

# Die Zugspitze



New York Chapter Newsletter

## *Autocross Season Is Well Underway!*



*Street  
Survival  
2005*

# Habberstad



*Exclusive Retailer for Dinan*

# DESIRE it DEMAND it DINAN it



**Experience reliable increases of HP and better throttle response**  
**Software raises rev-limits for greater road speed in each gear to improve acceleration**  
**Top speed governor is removed**

Dinan's warranty is extended to match BMW's, year-to-year, mile-to-mile & bumper-to-bumper!

**UNLEASH THE  
AWESOME  
POWER OF  
YOUR BMW**

**BMW/MINI  
UPGRADES**

- Cold Air Intake
- Air Flow Meter
- Throttle Bodies
- Exhaust
- Lower Gear Ratio
- Front & Rear Strut Braces
- Engine Software
- Suspension Options

**Complete Dinan 'S' Packages Available**

*Long Islands ONLY Exclusive Retailer for Dinan*

**www.habberstadbmw.com 945 E. Jericho Tpke., Huntington**

**Demetrios Mirassis, Director of Motorsports**

**demetri@habberstadbmw.com**

**631-271-7177 • 24-Hour Fax: 631-271-7179**

**Tony Palmieri, Service: 631-418-3277**

**Barry Singer, Parts: 631-418-3271**



# NEW YORK CHAPTER EVENTS 2005 CALENDAR

## July

30th Saturday - Autocross - Nassau Coliseum

## August

7th Sunday - Tech Session at Detailing Dynamics

28th Sunday - Autocross - Nassau Coliseum

## September

10th Saturday - Autocross - Nassau Coliseum

18th Tenth Annual Great Marques Concours

## October

1st Saturday - Autocross - Nassau Coliseum

29th Adult Safety School - Nassau Coliseum

## December

3rd Annual Holiday Party & President's Dinner

3 2005 Events

.....

4 President's Page

.....

6 BMW Press - 3 Series voted America's best

.....

6 BMW Press - Nuzzo Motorsport Awarded Prize for Finish

.....

7 BMW Press - BMW Awarded Engine of the Year for 2005

.....

8 Tech Session at Detailing Dynamics

.....

10 The Men in Black (and One Woman) Are Back: Street Survival 2005

.....

13 Tenth Annual Great Marques Concours Application

.....

Advertisers



### On The Cover

Andre Noel's Autocross Racer.

Photo by Victor Yim.

20-12-05

The New York Chapter is looking for members to contribute articles and photos to Die ZugSpitze  
Contact: Phil Danza  
editor@nybmwcca.org

20-12-05



# From the Chapter President

Anthony Howell



I would like to start this month's column by thanking Phil Danza for giving the New York Chapter's Newsletter a classy new look. GREAT JOB to Phil and all of the other volunteers that have pitched in to help create a quality publication.

Motorsports Day 2005 was held on May 29th at Life Quality BMW located in Brooklyn. The event was held to promote their launch of Dinan Motorsports products. We were happy to see such a large turnout for the first dealership event in Brooklyn. We are looking forward to continuing our relationship with Life Quality and we would like to thank the staff that took time from their day off to open

up their doors to our members.

On Sunday June 19th (Father's Day) a group of Bimmerheads met at Bayside Marina off the Cross Island Parkway to caravan to Watkins Glen for the NY/Patrol Drivers' School. Each of us took turns leading the pack. At exit 56, I took the lead into the town of Elmira. There was a posted speed limit of 40 MPH in a construction zone, which we were clearly obeying. From past experience, we are fully aware that the speed limits are strictly enforced in this area. I was again reminded of this when 2 patrol cars passed us on the opposite side of the highway and the second one was dragging his brakes. At that point, we knew we were going to have an unscheduled meeting with them.

The officers pulled over all 9 cars and this is where it got very interesting. The officer walked up to my car (lead) first, and I asked him what was the problem, officer. He replied that we were speeding, and asked for our license and registration, please. I told him we were not speeding and I asked where was his radar detector. His reply was, "well someone called it in and said you guys were speeding". When he realized that he could not get us with speeding, he decided to call in the NY State Troopers that have the radar guns. Upon their arrival one of the Troopers told us they got us on radar and I told him this was not possible. The Trooper was pulled aside by his partner and moments later he returned and recanted his statement.

We were then advised that the summons was going to be changed to "disobeying a sign". At that point, I became the spokesperson for the group, and reminded them not to do me any favors - if I am accused of speeding, then give me a speeding ticket. He said it was not my decision and I requested for a superior officer to be called onto the scene. I was told he was 40 miles away and I asked that he call him on the phone. The Troopers took everyone's paperwork and went to their cars for a couple of minutes. He returned and said the "witness" could not be located and he was forced to let us all go. Radar detectors are designed to detect one car at a time - not nine. This is why they wanted to change the summons to "disobeying a sign". This was merely an attempt to collect revenue for the town of Elmira. After this ordeal, we enjoyed a great driving event at the Glen. [Editor - I'm glad this article was not emailed from the County Jail!]

Regards,  
Anthony Howell



DieZugs Spitze is published by and for the members of the BMW CCA New York Chapter Inc. ("The Club"). All of its contents shall remain the property of the club. The Club assumes no liability for any information contained herein, or provided by its member/volunteer consultants. None of said information bears the status of factory approval unless so indicated. Modifications within the warranty period may void your warranty. The club is not connected in any manner with BMW AG, or BMW NA. Unless otherwise stated, maintenance and modification procedures herein are not "Factory Approved" and their use may void your BMW warranty. Ideas and opinions are those of the writers, and no authentication or approval is implied by its editors or publishers, who assume no liability for information contained herein.

## NY Chapter Officers

### President

Anthony Howell 516-524-6123  
e-mail: unclbimmer@hotmail.com

### Vice President

Andre Noel 917-885-3107  
e-mail: noelsm3@verizon.net

### Treasurer

Rose Ann Burke 917-561-8051  
e-mail: msnybmw@aol.com

### Secretary

Steven Bernstein 917-584-4317  
e-mail: nybmwcca@garageboy.com

### Member-at-Large

James Siegel 917-841-2841  
e-mail: jim@nj.rr.com

### DieZugs Spitze Editor

Phil Danza 631-682-7617  
e-mail: editor@nybmwcca.org

### Webmaster

Charles Karnati 718-422-0414  
e-mail: webmaster@nybmwcca.org  
Peter Herzog 516-578-1321  
e-mail: rx7race@aol.com

### Advertising

James Siegel 917-841-2841  
e-mail: jim@nj.rr.com  
Sherwin DeShong 917-576-2453  
e-mail: srde28@hotmail.com

## Event Chairs

### Concours Committee Co-Chairs

Steven Fischthal: smf328@optonline.net  
Steve Geraci: stevegeraci@reflexphoto.com

### Drivers School Chairperson

Frantz Lilavois: franzou@aol.com

### Drivers School Co-chairperson

Mike Allen: jbmike@aol.com

### Street Survivor Chair

Matt Brod: onrailsm3@hotmail.com

### Membership Chair

Steven Fischthal: smf328@optonline.net

### Social Events Director

Icela Fischthal: icela@optonline.net

### Greater New York Auto Show

Charles Karnati: webmaster@nybmwcca.org

### Autocross Chair

Andre Noel: noelsm3@verizon.net

### AAA Driver Improvement Program

Anthony Howell: unclbimmer@hotmail.com  
Sherwin DeShong: srde28@hotmail.com

### Beach Party, BBQ

Anthony Howell: unclbimmer@hotmail.com

### Technical Advisors

Mike Schiffer - Euromeccanica  
Office 914-668-1300

Chapter Hotline 516-792-2002

[www.nybmwcca.org](http://www.nybmwcca.org)

# DETAILING ■ DYNAMICS

*FOR THOSE WHO EXPECT THE BEST!*



*Gift Certificates  
Available!*

*A sanctuary for those who refuse to settle for anything less than perfection.*

*Offering the finest wax, polishes, compounds and detailing services for the most fastidious customers.*

*Auto detailing solutions for enthusiasts developed by professional detailers.*

- Custom Detailing • Paint Reconditioning
- 3M™ Paint Protection Film
- Engine Detailing • Concours Preparation
- Interior Detailing & Restoration
- Paintless Ding Removal • Window Tinting
- Auto Body Repair • Radar Detectors & Laser Jammers • Metal & Wheel Polishing
- Custom Stereo & Video Upgrades

Pick-Up & Drop-Off Service Available

**(516) 747-4114**

**66 Windsor Ave., Mineola  
MATT ZAKARIAN - PROPRIETOR**

VISIT US  
ON THE  
WEB

**WWW.DETAILINGDYNAMICS.COM**

100%  
SATISFACTION  
GUARANTEED



## News From BMW

*Courtesy of BMW Press*

### BMW 3 SERIES VOTED “AMERICA’S BEST SEDAN” BY READERS OF AUTOWEEK

Woodcliff Lake, NJ – June 30, 2005... The all-new BMW 3 Series was voted “America’s Best Sedan” by the readers of AutoWeek in this year’s “America’s Best” survey. In an increasingly competitive marketplace this year’s award represents the fourth time that a 3 Series has been named “America’s Best Sedan” by readers of AutoWeek and the eighth time that a BMW 3 Series has appeared on the list of “America’s Best.”

Commenting on their readers’ selection of the new 3 Series as “America’s Best Sedan” the editors of AutoWeek noted, “The 3 is simply a pleasure to drive, anywhere, anytime. That’s why it remains one of your favorites – and one of ours.”



*Photo courtesy of BMW Press*

“We’re delighted to receive this acknowledgement from the readers of AutoWeek,” said Tom Purves, Chairman and CEO of BMW (US) Holdings. “Launching a new 3 Series is an important event for us because, in many ways, it represents the core of our brand. Driving pleasure is at the heart of every product we sell. To receive such an award from a dedicated group of enthusiasts means a great deal.” The all-new 2006 3 Series Sedan went on sale on May 6th with a starting price of just \$30,995 for the 325i including, as does every BMW, full maintenance for 4 years or 50,000 miles. ■



### Mini USA Awards Nuzzo Motor Sports Prize Money For Podium Finish

*Contingency Program Pays Out \$6,000 for Third-Place Finish at Watkins Glen - By BMW Press*

Woodcliff Lake, NJ - June 24, 2005... MINI USA has awarded Nuzzo Motor Sports for its participation and hard-won podium finish at Watkins Glen, Saturday, June 11th with a \$6,000 contingency payout. The private team of Nuzzo Motor Sports, who campaigned two MINI Cooper S’ in Grand Am took full benefit of MINI’s contingency program, notably with a 3rd place win in the ST class.

MINI USA’s contingency program offers private MINI racing efforts an incentive to compete in grassroots motorsport. From SCCA Solo, to Road Racing to Rally, those who compete have the opportunity to earn up to \$7,500 per race. In addition, MINI USA’s race contingency program now offers publicity support for any podium finisher who successfully competes with a MINI in select classes.



*New York’s Tony Nuzzo campaigning his Mini Cooper S sponsored by Grafik Dezine*

Historically, MINI earned its racing legacy on the challenging rally circuits in Europe, most notably Monte Carlo where a MINI Cooper S won in 1964, 1966 and 1967. To this day MINI remains an ideal platform for those who want to successfully compete in grassroots motorsport - from autocrossing to drag racing.

“The success of Nuzzo Motor Sports’ racing efforts in the world of Grand Am is not only a testament to MINI’s agility on the racetrack, but also to the commitment of a private team such as Nuzzo Motor Sports to compete.” stated Jeff Stracco, Product Manager for MINI USA, “It is only fitting that MINI USA recognize MINI racing privateers such as Nuzzo Motor Sports who achieve this kind of success in grassroots motorsport competition.” ■



## V10 HIGH-PERFORMANCE POWER UNIT FEATURED IN THE BMW M5 / M6 IS AWARDED THE TITLE "ENGINE OF THE YEAR 2005"

International journalists bestow prizes on six BMW engines - including the Variable TwinTurbo-Diesel - Courtesy of BMW Press

Munich. BMW has become the first car manufacturer to receive six different prizes within a year at the annual Engine of the Year Awards, the world's most prestigious engine competition. The prizes include one for the most unique diesel power unit, the Variable TwinTurbo engine featured in the BMW 535d.

In addition to first prize as "Engine of the Year", awarded today at the Engine Expo 2005 in Stuttgart to the 373 kW (507 bhp) V10 high-performance engine powering the BMW M5 /M6, BMW engines also managed to scoop the following awards:



Photo courtesy of BMW Press

- V10 5.0-litre engine in the M5/M6: Best New Engine 2005
- V10 5.0-litre engine in the M5/M6: Best Performance Engine 2005
- V10 5.0-litre engine in the M5/M6: Winner in the class exceeding 4.0 litres
- 3.0-litre 535d Variable TwinTurbo-Diesel: Winner in the class 2.5 to 3.0 litres
- 3.2-litre six cylinder engine in the M3: Winner in the class 3.0 to 4.0 litres.

It is of particular interest to note that a diesel power unit - the 200 kW (272 bhp) 3.0-litre Variable TwinTurbo engine featured in the BMW 535d - was again voted winner in one of a total of eight different engine classes by an international jury comprising 56 renowned journalists.

The BMW M3 engine is victorious for the fifth time in succession.

This means that BMW is the most successful brand to participate in the Engine of the Year competition, the Munich engine builder now having seized 26 trophies over a period of seven years. The 252 kW (343 bhp) 3.2-litre high-performance power unit featured in the BMW M3 has alone received this

coveted award for the fifth time in succession - an unprecedented record.

This remarkable engine has contributed decisively to BMW's sustained accomplishment at the Engine of the Year Awards, thereby assisting the company in establishing itself as the most successful engine designer and builder. When one of the members of the jury, Arturo de Andrés, says for instance that the M3 engine is a power unit "for drivers who appreciate first-class engineering", he is referring to the both agile and distinctive, high-revving inline six cylinder, a unique engine indeed. ■



**BIMMERS ONLY**

Factory Trained  
Service  
on all models

**Graham Lawson**

52B Babbitt Rd. • Bedford Hills, N.Y. 10507 • (914) 241-1084

MAINTENANCE, SERVICE AND RESTORATION  
OF EXTRAORDINARY MOTOR CARS



114 PEARL STREET  
MT. VERNON, NY 10550

Michael Shiffer

(914) 668-1300

**EURO MECCANICA**

## BMW Drivers Wanted

- Join a private drivers club
- Schedule track-time at your convenience
- Just a short drive from your garage



800-795-2638 | [www.alpinesignature.com](http://www.alpinesignature.com)



## Tech Session at Detailing Dynamics

By Steve Fischthal

Please make sure you can join us for an incredible morning of valuable information and tips on preparing your BMW for our 10th Annual Great Marques Concours. This Tech Session will be held on Sunday, August 7th from 10AM - 2PM. The session will be held at Detailing Dynamics, 66 Windsor Avenue, Mineola, NY.

At this session, we will review what the judges are looking for during the Concours. We will review how your car is scored and how points are awarded. This will provide you with valuable insights and should help you immeasurably in preparing your car.

Matt Zakarian, proprietor of Detailing Dynamics and regular columnist in our newsletter, will be showing you how you should be prepping, cleaning and waxing your car. He will show you the right way to do this and show you the right materials to use for these tasks. He will offer advice on how to take care of particular types of problems you might have in preparing your car. Matt is a wealth of valuable information and he is always willing to share this with other enthusiasts.

Lunch will be provided. Please plan on joining us for a great and informative session. Also, visit Matt's website ([www.detailingdynamics.com](http://www.detailingdynamics.com)) for a look at his shop and for some excellent articles on detailing your car. ■




**Got Plates?**

Get your personalized BMW CCA License plate  
 Order on-line from the DMV  
[www.nydmv.state.ny.us/org.htm](http://www.nydmv.state.ny.us/org.htm)  
**Available NOW to all members.**  
 Email: [nysplates@nybmwcca.org](mailto:nysplates@nybmwcca.org) to indicate  
 your interest in the plates.  
 Provide the following information:  
 Member #, Name, Email and  
 number of registrations

**Get Ready... Get Set... Print!**

**12 to 144  
in 7 Days!?!?**

That's how fast we'll do your next custom printed t-shirt order. As few as a dozen pieces or as many as a gross, in only 7 business days, and NEVER any screen setup charges for NY BMW CCA Members! You should have **your company logo** on your apparel. You don't have a logo? We can do that too! Call us today, and please mention you saw this ad.

**Lightwave**  
 GRAPHICS

**SPECIAL**  
 1000 Full Color  
 Laminated  
 Business Cards...  
**\$60.00**

**Graphic Design • Printing • Silkscreening  
 Embroidery • Patches**

**(631) 225-6300 • Email: [Printninja@att.net](mailto:Printninja@att.net)**



# Subscribe to Performance

- Increased Power • Better Handling
- Braking Power • Software Upgrade



## Let us be your source Life Quality BMW

Leaders in the Industry for Customer Satisfaction

### Now features "Dinan"

Full line of Dinan products  
now available for Purchase & Installation

### Performance Headquarters

Come in and experience  
a personal consultation  
to fit your needs.

Over 1 Million Dollars  
of Genuine BMW  
parts in stock!!



### Wayne A. Jackson

Director of Motorsports  
BMW CCA NYC Member  
or

### Nick Giordano

Motorsports Coordinator

Office : 718.272.0555  
Mobile: 888.317.0963  
Email: wannalogon@aol.com



**DINAN**

Original  
BMW Parts

[BMWUSA.com](http://BMWUSA.com)



The Ultimate  
Driving Machine

## Life Quality Motors

940 Remsen Avenue, Brooklyn N.Y. 11236

211 63rd Avenue, Brooklyn N.Y. 11220

Serving the five boroughs

Sales - Service - Parts - Leasing

[WWW.LIFEQUALITYBMW.COM](http://WWW.LIFEQUALITYBMW.COM)



## The Men In Black (and One Woman) Are Back!: Street Survival 2005

By Matt Brod



The Street Survival Program run by the New York Chapter of the BMWCCA went off this June without a hitch. It could have been the pre-planning, the threats to the students and instructors, or simply good karma, but I am convinced that this year's event was the best Street Survival program the New York Chapter has ever hosted! Since this was the second year hosting the course we had modest expectations that were far exceeded.

Our event was very interesting because we had cross volunteers from other car clubs instructing with us. It's not uncommon for people to belong to multiple clubs in order to maximize their driving time. Therefore, at the first few auto-crosses I recruited hotshoes from the Porsche Club, the Sports Car Club of America as well as our own cache of New York BMWCCA members. The only reason some of these instructors have never volunteered before was because they were never asked. Well, I am anything but shy so I asked for all the volunteers I could find.

My best hopes were confirmed since these new recruits really had the "Right Stuff". It was great to see people that normally are jokers take on a professional persona and step up to the plate. After the event ended, in addition to all the happy students and their parents, one of the instructors approached me and thanked me for giving him the opportunity to participate as an instructor. I completely understood where he was coming from – it's that feeling you get from

knowing you did a good thing. Knowing that at least one teenager learned one thing that will prevent one future accident made it all worthwhile.

The event started with a morning class given under the tent by our Instructor Extraordinaire, yours truly. My recurring theme for the morning was "All I want to do is keep you out of the body shop." Behind the wheel, many teenagers feel invincible. That is something I cannot change but I can make them aware that their cars are not. We covered a mix of topics, including proper hand position on the steering wheel, mirror placement, escape route planning, looking ahead and the unalterable physics of driving. We definitely got their attention with a real-life display of how far a car takes to stop from 60mph. In case you're interested, it takes about 140-170 feet, depending on the vehicle, brakes, tires, etc.

---

**“All I want to do is keep you out of the body shop.”**

---

Once the classroom instruction ended, the students were paired up with instructors. With an instructor in the student's car at all times, we ran them through the 4 exercises laid out

(cont. Pg. 12)





**New York Street Survival 2005 Graduates**



by Andre Noel and the Autocross Team. This consisted of the Slalom, a Lane Change Maneuver, a Braking Turn Exercise, and the Dreaded Figure 8. All students got approximately 4-6 runs through each section before lunch.

---

## ...real-life display of how far a car takes to stop from 60mph.

---

After lunch, the Uniondale Fire Department's Chief, Cameron Peak, came through again with a splash! Thousand of gallons of water helped create low friction conditions for the students to practice these same exercises while recovering from the inevitable skid. Unfortunately, 97-degree temperatures and the hot sun did not agree with the water and only some of the students got a chance to experience their vehicle's wet weather performance. We will improve upon this for future events so that all students can get the full effect.

I would like to extend a special thanks to all the volunteers who showed up early, worked their tails off, sweated



it out in the sun and helped make this another great New York Chapter event. By the way, I know I owe a bunch of people a couple of beers each. The cooler will be in my trunk at the Concours... for Street Survival instructors only... well, maybe the judges too... ■

*Visit...*

[http://garageboy.com/fahrt/teen\\_driving.html](http://garageboy.com/fahrt/teen_driving.html)

for the driving tip:  
What Car Should My Teen Drive?

# **AMOC Presents the Tenth Annual Great Marques Concours on the Beautiful Grounds of Old Westbury Gardens**

**Sunday September 18th, 2005**

Rain date Sunday September 25, 2005

**Gates open at 9:00 AM for Entrants**

**10:00 AM for the general public**

**Judging will begin at 11:00 AM.**



Entrants Fees: (includes Gardens' admission fee for driver)

Pre-registration \$35.00 (Payment must be received by September 14th)

Registration, Day of event \$45.00

**The featured marques are BMW, Porsche and Aston-Martin.**

Please make plans to attend this great event. Bring your family and a picnic basket.

Spend a gorgeous Sunday on the Great Lawn of Old Westbury Gardens.

### **ADMISSION FEES FOR SPECTATORS**

MEMBERS OF OWG - FREE

GENERAL ADMISSION - \$10

ADULTS OVER 62 - \$8

YOUTH (7-12) - \$5

CHILDREN (6 & UNDER) FREE

### **Classifications**

- Street: will be judged on exterior only.  
(No undercarriage, tops up on convertibles)
- Concours: will be judged on interior, exterior,  
engine compartment and trunk
- New for this year – Special category for tuned cars

**Location: Old Westbury Gardens, 71 Old Westbury Road, Old Westbury, NY 11568**

### **Directions to Old Westbury Gardens:**

*From The LI Expressway: Take exit 39S (Glen Cove Rd.) follow the Service Road east for 1.2 miles, turn right onto Old Westbury Road and continue 0.4 miles to the Gardens on the left.*

*From The Northern State Parkway: Take exit 32N to Post Ave., go north on Post Ave., make a left on Jericho Tpke. (Rte 25) and a right at the first light onto Old Westbury Road. The Gardens entrance is on the right.*

**For additional directions call (516) 333-0048 or <http://www.oldwestburygardens.org/>**

**Contact Scott Rumbold - (203) 470-8320 email: [scottrumbold@hotmail.com](mailto:scottrumbold@hotmail.com)**

**for additional information. Registration Deadline - Sept. 14th, 2005**

**Gate Registration will be \$45.00 and on a space available basis.**

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Email \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_ City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone Number \_\_\_\_\_ Make \_\_\_\_\_ Model /Year \_\_\_\_\_

Check for \$35.00 enclosed, payable to: NY Chapter BMW CCA

Mail to: Steve Fischthal, 914 Hewlett Drive, Valley Stream, NY 11581

Check the class of the car you are entering: Concours \_\_\_\_\_ Street Class \_\_\_\_\_ Tuned Class \_\_\_\_\_

TURNERMOTORSPORT.COM

**TURNER MOTORSPORT,  
THE LEADING BMW TUNER,  
IS JUST AROUND THE CORNER!**



- New full service 7,000 sq. ft. facility
- Inspection I and II service
- Routine maintenance now available
- Conforti software upgrade center
- New on-site state-of-the-art Dynapack Chassis Dyno
- Driving school preparation and inspection
- Race preparation - Club and Pro
- Indoor car storage
- Outdoor trailer and car storage
- Technicians have over 22 years of experience
- One stop shopping, i.e. service, parts, etc.
- Located at the intersection of I-95 & 495 off Route 1
- Less than one hour from Boston

**WE OFFER THE  
LOWEST  
PRICES ON:**

- H&R Springs/Coil-overs
- Bilstein Shocks
- Borla Exhausts
- UUC Products
- Shark Injectors/  
Conforti Chips
- Sway Bar Kits
- Schrick Performance Cams
- Cross-drilled Rotors
- Cool Willy Brake Pads
- Conforti Cold Air Intakes
- Lightweight Flywheels

**TURNER**  
motorsport

Knowledgeable Staff • Fast Service • Lowest Prices •  
Daily Shipping • McLaren Service

Elm Street, Amesbury, MA 01913

978-388-7769



**ALLOY WHEEL REPAIR  
SPECIALIST, INC. OF  
NASSAU CO.**  
COMMERCIAL & RETAIL SERVICES



**Precision  
Mobile  
On-site  
Repair  
of Alloy  
Wheels**

**Repairs to:**

- Curb Damaged
- Flat Bead or Standard Wheels
- Wheel Faces
- Polished or Painted Aluminum

**George Diaz**  
Authorized Tech

**516-662-3314**

gdiaz@mobilewheelrepair.com



**If a stone can do this to your windshield...**



**imagine what it can do to your car's new finish.**



- extraordinarily tough, clear, urethane film
- allows your car's brilliant color to shine through
- lifetime warranty

**Autobahnd** >>>  
www.autobahndeast.com

Email us at [info@autobahndeast.com](mailto:info@autobahndeast.com) for information on how to purchase Autobahnd for your car.



## Take the Winning Line with Original BMW Replacement Parts and Accessories

At BMW of Bayside, we believe that using only Original BMW replacement parts and accessories will make owning and driving your BMW more exciting, reliable and fun.

- Over 75 years of collective experience, we'll ask you the right questions to get you the right part
- Our staff of 7 parts professionals provides you with prompt and courteous service and advise
- BMW replacement parts carry a 2 year limited warranty\*. You'll drive with confidence, knowing that original BMW replacement parts were tested by BMW for BMWs

**Details available at this BMW center**

**BMW of Bayside**  
**217-07 Northern Blvd.**  
**Bayside, NY 11363**  
**718-229-3636**  
**[www.bmwbayside.com](http://www.bmwbayside.com)**

# Buy your BMW parts online.

Introducing the smartest BMW store on the worldwide web. Simply enter your Bimmer's year and model; we'll show you only those parts that fit your car (plus universal stuff such as Zymöl). You'll get exactly what you need, even if you don't know the BMW part number. Log on and give it a try. It's just like driving your BMW – fast, safe and fun.

## bavauto.com

Same-day Shipping • Best Price Guarantee



Phone 800.535.2002 • Fax 800.507.2002

# Phil's Auto Body Inc.

## BMW Collision & Refinishing Specialist

Insurance Claims Handled Promptly



DISCOUNT TO BMW CCA MEMBERS

# (631) 242-7439

Phil Parlato  
President

140 Brook Ave.  
Deer Park, NY 11729



# RADAUSRICHTUNG?\*

Master technician, Bill Haupt, has the most advanced \*alignment system available. And your Porsche®, Audi®, BMW®, or Volkswagen® will perform better because of it. So when your car needs attention, Haupt Strasse is ready. A family business with more than 25 years experience in the German tradition.

- Complete Maintenance & Repair
- Race Preparation & Service
- PCA & VSCCA Member

 **HAUPT STRASSE MOTORS, Ltd.**  
Master Technician

22 Maple Ave., Harriman, NY 10926  
Tel: 845.783.1425  
bhaupt@frontiernet.net





If you're a safe driver,  
you should pay less.  
That's our stand.



Call me today about Allstate's Safe Driver Discount.  
**(631) 928-8222**

**Mark Jones**

MARK S JONES  
1109 HALLOCK AVENUE  
PT JEFF STATION  
a062152@allstate.com

Call for a free quote.

Discount and insurance offered only with select companies and subject to availability and qualifications. Discount amount may be lower and applies to most major coverages. Discount applies to most major coverages. Allstate Insurance Company and Allstate Property and Casualty Insurance Company: Northbrook, IL. ©2004 Allstate Insurance Company.



**Allstate**

You're in good hands.

## *Bay Diagnostic Repair Center* *European service specialist*

**The dealer alternative for your  
BMW, Mercedes Benz, Volkswagen, Audi and Land Rover.**

*Now you don't have to go back to the dealer to get  
Professional Maintenance and Repairs .*

We are fully equipped with dealer level Equipment, Information and Original Factory Parts.  
This enables us to provide the same quality repairs and service you get at the dealer  
with the convenience of dealing with a local repair shop. Why wait 2 weeks for an appointment  
at the dealer?

*We have extended hours for drop off  
and pickup. We also provide a special  
pickup and delivery service.*

2563 Ocean avenue Brooklyn, N.Y. 11229  
Visit our website at: [www.baydiagnostic.com](http://www.baydiagnostic.com)

**Phone: (718) 615-0705**

[www.RPMRacingInc.com](http://www.RPMRacingInc.com)

Driver's Ed Season is almost upon us! Are you ready?



**Best Deals on Fikse wheels!  
All Styles:**

**Profil Line:** (17,18,19")

**Classic Line:** (17 & 18")

**Profil 5 & 5S**

**FM/5 & FM/10**

**Profil 10**

**Mag & Aro**

**Profil 13**

**Mach V**

\* Plus, HRE, Kinesis, AVUS and much more! \*

**CROSS**



**H&R**

**Eibach  
SPRINGS**



**JIC Magic/Cross - 15 way adjustable coilovers with separate height adjusters**  
**Bilstein PSS9 Coilovers - 9 way adjustable shocks with adjustable ride height**  
**Koni Adjustable shocks - Classic externally adjustable koni setups**  
**H&R Cup Kits, RSS & PCS Coilovers - Adjustable compression and rebound**  
**Eibach Springs & Pro-Street Coilovers - F1 Technology for the street**

**Das-Sport, Safety Devices, Autowerke and  
Custom-Made Roll cages available.**

**All Safety equipment Available.**



*RPM Racing Inc. is now an official  
UUC Motorwerks Dealer!*

**RPM** racing  
i n c o r p o r a t e d

130 Railroad Street  
Huntington Station, NY 11746  
T. (631) 423 0275  
F. (631) 423 0276

All Service & Performance  
Upgrades Available!

- Active Autowerke
- AC Schnitzer
- Hartge
- Alpina
- Racing Dynamics

# GrafikDezine.com

THE AUTHORITY IN VEHICLE GRAPHICS



Fleet Graphics



Digital Wraps



Commercial Lettering

- Race Cars & Trailers
- Custom Car Graphics
- Logo Design
- Corporate Identity Solutions

Phil Danza  
President

49 E. Industry Ct. Ste. D  
Deer Park, NY 11729  
(631) 274-9723



Blanco's

# NORTH SHORE AUDIO

- Stereos
- Audio
- Video
- Custom Systems
- Alarms
- Remote Starts
- Radar
- Satellite TV



167 Glen Head Rd. Glen Head, NY 11545

(516) 674-9627

# Member Rides



*To be featured in the Members Rides section,  
please E-mail pics and specs of your BMW to [editor@nycbmwcca.org](mailto:editor@nycbmwcca.org)*



BMW CCA New York Chapter  
PO Box 920576  
Arverne NY 11629

PRESORTED  
FIRST CLASS  
US POSTAGE  
PAID  
FARMINGDALE  
NEW YORK  
PERMIT NO. 334