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PRESIDENTS MESSAGE-

Fellow Members:

Where has the time gone? Two years ago (January, 2012) the club members entrusted me as their Club President, Back then it seemed like I had an eternity to work with the Board and our wonderful club members to plan events, try to offer activities that members wanted and ensure our club's future. Now I ask myself where did the time go. During the past two years, we (your board) have re-introduced the Club's Newsletter (TubTimes) and I thank Ed Tobolski for his tireless work. We have also improved our web site thanks to both Bill Sooter and Gordon Nichols (yes, we can now do video's). We have also brought more events to the members attention including local car shows and cruise nights to enjoy. In today's environment, it seems more difficult (maybe because I am getting older) to drive several hours to attend club events throughout the state. Hopefully, with planning events throughout New England, we can encourage our members to drive their cars more. We also have encouraged our members to bring our cars to non-Porsche events so the public can see what our little Porsche's look like. I cannot tell you how many times, at local "Cruise Nights", folks have come up and told me stories about someone in their family who used to own a Porsche 356 and how much fun it was. Our Club Board has worked tirelessly in planning events and providing a social atmosphere for our members.

So now that my time is coming to an end I want to first "Thank all the Members" for letting me lead this wonderful organization. Second, please sign up for the Holiday Party at the Ando-

ver Country Club. It is a great venue and we have a wonderful dinner planned. And finally, I want to thank Linda Hadley for her support as I served the club.

Ralph Hadley President, TYP356ne Club



2014 HOLIDAY PARTY

Time is running out for signing up for the 2014 Club Holiday Party. You must sign up by Jan. 3rd, 2014. We have a new Holiday Party venue this year. Please come and celebrate the conclusion of the 2013 Driving season. In addition there will be donated raffle gifts and, of course, great conversation with friends, old and new. The Holiday party will be held on January 12, 2014 at the Andover Country Club in Andover, Mass. 60 Canterbury Street, just off of RT. 133 in the corner of Rt 93 and 495. The party will include an Open Cash Bar, Appetizers (3), Buffet style dinner with: Garden Salad, (Chicken Marsala, Baked Haddock, Roast Sirloin of beef carving station, Roasted Red Bliss Potatoes, vegetable medley, Fresh Baked Rolls, Fresh brewed Coffee and/or tea and Chef's assorted Dessert Buffet. The dress will be smart casual.



If you plan on attending, here are a couple of action items you must do. If you plan on attending the Holiday Party and have not paid your dues for the year, you should include your dues payment with your check made out to TYP356ne. Send your check to Allen Sisson, Membership TYP356ne, 11 Spruce Way, Medfield, Mass. 02052 no later than January 3rd, 2014. The amount is as follows:

One person for the party plus dues for 2014 - \$65.00 Two People for the party plus dues for 2014 - \$100.00 One person for the party only, dues already paid - \$35.00 Two people for the party only, dues already paid - \$70.00.

Looking forward to seeing all of you at the Holiday Party. Don't wait until the last minute to sign up. Ralph Hadley, President, TYP356ne Club

2014 Membership Dues -

Yearly \$30.00 membership dues for 2014 are due as of January 1, 2014 and overdue on February 1, 2014 for most club members. For the few club members that have paid multiple years in advance, and for any club member that joined the club this year for the first time after October 1, 2013, this does not apply. For the rest of us please mail your yearly dues check for \$30.00 made out to *TYP356ne* to:

Allen Sisson Membership TYP356ne 11 Spruce Way Medfield, MA 02052

2014 Event Planning Meeting on January 4th

We have scheduled our 2014 Planning Meeting for Saturday Jan 4, 2014 at the Burlington Public Library. This will enable us to have the schedule available at the Holiday Party on Sunday, Jan 12, 2014. All members are welcome to attend and bring their suggestions to make 2014 another active year for the TYP356 Club. Meeting begins at 10:15 am with coffee and donuts and will conclude in time for a local lunch. Lester's Roadside BBQ in town has been the site of that gathering in the past but we are open to other ideas. Give us a shout if you will attend so that we have enough starters for all. Anyone driving a 356 to the meeting will get their lunch for free. See you there. KTF

Club Officer Election

Member voting for the election of the four Club Officers for the 2014-15 term is officially closed. Results of the election will be announced at the Club's Holiday Party at the Andover Country Club, Andover, MA on January 12th.

With the close of the election process, the Election Committee is now dissolved.

The Election Committee

Len Cannizzaro, Allen Sisson, and Bill Sooter

LA Toy and Literature Show and Porsche Swap Meet March 1, 2014

Over 1,250 people are expected to attend the 31st annual Porsche and Vintage V-W Literature, Toy/Model, & Memorabilia Swap Meet at the Los Angeles Airport Hilton Hotel. The meet has over 225 tables with tens of thousands of collectibles posters, sales literature, toys, models, factory gift items, press kits, technical literature, small trim items, and accessories for Porsches and vintage VW's. The meet is held in two huge ballrooms on the main floor of the Airport Hilton, - very close by Los Angeles International Airport.



For more information see the Porsche 356 Registry magazine or www.LALitAndToyShow.com

Bob DiCorpo recently sent out the following emails for anyone planning on attending-

It's that time again, for those of us who will be attending the Toy and Lit Show and the Porsche Swap meet in CA in March, to begin thinking about our reservations. Some of us have already booked our flights, in order to take advantage of Early Bird Specials. If you are traveling from Boston to LA, generally Jet Blue has the best deals. Those of us leaving from Providence or Manchester have found Southwest to have the best "Early Bird" prices.

The 2014 Lit. Show is scheduled for Saturday morning, March 1st. That means the many Open Houses will be scheduled all day Friday February 28th. Many of us like to get there early in the day Thursday and get settled in. We then do a few things Thursday afternoon and go out to dinner together Thursday evening.

The Swap meet is scheduled for Sunday. Some members schedule their flights home on Sunday evening. (Red Eye) Others will fly back on Monday morning March 3, 2014. Either way is up to you.

Those of us who attend have always had an outstanding time. The standard procedure has been to first let me know that you are going and to send me your email address. I will make a master list of the addresses and send one to all attending. When you know, send me the name of your hotel, when you are arriving in LA and when you'll be leaving. If alright with you, I will share this info with other members attending. That way we are able to contact one another and get together for many events.

The hotel that most of us stay at is the Hilton LAX. When you make a reservation there, you may use a AAA discount, a senior discount if eligible, or the 356 Registry discount if you are a member of the Registry. There is a code for that discount through the Registry. I have found the Senior rate the best. Transportation can be decided once all reservations are made. We try to rent vehicles and share the cost

among the members riding in that vehicle. The sooner you let me know of your plans, the faster everything will come together. I hope to once again see a large group of Typ356ne members in LA. Best regards, Bob

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Ps. Remember that it is up to you to make your own travel and hotel reservations. Bob DiCorpo

Bob's follow-up email—

This will be my last notification to the general membership regarding attendance at the LA Shows in late Feb./early March. After my first email, the response was so great that all who committed to attend have already booked flights and reserved their rooms in LA at the LAX Hilton. As for transportation, we have two rented vans nearly filled. If anyone else is considering joining us, you should contact me ASAP and I will fill you in on all of the particulars. I will also try to assist with your transportation around the LA area, but as of now there is only one seat left in one of the vans. If more members sign up, we can always gent another vehicle. Bob

CLUB ITEMS AVAILABLE

PHOTO DVD'S FOR SALE

Hey everyone, if you missed the amazing Spring Tour this year organized by Ken and Gloria Nykiel, then you certainly also missed out on the Clubs photo compilation DVD that was given to the attendees. This link will show you what the DVD jacket looks like.

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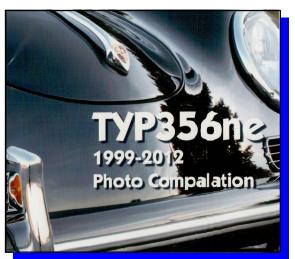
This is a DVD compilation of all the Clubs photos from the various events starting in 1999. If you would like one please send a check for \$10 payable, to the Club (TYP356ne), along with a self-addressed label and I will mail one out to you.

We also have Grill badges available through me for \$35.00 each plus \$6.00 for flat rate shipping. Send me a check made out to the club and a self-addressed label and I will get one into the

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mail for you. I also have club window decals available for \$2.00 each if you send me a SASE. Photos of badges and decals are posted on our website, www.typ356ne.org . Just click on "Club Regalia."

My address is Peter Venuti 20 Raymond Ave. Beverly Ma 01915



TYP356ne has an online store where you can order hats, polo shirts, canvas bags, and any other

item that Land's End Business Outfitters carry in their inventory. The store address is:

http://ces.landsend.com/TYP356ne

You know it is our store because TYP356ne will appear in the upper left hand corner of the website. You can customize any of the items you purchase with the black oval patch and/or the gold TYP356ne script.





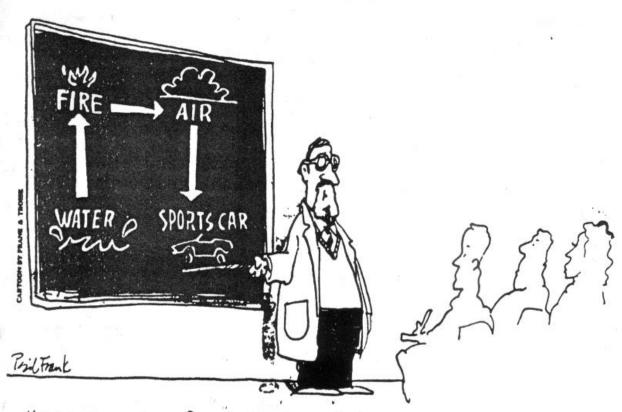
Tom Gentz

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We have found a quality vendor that can make and ship you a personalized TYP356ne name badge. They are \$8.50 each with the pin style attachment and \$10.50 each with a magnetic attachment, plus \$3.95 postage. Note: the magnetic backing means you do not have to put pin holes in your TYP356ne polo shirt to wear your name badge.

To order go to http://www.holmesstamp.com/category.aspx?categoryid=207 and click on the TYP356ne name badge and it will take you through the process. Within a few days you will have your personalized TYP356ne name badge delivered right to your door. If you have any comments or questions contact Tom Gentz at tgentz@typ356ne.org.

Peter Venuti, Tech Chair & Swag Meister

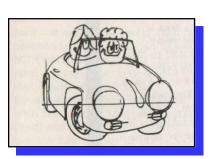


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