Tickets will be available for purchase online and at club events.

As with the PCA National Raffle, additional cars will be made available as increasing ticket levels are reached!

Drawing will be held at the Oktoberfest event in October – winner(s) need not be present to win.

Winner will have choice of color² and the thrill of seeing the Lowcountry through the windshield of a 911³, and only one 911 per winning entrant.

We are already off to a great start, and we are almost ready to add a second car...

Gets your tickets online here.. <http://www.pcapalmetto.org/news/318-palmetto-region-pca-charity-raffle>

1. Playmobil 3911 Porsche 911 Carrera S

2. As long as it's Red

3. If you are 4 inches tall

Final Thoughts from the Prez...

We have plenty to do this summer. The anniversary party is at Charleston Rush with a private run with the carts followed by our BBQ for the Anniversary party and then you can hang around and maybe try your luck at laser tag or get back on the carts. RSVP online soon. The Milbrant's have graciously opened up their home for the August meeting with another BBQ. Myrtle Beach is keeping the wheels turning by running their monthly Drive and Dines on July 19th and August 16th. There is also whispers of an event on August 8th with a drive to CYDC Motorsports. CYDC Motorsports is a STEAM Mentorship program in partnership with Cummings & others designed to provide hands on learning opportunities for the children at the CYDC (Carolina Youth Development Center). If you want more info on CDYC Motorsports call Conner at (843) 614-2307. I would also like to throw out a big thank you to Dave Derecola for volunteering and putting together a great drive and Dine starting at the Charleston Cars and Coffee Event to Morgan Creek Grill. I foresee great things coming with members like Dave stepping up. Maybe we might even consider some whispers I hear about Region of the Year. I believe we can do it and look forward to even more club involvement and events coming.



**Monthly Member Meeting is
July 14 @ 7 pm**

In West Ashley. Check Website for location.

Along this thought process, I believe Joe Carastro's raffle idea will put us in the right direction. Look for more details in upcoming newsletters and events. If you have some ideas, please don't hesitate to contact any officer and become involved or just give your input. Keep them turning...Ken

Its Not just the Cars, Its the People !!!