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## On the Cover/

Some red cars parked outside the very fun and sunny Slot Car event

Photo by Joel Browning

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## Welcome to our New Members/

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## Upcoming Events/

Be sure to check out the CAI website (<http://cai.pca.org>) for all the latest info.

### January

4 SAT – CAI – Monthly Breakfast Meeting, Lancaster, CA

11 SAT – CAI – Board Installation Dinner [\[register\]](#)

11 SAT – SGV – Porsche Detailing Clinic & Workshop, Newport Beach, CA [\[information\]](#)

18 SAT – Z8 – Concours [\[ad\]](#)[\[register\]](#)

18 SAT – Z8 – Awards Banquet [\[ad\]](#)[\[register\]](#)

25 SAT – GPX – Tour of the Pacific Coast to the Lyon Air Museum [\[register\]](#)

25-26 – SDR – Drivers education and time trial, Chuckwalla Raceway [\[information\]](#)

### February

1 SAT – CAI – Monthly Breakfast Meeting, Lancaster, CA

22-23 – SDR – Drivers education and time trial, Streets of Willow [\[information\]](#)

22-23 – CCCR – Autocross School & Autocross, Santa Maria, CA [\[registration\]](#)

29-1 – LAR – Women's drivers education followed by Coed day [\[registration\]](#)

### March

7 SAT – CAI – Monthly Breakfast Meeting, Lancaster, CA

13 FRI – GPX – Day Away Drivers Education, Rosamond, CA

27 FRI – CCCR – Drivers Education, Buttonwillow [\[register\]](#)

29 SUN – RR – Autocross

29 SUN – GPX – Instructor Training, Lancaster, CA

30 MON – GPX – Drivers Education and Autocross, Streets of Willow

### April

4 SAT – CAI – Monthly Breakfast Meeting, Lancaster, CA

4 SAT – CCCR – Autocross, Santa Maria, CA [\[registration\]](#)

11-12 – SDR – Drivers Education, Chuckwalla Raceway [\[information\]](#)

18 SAT – CAI – Concours in the Canyons, Valencia, CA

18 SAT – SAR – Concours – Cinco DeMayo

23-26 – PCA – California Festival of Speed, Fontana, CA

29-2 – PCA – Colorado Treffen, Registration opens on 1/22/20, [\[information\]](#)

### May

2 SAT – CAI – Monthly Breakfast Meeting, Lancaster, CA

17 SUN – GPX – Concours

18 MON – CCCR – Second Annual Laguna Seca Drivers Education [\[registration\]](#)

30-31 – SDR – Time Trial, Willow Springs Raceway [\[information\]](#)

### June

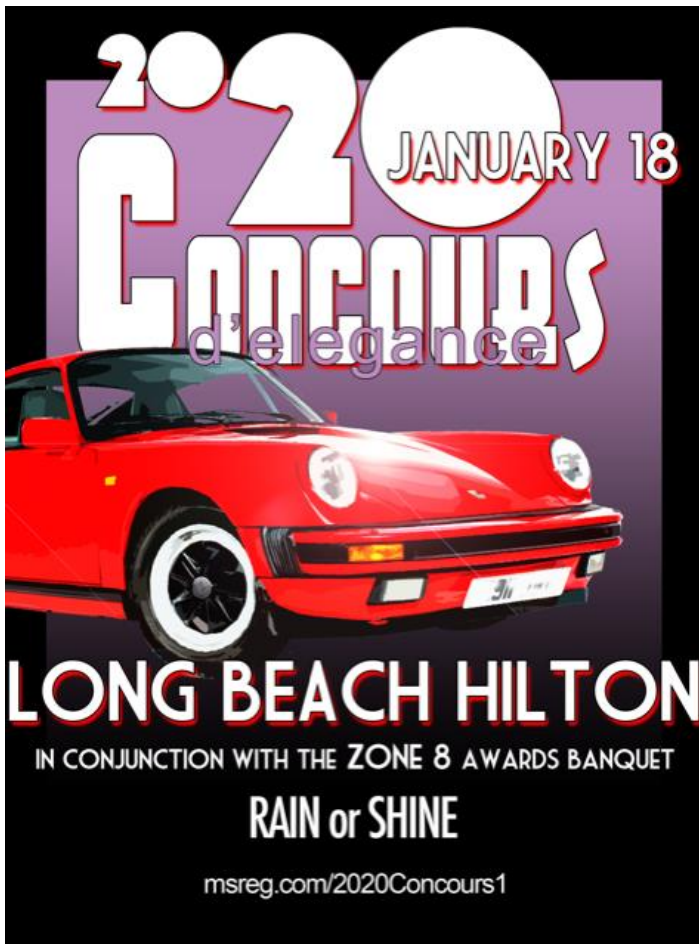
6 SAT – CAI – Monthly Breakfast Meeting, Lancaster, CA

6 SAT – CCCR – Autocross, Santa Maria, CA [\[registration\]](#)

13 SAT – OCR – Concours at Dana Point

21-27 – PCA – 2020 Parade Palm Springs [\[information\]](#)

*If you have any ideas or suggestions for events, do not hesitate to contact any of the board/committee members!!!*



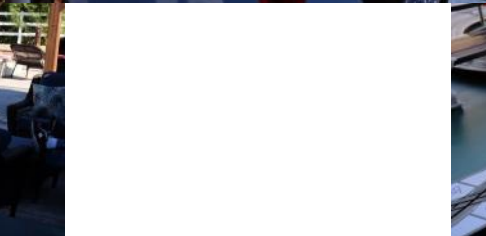
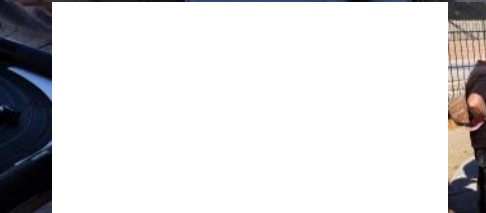
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CONCOURS  
d'elegance  
LONG BEACH HILTON  
IN CONJUNCTION WITH THE ZONE 8 AWARDS BANQUET  
RAIN or SHINE  
[msreg.com/2020Concours1](http://msreg.com/2020Concours1)



2020 JANUARY 18  
COCKTAILS AT 6/DINNER AT 7  
AWARDS BANQUET  
zone  
pca  
LONG BEACH HILTON  
\$60 PER PERSON  
<https://zone8.motorsportreg.com>

# Slot Car Party

Photos by Joel Browning



California Inland Region  
Installation Dinner for the 2020-21 Officers  
January 11, 2020



Porsche Club's California Inland Region will hold an installation dinner for newly elected officers on Saturday, Jan. 11, 2020 at Gino's Italian Restaurant in Lancaster, beginning at 6:00 pm. We invite all our members to come together for this first dinner event of 2020. Registration opens on Dec. 22, 2019 and will close on Jan. 9, 2020, so we can confirm how many people will attend. Please register early on the Motorsport Reg website, [www.motorsportreg.com](http://www.motorsportreg.com).

Gino's has been in business in the Antelope Valley for quite some time, a popular place to go for Italian cuisine. Attire for this event is "Porsche casual," but don't be afraid to dress up if you desire. We encourage all our membership to attend, although after funding our 2019 Holiday Party recently, with record-breaking attendance, we'll need attendees to pay their own way for this occasion.

This is *your* club, and we encourage inputs from the members on ideas and activities to help make it enjoyable. This could be a drive down your favorite winding road, or a trip to a new or different eating establishment. There are also a lot of museums in Southern California, as well as the relatively new Porsche Experience Center. Think about what you would like to get out of the club and let us know!

The dinner will be held at the Gino's located at 44960 Valley Central Way, Lancaster, CA 93536, near the Lancaster Jethawks baseball stadium known as "The Hanger."

# Cal-Inland Autocross Team

**Article by John Quick**  
**Photos by John Quick or Caliphotography**

For at least the last five years that I remember, CAI has had a group that follows the AutoX Series. They have demonstrated their skills by winning First or Second place for their Class each year.

Running the Series requires that you attend a minimum of 50% of the scheduled events, no small task as they are scattered from Santa Maria to San Diego to Tucson. Annually there are from 8 to 10 Series events and the CAI team, backed by NSQRacing, shows up to 90%. We have consistently scored and receive Trophies every year at the Zone 8 Awards Ceremony.

Our current Team is comprised of Ian Anderson, Alex Helyer, John Quick and David Witteried.

## 2019 Zone 8 AX standing

Ian Anderson #54—1st place in SS (street Stock) 06

Alex Helyer #68—Our novice, just starting this year and is showing great potential

John Quick #113—1st place in CC (competition class) 05

David Witteried #81—2nd place in CC 05 - David normally runs CC02 and just got his car back

If you really want to learn to better control your car and improve your driving skill, come join us for one of the local area events run at Fontana and Bak-ersfield which are typically just over an hour away. 🏁



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# PALM SPRINGS



JUNE 21-27

# 2020

65<sup>TH</sup> PORSCHE PARADE  
PORSCHE CLUB OF AMERICA

# Holiday Party

Photos by Joel Browning





# Board Meeting Minutes

By Sam Thurman – CAI Secretary

## August Minutes August 24, 2019

Mtg. called to order at 11:40 am

### Board Members Present

- Ian Anderson, Alex Helyer, John Quick, Sam Thurman
- Not present: Lori DeCristo

### Committee Chairs Present

- Not present: Joel Browning, Lori DeCristo, Jenn Riedel, and Herman Rijfkogel

### Members Present

- Jim Gude, Brian Piurkowski, Dale Riedel, Nancy Soukup

### Minutes Approval

- Minutes for the Jun. 27, 2019 Board meeting were approved.

### President's Report

- Alex reports the New Member Social on Aug. 17 was a huge success – big thanks to Bryon and Georgina Stopfer for serving as hosts; need to get final costs to John Quick for reimbursement
- Have a few responses from e-mail message to membership seeking new volunteers for Board positions; need to organize e-mail voting procedure for next Board
- T-shirt screen printed with Cal-Inland logo; Alex plans to visit B's embroidery

next to get some examples of mugs, hats and coasters as well as t-shirts

- Let's hold Social Dinner on Weds. Sep. 18 at Gino's Restaurant in Lancaster
- Alex will send e-mail announcement for Sep. 21 Pine Canyon Tour, which registration will be available for this event on Motorsport Reg
- Slot car event planning – at Dale/Jenn Riedel's back patio in Acton, prep. event Sat. Oct. 12, followed by slot car event Sat. Oct. 19; 12:00 pm start both days

### Vice President

- Ian has learned Jethawks Stadium is owned by city of Lancaster, now has contact to inquire about use of parking lot for DE instructor training and future autocross events

### Treasurer's Report:

- Motion made, 2<sup>nd</sup> and approved to fund breakfast for new Galpin Porsche dealership General Mgr., Mr. Joe Alias, who attended breakfast mtg. today (Aug. 23)
- Alex has more decals with Cal-Inland logo available for distribution

### Secretary's Report:

- Nethercutt Museum tour and New Member Social on Aug. 17 had great turnout
- Sam will put together short article on Mt. Wilson tour from Jun. 29

### Committee Reports:

- Membership – Lori DeCristo reports (via e-mail) 118 primary members and 57 affiliates
- Equipment Chair – no report this month
- Historian – no report
- Rally – no report
- Concours – need to start planning for 2020 Concours event...
- Social Media/newsletter/website – Joel requests members upload photos from various Region and broader PCA events!
- Driver Education/Autocross – Ian plans to work possible use of Jethawks stadium parking in conjunction with Grand Prix Region, who may use locale for instructor training prior to their "Day Away from Work" event in Mar. 2020

### Other Business/Future Events Planning

- Colleen Stein had proposed an event to tour Classic Porsche Restorations (CPR); she and Lori DeCristo still working to explore this further
- Alex informed group that one of Cal-Inland members, Guy Moore, has offered to host a Region Christmas party at his residence; following some discussion and agreement to accept Guy's proposal and hold this event Sat. Dec. 14



Dale trying out his next future Porsche at the PCA LA Auto Show Preview

Photo by Jenn Riedel

# Board Meeting Minutes, cont.

The next Board mtg. is planned for Sat., 14 Sep. 2019, at 11:00 am, to be held at Margarita's Mexican Restaurant in Santa Clarita. The Aug. 24 meeting was adjourned at 12:20 pm.

## October Minutes October 26, 2019

Mtg. called to order at 11:15 am

### Board Members Present

- Ian Anderson, Lori DeCristo, Alex Helyer, John Quick, Sam Thurman

### Committee Chairs Present

- Present: Joel Browning, Lori DeCristo, Jenn Riedel
- *Members Present:* Naomi Helyer, Dale Riedel

### Minutes Approval

- Minutes for the Aug. 24, 2019 Board meeting were approved.

### President's Report

- Sadly, CAI learned that one of our recent members, Brian Piurkowski, passed away the prior weekend (Oct. 20); he was a true Porsche enthusiast, well liked within CAI, and will be missed!
- A big "thanks" to Jenn and Dale Riedel for hosting very successful slot car party and setup events on Oct. 12 and 19; awaiting receipts to Treasurer for reimbursement
- Question on ballots for 2020-21 Board positions; Lori says we have enough and new Board positions have been established
- Alex has quotes for B's Embroidery for CAI logo t-shirts and mugs – motion was made, 2<sup>nd</sup> and approved to fund artwork for these; John Q. will follow up with B's
- Alex also would like cost est. for a canopy with CAI logo, for use at Concours and other Club events

- Let's hold Social Dinner on Weds. Nov. 13 at Gino's Restaurant in [Palmdale?](#)
- Alex to investigate making a table reservation for Lake Arrowhead Oktoberfest Tour next year
- Lori will inquire about potential tour of Classic Porsche Restorations (CPR) as Colleen not in attendance this mtg.
- Should we consider doing a tech session at John Quick's NSQ Racing HQ? Some discussion on this idea; look to plan a date next year
- Holiday party planning discussion – will be held at Guy and Carolyn Moore's home in Sand Canyon on Dec. 14; club will arrange for beer and wine there, any other spirits may be brought by guests – get MS Reg posting up, plan for approx. 50 people

### Vice President

- Ian has spoken with a Jethawks baseball team VP about use of Jethawks Stadium parking for a DE/autocross event. There is 118,000 ft<sup>2</sup> of useable driving space. Should we consider contacting Scott Mann to help organize a DE event in the future?

### Treasurer's Report:

- CAI is in good financial shape at present
- John will get B's Embroidery going on logo artwork for shirts and coffee mugs

### Secretary's Report:

- Sam will put together a Christmas Party posting on Motorsport Reg for Dec. 14 event

### Committee Reports:

- Membership – Lori DeCristo reports (via e-mal) 119 primary members and 57 affiliates
  - Recommends Jenn invite the new Galpin Porsche GM and key staff to our CAI Christmas Party on Dec. 14, rest of Board says yes let's do so
- Equipment Chair – John recommends

regroup/rename this committee the Equipment/Awards/Promotions committee; motion made, 2<sup>nd</sup> and approved for this

- Historian – no report
- Rally – no report
- Concours – Kevin Karzin not present; tentative date of Apr. 18<sup>th</sup> chosen, Lori will contact CoC to secure this date
- Social Media/newsletter/website – Joel recommends this position maintain calendar, post photos to CAI website and Facebook page, but otherwise discontinue PDF newsletter and e-mail dist.; Sam to check if interpretation of our by-laws OK with this
- Driver Education/Autocross
  - In support of Santa Barbara Region, Ian briefed Point Mugu Naval Base leadership on potential use of airfield for an autocross event – was told Legal Dept. there says NO
  - Ian hasn't been able to check Grange Go-cart track for autocross suitability, can anyone else do so?
- Dealership Liaison – Jenn will check with Porsche Santa Clarita about willingness to provide door prizes of some sort for Christmas event, and if they would be interested in having a display at our Apr. 2020 Concours event
- *Other Business/Future Events Planning*
  - Board mtg. on Nov. 23 will be cancelled
  - 11 Jan. 2020 is working date for new Board inst. dinner, 7:00 pm at Gino's in Lancaster

The next Board mtg. is tentatively planned for Sat., 7 Dec. 2019, at 11:00 am, to be held at Greenhouse Cafe in Lancaster. The Oct. 26 meeting was adjourned at 12:45 pm. 🚗

## Classified Ads

Please contact John Quick to order California Inland Region License Plate Frames.  
[NSQRacing@gmail.com](mailto:NSQRacing@gmail.com)



## ***PCA Zone 8 Officers and Staff/***

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Bill Thorp

**Chief Driving Instructor**  
Scott Mann

**Concours Co-Chair**  
Dick Douglass

**Social Media Chair**  
Chris Lewis

**Secretary**  
Lori DeCristo

**CA Festival of Speed Co-Chair**  
Tom Brown

**Club Race Advisor**  
Skip Carter

**Rules Coordinator**  
Tom Brown

**Time Trial / DE Chair**  
Dan Chambers

**Treasurer**  
Linda Cobarrubias

**CA Festival of Speed Co-Chair**  
Suesan Carter

**Concours Co-Chair**  
Brett Mohr

**Rules Technical Advisor**  
Russel Shon

**Web Master**  
Karen Garcia Raines

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All ads are also posted, with a web link if desired, on our website <http://cai.pca.org>.

The deadline for submitting new commercial ads (or for making changes to existing ads) is the 15th of the month preceding the month of publication.

Please direct all questions to Joel Browning at:  
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	1 Qtr	2 Qtr	3 Qtr	Annual
<b>Business Card</b>	\$30	\$57	\$82	\$104
<b>Quarter Page</b>	\$80	\$152	\$218	\$278
<b>Half Page</b>	\$145	\$276	\$396	\$505
<b>Full Page</b>	\$270	\$513	\$737	\$940

Please see <http://cai.pca.org/NewsLetter/ComAd.pdf> for more details.

## ***Classified Ad Information/***

There is NO CHARGE for PCA members.

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PCA's "The Mart": <http://www.pca.org/TheMart/TheMart.aspx>

## ***Useful Links/***

**Porsche AG's US Website**  
<http://www.porsche.com/usa/>

**PCA National**  
<http://www.pca.org/>

**Zone 8 Homepage**  
<http://zone8.pca.org/>

**Cal Central Region**  
<http://ccc.pca.org>

**Golden Empire Region**  
<http://gem.pca.org>

**Grand Prix Region**  
<http://gpx.pca.org>

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<http://www.pcala.com>

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**Santa Barbara Region**  
<http://www.pcasb.org>

**San Diego Region**  
<http://www.pcasdr.org>

**San Gabriel Region**  
<http://vista.pca.org/sgb>

**Riverside Region**  
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