



Newsletter of the Hudson Valley Region/Porsche Club of America  
Spring 2017



**Editor's Note:**

Welcome to the rebirth of the HVR/PCA newsletter!

It is our hope that providing our members this vehicle (pun intended!) of communication, will enhance your experience in the club. For those of you who are familiar with the previous HVR newsletter, you may have noticed that we changed the name a bit.

We think that the new name ("The Grapevine") befits our intent to share what's going on in our region.

**2017 Board of Directors**

- Mark Maserjian, President
- Andrew Barlet, Vice President
- John Barna, Treasurer
- Jeffrey Kriz, Secretary
- Dean Avery, Director
- Bruce Coopersmith, Director
- Tom Florio, Past President



### **Welcome New Members! (Feb. 2017)**

- Ronald Boire
- Arthur Cuomo
- Willard Parks
- Brian Silvestro
- John Westerman, Jr.

We hope to see you at an upcoming event!

### **Annual Holiday Banquet at Vinum Cafe**

The Hudson Valley Region PCA held its winter gathering on January 29, 2017, at the Vinum Cafe located at the Brotherhood Winery, Washingtonville, NY. Members enjoyed cocktails, wine, and a tasty cheese board, while being introduced to the new board and announcements upcoming activities. After a delicious late afternoon dinner and dessert, members introduced themselves and their Porsches.

### **Upcoming Events:**

#### **HVR Advanced DE day at Lime Rock Park**

Driver's Education event at Lime Rock Park, Tuesday April 11, 2017  
Our track day is for Advanced Drivers only (White, Black, Red) and is un-muffled.

Run groups will be organized by a variety of factors including driver experience, prior run group assignment(s), and what car is being driven. This is a half day event and we will run from 12:00 PM to 5:00 PM.  
Track will open at 10:00 am for Tech inspection and Registration.



Register at [ClubRegistration.net](http://ClubRegistration.net) or [MotorsportReg.com](http://MotorsportReg.com)- hope you can make this event.  
Any questions? Contact Kevin J. Challacombe, Track Chair via email at [kchally@aol.com](mailto:kchally@aol.com)

## Spring Breakout at Advanced Automotive

2450 State Route 32, New Windsor, NY 12553

It's time to bring that Porsche out of hibernation for our annual Spring Breakout and get together with fellow enthusiasts for burgers, hot dogs, and banter! Our hosts, Tom and Giani Florio will provide food and soft drinks. Bring your own beer, wine, and folding chairs. Date and time to be announced via email, HVR website, and our Facebook page.



## Dine and Drive

Driving tour to the Angry Orchard Brewery in Walden, NY for cider tasting and a light meal. Further details including date and time to be announced.



## HVR/PCA Annual Picnic and Concours

Join us for our annual late Summer Picnic and Concours on September 17, 2017.

This year we will be returning to the Hudson River Boathouse for a fabulous meal and a chance to show off your Porsche and possibly win a prize!

Please visit our Web Site <http://hv.pca.org/home> and our Facebook page (Hudson Valley Region, Porsche Club of America) for more information or if you would like to contact us to share your ideas for future events.



Newsletter Staff:

Bruce Coopersmith, Editor

Jeffrey Kriz, Technical Consultant

Jeffrey Kriz

HVR Secretary

9 Ogden Road

Ossining, NY 10562