ARPCA BUSINESS MEETING NOTES

December 5, 2025

Porsche Pittsburgh

Call to Order: Gus Vasilakis, 7:xx PM

In attendance: Gus Vasilakis, Drake Core, Mary Jo Vasilakis, Tim Gustafson, Mark Frumkin, Kevin Rhule, Larry Sachs, Stu Wirtz, Linda Scanlon, Jay Malobicky, Tom Wiles, Jim Kaufman, Tom Mueller, Harvey Rice, Lorraine Rice, Andy Schor, Ed Rice, Matt Wimer, Paul Pigman, Robin Windsor, Michael Marrone, Brett DeWitt, Michael Schindel, Nancy Miller, Matt Cubin, Tom Galey

Mark Frumkin moved to accept the minutes from the November meeting. Seconded by Larry Sachs. Approved.

Financial Update: Tom Uehling was not present but reported in advance. The November Profit/Loss report shows a net loss of $2,203, YTD loss of $4,530.
In November, we had the Holiday Party and had two CDs mature (bringing our YTD interest earned to $9,385). The budget for 2026 is submitted showing an overall net profit of $463. Larry Sachs suggested an investment of $85 to increase our Drop Box subscriptions from 1 participant to 6 participants. Passed. Tom Mueller moved to accept the Financials, seconded by Andy Schor. Approved.

PTC: Mark Frumkin reported. The holiday lunch was at Teutonia Mannerchor in the North Side. It was well attended with 44 members. Guest speaker Peter Sontag, owner and tour leader of Fast Lane Travel, gave a great presentation of what his team has to offer.
The first 4 venues for 2026 are as follows: January: Franco's, February: Hartwood Restaurant and Whispers Pub, March: Atria's Peters Township, April: Angelos Washington. The grand total for contributions to The Food Bank came to $2,500. Mark has a benefactor who agreed to add $1,500 if we hit the $2,000 mark making the total contribution $4,000. The 2026 charitable organization will be Always Smiling.

Membership: Rick Sobek was not present but reported in advance. At the end of November there are 936 primary members and 559 affiliate members for a total of 1,495 members. For November, we welcomed 8 new members. There is a total of 13 test drive members. We currently have 59 PCA junior members. There was 1 transfers in and 2 out of our region. There were 26 expirations and 30 renewals. November anniversaries included the following: 40 members celebrated anniversaries of 5 years or more and 17 with less than 5 years. Member Thomas Urbano celebrated his 49th anniversary.

Communications: Stu Wirtz reported. The deadline for the next issue of Rundschau is End of January. The November/December issue of *Rundschau* is at the printer. Larry Sachs submitted a photo from the Holiday Party to be published in *Panorama* Magazine.

Social: Jay Malobicky reported. We had 97 attendees at the Holiday Party. Plans are being made for the Mid-Winter party. It will be held at Rosedale Tech again on February 28. The All-Member dinner will be at Edgewood Country Club on April 18.

Jay introduced Brian Daniels from Porsche Pittsburgh, our host. Brian gave an update on the progress of the new dealership being planned for and built in the South Hills.

Driving Road Rallies: Kevin Rhule reported. The tours for 2026 are lined up with dates. A Columbus Day drive ending at Narcissi Winery is being discussed.

Due to the timing of Der Treff, the monthly meeting in May will be delayed to the third Thursday, May 21.

HPDE Update: Drake Core reported. HPDE 2026 is tentatively scheduled as follows: June 12, 13, 14 and July 25, 26 at Nelson Ledges, September 11, 12, 13 at Mid-Ohio. Due to Nelson Ledges, June 12-14, the monthly meeting will be delayed to the third Thursday instead of the second, June 18. Also, the September meeting will be moved to the first Thursday, September 3, due to Mid-Ohio weekend. The track committee is working on teaming with other regions to have mixed HPDE events and possibly teaming with the Niagara Region for a chance to drive Watkins Glen. Drake and Paul Pigman were recently in Naples Florida and were at the Naples Porsche Design enter where they spotted a very impressive trophy from PCA National. They felt that a similar trophy would be appropriate to present to Porsche Sewickley in appreciation of their years of sponsorship and have come up with a plan to have one made. Tim Gustafson moved to have a trophy made at an estimated cost of $400. Seconded by Mark Frumkin. Approved.

ARPCA Women's Group: Linda Scanlon reported. New events for 2026 are being planned and the dates and events will be posted on MSR. The Ladies Group has about $600 available to make a donation to The Rosedale Tech woman's scholarship fund. Linda moved to have the club bump that total to a round $1,000. Seconded by Andy Schor. Approved.

New Business: Michael Schindel questioned why we do not schedule time at Summit Point Track. Drake said the we tried in the past, but there was very little interest from club members to go there.

Old Business: The results of the 2026-2027 officer elections were tabulated and the results are as follows:

President	Linda Scanlon
Vice President	Paul Pigman
Treasurer	Jim Kaufman
Secretary	Michael Marrone

Closing: The next meeting will be January 8 at Urban Autowerks. Special thanks to Joe Valasek and Brian Daniels for hosting tonight's evening and giving us very comfortable accommodations.

The meeting adjourned at 8:10 PM.

Submitted by Tim Gustafson