

Brian Sturkie

Board Position: President

Associate: Jacki Sturkie

Brian Sturkie and his wife Jacki are on their second Porsche, having started with a 2000 Boxster then moving to a 1999 Carrera cabriolet three years ago. The Boxster ended up with Brian's dad, so it's technically still in the family. Their two kids have a secret fear that the Porsches will outnumber them one day. And they will.

Brian grew up in a stable of Ford Falcons and Studebakers and was a waxer before he was a driver. At 16, he was one of the youngest ever Senior Judges in the Antique Automobile Club of America. His 1955 Studebaker kept getting beat by 1955 Chevrolets in car shows, so he figured the only way to beat them was to learn what judges looked for. He didn't end up winning, but his interest in Studebakers—particularly the Avanti—opened the door for him to pursue a career in industrial design.

Brian is still working and will be until his teenagers finish college or win the lottery. He drives his 911 to work every day. His coworkers thought he was having a mid-life crisis when he bought it, but he said it's not a midlife crisis if you've wanted one since you were 8 years old. Brian translated his love for Porsches into a trip to Germany and France last year, where he drug his kids through the Porsche Museum and The Louvre and can proudly say the Porsche Museum was better.

