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Registration for the BMW CCA Corral and Hospitality Area at the Rolex 24 opened on Monday, December 28, at 11 [...]

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## Michelin Deal: Get \$70 Plus FREE 1-Year BMW CCA Membership!

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## Personality

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## Recognition Committee Update: Hindsight Is 2020

Here we are in the last week of 2020, a year that has been nothing short of unusual for all [...]

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## BMW CCA NCC Winter 2021 Sim Racing Program by Hagerty and Treakle Insurance

- Second half of our winter season is here with **live broadcast!**
- Join us every Thursday night at 8 PM EST for some *serious* racing!
- Be sure to join our iRacing league under: *BMW CCA NCC League*
- Please watch our Facebook page for weekly announcements
- Any questions, please contact: [simracing@nccbmwcca.org](mailto:simracing@nccbmwcca.org)

*"The cars may be virtual, but the race is REAL!"*

- Special thanks to our sponsors:



### Weekly Race Schedule

1/7	#6	Indianapolis
1/14	#7	Mid-Ohio
1/21	#8	NJMP
1/28	#9	Road America
2/4	#10	Road Atlanta
2/11	#11	Sebring
2/18	#12	Laguna Seca

## National Capital Chapter Sim Racing Winter Season Resumes January 7

The second half of the winter season is here and the National Capital Chapter will be broadcasting sim racing live [...]

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## BMW Sends Season's Greetings To iDrive Screen Near You

Do you have a BMW with iDrive Operating System 7.0, and software that was updated in July of this year [...]

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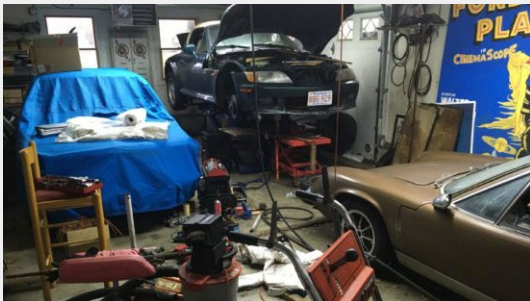
## Entry-Level Front-Wheel-Drive 2 Series Gran Coupé Available In U.S.

Initially available exclusively with xDrive all-wheel-drive, the new BMW 2 Series Gran Coupé can now be had in front-wheel-drive form [...]

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## HACK MECHANIC: ROB SIEGEL



## Zelda's Transmission: If It Came Out, It Must Go Back In

Last week the reinstallation of the transmission in Zelda, my 1999 Z3 2.5i, was train-wrecked by shipping delays for the [...]

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## Transmission Parts For Zelda

Last week, using a Rube Goldberg-like contraption that involved my mid-rise lift, a scissors lift table, a transmission jack, a [...]

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## Zanardi's Condition Improves

Alex Zanardi, critically injured in a hand cycle crash in June, is showing additional signs of recovery. He has received [...]

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## Turner M6 GT3 Will Return To SRO


Turner Motorsport will run an M6 GT3 in the SRO GT World Challenge America series in 2021. Sportscar365 reports that [...]

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