



Dear Friends,

Our main goal remains to practice on the Saanen Ice and Snow track during the winter season. Typically the day start at 9.00 in the restaurant Saanerhof in Saanen, for a briefing with Hansueli, before moving to the track till 16.00 with just an interruption for a short lunch break. The snow driving event are always a success thanks to Hansueli coaching, enthusiasm and organisational skills. He can count with the help of his brother Michael. Everyone made huge progress driving on ice. At the beginning we favoured spectacular drift, now we tend to drive our cars more efficiently on the Saanen track.

The twelfth Classic Car "Rally & Yachting" took us to Moutier, world capital of Absinthe and home of a car museum. The previous night, on our way to Lac Retaud for the traditional model boat regattas, drivers had to show their skills at addressing a competitive breaking challenge imagined by Hansueli. It all ended with the traditional prize giving diner at the Gstaad Yacht Club. After announcing that he will not assist anymore the GYC team in the organisation of the rally, our President was thanked and applauded for his contribution to the success of the event.

Congratulation to our racing Members: Karim Ojeh for his championship Title in the Blancpain GT Sport Club category, to Hugo de Sadeleer for his third place at the 24 Hours of Le Mans in the LMP2 category and to Jérôme de Sadeleer for his third place in the 2018 Radical Challenge season. Thanks to all of them for providing us with lively pictures and commentary of their racing meetings on www.gstaadautomobileclub.ch.

The Training & Snow-Driving Events on the Saanen Airport, General Assembly and Annual Diner will be held at the following dates:

02/01/2019: Training & Snow-Driving Event with the Gstaad Yacht Club in Saanen

01/03/2019: General Assembly at 17.30 at our Club House

02/03/2019: Yearly Snow-Driving Event followed by Annual Diner at 19.30 at our Club House.

Members are welcomed to invite friends to our diner (CHF 100.- charge per guest).

Please make sure to return the attached answer-forms, and to review the safety procedure instruction, which are also enclosed with the agenda of the General Assembly 2018.

The annuity for 2019 has been set at CHF 2'000.- for individual members and at CHF 3'000.- for couples. Children of Members will again only be charged CHF 1'000.- this year

We look forward to seeing you soon



2019 Training & Snow-Driving

The Gstaad Automobile Club offers an opportunity to learn the basics of winter driving techniques. The events are held at the Saanen Airport, on a closed track. Each event offers lots of track time. You will learn in your own car through a combination of various exercises.

- Date : **02/01/2019** : Snow-Driving Event with GYC
 02/03/2019 : Yearly Snow-Driving Event
- Time : 9.30 – 16.00 the course will last the full day with a lunch break
Registration in the restaurant “Saanerhof” in Saanen
- Program : Learn car control on snowy and icy conditions
Gain confidence in winter driving conditions
Learn effective skid control and stopping techniques
- Needed : Your own insured vehicle equipped with snow tires (spikes not allowed)
warm clothes - Driver’s license and car insurance
- Costs : CHF 100.- per Member (children under 25: free) - CHF 200.- per guests -
Lunch: CHF 50.- per person. Tuition will be collected at registration
(please return entry form to the Gstaad Automobile Club)

2019 Training & Snow-Driving

Wednesday, January 2nd : YES/NO
(please circle)

Saturday, March 2nd : YES/NO
(please circle)

First Name :

Spouse :

E-mail address :

Mobile No :

Make of Car :

Model :

Members' guest :

Make of car :

Model :

Motor sport can be dangerous. By applying to the event, the entrants accept to participate at their own risk.

Date & Place :

Signature 1st driver :

Date & Place :

Signature 2nd driver :



2019 Annual Ordinary General Assembly of the Gstaad Automobile Club

Dear Friends,

We have the pleasure of inviting you to attend the Annual Ordinary General Assembly of your Club, to be held at the Club House in Feutersoey, on Friday 1st of March 2019 at 17.30.
The following items will be reviewed:

- 1) Approval of last year General Assembly minutes
- 2) Report of the Committee
- 3) Report of the Auditor
- 4) Review and approval of the financial statements for the previous year
- 5) Discharge of the Committee for the previous year
- 6) Review budget for the current year
- 7) Approve new members
- 8) Any other business

Decisions will be taken by a simple majority of the votes of Members present at the meeting.

We look forward to seeing you.

Sincerely yours

The Committee



THE GSTAAD AUTOMOBILE CLUB
REQUESTS THE PLEASURE OF YOUR COMPANY

ON : SATURDAY MARCH 2, 2019

IN : CLUB-HOUSE FEUTERSOEY

AT : 19.30

R.S.V.P. gstaadautomobileclub@gmail.com before 20/02/2019



For the calendar year 2019 the annuity has been set at CHF 2'000.- for individual members , and at CHF 3'000.- for couple. Annuity for Members' children, who are also Members, has been set at CHF 1'000.-

Amount due : CHF _____

please transfer corresponding amount to:

SB Saanen Bank
3780 Gstaad
Switzerland
SIC : 6342
SWIFT : RBABCH 22342
For Account : Gstaad Automobile Club
IBAN : CH 27 0634 2016 0193 1910 1
Reference : Mme Baumer
Communication : Payment from Mr/Mrs

Could you please instruct your bank to mention your Name on the transfer instructions, especially if payment is made through an entity.

Motor sport can be dangerous. By paying the annuity, the entrant accepts to participate at the free practice at the Saanen Airport and at the various organized events at their own risk, for themselves and their children.