

## MAVERICK NEWSLETTER

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This is our first edition of the Maverick Newsletter and while we do not offer any apologies for it, there is plenty of room for improvement. This improvement can be effected only by the active support of our members; therefore, from the very beginning of our newsletter, your help and advice is solicited. Members are asked to submit to the editor any and every news item which may be of general interest to our membership. By this, we mean news about PCA activities and personalities; technical and nontechnical articles relative to the Porsche car and its care and maintenance which have not been published in the PANORAMA or other motorsports magazines; announcements about racing and events sponsored by the SCCA or other clubs in the area; in short - anything that will be of interest to us as Porsche owners and drivers in particular, and as sports car enthusiasts in general.

The Maverick Region event this month will be a "first" for us - a Technical Session, to be held at 2:00 pm, Sunday, 22 September, at the Tulloh's home, 6021 Shelton Drive, in the Meadowbrook section of Fort Worth. The session will be conducted by member, Roger Chaney, who recently transferred from the San Diego Region. Roger has considerable experience in home-type Porsche maintenance, he also has several home-made special tools, and his advice on the "do's & dont's" of do-it-yourself Porsche care should prove invaluable to those of us who want to "get our hands dirty" with some Porsche fixin'. I have received word also, that member James Savage, who is a factory-qualified Porsche mechanic, will be on hand to assist in the tech session and demonstrate his fresh-air system for the Porsche. This should be a most worthwhile event for all of us who attend. The tech session will be followed by a "let's-get-better-acquainted gab-fest" with sandwiches and refreshments being served by our ladies.

Our next meeting will again be at the Surrey House, 1004 E. Division (US Hwy 80), in Arlington - 7:30 pm, Friday, 11 October. This will be an important meeting and all members are urged to attend; we have reserved the large room so there will be seats for all. We will nominate and elect our new slate of club officers for the coming year, effective in November. Your vote is important - so come out and cast your ballot! Also, you are asked to plan now to attend our First Anniversary dinner meeting in November. It is tentatively planned to be held at the Cross Keys restaurant in Fort Worth, the scene of the first meeting of the Maverick Region. This promises to be a gala affair and our committee in charge of the arrangements will report their plans at the October meeting. You-all come!

Those of you who were unable to attend the September meeting last Friday night missed what I consider to have been our best meeting to date - thanks to the fine program arranged by Mary Lou Tulloh, our program director (I feel that my opinion is shared by all who attended). The business session was limited to approximately 45 minutes to allow time for the "entertainment" part of the meeting, as Mary Lou had arranged for a speaker and two 16mm color/sound movies. Our speaker, Roger Chaney, who is an engineer at General Dynamics/FW, gave an interesting and informative talk on general preventive maintenance of the Porsche, including many things which the owner may do at home. Roger advised us regarding a basic spare-parts kit which owners would be wise to carry in the car, especially when on trips. He then promised to show us at the technical session how to do the things he talked about at the meeting. Rogers's talk lasted until quite close to the Surrey House closing hour, so it was decided to adjourn the meeting and reconvene at the Tulloh's home for the movies and refreshments. The films, a recent Le Mans 24-hour race and an earlier Monte Carlo Rally, were both most enjoyable.

In closing, I wish to emphasize that the success of our newsletter depends on our members' participation, and the success of our club could depend in part on our having a good newsletter to keep our members informed and interested. Let's make both of them a success! Send all items for the newsletter to your editor at the following address: 5009 Penrose Avenue, Fort Worth, Texas, 76116.

For your date-book: SCCA Races, Green Valley Raceway near Ft Worth, 5-6 October.