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THE PREZ SAYS...

by John Lillian



Recently a friend and former president of our club passed away. We will miss Steve Spangler and we express our sorrow to Cindi and his family.

Well the year is just about over, and it has been a great year for our club. We had our 50Th anniversary this year and we had some great events celebrating it. We also brought back auto crossing which we haven't had for several years. We have had eleven events this year and great time were had by everyone. I wish to thank all of the board members and everyone else who helped make this an outstanding Porsche year for our club.

Please don't forget our annual Christmas Party Saturday December 13Th at 6:30pm. Please send your reservations form to Christine Richard, 1622 La Canada Rd, Madera, Ca 93638

It has been a great ride....See you there.....



Remember to Keep the Flash Alive

See you there...

John

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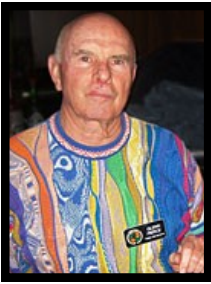
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PORSCHE PAST...

by Glenn Pierce



THE LAST HURRAH

1982 officers were: Dutch Green, Pres., Ron Honda V. P., Kathy Benov, Sec., Mike Wikstrom, Treas.

Dutch wrote about a lack of reservations by the members at our events, dinners, tours, etc. Still have problems 26 years later! Dates to note for the year: Porsche-Corvette Charity Event, Parade Reno, Tour to Tahoe, Pebble Beach Tour, Bar-B-Queue at Gilpin's, and Christmas Party at Fort Washington.

Dinner meeting at Roger Rochas at \$17.00 each. Cover July 1982 picture of Sharon and Larry Duncan; where are they now?

"Our-Other-Car-Is-A-Porsche" tour by bus to Tahoe at \$49.00 per person, WOW! Picture shows members at Reno Parade, Wayne Honda drilling a hole, Don Pittman screwing a wood screw, and Commander K. Gilpin Hammering in a nail.

August cover "Goodrich wins Manhattan". Ask an old member about this. Remember 26 years ago--dinner at Orville and Wilbur's downtown Fresno at \$10.50 per person.

Also picture of Charity Event, showing a slim Dave Goerlich, also he was younger. Dinner for October at the Downtown Club at \$16.50 per person. October issue had lot-sa pictures of smiling faces after Goodrich and Gilpin's success at Monterey - cars, Porsches and faces, wow that was a weekend to remember.

November issue has a picture of "Solley Unlimitedd". Had a tech session at his "Infamous" shop on Blackstone; Gary, Dave, and a couple of gals with beer in hand; guess it was a success. According to Mike we still had \$\$\$ in our treasure.

Flea Market: 4 vredestein radials 185/15, tubeless with "lotsa" good rubber, \$25.00 each. Dave Goerlich 439-2887, Dave never throws out anything. He probably still has them; call him.

Had a bunch of pictures of some young members (now old members), Porsche pushers age slowly!

Our Tech man-at-large was Clint Cummings with some very good articles, maybe we can get him to do this again as I have heard he is going to retire, you know ... that's when you wonder how you had time to work.

If you have never seen the Dec. 1982 cover, well it is known as "A Touch of Class"

The rides over, see you at the Christmas Party.



See ya in my mirrors,

Glenn



PORSCHE TECH

by Dave Goerlich, Technical/Safety Chairman



Remembering Steve Spangler

Monday November 17, 2008 we lost a former member of the Sequoia Region. Steve served as president of our club in 1995. Steve was a person with many interests, always enjoyed a good time. His outstanding abilities included gourmet cooking, photography, wedding planning, driving his Porsche and go cart racing. During Steve's time as our president he would serve the board a gourmet meal before the meeting at his home in Sanger.

Professionally, Steve was a dental technician and was noted for making excellent gold crowns. He could even melt old gold dental work and turn it into outstanding gold jewelry.

The newer members of our region will remember Steve as the chef who would prepare and cook the fillet steaks at the annual Christmas party.

Steve and I keep in contact though out the years and I considered him a good friend. Our thought and prayers are with Cindy and his family. He will be missed.

Dave---Tech/Safety Chairman





Upcoming Sequoia Region Events



December

Sun 12/7 **Tour to Vintage Press** for lunch. Meet at Starbucks, Highway 168 & Temperance Ave. Depart at 9 a.m. Info: Chick Cherrington, cjc@jhnmlaw.com or (559) 681-5159.

Sat 12/13 **Christmas Dinner Meeting** - [see advertisement in this newsletter](#) and at the website for the [registration form](#).

January

Mon 1/5 **Board Meeting** - at the home of Fred Scott, unless it is foggy and we will divert to the home of Marilyn Pierce in Fresno.

Tues 1/13 **Dinner Meeting** - Joy Luck, 6:30 p.m. Info: Christine (559) 645-0501

Dinner Meeting Reminder: *Those who cancel their reservation after the deadline or fail to show up for the dinner will be billed for their meals.*

Sequoia Region Calendar of events: <http://sqa.pca.org/events.htm>

Zone 7 Calendar: <http://zone7.pca.org/index.php?page=calendar>



The Porsche Pantry

By Ron Walker



SUGGESTIONS FOR THE CHARITY AT THE CHRISTMAS PARTY

For the Christmas Party every year we have a tradition of helping someone needy. Since Shari Walker no longer teaches to give us a private family, for this past year we have adopted "Evangel Home" as our adoptive family and have been giving our food items all year to them.

For the Christmas Party we purchase a Christmas Tree and everyone brings an ornament or ornaments to help decorate the tree. The tree will be taken to the Evangel Home for the families who are there during the Holidays. They are very excited about this. As always we are purchasing some gift items for the kids who are there to use while they are staying at the Home. These items will be items that will stay at the Home and be used by all who come and go during the year.

PANTRY ITEMS are also brought to take to the Evangel Home.. These items are a big need and we have always given generously at the Christmas Party by our members who attend. This year is no different. THE NEEDS ARE: facial tissue, paper towels, napkins, paper plates, toilet paper, cups, forks, spoons. FOOD ITEMS: rice, coffee, canned milk, canned fruit, cereal, (Hot and Cold), spaghetti sauce, tomato sauce, enchilada sauce, onion powder, black pepper, parsley, Pam spray, cooking oil, heavy duty foil, zip lock bags (gallon and sandwich) heavy duty trash bags,

LET'S MAKE THIS YEAR, AS YOU ALWAYS HAVE, A MEMORABLE TIME FOR THE FAMILIES AT THE EVANGEL HOME. THANK YOU.



Porsche in the News



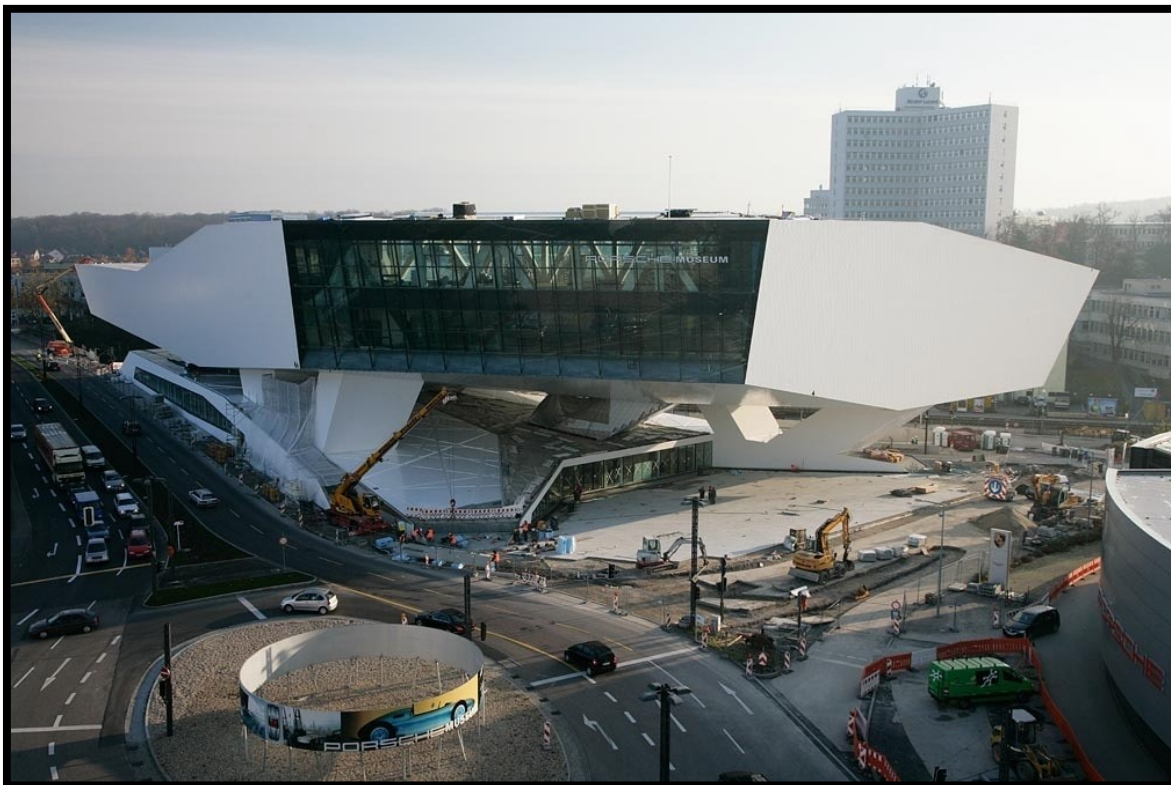
New Porsche Museum to be opened on 31 January 2009

Stuttgart. In the new Porsche Museum the final preparations are made for the opening on Saturday 31 January 2009. At last, now that the scaffolding has been removed, it is possible to see to the full extent the bold architecture of the building at the head office premises of Dr. Ing. h.c. F. Porsche AG in Zuffenhausen: The 5,600 square metres of exhibition space are supported on just three so-called cores of reinforced concrete – hence just seeming to hover in space. Inside the building the majority of approximately 80 exhibits are already in place.

In the other areas of the new building – amongst them the museum workshops, the museum shop, the Porsche archive, an exclusive restaurant, a bistro and the capacious event areas – a team of experts are busy putting the finishing touches. Three days after the ceremonial opening, which takes place on Wednesday the 28 January 2009, the doors of the new Porsche Museum will be flung open to welcome the first visitors. On a daily basis, apart from Mondays, the exhibition can be viewed for an admission price of eight Euros (reduced price: four Euros). Children up to the age of 14 get free admission when accompanied by an adult.

The restaurant on the second floor – which has both a view through the glass facade onto the Porscheplatz as well as through the glass partition into the exhibition itself – has its own separate entrance and is also open at hours different from those of the museum itself.

With the new museum and its range of catering facilities additional capacity for conferences, company and private events in exceptional surroundings will come into being. We have already received hosts of inquiries.



Interested parties can get more detailed information from the internet on www.porsche.com/museum

For up-to-the-minute information, Check out our website: [PCA Sequoia Website](#)

PCA Region Focus Online (Monthly newsletter at the PCA website)

The current and past issues of PCA's "Region Focus" can be downloaded here:

https://www.pca.org/members/region_focus.html

Thank you for wearing your name tag!

It makes it so much easier for getting acquainted.
Have you lost yours? Or just don't have one yet?

Call Tom Amos, 222-9285 or

tamos@towerusa.com

And you will have one for just \$8.

They will be delivered at an upcoming dinner meeting.

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Classifieds

2004 Boxster S with hardtop & Tiptronic white with black leather call Glenn Pierce @ (559)281-6442

1967 912 Coupe, red/black, nice paint, 6K miles on rebuilt/replaced engine, clean, always garaged, \$8,000. Steve Nelson 559-250-0884 SteveNelson@Krazan.com

Boxster Roof Transport System: PN 986.801.202.00; never used, requires assembly; retails new for \$645.00; asking \$400.00. Contact Bud Behrens at (209) 477-6496 or e-mail budnmaryann@cs.com
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PCA Sequoia Region Christmas Dinner 2008

Join us for a Christmas Celebration

Saturday, December 13, 2008

6:30 pm Social Hour
(bring your own drinks)

7:30 pm Dinner
at

California Motoring Company
1063 Brookhaven Dr. # 101
Clovis, CA 93612

No cost for PCA Members (bring a food item to share)
Guests are welcome at a cost of \$25.00 per guest.

RSVP for the 2008 Sequoia Region Christmas Party
please complete this form and mail with your check to:

Christine Richard
16211 La Canada Rd.
Madera, CA 93638

Questions: Call Christine 645-0501 or Evie 446-0400

Phone reservations not accepted

Reservations must be received by December 6th

Name _____

Address _____

Phone _____

- ☐ PCA Member Dinners
☐ Guest Dinners @ \$25

You can expect me to bring:

- ☐ Hors D'Ouvres
☐ Salad
☐ Dessert

Quantity Price

	No charge

Total: _____

☐ Check Enclosed

Please Note: No-show and late cancellations will be billed \$25 each member and/or guest.