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EVENTS

June: Jamboree - June 23

September: Great Marques September 23 with a rain date of September 30

Drive and Dine Event MBCA-Long Island Chapter



4/22/18- I must admit that in the weeks leading up to the event, I was somewhat nervous considering the turn for the worse in our weather. With nor'easters becoming an almost weekly occurrence and early spring temperatures more reminiscent of late December rather than late March/early April, I was not relishing taking out my 2013

SL550 from its' winter hibernation.

But then something happened; the temperature began to gradually show signs of warming albeit slowly. In the days leading up to the event, I was checking the weather forecast on a daily basis if not a few times a day given the weathermen's inability to predict the weather with any accuracy of late.

But there it was, a prediction of temps in the upper 50's for the weekend and no signs of a cloud or even a drop of rain in the weekend forecast! We met Sunday morning alongside the Long Island Expressway and even though there was still a chill in the air, club members (and even a Ferrari member with his F355 Spider...hey Pasqual!) stood outside their cars excited for the first trip of the year. When it was time we proceeded to get into our cars; my SL550, an E350 Wagon, S500, and headed out on the trip north to Poughkeepsie and our final destination at Cosimo's Trattoria & Bar where we would be showing off the cars and enjoying some fine company and even finer food.

Once we got off the Hutchinson River Parkway and onto the Sprain Brook Parkway, the traffic opened up and we were able to enjoy the roads (despite the occasional pothole reminder of the past winter). For me though and likely the rest of our group, the driving really began on the winding stretches of the Taconic Parkway, which meandered up north through the Taconic State Park and toward our destination.

Once we arrived, we parked our cars in Cosimo's parking lot and were soon joined by a Ferrari 458 Italia, a Ferrari. We stood in the parking lot

admiring the cars and chatting with friends; some old, some new before heading in to enjoy the great food. If you're ever in the area, make it a point to stop in and have a bite at Cosimo's. The food is expertly prepared and in talking with the owner Carlo, his chefs come straight from the Culinary Institute of America, which is just down the road.



Following a fine Sunday meal, we went outside to enjoy the weather (with temps now near 70 degrees), and take some pictures before departing for the trip back home to Long



Island. Truly an exceptional day and from talking with fellow attendees, we will look to do so again soon. For those members who could not make it, you missed a great day. Dom; perhaps a fall Drive and Dine event timed for fall foliage? Towards that end, thanks to Dom Citera for organizing the event and for all those who attended including Section President; Oliver Seligman, Event organizer; Dom Citera.

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Mercedes at the Airpower Museum

On Sunday May 6th a cloudy but dry day a group of our members gathered for a tour of the American Airpower museum located in Farmingdale, New York.

Coffee and car talk was the first order of business while we waited to be escorted onto the airport runways. Once inside a continental breakfast was served. We then broke up into several small groups for a guided tour of the extensive exhibits of the airplanes and artifacts in the museum.



As a memento of the day each participant was photographed in their car with an a10 thunderbolt airplane in the background.

This was mounted in an 8x10 matte black frame and will make an impressive reminder of a very enjoyable and interesting event.



EVENT NOTICE:

June Jamboree: Saturday, June 23, 2018

This is always a club favorite - Now located at Park Avenue Club. This is the 54th consecutive June Jamboree. The JJ is the longest running MBCA event in North America. Watch our newsletters and The Star Magazine for more information. Park Avenue Club - 184 PARK AVENUE, FLORHAM PARK, NJ 07932

Long Island Cruizin' For A Cure

September 16, 2018 - No Rain Date

1400 Old Country Road, Westbury NY

(Old Country Road West Exit - Wantagh Parkway)

Show hours: 9:00 AM until 3:00 PM



**Great Marques Long Island ® –
September 23, 2018** (rain Date:

September 30th) Details will follow. Up to date info will be found at <http://mbca-nyc-long-island.org/> and <http://greatmarquesli.com/>

Other events will be announced when available.

We need judges – Classes will be held at Gullwing Motors, Mineola. Contact Oliver (Moqs05@aol.com) for more information.

Thanks for being a member.

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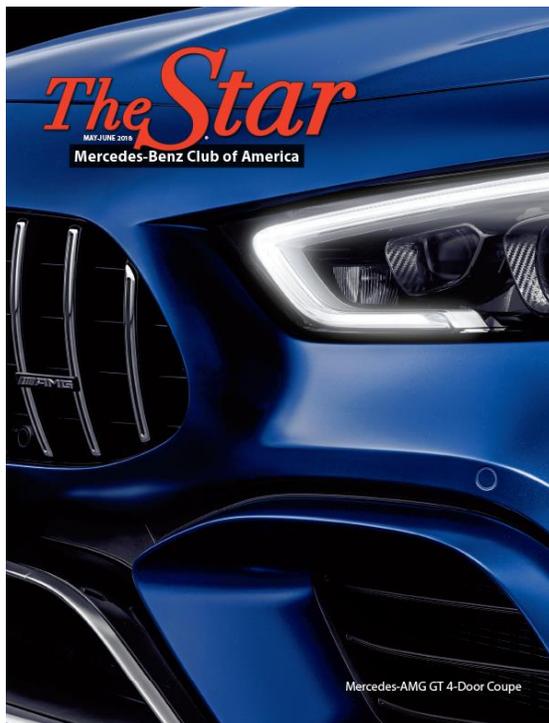
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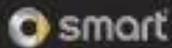


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