

SMOKY MTN REGION PORSCHE CLUB OF AMERICA  
DRIVE OUT AUGUST 20-21,2016 TO BLOWING ROCK, NC

We will depart from the I-40 east rest area just past mile marker 419. Please be there by 8:30am to sign the insurance waiver and have a short meeting. This is the rest area that is just prior to the entrance to I-81 north.

We will travel in two groups. Your group is indicated on the participant list

**PLEASE DRIVE WITH HEADLIGHTS ON AND MAINTAIN A SAFE DISTANCE BETWEEN CARS**

<b>MILEAGE</b>	<b>INSTRUCTION</b>
0	Set your trip odometer at the picnic table as you leave the rest area Depart rest area and move to two left lanes on I-40
1.7	Bear left onto I-81
40.2	Exit at rest area at mile marker (mm) 38 <b>REST STOP</b>
59.2	Exit right at exit 57A onto I-26 toward Johnson City
69.9	Exit right at exit 19 and highway 381. Turn left onto highway 381. <b>Stay in left lane</b> Merge left toward Bristol
71.3	Bear left onto highway 11E and 11W toward Bristol
79.5	Exit right on 11E toward Elizabethton
89	Turn right onto highway 321 (Broad Street to Elk Avenue)
91.6	Turn right into Sycamore Shoals Park <b>REST STOP AND PICNIC. REST ROOMS ARE LOCATED AT ENTRANCE TO THE MUSEUM</b>
92.8	Depart Sycamore Shoals and turn left onto highway 321
93.9	Bear left and proceed on 321
95	Turn right on highway 321 (note: 321N becomes 321S) <b>We will stop and re-group after leaving Elizabethton</b>
101.7	Turn left and follow highway 321 at Shell Station *This is an easy turn to miss. Don't turn early.

- 109.9 Turn right and proceed on 321  
\*This is another easy turn to miss.
- 134 Turn right and proceed on 321 to Boone, NC
- 137.7 Turn right and proceed on highway 321
- 139.5 Turn left onto the Boone by-pass (highway 105)
- 141.7 Turn right onto highway 321
- 142.8 **Rest stop at Mobil in Boone. Depart by turning right on 321**
- 148.3 Turn right on Main Street in Blowing Rock at traffic light
- 148.9 Turn right and enter Blowing Rock Inn

## **RETURN TRIP SUNDAY AUGUST 21, 2016**

- 0 Set trip odometer as you turn right on Main Street from BRI
- 0.1 Turn right onto highway 221 at traffic light
- 1.7 Turn right onto access road to Blue Ridge Parkway
- 1.8 Turn left onto Blue Ridge Parkway south
- 39.7 Exit Blue Ridge Parkway at the Crabtree Falls exit. REST STOP at the North Carolina Mineral Museum  
Return to Blue Ridge Parkway upon leaving museum
- 53.5 Exit left from Blue Ridge Parkway to highway 80 toward Marion  
Proceed 12.3 miles to T intersection at end of highway 80
- 65.9 Make u-turn and follow highway 80 back to Blue Ridge Parkway
- 78.3 Exit left from highway 80 toward Blue Ridge Parkway
- 78.4 Turn left on Blue Ridge Parkway South
- 83.4 Tunnel
- 89.8 Turn right into Mt. Mitchell state park
- 93.1 Turn right into Mr. Mitchell state park restaurant parking lot  
LUNCH
- 94.9 Return from Summitt at Mt Mitchell to Blue Ridge Parkway
- 99.9 Turn right onto Blue Ridge Parkway South
- 109 Tunnel
- 110.2 Tunnel
- 119.2 Tunnel
- 127.1 Exit into the Folk Art Center parking lot  
END OF DRIVE OUT