

Special MINI Invitation

Putnam Park Driving School

Our two day driving school at Putnam Park, 1.8 miles (<http://www.putnampark.com/>) in Mt. Meridian, IN, will be on August 22 & 23. Mt Meridian is about 45 minutes east and a little south of Indianapolis. This is a very rural area with the closest little towns being Cloverdale and Greencastle. There will be classroom and track driving. This is a driving school not a race school.

Method for application acceptance: BMW CCA & Chicago MINI Motoring Club members-come first, so mail your application right away. If there are spaces left at deadline date, we will put in the non-members.

INSURANCE ISSUES: Please be aware that some insurance companies are adding waivers to their policies that specifically suspend comprehensive coverage for your vehicle if it is used on any closed (i.e.not public) roads. BMW CCA has a new insurance program for driving schools and can be viewed at hpdeins.locktonaffinity.com

The same old rules apply, no convertibles without hardtop and roll bar, helmets Snell 00 rated or newer and helmets will be checked, 18 years of age or older, equal restraint, no r-compound tires for novice and an unrestricted drivers license.

TIRES: No R-Compound tires for novice drivers.

Only street legal cars are eligible.

Keep in mind that this event is held on a racetrack, and while our instructors will not push you beyond your (or more importantly "their") level of comfort, some risk is involved which by its nature cannot be completely removed. Pay attention to your instructor and you will learn a lot, safely, and have a lot of fun.

HELMETS: Must be Snell 2000 or newer. It is strongly recommended that you use a full face helmet and helmet support. Helmets will be checked at pretech and registration.

A PRE-TECH of the cars will be held on August 1st at Fields BMW, 700 Frontage Rd, Northfield, 847 441-5300 from 10:00am to 12:30pm. Please indicate on the form if you plan to attend so we can schedule you a time.

BRAKES: Bring one extra set of pads per driver. Note brake pads designed for racing may not be appropriate for a driving school. Also, cheap, generic pads are a bad investment. If you have questions about brake pads ask one of the chairpeople.

HARNESS: Equal restraints are required. If you have a harness then your instructor needs a harness.

SATURDAY NIGHT DINNER: We will be having an buffet at the Dixie Chopper (at the airport) in Greencastle and it will be catered by "Almost Home". The cost will be \$22.00. Please join us.

HOTEL RESERVATIONS ARE YOUR RESPONSIBILITY. Be sure to ask what the hotel cancellation policy is.

ACCOMMODATIONS-Cloverdale and Greencastle

Holiday Inn Express \$79.00 765-795-5050

Tell them you are with Windy City BMW

Super 8 \$65-\$70 is rate but no block

765-795-7373

Walden Inn \$95.00 765-653-2761

Under Windy City BMW block

We reserve the right to refuse any application.

YOU MUST BE 18 OR OLDER TO DRIVE.

Fill out completely and mail to:

Windy City BMW - Putnam, Barbara Adams, PO Box133 Glenview, IL 60025

Make check payable to Windy City BMW.

REGISTRATION FORM:

Deadline is July 27, 2009 or until full.

Questions: Barbara adams2002@aol.com

Gregg gjhautox@aol.com

Driver _____

Address _____

City/St _____

Zip _____

Phone Home: _____

Work: _____

Please provide email for notice of additional information

Email _____

Model & Year _____

Color _____ Mileage _____

BMW CCA member: Circle Yes No

Other BMW CCA Chapter _____

Attending Pretech: Yes _____ Possibly _____ No _____

Print the manual from this site: <http://windycitybmw.com/activities/driversSchool.asp>

It is half the way down the page under Documents.

Do you have any drug allergies? Circle Y___ N___

Explain: _____

Any other health/medical information we should know?

During this school, you may be driving your car on the track at speeds not normally attained on the highway. A mishap can result in property damage or serious physical injury. You will be required to sign a waiver releasing the Club from liability in such an event. Thus, you must assume the risk as a condition of participating in the school.

You agree to be responsible for any damage to track property that you may cause.

You will need to sign a waiver that signs away your rights. You will receive a copy to review.

Please be aware of this before sending in your application.

Sign: _____ Date: _____

School:\$350 BMW CCA Member = _____

\$370 MINI Member = _____

\$400 non Member = _____

Dixie Chopper Dinner: \$ 22 each X _____ = _____

Polo Shirt: Please circle: S M L XL XXL XXXL

Extra T \$ 18 each-size _____ = _____

TOTAL ENCLOSED \$ _____

You are grouped by driver experience, not car potential.

Experience: List Schools, Autocross, Racing or None

NOVICE _____ INTERMEDIATE _____ EXPERIENCED _____

MINI members-this includes a year of membership in BMW CCA. Come join us.