

PALMETTO PIPES

PALMETTO REGION

PORSCHE CLUB OF AMERICA

MARCH 1994

MARCH MEETING: Our next meeting will be held on **Tuesday, March 15, at Key West Grill & Raw Bar** at I 26 & Ashley Phosphate Rd. in N. Charleston, beginning at 7:00 (6:30 for socializing). The **next three meetings** will be held at the following locales. (Again, no excuses for late arriving newsletters.)

3/15/94 - Key West Grill & Raw Bar - I26 & Ashley Phosphate Rd.

4/12/94 - Dale & Christiane Conrad's home (884-2900)

5/10/94 - Fuddrucker's - Northwoods Mall

At the February meeting, as promised, **Tuggy Mathisen** composed the "inaugural" mini **Tech Quiz**. You will recall that due to the favorable response to the quiz at the Christmas party, we decided to offer ten question quizzes at each meeting. Don't be intimidated - the quiz contains only a few technical questions, consisting mostly of Porsche-related trivia and model history. Remember, members receive 100 points just for taking the quiz, with a maximum possible score of 300. These point accrue for the **Competitor of the Year** award. **Gordon Friedman** will give the March quiz. See below for the YTD tally of the COTY!

AUTOCROSS SCHEDULE: As the newsletter goes to press, we are awaiting confirmation of a **Sunday, March 27** (12:00) date for the first autocross at the Air Force Base. **Dale Watson** appears to have re-established new contacts at the base (to fill the void left by Col. Wilson's departure), and has received a re-newed commitment to allow the 1994 series to begin. At Tuesday's meeting, we will know for certain if we can run. If you are unable to attend the meeting, call Dale Conrad @ 884-2900 for confirmation of the March 27 date. Also at the March meeting, we will determine the autocross schedule for the next half year.

APRIL RALLY & PLANT TOUR: The club is *trying* to schedule a tour of the Charleston Porsche PDI Center (Pre-Delivery and Inspection) for the weekend of **April 9-10**. "Trying", because due to PCNA delivery pressures of the new Porsche 993s, the center may be working seven days a week to prep the new cars, and thus may not be able to accommodate a weekend tour. Center management has asked that we contact them later this month before they commit to a day that weekend. None the less, we will have a rally that weekend, the precise day to be determined by whether or not we are able to take the PDI tour. Stay tuned...

COMPETITOR OF THE YEAR (COTY) STANDINGS: After one event, 2/15 tech quiz.

<u>POINTS</u>	<u>MEMBER</u>
280	Gordon Friedman
280	Karl Troy
280	Dale Conrad
220	Bob Chick
200	Tuggy Mathisen
200	Sam Kelly
160	Karen Friedman
140	Dea Murray
120	Christiane Conrad

CLASSIFIED: '83 911SC Cabriolet - Cheap! Needs body work. Also, "88 944 Coupe - 52K mi., Automatic, rare moonroof, burlwood dash, phone, exc. cond. \$12,500. 16" Wheels from '91 C2/C4. Parting out 1978 911SC Coupe. Contact **Gordon Friedman**, 763-6740/763-0575.

COMING UP: **March 15** - Palmetto Region Monthly Meeting (see above); **March 19** - 12 Hours of Sebring; **March 27** (tentative) Palmetto Region Autocross, Chas. AFB (see above); **April 9** - Porsche Club Race, Road Atlanta; **April 9-10** (tentative), Palmetto Region PCNA Pre-Delivery Inspection Center (PDI) Plant Tour and Rally. More info to follow; **April 29-May 1** - Porsche Derby, Kentucky Region, Louisville, KY; **June 16-19** - Porsche Parade Europe 1994, Stockholm, Sweden; **July 9-16** - Porsche Parade, Lake Placid, NY.