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Thanks Jon van Woerden  
for the photos!

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2015 OFFICERS  
Monthly Social Meeting  
October 21, 2014  
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# POLE POSITION

What a summer! I do hope that everyone had a safe and enjoyable summer. And that all your adventures made great memories for you and your families.

**Our very first big event car show *The Lords of the Nurburgring*** was a well-attended, loads of fun and of course a good time was had by all. Mike Willette, our event chair, put in countless hours to make this event happen and happen in a big way. Thank you Mike, all of our volunteers that helped put this together and pull it off... the location of our car show -- The American German Club of the Palm Beaches will be hosting their annual Oktoberfest Oct 10 —12- and Oct 17-18-19. For information go to [www.americangermanclub.org/oktoberfest](http://www.americangermanclub.org/oktoberfest)

**Everglades Chapter membership** is at 1,338 members (includes 189 associate members). We thank all of you for renewing, and referring. There is ongoing Membership Drive: Great prizes and incentives. Check out your *Roundel* magazine or go to BMW CCA National website for complete details: [www.bmwcca.org](http://www.bmwcca.org)

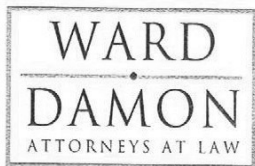
## **SUPPORT Tire Rack Street Survival and you could WIN a new M235i coupe (or \$41,000 cash).**

BMW CCA Foundation Raffle is now under way. Tickets are on sale for \$25.00 each – with multiple drawings for additional ticket purchases. One prize will be awarded for every 7500 tickets sold. Tickets on sale until Dec 31, 2014 and the random drawing is on or about January 15, 2015. Go to <http://drive.streetsurvival.org> for rules and online ticket purchase. The great thing is you do not have to be a member of BMW CCA to purchase raffle ticket... Tell your friends – pass it on.

**Oktoberfest 2014** – Beaver Creek CO – the current issue of the *Roundel*: Great photography by our very own Jon VanWoerden. Look for his article (in the *Roundel*) on the M6 and his road trip on Route 66. ...*I'm standing on the corner, in Winslow, AZ.... Ed note: I can't get that song out of my head or his picture!*

**Oktoberfest 2015:** the 46th Annual BMW CCA Oktoberfest Presented by Michelin. Hosted by the New Jersey Chapter and held from the Stockton Seaview Hotel and Golf Club venue,—and trackside thrill—of Absecon, New Jersey and New Jersey Motorsport Park. The 46th Annual Oktoberfest will run from Monday, September 21 through Saturday, September 26, 2015.

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Everglades Chapter monthly Social Membership meetings are held on the third Tuesday of the Month 7:30pm –

NEW LOCATION: for the June and July meetings:

Avanti's at Asherwood located at the Winston Trails Country Club  
6101 Winston Rails Rd (east side of Jog Rd– south of Lantana Rd)

Please JOIN US!!!!

Sept 16 ~ Oct 21 ~ Nov 18 ~ Dec 16

# EVENTS

**Florida Region SCCA:** [www.floridaregionscca.com](http://www.floridaregionscca.com)

The Real Deal:

The American German Club of the Palm Beaches (located in Lake Worth) will be hosting their Annual Oktoberfest two fun-filled weekends: October 10-11-12- and October 17-18-19. They are looking for event volunteers. Want to serve Beer? Brats? "Volunteer" for a few hours and enjoy the event like a German tourist!

More information [www.americangrermanclub.org/oktoberfest](http://www.americangrermanclub.org/oktoberfest)

**Everglades Chapter Road Trip to Key Largo—**

**Columbus Day Weekend — Relax—Relax—Relax at the tropical Marriott Courtyard Key Largo Resorts October 10/13.**

**Some members are joining us Friday and more are joining us on Saturday! WHEN are you arriving?**

**We will have a private tour of the Island Dolphin Care Center on Saturday. Special room rates for our group extended to OCT 21  
Go to our website for more information....**

**Nominations Meeting for Elected Officers of Everglades Chapter  
2015 ~~~ Social Meeting— Oct. 21, 2014**

**Jim Storch ~ Everglades Chapter Election Committee Chair**

**Everglades Chapter Holiday Party & Charity Event—**

**Date: TBD**

**LOCATION: TBD**

# The Lords of the NurburgRing Car Show

We had a superb day for a car show.

Our very first big event car show *The Lords of the NurburgRing* was a well-attended, loads of fun and of course a good time was had by all. Mike Willette, our event chair, put in countless hours to make this event happen and happen in a big way. His efforts to acquire from shirts to trophies to sponsorship, and get the word out to participate or spectate, did pay off. Mike, along with some key chapter members, acquired the necessary sponsorship, renewed relationships with local car dealership, car marque enthusiasts, car clubs and a variety of businesses. Scott and Fran Hughes (pictured) representing the BMW CCA Foundation. I thank all of you for your dedication. Yes, there will be a next time – next year.

***THANK YOU SPONSORS for your Support***



# *Congratulations*

## **First Place winners:**

Timothy Smith:	2001 Audi S4 Avant
Long Trieu:	2004 Porsche 911 GT3
Perry Lancianese:	1969 MERCEDES-BENZ 280SL
George Fuentes:	1990 BMW 325is

## **Second Place:**

Maria Ramirez:	2007 Audi A4
Jon May:	2005 Porsche GT3
Stuart Attfest:	1995 MERCEDES-BENZ E320
Al Fortuna:	2008 BMW E92 M3

## **Third Place:**

Carl Heath:	2007 Audi A4 2.0T
Bob Varela:	2015 Porsche Cayman GTS
Peter Krones:	1988 MERCEDES-BENZ 560SL Cabriolet
Keith Barrow:	1991 BMW 318is

People's Choice Award:	Michael Watson:	1970 BMW 2800cs
Miss Oktoberfest Trophy:	Scott Hughes	1972 BMW csl
Rick Case Volkswagen Award:	Maria Ramirez	2007 Audi A4
AutoGeek.net Best Finish:	Perry Lancianese	1969 M-B 280 SL
BMW CCA Best Original:	Ricardo Guaqueto	1963 M-B 230 SL
Active Autowerk Best Engine:	Keith Barrow	1991 BMW 318is
Palm Beach Driving Club:	Hartmut Fuyler	MB C74

**To see photos of the event, please go to our website:**

**<http://bmwccaeverglades.org/site/photo-galleries/>**



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## ***K1 Speed Karting***

On Saturday, Sept 20 -"A great time was had by all." After lunch at Southport Raw Bar then onto K1 Speed for 12 laps of practice and 14 laps of qualifying followed by a 16 lap final race. Derek Smith finished 1st overall followed by Bill Smith, and James Dean to complete the podium. It was great to see Bill Horton and get some sage advice. Most of us were first timers on the track but we all ranked in the top 90% of all racers! Quite a nice showing by our members! Keep watching because we WILL be doing this again in a couple months. Thanks Derek for putting on a great time. Nice job!

*.....Mike Willette*

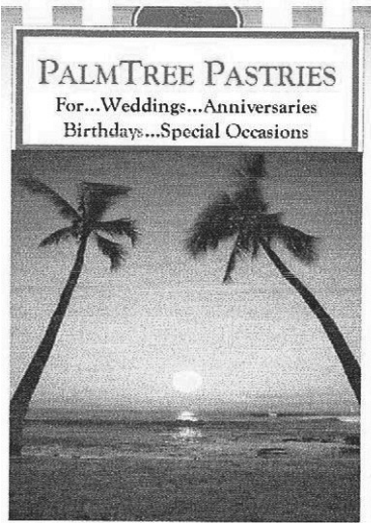
## Are you a “Geographically Challenged Member???”

We are LOOKING for a member to act as a REPRESENTATIVE for the Miami-Dade area and perhaps one in the Keys.

**This is to bring in the geographically challenged members.**

Yes, most of our membership is to the north And most of our active members are to the north.

If you are interested we could use your help to locate a place to have meetings in the South Broward/North Miami area. We have considered having one social meeting quarterly – for starters – see what the turn out would be. We have members that drive 50+miles from the Port St Lucie area for the monthly meetings in Lake Worth. Granted, it is an easier drive then in the area of Broward/Dade, BUT it is still 50 miles one way. We do not want to alienate the activity and involvement that these members offer. What we do need is the support of the members to have activities in that area – suggestions; ideas; and attending. Please contact me – leave a message w/ your number. 561 225-1010; email robertatreen@gmail.com



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