ARPCA BUSINESS MEETING NOTES

March 13, 2025

Deutsche Rennsport, Pittsburgh, PA

Call to Order: Gus Vasilakis, 7:03 PM.

In attendance: Gus Vasilakis, Drake Core, Tom Uehling, Mary Jo Vasilakis, Tim Gustafson, Stuart Wirtz, Linda Scanlon, Justin Flagg, Rob Windsor, Larry Sachs, Arnie Von Waldow, Suzanne Kodya, Andy Schor, Lee Heckman, Max Barkley, Charles Michael, Andy Holmes, Wes Posvar, Tom Wiles, Mark Frumkin, Kerry Bock, Greg Winnett, Hans Zolet, Dan Crytzer, Tim Glace, Tom Mueller.

Tom Mueller moved to accept the minutes from the February meeting. Seconded by Hans Zolet. Approved.

Financial Update: Tom Uehling reported. Tom reviewed the Profit Loss report for February and the P&L by job report. Tom added the following highlights:

1. ARPCA received $3,078 from PCA for our quarterly membership dues.
2. We continue to receive registration revenues for the 2025 track events.
3. In the interest of transparency, I added a section that lists the Certificates of Deposit held by ARPCA. These are all FDIC insured and held in our PNC Investments account. The strategy is to earn some income for the club while being very conservative. Also, the expirations are laddered so that we always have money to pay our bills, especially the track rents as they come due.

Tom Mueller moved to accept the financial reports, seconded by Mark Frumkin. Approved.

HPDE update: Track Chair Tim Hronek was not present. Drake Core reported. There are currently 38 spots open for Pitt Race. Nelson Ledges is roughly 50% full with approximately 60 openings left. Mid-Ohio is lagging and more advertising will be done to promote.

PTC: Mark Frumkin and Tom Mueller reported. Meeting at Iron Bridge, Mercer on March 25; Crane Room, New Castle on April 22; Titlow Tavern, Uniontown on May 27. The first lunch in February at Atria's was well attended. It was announced with regret the passing of a loyal PTC attendee, Denis Nill. Denis and his companion, Sue Bommer, were at every PTC lunch. He will be missed. Mark Frumkin moved that the club donate to a charity of Denis' wishes. Second by Tom Mueller. Approved. This opened a discussion on how to handle member passings in the future. After a productive discussion on ways to honor our fallen members, the overall sense is that we should pay tribute with donations to the charity of the family's wish. Gus will have Ed Rice work on wording to make this a club policy and we will vote on it at the April meeting.

Communications: Stu Wirtz reported. Stu opened with a sincere thanks to Larry Sachs and Justin Flagg for their contributions to the success of the newsletter. Stu expects the next issue to be well received with great content. Larry Sachs asked how much revenue is generated from the *Rundschau* Two-Eight Clothing Store advertisement. This is not a paid advertisement and was wondering if it could be eliminated if space is needed for other content. Since it is featured on the web site, it was determined that it would be OK to eliminate if needed. Justin Flagg brought to our attention the lack of ARPCA coverage/photos in the national publication, *Panorama*. In depth discussion followed on how to get more exposure.

ARPCA Women's Group update: Linda Scanlon reported. Women of ARPCA Meet & Greet again hosted at Sewickley Porsche on March 19th. KC offered test drives in the new Macan EV if you come early at 5:00. April 23 is the Karting Party at Three Rivers Karting, Leetsdale. May 17th is the Duquesne Club luncheon (same weekend as Nelsons Ledges).

Social: Jay Malobicky was not present, but Gus reported. New Member/All Member dinner at Edgewood Country Club on Apr. 12th. The first Porsche at the Lot is May 10.

Driving Road Rallies: Kevin Rhule was not present. Details on Watkins Glen weekend in September are being finalized and will be posted on MSR soon. Also, the Fallingwater & Polymath Park In-depth Tours, Laurel Highlands Driving Tour are being finalized for MSR posting. This is weekend of May 31-June 1.

Membership: Rick Sobek was not present but reported in advance. At the end of February there are 908 primary members and 546 affiliate members for a total of 1,454 members. For February, we welcomed 6 new members. There is a total of 3 test drive members. We currently have 60 PCA junior members. There was 1 transfer in and 1 out of our region. There were 23 expirations and 51 renewals. February anniversaries included the following: 57 members celebrated anniversaries of 5 years or more and 20 with less than 5 years. Member Jarome Zaleski celebrated his 38th anniversary.

New Business: Gus and Drake will be attending the PCA Presidents meeting weekend on March 22 in Lansing, MI. Max Barkley was introduced to the meeting. Max and his father have been members for many years. He recently relocated from Johnstown to Greensburg. Max is a photographer and would like to be more involved with photographing club events.

Old Business: None

Closing: The next meeting will be April 10 at C & G Performance. Special thanks to Deutsch Rennsport and Dan Crytzer for hosting and giving us very comfortable accommodations.

The meeting adjourned at 7:50 PM

Submitted by Tim Gustafson