

UPCOMING EVENTS

Join us at an upcoming event to social distance and gather together after a long wait.

GIMMICK RALLY RESULTS

Thank you to everyone who participated in this great event. See the results on page 06.

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EASTERN BUCKEYE REGION NEWSLETTER



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A Message from our Eastern Buckeye Region President

Greetings everyone and I hope you are enjoying Fall in Ohio! The Gimmick Rally was a great success, the weather perfect and we had a great turn out of Porsches with their navigators and drivers. Maize Valley did a great job of accommodating us during a very busy time for them.

The Gimmick Rally was the inaugural event for our PASS THE HELMET campaign to support our Club Charity. We collected well over \$200 at that event for the Akron-Canton Regional Foodbank and we are just getting started.

Speaking of Charity, our EBR/PCA Charity event coincides with our November Thirsty Thursday at the Caston & Main Brew Yard. We will have several great baskets to auction off and the Helmet will be there as well. We will also be announcing the winners of THE MEMORIAL TOUR DRIVE. This will be a great event and I know the Akron-Canton Regional Foodbank can use all the help they can get as we head into the Holiday Season. If you cannot attend and would like to contribute, please send a check to either EBR PCA or directly to the Akron-Canton Regional Foodbank.

Ongoing through Veterans day is THE MEMORIAL TOUR DRIVE. I know the days are getting shorter but there is still time to take a drive and visit one of the dedicated memorials in each of the 14 counties comprising our region.

The PCA Sim Racing Series 5 has concluded and it was well worth the time invested. The format was everything PCA represents, just carried over into the virtual world. Courteous members eager to help others get up to speed, respectful drivers keeping the racing clean. It in no way replaces getting your Porsche on a track, but still a good time for sure. If you would like to learn more check out the link in the Sim Racing section of our newsletter.

If you would like to put on an event, just let one of the Board Members know; we would be glad to help make it happen.

All the best, Scott

CALENDAR OF EVENTS



EBR CHARITY EVENT

"FILL THE HELMET" THIRSTY THURSDAY

Thursday, November 12th at 6:30 p.m.

Join us for our tribute to Veterans to announce the Memorial Tour Drive event winners, as well as another event supporting our charity event, Pass the Helmet.

Tickets will be sold for raffle baskets and other prizes and donations will be collected for the Akron-Canton Regional Foodbank. EBR has chosen to donate funds to the local foodbank to help those struggling due to COVID-19.

Come out and enjoy food and beverages at Caston and Main. Check out their menu at castonbrewyard.com. Please RSVP on the Facebook event page or to Cheryl Krumm at cakrumm986@gmail.com.

PASS THE HELMET UPDATE

Join us in support of our local charity!

The EBR is currently hosting events in support of our charity campaign, Pass The Helmet, in support of the Akron-Canton Regional Foodbank. **Our current total raised is \$225.**

If you are looking to support this event, donations can be mailed to: EBR PCA, 2994 Brunnerdale Ave NW, Canton, OH 44708. Please add Foodbank to check memo line.



ADDITIONAL DATES

EBR WINTER PARTY

*Saturday, January 23rd | 6:00 p.m.
Royal Docks Brewhouse & Cannery*

EBR Member *Spotlight*

We are introducing a new section to our monthly EBR newsletter, called "EBR Member Spotlight." Each month we will be highlighting a different member's (or two's) Porsche story - and we want to feature Y-O-U!

If you would spend a few minutes [filling out this form](#) to share your Porsche story, you can be featured in an upcoming edition of *der Strassenmeister*. Please email a photo to be included with your submission to melissa.arden21@gmail.com.

We are looking forward to hearing & sharing your Porsche story!

Meet, Tony Torgersen!

Tony has been a PCA member since 1968.

He has owned several Porsche's, including: 356's, 914, 911's, 944's, (14 in all). He currently owns two Porches: a 1972 911T and a 2014 Cayman S.

What is your favorite thing about owning a Porsche?

Driving is a serious hobby, I become part of the car and love listening to the engine.

What is your favorite memory with your vehicle?

Driving my 1966 911 at the limit when I raced this car.

What is your favorite Porsche model?

Porsche 904 with a 2 liter dual overhead cam.

If you could drive any Porsche for a single day, which would you choose? Why?

I'd like to drive a Carrera 908 on a race track for a day.

Tony said, "Porsches have been part of my life since 1962, and I've enjoyed them all!"

DON'T FORGET: [click here](#) to fill out our member spotlight form for a chance to be featured in an upcoming newsletter!



Veterans Memorial Tour

All EBR members are encouraged to participate in our Veterans Memorial Tour. The tour includes a visit to veterans memorials in the 14 different counties across Ohio and Pennsylvania that make up our EBR region. Members who participate are asked to log their miles and memorials visited.

Any places visited should be posted to the EBR Facebook page to count for the total tally. Totals are due by November 11, with winners being announced at Thirsty Thursday on November 12 at Caston & Main Brewery. Members can download the full tour list, [here](#).





PCA Sim Racing provides fun and competitive online racing against members from all 14 Zones!

Join PCA members from all 14 Zones.

Ready to join us in PCA Sim Racing? The group is founded on the principles of gentlemen driver racing found in PCA Club Racing. If you are a beginner racing online this is a great place to start as we openly coach and mentor new drivers through our highly successful eDE Driver Education program. Races are broadcasted live on YouTube with professional announcers.

JOIN US! <https://register-simracing.pca.org>

FOR MORE INFORMATION: <https://pcasimracing.com>



CLICK HERE to read more about the Sim Racing changes to the National format and breakdown of grouped Zones.

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Gimmick Rally *Highlights*

Congratulations to the Gimmick Rally winners:

FIRST PLACE: Bob and Paula Lundell

SECOND PLACE: Tim Miller and Kay Dieslinski

THIRD & FOURTH PLACE: (tied) Jeff and Stephanie Fowler & Dan and Kelly Slagle



Around the Zone



Hi Zone 4 Friends and Family,

We are starting to get out there and safely meet up to enjoy our Porsches this summer. August saw many more driving tours, cars & coffee events, and yes, even a few driving schools. This continued into September.

I was able to join the Southeast Michigan gang at Waterford Raceway (pictured right) for a great day of Driver Education sessions. Despite no in-car instruction due to the COVID restrictions, we had all run groups full and the novice drivers were enthusiastic about their Parade Laps with Pace-setters showing the line. They will be back in the spring when hopefully we can get in the cars with them and improve their skills.

HPDE events around the zone are showing great participation, despite no in car instruction - such as Western Michigan Region at Grattan and upcoming events at Mid Ohio, Putnam Park, and Indianapolis Motor Speedway.

Finding a silver lining, there have been many humorous cartoons and other 'punny' twists on the COVID situation. As a sign of the times, when at a Porsche Dealership, I saw this sign on the floor (pictured right), as a substitute for the standard 'stay 6 feet away' to separate those customers standing in a check out lane and the like. And later that week, driving in my Boxster, I had to pull over and take this photo of the trip odometer reading. Doesn't that say it all!

Meanwhile, thinking ahead, I was able to spend a few days at French Lick Resort area with the Parade Planning Committee, for an onsite visit. Mark your calendars for the 65th Porsche Parade, July 11-17th. Zone 4 and Zone 13 are the host zones, and there is so much fun being planned for us.

The concours will feature the Historic Display, this year with the theme of 'Blow the Lid off of Summer,' featuring all the Porsche models with removable (or no!) tops. Let me know if you have a special Porsche for this display.

Lori,
Your Proud Zone 4 Representative
zone4rep@national.pca.org



Porsche Club of America *Member Highlights*

This Month's Feature Article: *"Rennsports Illustrated"*

Inspiring lust and envy wherever they go, the homologation RS Porsches are among the rarest and most exclusive 911s. Panorama took seven to the track to explore how they have evolved over the years in this month's feature article.

To read the interactive, online edition of the magazine, [click here](#).

The Caretaker

RAY SHAFFER'S 964 TURBO CONJURES
THE GHOST OF BRUMOS PAST.

STORY BY BLAKE Z. ROND PHOTO BY NEVIN MCCARTHY

THERE'S A STICKER on the back of Ray Shaffer's 1992 964 Turbo, against the edge of the window next to the windshield wiper, that says "Thomas Racing Porsche 1986 Superior Champion, 1991-1992." It's a period-race sticker. Shaffer is especially proud of its presence, as more wins than one might believe. Plus, at all, with the three-year Turbo Porsche was 100% essentially identical to the one that won the 1986 24 Hours of Le Mans. Shaffer's car is a 1992 model and would have left the dealer with nearly that sticker. And it seems that this particular 964 Turbo did once hold court at Thomas Racing in Jacksonville, Florida, the most famous Porsche dealer in the country and home to some of the best Porsche teams and people such as Shelby Donnell, Don Robertson, and Bob Insinger. All are old friends of Shaffer.

Shaffer's car collection started at the age of nine, thanks to a neighbor's 1966 in his Pittsburgh suburb. He has owned several Porsches, but this 964 Turbo represents the 12 years he spent working at Brumos. It has been his absolute passion, exhibiting a devotion and attention to detail familiar to Porsche enthusiasts. Shaffer is careful to say that he is the car's caretaker,



The Caretaker *A Turbo with Roots*

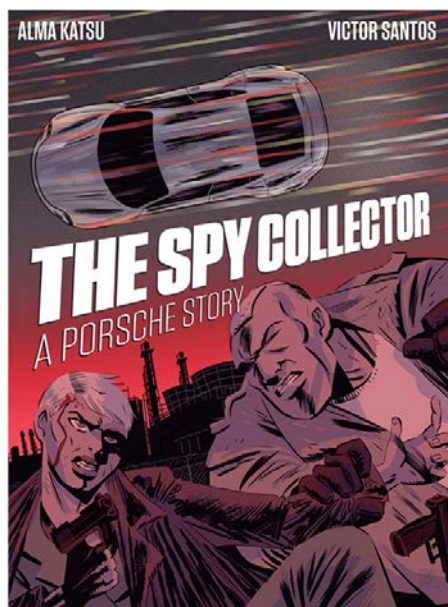
Continuing the theme of desirable high-performance 911 variants is the story of Ray Shaffer's 1992 964 Turbo. After first seeing the car when he worked at Brumos, Shaffer acquired it and has kept it maintained to factory spec. More than the owner of the car, he sees himself more as "The Caretaker."

[Click here](#) to read the whole story about how he sees himself more as "The Caretaker" than owner.

The Pioneer *Battle of the Builds*

We next turn our attention to Jeff Gamroth, who in the late '90s fitted a 3.8-liter engine into a pre-1974 911. We call him "The Pioneer."

Read the entire story, written by Randy Wells, [here](#).



PCA Graphic Novel

Porsche Panorama, has teamed up with bestselling author Alma Katsu and illustrator Victor Santos to produce a new graphic novel titled, "[The Spy Collector: A Porsche Story](#)."

The graphic novel is a globe-skirting, Porsche-centric fictional spy tale involving a recently deceased vintage Porsche collector who took to the grave a Cold War-era secret that remains dangerous enough in the present to kill for.

Check out more cloak and dagger adventures in the penultimate chapter of the thrilling graphic novel in this month's *Panorama*.

PCA Juniors is a program for Porsche enthusiasts under age 18. Current PCA members, can sign up their child, grandchild, niece or nephew [here](#).



Did you know PCA has its own racing series?

PCA Club Racing has provided fantastic Porsche-only wheel to wheel racing since 1992 at tracks big and small across North America.

Club Racing is a place for Porsche enthusiasts to race their Porsches in a friendly, competitive environment. Club Racing has a class for just about every sports car Porsche has made, everything from a converted 944 to a new Porsche Motorsport GT3 Cup is welcome. With Club Racing, you can race your Porsche on some of the most historic tracks in North America like Lime Rock, Watkins Glen, Road Atlanta, and Canadian Tire Motorsports Park.

If you are a PCA member and have a Porsche race car, come race with us. For information on how to get started, head over to <https://pcaclubracing.org/licensing>

FOR MORE INFORMATION: <https://pcaclubracing.org>

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Nike Golf - Dri-FIT Micro Pique Polo
\$50

Adult Sizes: XS-4XL

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Size: _____ Color: _____



Nike Golf - Ladies Dri-FIT Micro Pique Polo
\$50

Ladies Sizes: S-2XL

Colors: Aluminum Pink, Anthracite, Black, Blue Sapphire, Cornsilk, Fusion Pink, Mean Green, Navy, Night Purple, Team Orange, Team Red, Tidal Blue, Valor Blue, Varsity Red, White

Size: _____ Color: _____



Sport-Tek® 1/4-Zip Sweatshirt
\$45

Adult Sizes: XS-4XL

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Size: _____ Color: _____



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\$45

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Colors: Blue, Red, Silver or Black

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