



September 2025

Happy Labor Day -- The Unofficial End of Summer?

Happy Labor Day as we enjoy this federal holiday celebrating the social and economic achievements of American workers and providing many with a day off. As far as the unofficial end of summer, maybe... but we fully expect plenty of warm days and nights in September.

September keeps the club busy and a highlight is the New Member picnic (all members are invited) where we will also celebrate the 70th Anniversary of the Porsche Club of America. The spots for the picnic are filling fast, so be sure and register if you have not done so yet. Registration closes 11:59 pm on September 8.

A Couple of Announcements:

- The [Fall Autocross](#) is scheduled for October 19th at the Findlay Toyota Center in Prescott Valley! Registration is now OPEN and is limited to 40 entries. Volunteers are needed to help with: Registration, Lot Security, Course Setup, Course Teardown and more. Please contact Jeff Swain at jsracex@protonmail.com or 916-768-5411.
- The Activities Committee is beginning the planning for events in 2026 and your input is needed. The Committee is holding an open ZOOM meeting for all members on Wednesday, October 22nd 7:00 - 7:30 pm Arizona Standard time to take suggestions for events from the AZM Region membership. If you would like to be sent a link for this 30-minute section of the meeting, please email Steve Sweet at stevesweet911@gmail.com. Put on your thinking cap and call in to let the committee know what you'd like on the calendar in 2026.
- Do you take photographs with a proper digital camera? We need members at events capable of shooting photos that are usable for the Gallery on the AZM website and for submitting to PCA's magazine, *Panorama*. If you are interested, please email Jeff Boehm at jeffandbj@gmail.com.

We look forward to seeing everyone September 14 at the picnic!

Cheers,

E.C. Mueller

Upcoming Events - (ALL Events, as they are confirmed, are on the AZM Region Calendar - Click [HERE](#) to see all of the 2025 Calendar)

- September 13: [Porsche and Pancakes](#)
 - September 14: [New Member Picnic and PCA 70th Anniversary Celebration and Picnic](#)
 - BBQ, Door prizes, 50/50 Raffle and more
 - Registration closes 11:59 pm September 8
 - September 17-19: [Durango and Silverton Drive](#)
 - Overnight Event
 - Registration is Open
 - October 8 & 9: * **NEW** [Tortilla Flats Saloon and Steamboat Cruise on Canyon Lake.](#)
 - Overnight Event
 - More information coming soon.
 - October 19: * **NEW** [Fall Autocross](#)
 - Registration is OPEN
 - October 26: [Red Rock Picnic](#)
 - Registration is OPEN
 - November 8: [2025 Veteran's Charity Event](#)
 - Need your donations and volunteers now
 - December 13: [Holiday Party](#)
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PCA is turning 70 Years Old!

On September 13 PCA is turning 70. This will be the theme of this year's AZM Region New Member Picnic.

Did you know?



- In 1989, Alan Friedman agreed to become National Safety Chair if he could also study the concept of club racing and develop a proposal for a national club racing program.
- In 1991, he presented a complete proposal to the Executive Council at Parade in Boston. The proposal encouraged fun racing and for participants to enjoy a competitive racing experience with a primary concern for preserving their own cars and those of their fellow competitors.
- The first Club Races were held in 1992:
 - June Second Creek Raceway, Denver, Colorado - Rocky Mountain Region
 - June Summit Point Raceway, West Virginia - Potomac Region
 - Sept. Watkins Glen, NY - Riesentöter Region
 - Sept. Lime Rock Park, CT - Connecticut Valley Region
- Now 24 races in 2025



MEMBERSHIP CORNER - from Membership Chair Steve Sweet

Reminder that you can get the region's latest on Membership numbers via the AZM Region's website. Just click [HERE](#).

The New Member Picnic

The New Member Picnic is one of the best attended events of the year. It is an outstanding opportunity to meet the Porsche enthusiasts that have joined the AZM Region this past year AND since all Members are welcome, you can socialize and meet a good chunk of the membership! Goldwater Lake is a wonderful place and a good time will be had by all. Please register soon if you have not done so. Registration is open until late night September 8. Thank you!

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