

EVENT GUIDE



Host Hotel

Crowne Plaza
801 Greenwich Ave
Warwick, RI 02886
(401) 732-6000

Autocross Venue

Seekonk Speedway
1782 Fall River Ave
Seekonk, MA 02771
(508) 336-9959

Host Track

Thompson Motorsports Park
205 East Thompson Rd
Thompson, CT 06277
(860) 923-2280

Concours and Car Show

Fort Adams State Park
90 Fort Adams Dr
Newport, RI 02840
(401) 841-0707

Hotel Information

Check-in
3:00 PM

Check-out
11:00 AM

Amenities

Indoor Pool, Fitness Center, Business Center, Accessible Rooms, Pet-Friendly, Complimentary Airport Shuttle from TF Green

Restaurant

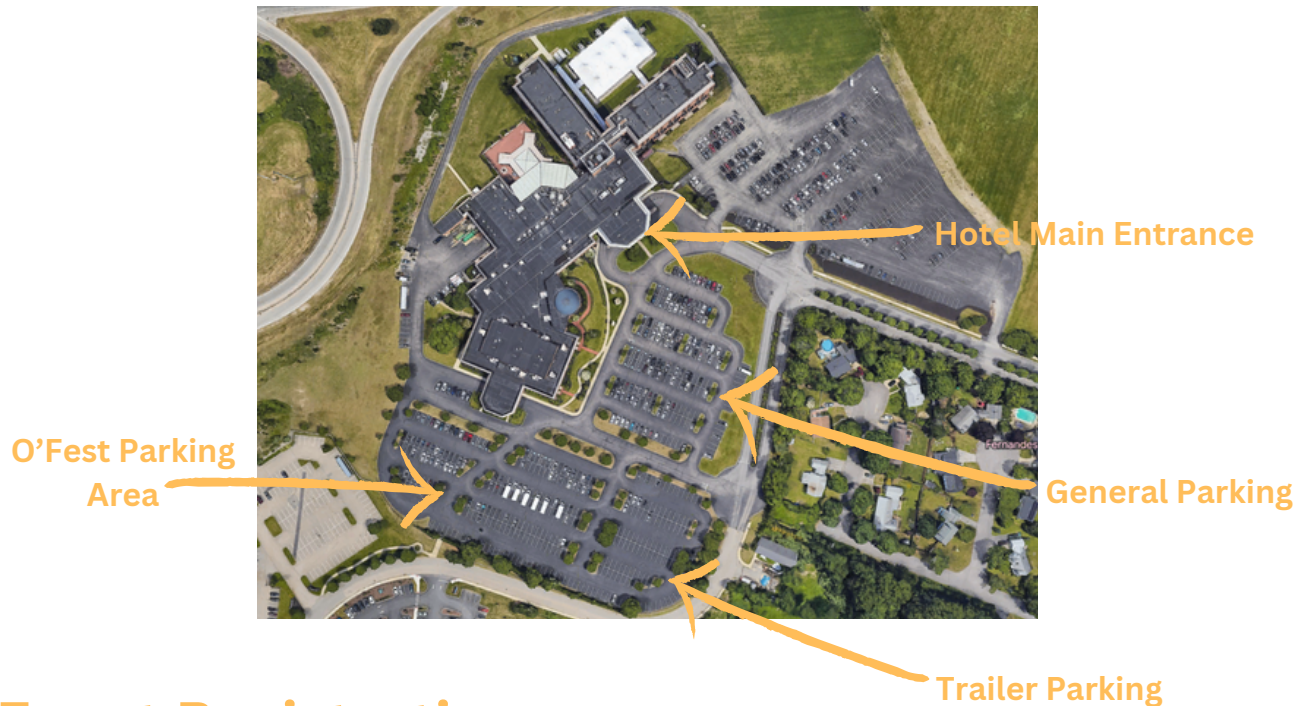
The Crossings ([Hours and Menu](#))

Bar

Alfred's

Parking

Free parking is available throughout the hotel. We have a section specifically held for us as outlined on the map below



Event Registration

Hours

Wednesday, September 27	1:00pm - 5:00pm
Thursday, September 28	7:00am - 9:00am
Friday, September 29	7:00am - 10:00am

What to Expect

Stop by Registration to pick up your credentials for the week. You will need to sign our event waiver and receive a wristband.

Pick up your event poster, free gifts and Vendor giveaways. The Lifestyle Store and Ultimate Driving Museum Stores will be open for club and event gear and memorabilia. On Wednesday, enjoy a popcorn bar and assorted drinks while greeting old and new friends alike!

Location



Griot's Garage Car Wash

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Wednesday, September 27	1:00pm - 7:00pm
Thursday, September 28	7:00am - 7:00pm
Friday, September 29	7:00am - 7:00pm
Saturday, September 30	7:00am - 4:00pm

What to Expect

Griot's Garage will once again sponsor our car wash offering free products for use. Hotel hoses and rags are available but feel free to bring your own as well. Due to space constraints, please wash your car near the wash bay and then move into the parking lot for drying.

Location



**Griot's Garage
Car Wash Station**

Seminars and Demos

Wednesday, September 27

2:00pm - 3:00pm	Everday Collecting with the Hack Mechanic	Salon II
3:00pm - 4:00pm	Griot's Garage	Front Parking Lot
4:00pm - 5:00pm	Vintage Air Conditioning with Rob Siegel	Salon II

Friday, September 29

3:00pm - 4:00pm	Concours Tips with Chief Judge, John Farrall	Salon II
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Check back to the schedule for additions.

Location



Tours

For all tours you must be pre-registered. Most spaces are filled at this time but you can get on the waiting list in case of cancellations. All tours with the exception of Sweet Berry will meet in the Main Lobby of the hotel where you will be checked off of the master list prior to boarding the bus. Please meet in the Lobby approximately 10 minutes prior to departure. Sweet Berry Tour is to meet in Salon II for a brief meeting prior to heading out.

Wednesday, September 27

2:00pm - 6:00pm	Newport - Majestic City by the Sea	Meet in Main Lobby
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Thursday, September 28

8:15am - 4:00pm	Sweet Berry Farm / Greenvale Winery	Meet in Salon II
12:00pm - 2:30pm	Taste of Rhode Island	Meet in Main Lobby

Friday, September 29

9:00am - 2:30pm	Newport - Majestic City by the Sea	Meet in Main Lobby
10:30am - 1:15pm	Lighthouse and Mimosa Cruise	Meet in Main Lobby

There are multiple options for self-drive tours on our website that do not require registration to be done at your leisure. The Fun Rally will be available at Registration.

Meals, Snacks and Menus

Wednesday, September 27 (Weeklong Registrants only)

1:00pm - 5:00pm	Registration	Salon III
	Gourmet Popcorn Bar and Assorted Beverages	
7:00pm - 9:00pm	Hagerty Welcome Dinner	Salon III
	Tossed Baby Greens	
	Caesar Salad	
	Tomato and Brie Pasta Salad	
	Mediterranean Bean and Feta Salad	
	Sliced London Broil with Peppercorn Sauce	
	Chicken Marsala	
	Baked Scrod with Lemon and Butter Chive Beurre Blanc	
	Penne with Pink Vodka Sauce	
	Fingerling Potatoes	
	Seasonal Vegetables	
	Assorted Desserts	
	Cash Bar	

Thursday, September 28 (Weeklong Registrants only)

7:30am - 8:30am	Amica Breakfast and Morning Meeting	Salon III
	Coffee, Decaf and Tea (will be out by 7:00am for grab and go)	
	Whole Fruit (will be out by 7:00am for grab and go)	
	Protein and Breakfast Bars (will be out by 7:00am for grab and go)	
	Freshly Squeezed Orange Juice	
	Fresh Fruits and Berries	
	Fluffy Scrambled Eggs	
	Texas Style French Toast	
	Bacon	
	Sausage	
	Home Fried Potatoes	
	Gourmet Bagels with Cream Cheese, Lox and Fixings	
8:15am - 4:00pm	TOUR (Pre-Registered) Sweet Berry	
	Boxed Lunch choices will be emailed to all participants.	
8:30am - 4:30pm	Michelin Autocross	
	Lunch will be provided onsite for all participants.	
12:00pm - 2:30pm	TOUR (Pre-Registered) Taste of Rhode Island	
	Lunch will be provided to all participants.	
4:00pm - 7:00pm	Smart Hunt	Salon II
	Make your own Trail Mix Bar and Assorted Drinks	
8:00pm - 10:00pm	XPEL Trivia Night	Salon III
	Gourmet Cookies and Brownies with Assorted Drinks	

Friday, September 29 (All Registrants)

7:30am - 8:30am Amica Breakfast and Morning Meeting Salon III
 Coffee, Decaf and Tea (will be out by 7:00am for grab and go)
 Protein and Breakfast Bars (will be out by 7:00am for grab and go)
 Freshly Squeezed Orange Juice
 Fresh Fruits and Berries
 Assorted Greek Yogurts with Granola
 Muffins and Danish
 Bacon, Egg and Cheese Breakfast Sandwiches
 Ham, Egg and Cheese Breakfast Sandwiches
 Egg and Cheese Breakfast Sandwiches

9:00am - 4:00pm Lockton Car Control Clinic Front Parking Lot
 Boxed Lunches will be provided for all participants.

8:00pm - 10:00pm Beer Fest BMW Parking Lot
 Local Brews
 Cape Cod Potato Chips
 Assorted Candy Bars
 Warm Bavarian Pretzels

Saturday, September 30 (All Registrants)

6:30pm - 7:30pm BMW NA Farewell Dinner Cocktail Hour Salon III
 Assorted Vegetables with Dip
 International Cheese and Fruit Display
 Antipasto Platters
 Cash Bar

7:30pm - 10:00pm BMW NA Farewell Dinner Salon III
 Caesar Salad
 Grilled New York Sirloin Steak (Vegetarian Meal Available)
 Whipped Potatoes
 Grilled Asparagus
 New York Cheesecake
 Cash Bar

Onsite meals will be served in the Ballroom



Schedule

Wednesday, September 27

1:00pm - 5:00pm	Registration and Sponsor Booths	Grand Foyer
1:00pm - 5:00pm	Lifestyle Store	Salon III
1:00pm - 7:00pm	Griot's Garage Car Wash Station	Front Parking Lot
2:00pm - 6:00pm	TOUR - Newport	Main Lobby
2:00pm - 3:00pm	Seminar: The Hack Mechanic /Everyday Collecting	Salon II
3:00pm - 4:00pm	Demo: Griot's Garage	Front Parking Lot
4:00pm - 5:00pm	Seminar: Vintage Air Conditioning with Rob Siegel	Salon II
5:00pm - 6:00pm	Hagerty Discussion	Salon II
7:00pm - 9:00pm	Hagerty Welcome Dinner	Salon III
All Day	Fun Rally Self Drive	Various Locations

Thursday, September 28

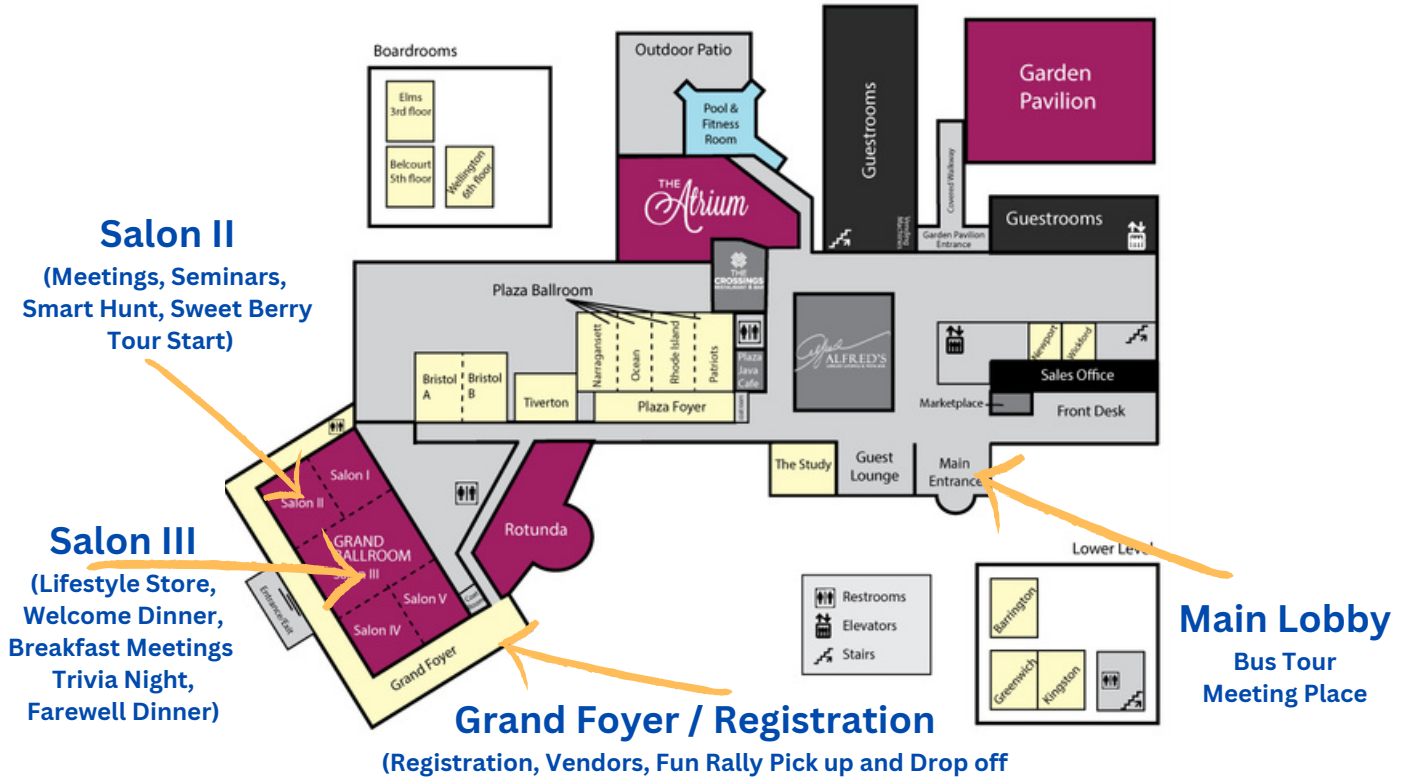
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8:30am - 4:30pm	Michelin Autocross	Seekonk Raceway
12:00pm - 2:30pm	TOUR - Taste of Rhode Island	Main Lobby
3:30pm - 6:30pm	Smart Hunt	Salon II
8:00pm - 10:00pm	XPEL Trivia / Game Night	Salon III
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Friday, September 29

7:00am - 10:00am	Registration and Sponsor Booths	Grand Foyer
7:00am - 10:00am	Lifestyle Store	Salon III
7:00am - 6:00pm	HPDE	Thompson
7:00am - 7:00pm	Griot's Garage Car Wash Station	Front Parking Lot
7:30am - 8:30am	Amica Breakfast and Morning Meeting	Salon III
9:00am - 4:00pm	Lockton Car Control Clinic	Front Parking Lot
9:00am - 2:30pm	TOUR - Newport	Main Lobby
10:30am - 1:15pm	TOUR - Lighthouse and Mimosa Cruise	Main Lobby
1:00pm - 2:00pm	BMW Charity Laps	Thompson
3:00pm - 4:00pm	Seminar: Concours Tips with John Farrall	Salon II
4:00pm - 5:00pm	Meeting: Concours Judges	Salon II
5:00pm	Fun Rally Answer Sheet Deadline	Grand Foyer
8:00pm - 10:00pm	Beer Festival	BMW Parking Lot
All Day	Fun Rally Self Drive	Various Locations

Saturday, September 30

7:00am - 4:00pm	Griot's Garage Car Wash Station	Front Parking Lot
8:00am - 11:30am	Fort Adams Concours and Car Show	Fort Adams
6:30pm - 10:00pm	BMW Farewell Dinner	Salon III



BMW Parking Lot
BMW Parking, Beer Fest

Front Parking Lot
Car Wash, Car Control Clinic

Michelin Autocross

Thursday, September 28

- Organized and run by the Boston Chapter
- Autocross Chair, Justin Chen
- Location is Seekonk Speedway which is approximately 19 minutes away via I-95 to I-195.
- Lunch will be provided to participants.

Schedule for the Event:

7:30am Gates open for participants
8:30am Deadline for arrival
9:00am Driver's Meeting
9:30am First Car off
12:00pm Lunch
1:00pm Afternoon Session
4:00pm Trophies

**Please MapQuest directions from Crowne Plaza to Seekonk if you do not rely on GPS.
We will not have printed maps.**

HPDE

Friday, September 29

- Organized and run by the Connecticut Valley Chapter
- HPDE Chair, Patrick Delaney, Chief Instructor, Michael Menatian
- Location is Thompson Motor Speedway which is approximately 52 minutes away via I-295 and US-44.
- Lunch will be sold onsite.

Schedule for the Event:

7:30am - 8:30am Registration and Tech Inspection
8:00am - 8:30am Instructor Meeting
8:30am - 9:00am Driver Meeting
9:00am - 1:00pm Run Groups and Classroom
1:00pm - 2:00pm Charity Laps and Lunch
2:00pm - 6:00pm Run Groups and Classroom

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We will not have printed maps.**

Lockton Car Control Clinic

Friday, September 29

- Organized and run by BMW CCA Foundation Street Survival
- Car Control Chairs, Bill Wade, Tim Beechuk
- Location is Front Parking lot of the Crowne Plaza.
- Lunch will be provided to participants.

Schedule for the Event:

9:00am Morning Session

12:00pm Lunch

1:00pm Afternoon Session

Smart Hunt

Thursday, September 28 at 4:00pm - meet in Salon II

If you did not join the Smart Hunt last year in Palm Springs, you are in for a real surprise. Easily one of our most well-received events and an all-around fun time, you will compete as teams to solve puzzles, conquer obstacles and answer questions. When it is all said and done, one team will reign victorious as the 2023 Smart Hunt Champions!

If you are on the Sweet Berry Tour, you will need to try and be back to the hotel by 4pm to join the Smart Hunt. There will be a half hour meeting at the beginning so even if you are a little late, you can still compete.

Snacks and drinks will be provided.

XPEL Trivia Night

Thursday, September 28 at 8:00pm - meet in Salon III

Local Trivia Master, Rick Lataille will lead us in an entertaining evening of trivia and games. He will be set up and ready by 7:00pm if anyone wants to get a few practice rounds in before the “real” competition begins.

Desserts and drinks will be provided.

Beer Fest

Friday, September 29 at 8:00pm - BMW Parking Lot

You may need a jacket for this one if the evening is cool but the ballroom will also be open for relaxing and warming up. Come out and taste a variety of local beers from Rhode Island craft breweries. Warm Bavarian pretzels, good beer and great conversations will be the perfect way to end this night.

Concours and Car Show

Saturday, September 30 at 8:00am - Fort Adams State Park

Our Concours and Car Show will be in conjunction with Audrain Auto Week. Each year, they hold a cars and coffee event at Fort Adams for about 800 cars of all makes and models. This year, they are expecting well over 1000 cars and 5000 spectators!

We will have our own “corral” within the event specifically for our members who registered for either display or concours.

The event starts at 8:00am but we suggest you plan to be onsite ready to be parked no later than 7:00am. There will be volunteers guiding you to our specific area.

Among the 1000 cars, there will be food trucks, music and entertainment.

All spectators who have not registered for either display or Concours will need to find parking onsite at Fort Adams.

A map of the “corral” will be emailed out to all paid participants next week.

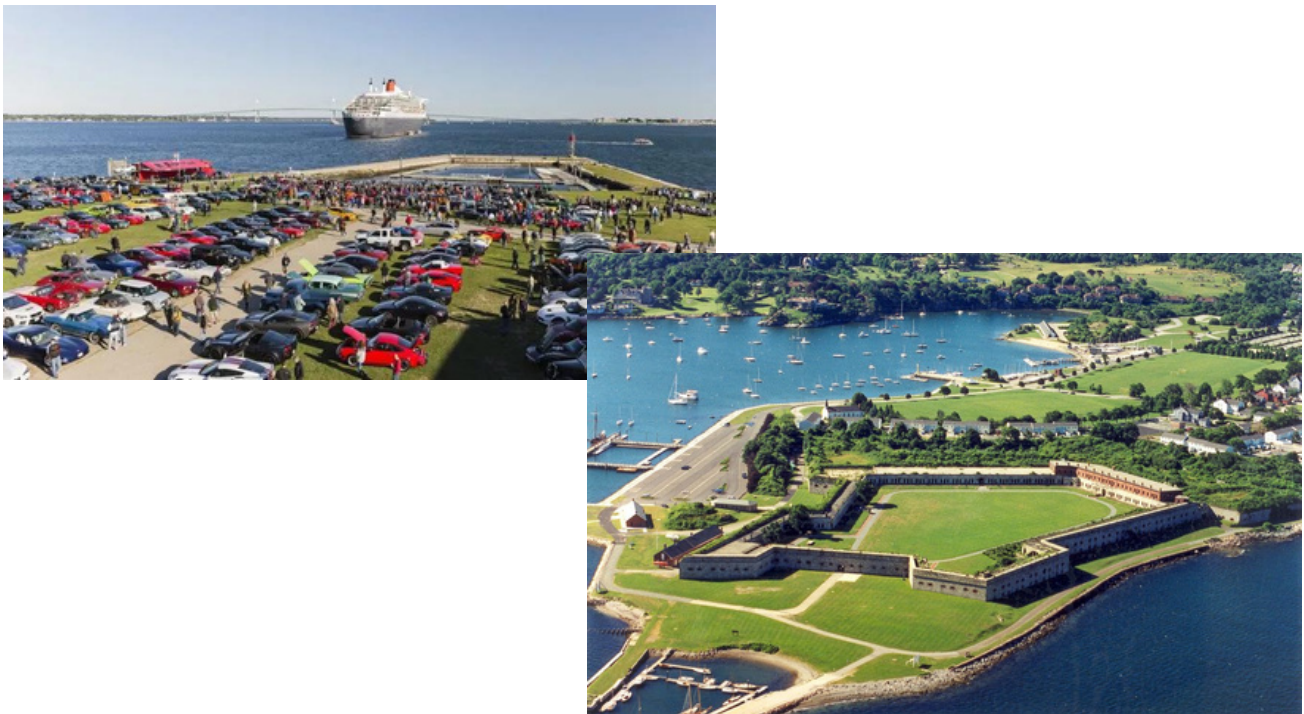
Please MapQuest directions to Fort Adams prior to arriving if you do not rely on a GPS.

There is a toll at the bridge crossing into Newport. You will require and EZ Pass or will be billed by mail. The fee is \$6.00 each way.

CONCOURS SCHEDULE

- 8:00 AM Judges Morning Meeting
- 8:30 AM "Rags Down" announcement. Judging begins.
- 10:30 AM Judging ends, all score sheets handed in.
- 11:00 AM Awards Ceremony on field.
- 11:30 AM Awards Ceremony ends. Cars can leave field.

Fort Adams is about 40 minutes from the hotel in moderate traffic. This morning will be packed with cars heading to the event so please plan your departure accordingly.



Fun Rally

Wednesday, September 27 at 1:00pm - Friday, September 29 at 5:00pm

Meticulously planned and organized by Bob and Sheila Morin, this Fun Rally will not only be FUN but also give you a great tour of Rhode Island! Directions will be available at Registration and for anyone competing, answer sheets must be submitted back to the same spot by Friday at 5:00pm!

Trophies will be awarded at the Farewell Dinner.