



Dear Friends,

We are already starting our eight winter's season. Almost every week-end one of our Member is competing in a motor sport event and representing our Club in the car racing community. Our region was celebrated at " The Grand Prix de Gstaad ", which was held at the Castellet on the Circuit Paul Ricard H.T.T.T.. Our Club was well represented with quite a few of our Members: Stanislas, Isabelle & Jérôme de Sadeleer, Claude Sage (President of Circuit), Siamak Siassi, Christian Traber, Stéphane Gutzwiller present or participating in the various races held within the Dix Mille Tours, a meeting organized by our Guest of Honour Patrick & Sylviane Peter.

We will present the third edition of " Gstaad Classic Audemars Piguet ", the rallye organized by Isabelle de Sadeleer and Peter Auto, which should take place next year during the 1st week of September. It will be a regularity only rallye. For more information go to: www.gstaadclassic.com

The sixth Classic Car "Rally & Yachting" was again hugely enjoyed by our members and their wives. We had a great time driving our cars on the wonderful roads of the Berner Oberland, selected by our President Hansueli Brand, and manoeuvring the radio controlled sailing boats of the Gstaad Yacht Club. Both Clubs also hosted delicious diners in their respective Club Houses.

Our racing roots were more than ever present in early July at Le Mans Classic with Jean de Brandenburg, François Fillon, Claude Picasso and Ivo Salvadori joining all those already mentioned above. Racing photos of our competing members can be found on www.gstaadautomobileclub.ch.

The Training & Snow-Driving on the Saanen Airport will be held at the following dates:

02/01/2013: Training & Snow-Driving Event with the Gstaad Yacht Club

03/01/2013: Training

01/03/2013: Training followed by General Assembly at 17.30 in our Club House

02/03/2013: Yearly Snow-Driving Event followed by Annual Diner at 20.30 in our Club House

Please make sure to return the attached answer-forms, and to review the safety procedure instructions, which are also enclosed with the agenda of the General Assembly 2013 and the minutes of the 2012 General Assembly.

The annuity for 2013 has been set at CHF 2'000.- for individual members and at CHF 3'000.- for couples. Children of Members will only be charged CHF 1'000.- this year. For your convenience we have added to the bank instructions, a Swiss post payment bulletin. Thanks in advance for making an early payment, it does simplify our administrative task.

We look forward to seeing you soon.