

PACESETTER

The newsletter created for PACE Miata Club members and Miata MX-5 fans

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FROM THE PRESIDENT

Summer is officially here! And, we could not be happier. Sandy and I are so pleased to represent the Club as President and first lady. There is no finer group of people we are proud to call to friends, and no finer vehicle to tie us all together than the MX-5 Miata!

If you're on our mailing list, you drive a Miata. So, there's no need to remind you of that awesome "wind in your hair" (well, for those of us who still have hair) feeling. As the summer moves forward, we keep adding more and more adventures to the schedule. And, I encourage everyone of you to join us on as many as possible.

Look inside to find out what lies ahead!



Looking forward to more summer fun beginning with one of our favorites!

The Covered Bridge Drive... and yes, it IS this weekend!

Joe and I are thrilled to host the Northeast Covered Bridge Drive, this Saturday, June 22nd.

This is one of our "signature drives," created by Lynne and Jerry Long for *Buggies and Bridge I and II*. We are dusting off many of the covered bridge drives to tune them up for *Buggies and Bridge III* coming up in September of 2020.

We will meet in The Eden Resort parking lot, at the junction of Rts. 30 and 272, 222 Eden Rd, Lancaster, 17601. We will depart at 10AM but come early for some great socializing. Great time to catch up with old friends and meet new ones.



The first half of the drive is approximately 31 miles long and we will stop at the Poole Forge Covered Bridge located in a park setting for a break and a chance to



overlook the bridge. The second half of the drive is almost 34 miles long and will end back at the Eden. This is a pleasant and easy drive done at a relaxed pace. The directions are full of historical information about each bridge, thanks to the thoroughness of Lynne and Jerry, and getting a copy of them is worth the trip alone. Hope to see you there. Contact us if you are planning to join us!

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ZoomZoom, **JOE & SANDY GOLESH**

HI, FROM MEMBERSHIP



Hello everyone.

It appears the weather is changing for the better which is great for "Top Down" driving.

Nina and I led the first drive of the season, "*Flash back to the good olde days.*" By all accounts... it was a great day. A fun drive, lots of twists and turns and good food at a very interesting restaurant, *Johnny's Raceway Eatery.*"

Afterwards some of us enjoyed some Penn State Creamery ice cream at their own stand. We want to thank all who showed up and helped make this a fun day.

Now down to business. We add two new members to our club as membership continues to grow. The PACE roster is now at 91 memberships. We haven't met the magic Century mark, but I'm pleased to say we're headed in the right direction.

Our newest members are Dave and Deborah Brubaker from Manheim. The Brubaker's drive a 1994 Red Miata, and, Chris Stauffer who lives in Lancaster. Chris drives a Meteor Gray 2016 Miata Club. Please make a special point to welcome each of them the first chance you get!

That's all for now and see you at the next drive.

As always... *Fly Miata !!!*, **ROD SLENKER**

If it's time for watermelon,
it's time for the Annual
PACE Summer Picnic!

Giambolvo Mazda, Sunday, July 14
beginning at noon.

Our annual picnic will again be sponsored by *Giambolvo Mazda* and held in their beautiful showroom in York. Plenty of parking. No need to worry about rain or heat! Giambolvo will be providing pulled pork brisket, mac and cheese, and beans. PACE members are asked to provide the rest. [A to M please bring a covered dish.](#) [N to Z please bring a dessert.](#) We are always amazed at the tasty offerings you bring. But then, we Miata lovers love our food!



[More information and how to sign up on next page.](#)



What goes better with summer than Watermelon Salad with Feta?

This refreshing Watermelon Feta Salad with Mint is perfect for summer. Sweet ripe watermelon and cucumber combined with feta cheese and fresh mint is simply dressed with olive oil and lime juice. It's a sweet-and-salty combination that looks just beautiful on the table for a backyard cookout, a potluck, or even the PACE Summer Picnic!

INSTRUCTIONS: Place the watermelon, cucumber and mint in a large bowl. In a small bowl, whisk together the olive oil, lime juice and salt and pepper. Drizzle the dressing over the melon mixture and toss to coat. Sprinkle with feta and serve.

[Recipe courtesy toriavey.com](http://Recipe.courtesy.toriavey.com)

Enjoy!

COMING UP... by Carol Piersol



UPDATED: YOU MUST MAKE YOUR RESERVATION BY JULY 7TH.

Annual PACE Summer Picnic
Sunday, July 14, 12 Noon

Giambalvo Mazda, 2425 Industrial Hwy
(just off Rte 30 at Memory Ln exit), York.

Cost: \$5.00 per car (which will be returned

to you when arrive.) Email Sue at suzons@yahoo.com. Please make checks payable to: PACE Miata Club c/o Sue Stauffer, 935 Kendale Rd., Red Lion 17356



UPDATED DONATION Sign-up closes 7-13-19

Christiana Fire Company Breakfast Drive Saturday, July 20

Do you like to eat Breakfast? Then join us for the early morning drive to the Christiana Fire Company to enjoy their monthly Breakfast. This is all home cooked food, and so

Gooooood! Scrambled eggs, bacon, sausage, scrapple, home fries, dried beef gravy, plus toast and French toast, both made with HOMEMADE bread! It is all you can eat, too. Plus, coffee, tea, milk, orange juice and desserts. **All for only a \$9.00 donation.**

Meet Bill at the Lancaster Eden Resort, behind the Sheetz, just off Route 30, for an on-time departure of 8AM (Yes, 8AM.) Rain or shine. The drive to the fire company is about 45 minutes. After eating we will meander around southern Lancaster County until we head north ending up on the east side of Lancaster City. We should be back to the end point around 11:15AM. **Please contact Bill wjlatsha@comcast.net by Saturday July 13th for a head count.** Remember to show up early for a little meet and greet time too. **This drive is limited to 15 cars!**

NEW

Amish Dinner Drive

**Saturday,
August 24**

Join Bob and Sue Gresh for a short run leading up to a delicious meal prepared and served at an Amish farm by a real Amish family.



We will meet at the Eden Resort in Lancaster at 3:30PM for a 4:00PM departure and 5:00PM dinner. The cost is \$15.00/ person. Please let the Gresh's know by August 12 if you will be attending. They must have an accurate count not later than that date. Email suzannegresh@gmail.com (preferred) or call 717-314-6438 if you plan to join them.



UPDATED
PACE Fall
for New England
**Tuesday-Wednesday,
September 17-18**

Sandy and Joe Golesh are planning a 2-day road trip—primarily on secondary roads—to FALL FOR NEW ENGLAND II. Anyone who would like to join them is welcome.

Leaving Tuesday, September 17th and arriving Wednesday, September 18th, the trip is approximately 470 miles with one overnight stay around Schenectady, NY. Day 1 will cover approximately 300 miles in about 8 hours. Day 2 will be shorter covering around 170 miles.

The Golesh's plan on driving Rt 2, known as The Mohawk Trail, and are excited about this adventure. As always... the more members the merrier. Departure will be at 8AM from Hardees, 724 Allegheny St., Dauphin 17018. We will be stopping in Latham, NY on Tuesday night.

The hotel is The Holiday Inn Express 400 Old Loudon Rd. Latham, NY 12110
Reservations can be made on The Holiday Inn website or by calling the hotel 518-783-6161.

We recommend you make your reservations ASAP. If you are interested in joining Sandy and Joe please contact them by June 15th at: j_sgolesh@hotmail.com

SAVE THE DATE

Annual Holiday
Luncheon

Saturday, Dec. 14
Great American
Saloon, Red Lion

More details as the date approaches. This event will be held as a luncheon instead of dinner.



Buggies & Bridges III September 24-27 2020

Buggies & Bridges III, will be held September 24-27, 2020, and *The Eden Resort* in Lancaster, PA will serve as “home base” for the event.

The need for support and participation from members will be paramount in order to assure a successful 2020

event. We are asking that as many members as possible sign up and volunteer on one of the following committees: Welcome and Registration; Sponsors and Donations; Advertising; Banquet and Entertainment; and Drive Organization. If you're interested in volunteering, please contact any one of the officers to sign up. We will be updating you often.



Any day you can make it

Impromptu Drives

Would you like some friends to join you for an Impromptu Drive? Send an email, preferably one-day in advance to Carol Piersol who will notify all Club members. Please make sure to include the meeting place and time. pacerevents@gmail.com

NON-PACE EVENTS

Thursday-Sunday, August 1-4

Miatas at The Gap XXIII

Fontana Dam, NC

gapmiatas.com

Saturday-Sunday, August 6-7

Watkins Glen Opening Weekend

Watkins Glen, NY theglen.com

Friday-Sunday, October 4-6th, 2019

Green Miatas in the Green Mountains

The first event for 1991 and 2001 British Racing Green Special Edition Miatas to be held in Vermont's Green Mountains. Event headquarters will be *The Gray Ghost Inn* in West Dover, VT.

Rooms can be reserved online at grayghostinn.com or by phone, 802-464-2474, Contact, Tom Davies: 01BRGse@gmail.com



NEW in 2020

2020 Miataland & Viking Ocean Cruise to Italy

Look for more information about this exciting 2020 opportunity in Carol Piersol's online *Weekly Update*.

FOR SALE



CB Radio with Antenna

Everything you need for car-to-car communication during PACE club drives: Uniden PRO505XL 40-Channel CB Radio with microphone, mounting bracket, manual, and installation instructions. Easy to install, simple controls. Can be hard wired or plugged into 12V power outlet.

Wilson 500 Magnetic Mount Antenna

43-inch mast, 15-foot connecting cable. Very strong magnet. Excellent broadcast and reception.

Complete package: \$50. Contact Mike Cory, 717-203-2971, michaelcory@epix.net

Miata Brake Parts

Wagner ThermoQuiet Ceramic pads: PD636 (rear), and front pads (number unknown, do not have box). Raybestos rotors: 6129R (rear) and 96464 (front). Goodridge G-Stop High Performance Stainless Brake Line kit: Mazda Motorsports part # 0000-03-5211. All parts are brand new, in the box, except front pads.

Asking \$125.00 negotiable for everything, which is the price of the Brake Line kit alone. Call or text Kevin.717-205-6020.



DON'T FORGET...

about our Leader Incentive!

Wikipedia defines **INCENTIVE** as something that motivates an individual to perform an activity. As a reminder, and for those who may be new to the Club, any member can plan and lead an event. And, any day of the week can be an "event" day.

Now for the INCENTIVE: **Plan and lead your first event and receive a \$25.00 Visa Gift Card.** So, plan and lead (even if it's last minute) and get a Visa Gift Card to shop or treat yourself to lunch!

PACE INFORMATION

Website: pacemiataclub.org

Facebook: facebook.com/PACEMiataClub

Membership: \$30/year Rod Slenker, 717-755-9805 rslenker43@outlook.com

PACE STORE

Official provider: **PACE Miata Club Embroidered Clothing:** Hersh Wellman
hwaprods@aol.com

PACE Logo Clothing: Elizabethtown Sporting Goods, 59 College Avenue,
Elizabethtown, PA, 717-367-6633

B&T Sportswear, 240 Locust St., Columbia, PA, 717-684-5191

PACE Lapel Pins: \$3ea/2-\$5 and Magnetic Decals, 717-203-2971
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Freysinger Mazda, 6115 Carlisle Pike, Mechanicsburg, PA 17055, 717-697-8899

Jack Giambalvo Mazda, 2425 Industrial Highway, York, PA 17402, 717-755-2944

Masano Mazda, 3728 Pottsville Pike, Reading, PA, 19605, 610-921-1500

Xero Limit ECU Performance Tuning, 484-272-5169 sales@xero-limit.com

ABOUT PACE

Our Mission: To unite Central Pennsylvania Mazda Miata enthusiasts in a spirit of friendship and to enhance their enjoyment and knowledge of the Miata.

Our History: Back in 1992, Miatas were becoming numerous in the central PA area but there was no Miata club since the short-lived Keystone Club had disbanded.

Our founder, Dave Allen, decided to remedy that sad situation by traveling to the Miatas at Indy event in the summer of 1992 to obtain a charter for a new club from Miata Club of America.

Also at that Indy event were Bob and Jo Bookwalter along with Julie Swope and three Miatas (one red, one white, one blue) that formed the nucleus of the new club. That summer, more Miata-crazed individuals joined the club and after a few local drives—in October of that year—*PACE* took its first run to the Skyline Drive in Shenandoah National Park, VA. *PACE* membership has continued to grow through the years from this small group to almost one hundred Miatas—and their occupants.

Since then, *PACE* has explored most of the great and many twisty country roads in our area and has run trips to various other parts of the country from Ocean City, MD, west to Utah, and from Charleston, SC, north to Nova Scotia. Our events have ranged from scenic drives, picnics and dinners to autocross and performance driving schools.



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