



Item: Fast Lane #47th in 2022 Petergram (#142 since 2020)
Date: **Saturday, November 19th 2022**
From: Peter writing from our office in Oldsmar, Florida
To: **Our Fast Lane Travel Customer Family and Friends at home in Australia, Canada, Europe, Iceland, New Zealand, Singapore, South Africa and in the USA!**
Subjects: Farewell to Bob, 2023 Update, Euro Delivery and Driving

I. **Bob Armes** – Today is Bob’s Farewell Memorial Service at the Mt. Dora Yacht Club. I’ll share my thoughts next week.

II. **2022 Tuscany: A “surprise” follow-up package went out to all participants today – please look for it and confirm your receipt to me – thank you.**

III. **2023 NEW PORSCHE Trip(s):** The old adage: If you want to know how to run your business, just ask your customers.

A. Interlpen: In the then “normal” world of 2019, we had a wonderful PORSCHE Trip called: The **Interlpen PORSCHE Tour**. After many years of spending a night or two at this magnificent Austrian resort hotel on the way to/from Tuscany, customers in 2018 demanded that we design an exclusive Interlpen trip. Well, in 2022 – **it happened again**. After “everyone’s” reaction on our way to/from Tuscany, again this year, the common refrain was “Peter, please we want to do an **Interlpen Trip**. We want to stay here and do excursions - from here”. No problem. Well, that’s precisely what we did for you. The **2023 Interlpen PORSCHE Trip** is scheduled for: Sun. Aug. 27th to Wed. Sep. 6th 2023 and includes:

- Luxurious suites at the Interlpen, plus enjoying their superb cuisine.



- Several NEW wonderful Alpine Mountain drives.
- An antique cog-wheel steam train trip up a mountain and a paddle-wheeler steamer cruise across a high Alpine Mountain Lake.
- A free day at the Interlpen for you to enjoy a spa service – you must try an Austrian pedicure - THE best in the world. Or visit close by Swarovski.
- You'll drive another breathtaking new Alpine Road to Germany.
- You'll love a couple of nights on the shores of beautiful Lake Constance, equally luxurious.
- A drive through the Black Forest with a surprise Coocoo Clock offer.
- An Austrian Alpine Photo Rally with “valuable” prizes, selected just for you.

We should have the reservations, pricing and itinerary completed in the next couple of days. I will e-mail them forthwith. “Everyone” on this year’s Tuscany trip said “We’re in.” Thus, I am tentatively holding space on the 2023 Interlpen PORSCHE Fest for all the participants of the 2022 Tuscany PORSCHE Fest until mid-December – what a great **Christmas gift!** I do understand that folks may have conflicts and won’t make it – after you get the itinerary, please let me know ASAP. Don’t miss this fabulous trip – it’ll sell out quickly.

B. The **100th Le Mans Race** is this year! This will be a once in a life-time spectacular event – it is THE most convenient; amazing race access; private chateau about 10 minutes from the track; **pit passes (!)**; club privileges; paddock base location; helicopter to fly you over the race; visit to the Normandy Beaches; round-trip transfers to CDG; 14-time Le Mans Race Driver, Robin Donovan, is your



guide; and lunch with Derek Bell. Mark your calendar **Sunday, June 4th to Monday, June 12th 2023**. If you want to “do” Le Mans with amazing access privileges; a chateau close to the track; and the guidance of professional race drivers – don’t miss out. We can only accept reservations from a dozen race lovers – due to the size of the chateau. We have 5 spaces left. – shoot me an e-mail:

peter@fastlanetravel.com and I’ll send you an itinerary immediately. **It is very exclusive so REGISTER NOW!**

C. NEW: In building on success from close to 50 years and over 200 PORSCHE Tours experience, we are not only conducting the **original PCA Spring TREFFEN to Stuttgart**, but we are conducting the successful and much-requested PCA **TREFFEN PLUS** which extends the trip across the Alps into Italy’s beautiful Lake Como with wonderful drives, a shopping day in **Bellagio**, and our legendary **James Bond Photo Rally**. We are looking at a **Sunday, April 23rd 2023, US departure** for both trips. The whole PORSCHE Experience in Stuttgart is, of course, planned – and don’t forget we’ll party at the Spring Frühlingsfest Beer Festival (Spring Oktoberfest) in Stuttgart. Don’t miss the opportunity to come to Stuttgart and Lake Como. **Do it in 2023! Looking for a perfect Holiday Gift for “him” – that’s it!!**



D. 2023 Planning Matrix: Let me explain: The trips highlighted in green are firmly scheduled. We are still working on finalizing itineraries for the scheduled trips. The amount of effort that goes into the design, planning, reserving, confirming, creating and finalizing the trips is huge. Hundreds of e-mails, three times as many phone calls, more phone calls, etc. etc. But it’s coming together very nicely. Thomas is doing a yeoman’s job working with the Europeans. You don’t want to see our international phone charges.

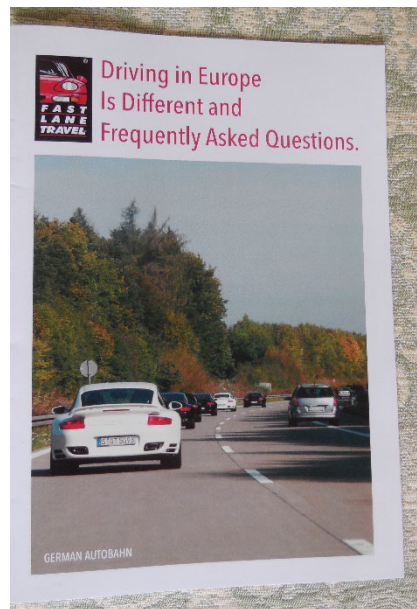
2023 Fast Lane PORSCHE Planned Trips V-18						
Code	From	Date	To	Date	Fast Lane PORSCHE Tour	Highlights
STR	Sun	23-Apr	Fri	28-Apr	Original PCA Spring PORSCHE TREFFEN Stuttgart	Factory & Museum
STP	Sun	23-Apr	Wed	3-May	Spring PORSCHE TREFFEN Stuttgart PLUS	Lake Como, Alps, Italy
TAP	Wed	31-May	Fri	9-Jun	Twelve Alpine Passes PORSCHE Fest	Swiss and Italian Alps
LEM	Sun	4-Jun	Mon	13-Jun	The 100th 24-Hours of Le Mans Luxury Tour	Pit Pass, "50-yard line"
COL	Sat	8-Jul	Mon	17-Jul	COLORADO Rocky Mountain High	Pikes Peak & fantastic drives
INT	Sun	27-Aug	Wed	6-Sep	NEW: Interlpen & The Best of Austria's Alps	You'll be spoiled
FTR	Wed	6-Sep	Fri	15-Sep	Original PCA Fall PORSCHE TREFFEN Stuttgart	Factory & Museum
FTP	Wed	6-Sep	Thu	29-Sep	Fall PORSCHE TREFFEN Stuttgart PLUS	Lake Como, Alps, Italy
SWI	Tue	20-Sep	Sat	1-Oct	Alpine Adventure: Beautiful Switzerland & Italy	Our 6th time doing this trip!
TPF	Sun	24-Sep	Sat	7-Oct	Tuscany PORSCHE Fest, Alps & Mediterranean	Private Estate, Cooking Class
VIE	Fri	1-Dec	Sat	9-Dec	Christmas in Stuttgart, Salzburg and Vienna	Wonderful Christmas Markets

The trips not highlighted are still in the planning stage: Colorado – ever popular – is a function of e-mail requests to me – “please do it.” We need 12 couples to make it successful. We will publish itineraries on our websites for trips not highlighted after we complete the scheduled ones.

E. PORSCHE European Delivery: If you are buying a Porsche next year and are planning to take European Delivery – **call us first.** We have done over 500 Euro Delivery trips, plus, I personally have taken Euro Delivery 8 times. This is especially crucial if you have never been or have driven in Europe. Next week, I'll cover some caveats when taking Euro Delivery. It's an amazing experience driving your own car on one of our tours or on a custom trip we have designed for you. Next week, I will detail the key elements that make your European Delivery a success, what you must look out for and, what options you may have. PORSCHE does an amazing job for you and we add the finishing touch.

F. ONE MORE TIME: Your safety is THE most important element on our trips: Prior to any one of our PORSCHE Tours we conduct a Power Point and Video **Drivers' Briefing** where we educate you about how driving is different in Europe. Most importantly, we tell you **what NOT to do**. In addition, you get our © publication – **which helps you understand a compendium of important information like:**

- **Rettungsgasse**
- **Umleitung**
- **Nothalten**
- **Country Road Speed Limits**
- **300 m Countdown**
- **And the often confused “bei Nässe”**
- **How to process a speeding ticket – call us.**



IV. Final Thoughts this Week: Driving Directions

A wife was making a breakfast of fried eggs for her husband. Suddenly, her husband burst into the kitchen. 'Careful,' he said, 'CAREFUL! Put in some more butter! Oh my gosh! You're cooking too many at once. TOO MANY! Turn them! TURN THEM NOW! We need more butter. Oh my gosh! WHERE are we going to get MORE BUTTER? They're going to STICK! Careful. CAREFUL! I said be CAREFUL! You NEVER listen to me when you're cooking! Never! Turn them! Hurry up! Are you CRAZY? Have you LOST your mind? Don't forget to salt them. You know you always forget to salt them. Use the! Salt. USE THE SALT! THE SALT!' The wife stared at him. 'What in the world is wrong with you? You think I don't know how to fry a couple of eggs?'

The husband calmly replied, 'I just wanted to show you what it feels like when I'm driving'.

Have a great Thanksgiving next week and don't forget to recite your blessings! All the best to you, Peter