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Florida Citrus Region Porsche Club of America Monthly Meeting Location: Porsche of Orlando

February 4, 2013

Officers Present: Steve Williamson, President; Lisa Lewis, Vice President; Lyn Perez, Secretary; Arden Griffith, Treasurer.

Also present: 47 Members including 3 New Members: David Fekete, Joe Perez, Robert Rulhin

The meeting was called to order by President Steve Williamson.

The financial report was given Arden Griffith. The current bank balance stands at \$85,562 which includes approximately \$31,000 for pending expenses related to the upcoming DE, and approximately \$23,000 in the club race accounts.

Steve Williamson gave a membership report updating the number of current members and associate members which stands at 558 members and 394 affiliates, for a total membership of 952 up 12 from the previous month.

Old Business

- 1) The membership was reminded of the upcoming Autocross event, the first of the 2013 season on this Saturday February 9th in Tavares. Autocross events have also been scheduled in Tavares on March 16 and at the Orlando County Convention Center on March 31st and May 26th.
- 2) A report on current registrations was given for the upcoming winter Drivers Education weekend at Roebling Road on February 16 and 17 and the Instructors day on February 15th prior to the DE. It was noted the event is sold out.
- 3) A report was made by Steve Williamson about the Rolex 24 Hours race and the Porsche Corral managed in part by FLC PCA. It was noted that next year National PCA will organize the Corral as a Porsche Platz similar to the Porsche Platz at the Sebring 12 Hour event.
- 4) Mark Peebles, Ron Zitza and Greg Burrows commented on the races at 48 Hours of Sebring held this past weekend.
- 5) It was announced again that the Porsche Escape will be held locally in November of 2014 and it will consist of tours, perhaps a rally, dinners and other social events. No driving events will be scheduled as part of the Escape.

New Business

1) There will be a reception for the PCA Executive Committee at the Disney Beach Club in the Hampton Room Saturday February 9th from 6-7 p.m. with cash bar and snacks.

- Anyone who plans to assist our club with the organizing of the Escape 2014 event is asked to attend this reception.
- 2) The 2013 Chili cook-off is scheduled for February 23 7:00 p.m. at Porsche of Orlando. Travis Young and Lisa Lewis are organizing the event. Participants are asked to bring their best chili (hot or mild), side dish or desert. There will be electrical connections for crock pots and both soft and adult drinks will be provided.
- 3) Lisa Lewis has made preliminary arrangements for a club tour of the Brumos Museum in Jacksonville, Florida. A date in April or May will be announced soon. The tour will involve the Brumos shops, race car preparation areas, a box lunch and about 1 ½ hours in the Museum.
- 4) A Car Control Clinic is scheduled for April 20th at the FIRM track (Florida International Rally Motorsports park www.gorally.com) in the Starke Florida area about 2-2 /2 hour drive from the Orlando area. The purpose of this event on the 1.5 mile. 9 turn track, is to help prepare new drivers for Drivers Education events with basic car handling, and to introduce the technical aspects of track driving and safety. The event will be limited to 20 student drivers in street cars or moderately prepared cars (no race cars). There will be classroom time, one on one in car instruction, and plenty of relaxed discussion to make this a memorable day for the novice driver. Registration will open soon at clubregistration.net, \$160 for students \$50 for instructors.

Steve Williamson asked if there were any additional comments or announcements.

There being no further business, Steve Williamson thanked Emilio and Porsche of Orlando for their hospitality for again providing a place for the meeting and the meeting was adjourned.

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