



The Circle and Star

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Randy Bibb

2015: The Year In Review

2015 was a great year for the Nashville Section of Mercedes-Benz Club of America! Our 2015 kick-off event was a visit to Mercedes-Benz of Nashville in February.

In March we visited Jack Daniel's Distillery in Lynchburg, Tennessee. Our tour guide, Ron, was a great host!

We followed that in April with a visit to Del Monaco Winery in Baxter, Tennessee, then the annual Shadowbrook Luncheon and concours in May.

MBCA StarTech was held in Cincinnati in June, and the Nashville Section was well-represented at the event. Randy and Brenda Bibb's 280SL received a first place ribbon and Central Regional Director Rick Siefert's 190SL received an Award of Distinction ribbon at the Ault Park Concours d'Elegance on June 14 in Cincinnati.

Another June event was the Nashville Section's tour of the Sam Davis Home in Smyrna, Tennessee. July brought us a visit to Lane Motor Museum, including a basement tour, followed by the Keeneland Concours d'Elegance in Kentucky, where Randy and Brenda Bibb's 280SL won Best in Class.

In August we visited Fontanel Mansion, and the Gull Wing Group Convention came to Nashville in late September and early October. The group held a tech session at Lane Motor Museum, and the beautiful vintage cars were displayed at Union Station Hotel in downtown Nashville.

We had a great time at Arrington Vineyards in October, and in November visited the Corvette Museum in Bowling Green, Kentucky.

Looking forward, our Member of the Year event is January 17, 2016 at 1 p.m. at Stoney River Steakhouse in Cool Springs.

Check our [website](#) and our [Facebook](#) page for updates as our 2016 calendar develops. We hope to see you in 2016!



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Gull Wing Group in Nashville, Sept. 30-Oct. 4



MBCA Membership Form

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Full Name

Associate Member (spouse or dependent)

Address

City State Zip

(_____) (_____) _____

Home Phone Business Phone

Occupation

E-mail Address

Mercedes-Benz cars now owned (model/year)

New Member Renewing Member (check one)

If Renewing, Member Number: _____

Interests:

Driving Events Car Shows Car Care
 Social Events Technical The Star

Please enroll me as an MBCA Member for:

1 Year (\$55) 2 Years (\$107)
 3 Years (\$157)

Make check payable to MBCA; Visa, MasterCard, Discover and American Express also accepted. If using a credit card, please complete the following:

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Arrington Vineyards, October 11, 2015



Welcome to New Members

2015 continues to bring new members to the Nashville Section. THANK YOU to all who have referred new members to us. Remember, you can benefit from referrals as well, with an extra month added to your membership for every new member you refer! New members since our third quarter 2015 newsletter include:

Jamie Camara
John Hall

Joe Krehbiel

Stan Mills
Michael Newman

Welcome!

REMINDER:

Member of the Year event

1 p.m. Jan. 17 at Stoney River in Cool Springs!

Why Join MBCA Nashville Section?

You have questions:

- What dealers are in the area?
- Where should I buy my new Mercedes-Benz?
- Where's the best place to service my vintage Mercedes-Benz?
- Which Mercedes-Benz model would best fit my needs?
- Where should I buy tires for my Mercedes-Benz?
- Who can answer my technical questions?
- Is the dealer the best place to go for non-warranty service?
- Does anyone offer discounts on parts?
- Can anyone tell me what my vintage Mercedes-Benz is worth?
- Are there other Mercedes-Benz owners who have experience with the car I own?



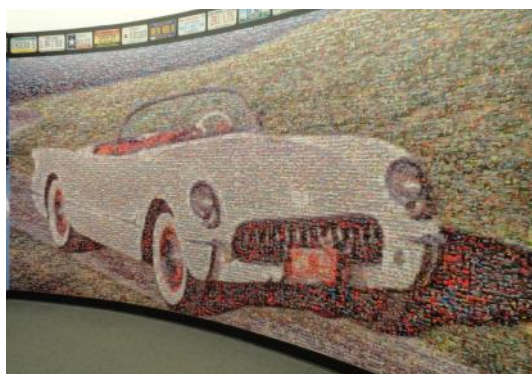
We have answers.

Come and talk to us: www.mbcnashville.org.

You'll get answers, meet some great people, and have a lot of fun!

Join Mercedes-Benz Club of America, Nashville Section!

National Corvette Museum, November 14, 2015



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For 36 years the Mercedes-Benz Club of America's Nashville Section has been a gathering point for Mercedes-Benz enthusiasts in the central South. **Why not consider giving a gift membership?**

With a charter dated October 15,

1978, the Nashville Section has been serving as a resource and focal point for those who appreciate the performance, history, and beauty of the Mercedes-Benz marque for more than a generation.

The Nashville Section hosts activities each month from February through November that can include winery tours, rallies, luncheons and dinners, tech sessions, driving events, new product ride-and-drive introductions, and a year-end awards ceremony.

Membership is the perfect gift for the Mercedes-Benz enthusiasts in your life, and it's a gift that keeps on giving for an entire year! Members enjoy instant savings on parts and service at Mercedes-Benz of Nashville and local independent Mercedes-Benz specialists; discounts on accessories and apparel from our Club Store; the award-winning MBCA magazine, *The Star*; free expert technical advice; discounts on the price of a NEW Mercedes-Benz; and much more!

The gift that keeps on giving: membership in MBCA!

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Member Classified Ads

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FOR SALE:

1985 300CD Turbo, Petrol Green, 150K miles.
\$5000 O.B.O. New tires, battery, belt & hoses.
Strong; dependable; drive anywhere. Contact J.T.
@ 615-289-4667, jtbznan1@aol.com

FOR SALE

1991 300E, 109,000 miles
VIN: WDBEA30D9MB402213. Black with Black
Leather (both nearly perfect). New set ofMichelins.
This car has been pampered. Recent trip to Bir-
mingham: 20 MPG, no fluid loss, cold AC (still R-
12). Recent tune-up (plug, wires, cap, rotor). The
only thing that doesn't work properly is the cig
lighter; it works, just not very well. Will share auto
report. Have all the keys and a clean title.
Call John in Hermitage, (859) 582-3087



FOR SALE:

1999 300 Turbo Diesel
Black exterior and interior. All service at the dealer.
Pristine, leather, heated front seats, cruise control,
moon roof. Radio is an Alpine unit with Ipod, Siri-
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Genuine OEM Mercedes Roof Racks. Fits 1998-2005
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with key. New price, \$275+ My price, \$130.
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2007 S550 18,800 miles Androcite Grey Metallic.
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tops. All records dating back to original factory de-
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\$25K to MBNA members. Contact
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Happy New Year!



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Let's get into gear for 2016!