

Fast Times

The Official newsletter of the Alaska Sports Car Club

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From the Back of the Pack

- H. B. Hedberg

Well another Tanacross is over and I am even more convinced that the club should do everything in it's power to continue this twenty five year tradition. This event is unique in many ways and totally Alaskan in character.

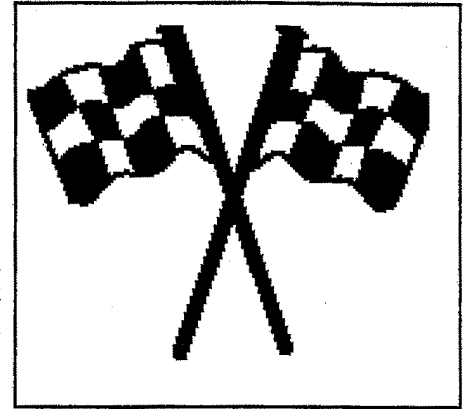
We saw some of the best racing of the season. Thanks to Jim (the rabbit) Hemmesch and his impressive Porsche powered Super bug, Bruce Lawrence and Steve Parsons went to school and both drivers grew immensely. The weekend, however went to Bruce Lawrence who could do no wrong. It was very rewarding to see this young man finally get a well deserved positive racing experience. I know of no one who has worked harder and suffered more frustration than Bruce. You old hands had best watch out for the younger generation-there coming through.

Beyond the racing, the social aspects of this activity continue to astound me. There is an atmosphere of camaraderie and friendliness that is found nowhere else. Not at club meetings, not at Soldotna and certainly not at Fur Rondy Grand Prix. I must admit that my approach to racing does not include a future as a professional driver, however I do enjoy the process of preparing for and participating in the club activities. I guess you could say that I am a recreational racer, a true amateur in that I love the sport.

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It was wonderful to have known them -

During the past month two individuals who were associated with the ASCC passed away. Pat Morrison, better known as Tom Brunner's ice racing co-driver, was killed in an auto accident while returning from an evening at Capitol Speedway. Sandra Fleeck, the wife and partner of Ed Fleeck, grid marshal at many club races, passed away as the result of a stroke. Our sincerest sympathies go out to their families and friends. We are all better for having known them.



Tanacross Thankyou's

There are always people who need to be thanked for their help. Quite often the thank you's are never expressed. This is an attempt to remedy that situation.

1. Thanks to Fred Peiserich for the following:

1. For being race chair.
2. For track setup.
3. For start /finish.
4. For fire wood
5. For bringing a small sense of dignity to our activities.

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Happenings:

* Tanacross Results

* General Meeting September 12th 1995
7:30 at the Honda Center on Dowling

* Tanacross Test

Tanacross Test

1. How do you spell osten--- austin-- ah forget it.
2. What causes that pitter-patter sound on the tarp?
3. Who looks the best wearing Henry's hat?
4. Who was the Tanacross hostess with the mostess?
5. Why were people throwing things at Fred's tent early Monday morning?
6. Which famous ASCC race driver wosed out and stayed in a Motel?
7. Who owes the Daniels 1 stick of butter?
8. Who owes the Daniels two Band-Aids?
9. Who provides the best firewood?
10. What was the most successful fire starting method?
11. What ever happened to the wild bunch?
12. Which group was most gracious when dealing with uninvited guests?
13. Who had the biggest grin all weekend long? (Except Sunday morning)
14. How many trailers and cars can you tow with a Ford P.U.?
15. What time will Bryan be ready to leave town?
16. Was Mark faster then Bruce?
17. Was Steve's mechanic faster than Steve?
18. How many people made it to BEANS?
19. Is it possible to find true happiness racing automobiles?
20. Should we do it again?

The answers to these and all other questions are to be found at our next club meeting Sept 12, at the Honda Center 7:30 P.M.

Fall Tanacross Results 1995

The Fall Tanacross races were held Sept. 2nd and 3rd at the Tanacross airstrip outside of Tok, Alaska. The results of the two days of racing were as follows:

GTU
1st Bruce Lawrence - Trophy

2nd Steve Parsons - Certificate

3rd Bryan Doughty

GTO
1st Jim Hemmesch - Certificate

2nd Terry Denials

ITA
1st Barbara / Dwight Bowden - Certificate

ITB
1st Melanie / Terry Daniels - Certificate

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 1 st 1994 Soldotna GP
 2x 1st D/SP SCCA Solo 1994

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 Techtronics built race ready; 12 wheels;
 spares

ITC Fiesta

3rd 1994 Fur Rondy GP (ITC)
 1 st 1994 Soldotna GP (ITC)
 1 st 1994 Soldotna II (ITC)
 2x 1st D/SP SCCA Solo 1994

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Minutes of August. 8th general meeting of ASCC

7:30 No quorum general discussion
7:50 Quorum established

Treasure's report

Paid Membership has reached 50, made money at Soldotna (\$800.00). Need 9 cars to cover expenses at Tanacross

Committee Reports

1. **Race committee**
Discussion about Soldotna and Tanacross
2. **Comp rules committee**- No report
FV would like to have a representative on committee
3. **Publicity/ Membership committee**- No report
4. **Licensing Committee**- No report
Decision made by general membership to offer Jerry Kinn Senior ASCC license
5. **Safety Committee**- Report by Dwight Bowden, Kevin Seckel and Bill Demming
Soldotna Race- Track was well set up ,Need to develop corner workers training. Possibly require Fire and Rescue School for all drivers and corner workers. This is a priority concern.
6. **Other**
Litigation report from Henry Hedberg
Discussion regarding Fur Rondy - Motion to correspond with Greater Anchorage Inc and Chuck Singletary in regards to 1995 Fur Rondy Grand Prix. Bill Demming, 2nd Dwight Bowden. Club is interested in becoming more involved in this event.

AGENDA

September 12th, 1995 MEETING
ALASKA SPORTS CAR CLUB
7:30 pm Anchorage Honda Center

Call to order- Henry Hedberg, A.S.C.C. President
Minutes - Tim Allmeter, A.S.C.C. Secretary
Treasures report- Rev.R. Kevin Seckel, A.S.C.C. Treasurer

Committee Reports

Competition rules committee - Bryan Doughty, A.S.C.C. First Vice president, Chair, Competition Rules Committee

Established standing committees:

1. **Race Committee**
Fall Tanacross- Fred Peiserich
2. **Technical Committee**- Bryan Doughty
3. **Publicity/ Membership Committee**- Peter Saliba
4. **Licensing Committee**- Bruce Lee
5. **Safety Committee**- Tim Almeter, Dwight Bowden, Kevin Seckel
6. **Rondy / Other**

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Tanacross is where a lot of people started their involvement in Alaskan racing and is without question the best format for driving training in the state. But more importantly it provides an opportunity for motor heads to meet and get to know each other. We are a small group and unity is our only hope.

Spring Tanacross is coming so lets support this most unique of all our club activities. See you there.

Thank You's

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2. Thanks to Fred's friend Dave who has for years quietly worked to make our event's successful.
3. Special thanks to Chris and Greg Monette for their gracious hospitality and delightful company. Think of these people when you have Travel or Fabrication needs.
4. Tom Brunner and his friend who worked corner corner all weekend.

And to every one else who helped make it a great weekend- **THANK YOU**

Newsletter in danger!!!!

We desperately need material for the newsletter! Feel free to contribute anything. Send to **SAVE YOUR NEWSLETTER** care of Henry Hedberg.

Fax / E-mail / paper anyway you want!!!!

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