



## In the Zone

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### PCA National Upcoming Events:

#### Porscheplatz at the Hyundai SportsCar Challenge at Laguna Seca April 30th to May 1<sup>st</sup>

If you are planning on attending the Hyundai Sports Car Challenge at Laguna Seca on the Monterey Peninsula, PCA is looking for volunteers who can help at the hospitality tent. This event was moved from its traditional September date to the April/May date this year due to scheduling issues. Porsche Cars North America hosts the hospitality tent or Porscheplatz which is open to all PCA members as well as anyone driving a Porsche to the event. For more information on how you can volunteer to help contact Collin Fat at [cfat1952@gmail.com](mailto:cfat1952@gmail.com).



## Parade 2022 and 2023

For those planning on attending Parade 2022 at the Kalahari Resort in the Poconos, registration is open for Phase 1 registration. Phase 2 registration for event registration including competition events, banquets and tours opens on April 6<sup>th</sup>. Parade will be held June 12<sup>th</sup> to June 18<sup>th</sup>. For more information visit: <https://www.porscheparade.org/>

For those looking to participate in an upcoming Parade that is closer to home, Parade 2023 will return to the La Quinta Resort and Spa in Palm Springs. The dates are June 18-24, 2023. This event location was originally the site of the 2020 Parade which was cancelled because of the pandemic and that has been rescheduled for a return. This Parade being located in southern California will likely be very well attended.

## Zone Autocross and Concours Series;

Golden Gate and Loma Prieta Regions held their first Zone Autocross events at Crows Landing just outside of Patterson, California in the Central Valley. Golden Gate hosted the event on Saturday while Loma Prieta Region hosted the event on Sunday. I was not able to attend the Saturday event but was able to attend the Sunday event where Loma Prieta Region autocross chair, **David Dunwoodie** and his team revised the course from Saturday and had 60 drivers competing for year end awards. Top time of day went to **Drew Powers** with a time of 56.662 followed by **Monty Pack, Praneil Prasad, Todd Winstanley, Himanshu Patel** and **David Dunwoodie**. Top time of day for the ladies in the competition went to **Connie Lu** who had a time of 59.169 and finished in the top ten overall. The weather was fabulous with clear skies and mild temperatures. If you have not been able to attend an event at Crow's Landing, it should be on your bucket list.



## Zone 7 Concours Series:

The Zone 7 Concours series calendar has been finalized with a concours school to be held in several regions throughout Zone 7. A classroom session to review rules and how to prepare your Porsche to compete will be held on April 10<sup>th</sup> via Zoom while 4 hands on sessions will be held at Redwood City Porsche, Hi Tech Automotive in Petaluma, Steven's Creek Porsche in Santa Clara, and in the Sacramento area. Cost to participate is \$15 per person with registration now open at the following link: <https://www.motorsportreg.com/events/zone-7-concours-clinic-judging-school-zoom-meeting-pca-702465>. There are already 44 persons registered for the event with room currently at the four hands on classes. It is a great opportunity to learn how your car is judged, to become a concours judge, or just to learn how to prepare your car for its first concours



## Events of Interest

- 1) PCA Spring Treffen, April 27-May 1, 2022, the Broadmoor, Colorado Springs, Colorado, **SOLD OUT**
- 2) Poscheplatz April 30th to May 1<sup>st</sup> Laguna Seca, **VOLUNTEERS NEEDED**
- 3) Zone 7 Shasta Tour, June 9-13<sup>th</sup>, **SOLD OUT**
- 4) Porsche Parade at the Kalahari Resort, Pennsylvania, June 12-18, Phase 2 Registration opens April 6th
- 5) PCA Werks Reunion, August 19, Monterey
- 6) PCA Fall Treffen, September 14-18, Sunriver Resort, Bend, Oregon

Note that past Treffens have sold out in as little as one hour due to their popularity. Registration for the Treffens typically opens 3-4 months prior to the event.

## 2022 PCA West Coast Race Series Schedule

With Federal and State directives pertaining to the COVID-19 pandemic, the Club Racing schedule is very fluid and subject to change on a day-to-day basis. The racing schedule shown below will be frequently updated with the latest official status of each of our races.

Dates	Event	Status	Enduro
Apr 02-03	Thunderhill	Opens 02/07	
May 14-15	Buttonwillow	Opens 03/28	
Jun 11-12	UMC	Opens 04/25	
Aug 27-28	Sonoma	Opens 07/11	
Sep 17-18	High Plains Raceway	Opens 08/01	
Sep 24-25	Thunderhill	Opens 08/08	
Oct 08-09	Sonoma	Opens 08/29	