



Tell Tale

Repeat after me: "I resolve to write one article for the TT this year."

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MESSAGE FROM OREGON RACEWAY PARK.

All of us at Oregon Raceway Park send Team Continental a special appreciation and thank you for the 2010 season. Your events had the largest race groups and overall attendance on record. We greatly appreciate the volunteer efforts of those involved and the make it happen spirit. The memories and fun had by all is truly special.

Looking forward to 2011.

Sincerely

Oregon Raceway Park



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MEETINGS

**G e n e r a l
M e m b e r s h i p
meetings will be
held the third
Wednesday of the
month at Mar's
M e a d o w s a t
7:00pm.**

General Membership Meeting will be held the third Wednesday of the month at Mar's Meadows at 7:00pm.



In 2011 I would like to receive my Tell Tale Via:

Please Choose One

1.) Regular Mail

2.) Email in a printable format

Number Choice:

First Name:

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Please return before Dec. 30, 2010

This survey can be returned by mail or handed in at the Christmas Party.

Team Continental

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This is an effort to help bring down cost for the club. So if you can receive by email it would be greatly appreciated by all.

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2011 Board of Directors Nominations

Official Ballot

Ballots must be received by Dec 10th or hand delivered at the Christmas Party

President:

- Mitch Lea

Treasurer: Open to be appointed by President **Secretary:** Open to be appointed by President

E-Board Rep:

- Scott Hanken

Contest Board Rep:

- Colin Waltz

Driving Master:

- Andy Robottom

Race Chair: Open to be appointed by President

Communications Director: (Pick One)

- Bill Murray Jeff Hanken

Please bring ballot to Christmas Party or you can mail it to:

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Communications Director Nominee Jeff Hanken

As last years communication director, I spent a lot of time working on bringing in new ideas and new clubs to join our club for both race weekends and drivers training. I spent hours trying to bring new ideas on how to get the word out better about our club. Since I have been in this position, I have joined several other car clubs, including mazdasnw, srtsyndicate, north-west z, tougenw and Sti syndicate. I have traveled north to Washington to meet and greet some of these new potential clients and members, even going to their club meetings to talk about our club and tell them how they can get involved.

Now I will admit we had some problems with the Tell Tale early in the year, but those problems got worked out and now we are on track. Many of you might not know, but I came into this job with no notes from our previous Communications Director. I had to rewrite the book. With the help of many, we have come a long ways and will continue to grow and bring in new groups and members. This is a position that requires a lot of work, not only on the person doing the job, but also the club. I hear a lot about how there is never any content in the Tell Tale. I would love to add more and more, but without the backing from members, mainly just people not summiting content for the Tell Tale, very little can get put in there.

This is also a job that requires up to date resourcing. Facebook is a new way we can communicate with members from all over our region. Our page has over 200 friends. We are updating it as much as possible to keep all our friends informed about what our club is doing. We are also creating a new webpage. With the help of Peter Linssen and Adam Anderson, we will have a newer and easier to use website. A big way of communication these days, especially with the car clubs, is through their clubs forums. Everyone of the clubs I have dealt with have been more then willing to let me post our events on their pages, inviting their members to join us.

The Communications Director also has to be an outgoing and likeable guy. A person who chooses his words carefully and listens to the concerns of the members. I have worked hard for this club all last year and will work harder this year to make this job as important and effective as ever. I will continue to work with the Membership, Driving Master and Race Chair to promote our events and make them as profitable and exciting as ever. This is what I love to do and this is what I want to do. I want to continue to bring in younger members and mem-

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IMPORTANT DATES AND INFO

Your 2011 Board of Directors Nomination ballot must be received by December 10th or hand delivered at the Christmas party.

“BREAKING NEWS”

2010 Team Continental Banquet

Location: Raddison Hotel Portland Airport

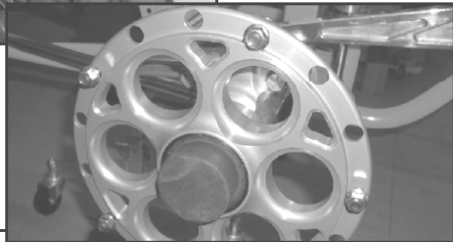
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