



DELAWARE VALLEY SECTION
OF THE
MERCEDES-BENZ CLUB of AMERICA

Founded October 22, 1968

News & Updates - July & August & months ahead

Lands End has been selected as the company to produce and handle MBCA club apparel. Lands End has a wonderful name recognition and customer satisfaction policy.

The MBCA national office is working to set up easy access for everyone to order Lands End products with the MBCA logo.

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Wayne Carini - Chasing Classic Cars - a few of his latest episodes

<http://www.tvguide.com/tvshows/chasing-classic-cars/298578/>



THIS Saturday July 8

This will be the 5th year in Oley

Last year they had more than 400 cars (including 150 that were judged). It was a beautiful Saturday including the 50 or so MBs in our group at this all-German event. Vintage, classic and late model German cars and motorcycles are all welcome.

Robert Taylor will be leading the Junior Judges again this year.

Cost is the same as last year; general admission \$17, show car and car corral and swap meet is \$25. All include \$5 in food coupons. Gates open at 8 am. Rain or shine. Show cars must be on the field by 11:30.

<http://www.deutscheclassic.com/>



NEXT Saturday July 15

**Docent-led tour of the Simeone Museum, in Philadelphia
Located in Philadelphia, PA,**

Saturday, July 15, 2017

Place: SIMEONE MUSEUM

6825 Norwitch Drive

Philadelphia, PA 19153

Time: 10:30am - 12:30pm

We will be having a guided tour, please be early!

For those who would like to join us, we'll be heading for lunch immediately after the tour to nearby Chickie & Pete's

Located in Philadelphia, PA, the Simeone Foundation Automotive Museum is one of the world's greatest collections of racing sports cars. Through our theme, "The Spirit of Competition", we celebrate the history and evolution of these magnificent machines. Assembled over 50 years by Dr. Frederick Simeone, the Museum contains over 65 historically significant cars including Ferrari, Alfa Romeo, Bugatti, Mercedes, Jaguar, Bentley, Porsche, Aston Martin, Corvette, Ford, and more. We are open Tuesday through Sunday for General Admission and there is always something new and exciting happening here. We offer many different types of events including our world famous Demo Days, Special Events, Special Exhibits and more. The Simeone Foundation Automotive Museum is a 501(c)3 nonprofit institution. We are also the only Philadelphia Museum with a 5-Star Yelp rating.

See link for more info:

<http://www.simeonemuseum.org/>

NEW HOPE CAR SHOW

SUN. AUG. 13th

only ONE day this year -
construction at the High School



This has been around since 1957

Sunday Aug. 13. Held at the high school in New Hope 180 West Bridge St, New Hope. Gates open 9 am Parade of Champions begins at 2:30.

Parking at the high school is run by uniformed cheerleaders and they will give you a big smile when you pay \$5 for parking. No pets. Admission is \$5 (\$3 for seniors), under 12 - free.

<http://newhopeautoshow.com/>

Radnor Hunt Motor Sports Park

Sunday, Sept. 10, 2017



This will be our fourth year at Radnor Hunt **Motor Sports Park**.

MotorSport Park is rain or shine. Admission and parking for the driver and vehicle is **\$50 if purchased before 8/31**. After that date the price is \$60. This includes admission to the event, a show poster, show program and a dash plaque. Each additional passenger is \$35 which includes their show ticket and a program. Please Note: Space is limited to 25 cars per marque. Gates open for MotorSport Park at 9:00 AM.

We will have a \$50 cash drawing at noon. To qualify for the drawing you need to be an MBCA member and display an MB at motor sports park. We will call the winner on their cell. Winner does not need to be at the tent at the moment of the drawing.

Radnor's Motor Spots Park website...

<http://radnorconcours.org/event-details/sunday/car-club-parking/>

WE NEED TO KEEP IN MIND THERE ARE A LOT OF EVENTS AT RADNOR HUNT THIS WEEKEND.

Friday night Sept 8 ----- Welcome **Barbecue**, Featuring food by Jimmy's BBQ and craft beer by Victory Brewing, 6:30 PM

Saturday Sept 9 ----- The Chester County **Road Rally** ----- Full Continental Breakfast, Driver and Navigator & Two Radnor Concours Rally Hats PLUS a wonderful catered lunch at the Rally finish line by La Locanda Ristorante. Instructions begin at 8am.

Cars and Coffee ----- Starting after 8:30 (**Cars and Coffee** will begin as the rally is leaving the main entrance.)

Come stroll the grounds of the Radnor Hunt Club with other auto enthusiasts at this no cost event, and enjoy complimentary coffee and bagels. This event also offers an opportunity to watch the departure of the Road Rally participants just across from the show field, with the first car leaving at or about 9:00 AM.

Black Tie Gala ----- Saturday, September 9, Cocktails begin at 6:00 followed by the Art Show preview, Silent Auction and dinner at 7:30 followed by dancing, an outdoor lounge with cigar rolling and Macallan Scotch tasting and so much more.

<https://radnorconcours.org/event-details/>



30th ANNUAL REGIONAL PICNIC **Saturday, Sept. 16**

John and Marina have opened their home to us (and mowed the grass) for 30 consecutive years.

North & South Jersey Regional Picnic



ANNIVERSARY WEEKEND

Anniversary weekend. Our section was founded Oct 22, 1968, 49 years ago. We have the idea to have an anniversary celebration - but have no idea what we / you want to do. Send me a note. Thanks

2018 Starfest to be held in Birmingham, AL

May 14 - 21, 2018

A tour of the Mercedes-Benz US International (MBUSI) production facility is one of the highlights.

The tour program can accommodate 150 visitors per day. The first-come first-serve schedule is as follows.... Tour times and days will be assigned by order of your registration. The earliest registration will get Thursday, the next Wednesday, and so forth.

You will need to create an account on MotorsportsReg.com to register.

The web address for registration (through MotorsportReg.com) is msreg.com/starfest2018

The web address for Starfest 2018 is <https://starfest2018.mbca.org/>

I KNOW THIS IS A YEAR AWAY BUT CHECK OUT THE ACTIVITIES NOW there's a lot going on.

HOLIDAY PARTY

Sunday December 3 at the Washing Crossing Inn.

General Washington Memorial Blvd
Washington Crossing, PA

Details to follow



<http://washingtoncrossingginn.com/>

To visit the Del Val website click [HERE](#)

[THIS](#) will take you to our Facebook page

Jay Leno has a website with videos, photos and articles

<http://www.nbc.com/jay-lenos-garage>

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